Ignatian Litany 2021-2022

Invocation: Pray for us

St. Ignatius, Founder of our Society
St. Ignatius, veteran soldier of Christ
St. Ignatius, you who surrendered all for Christ
St. Ignatius, you who teach us to surrender all that we have
St. Ignatius, you who teach us to surrender and offer all that we are
St. Ignatius, you who had a universal vision
St. Ignatius, you who gave us the Spiritual Exercises, that Spiritual power house
St. Ignatius, you who gathered the first companions as the nucleus of the Society
St. Ignatius, you who inspired the rich man Francis Xavier to leave his power and glory behind
St. Ignatius, you who gifted us with the principles of the discernment of spirits
St. Ignatius, you who experienced the vision at river Cardoner
St. Ignatius, you who lived as a beggar after your conversion
St. Ignatius, you who became a pilgrim for Christ
St. Ignatius, you who lived frugally as the first General and amassed graces in abundance
St. Ignatius, you who inspired many young and old to follow you to serve the Eternal King
St. Ignatius, you who teach us the Principle and Foundation of our life
St. Ignatius, you whose allegiance to the Church was strong and steady
St. Ignatius, you who teach us your followers the discipline of life
St. Ignatius, you who tell us to form our students as men and women for others
St. Ignatius, you who teach us that all the things in this world are gifts of God as means to know him better, to love him more surely and serve him more faithfully.
St. Ignatius, you who teach us to be generous
St. Ignatius, you who teach us to serve the Lord as the Lord deserves
St. Ignatius, you who teach us to give without counting the cost
St. Ignatius, you who teach us to fight without the fear of being wounded
St. Ignatius, you who teach us to work without seeking rest
St. Ignatius, you who teach us to spend ourselves without expecting any reward
St. Ignatius, you who teach us to seek only the knowledge that we are only doing God’s will
St. Ignatius, you who teach us that nothing is difficult for one who does it for the love of Christ.
St. Ignatius, you who teach us that God is ever active in his creatures
St. Ignatius, you who teach us to be generous to the poor orphans and those in need
St. Ignatius, you who teach us that spiritual infirmities, such as tepidity are caused not only by chills but also by fevers, that is, by excessive zeal
St. Ignatius, you who teach us that he who is devout to our Blessed Mother Mary will never be lost.
St. Ignatius, you who teach us the principle of Ad Majorem Dei Gloriam
St. Ignatius, you who teach us the way to the heart of God through the Contemplation to obtain love.
St. Ignatius, you who teach us that God will not be outdone in generosity
St. Ignatius, pray that we may be your faithful followers in the Society.
St. Ignatius, pray that we may follow and implement the principles of a faith that does justice.
St. Ignatius, pray that we may be faithful to our vocation
St. Ignatius, pray that we may follow the ideals of the Society without counting the cost.

All:

“Take, Lord, receive all my liberty, my memory, my understanding, my whole will, all that I have and all that I possess. You gave it all to me, Lord; I give it all back to you. Do with it as you will, according to your good pleasure. Give me your love and your grace; for with this I have all that I need.”

(Prepared by Arrupe Tribal Cultural Centre, Bhognadih, Jharkhand, India – Ignatian Jubilee Year 2021)