

VIDEO REPORT: Laughing with St. Ignatius



St. Ignatius of Loyola at prayer in Rome. (Father William Hart McNichols)

In honor of today's Feast of St. Ignatius Loyola – founder of the Jesuits – here's a video clip of Father James Martin, S.J. sharing some of his favorite Jesuit jokes. It's taken from the priest-author's July 29 talk at St. Ignatius in Baltimore. I know you'll enjoy it!

Also, the image of St. Ignatius shown on this blog is one of Father Martin's favorites. It shows the great saint at prayer in Rome – perfectly capturing his humanity. Father William Hart McNichols was the iconographer and you can learn more about his work [here](#).

For more funny and insightful clips from Father Martin's lecture on humor and spirituality, [click here](#).

Happy Feast Day to all my Jesuit friends from a proud graduate of Loyola University Maryland! Ad Majorem Dei Gloriam!

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