



MEDIA ADVISORY

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IGNATIUS NIGHT AT THE MOVIES FEATURING:

POPE JOHN PAUL II

Written and directed by John Kent Harrison

**Starring Jon Voight, Cary Elwes,
Ben Gazzara, James Cromwell, and Christopher Lee**

_____ will be one of many churches, schools and organizations in North America holding an exclusive screening of *Pope John Paul II* which was made in cooperation with the Vatican and received a blessing from Pope Benedict XVI. This movie originally aired in December 2005 as a three-hour CBS mini-series and has never before been seen in theaters. It is being released exclusively by Ignatius Press.

This special screening will be held on:

Date(s): _____

Time(s): _____

Ticket price: _____ **Proceeds will benefit:** _____.

Pope John Paul II, filmed on location in Krakow, Poland and Rome, brings the amazing story of Karol Wojtyla up close and personal, from his struggles in Nazi-occupied Poland to his dealings with the Russians and their desire to turn his beloved homeland into a godless society; from his education in the underground seminary to his election, at the age of 58, as the first non-Italian pope in 455 years; from his athletic, theatrical youth to his physically depleted old age, to his moving and dignified death. This movie portrays it all in a way never before seen with a remarkable glimpse into the inner sanctum of the Vatican conclave and the making of a pope. It will move the viewer to laugh, cry and be awed by the privilege of sharing the earth for a brief time with this saintly man.

To discuss our participation in the **Ignatius Night at the Movies** program and the showing of *POPE JOHN PAUL II*, please contact _____ at
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