

St. Ignatius Of Antioch Church

April 12, 2015

Divine Mercy Sunday



MINISTERIAL STAFF

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SCHEDULE OF MASSES:

Saturday: 5:15 P.M. Vigil Mass
Sunday: 7:30, 9:30, 11:30AM and 6:00 PM
Children's Liturgy of the Word: at 9:30 Mass
Daily, Monday to Friday: 9:00 AM
Saturday: 8:00 AM.
Holy Day Schedule: 7:00PM Vigil Mass, 7:00AM,
9:00AM, and 7:00PM.
Special Schedules for Christmas, New Years & Easter

E-mail: contact@siparish.org

Website: <http://www.siparish.org>

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Saturdays: 4:00 to 5:00 P.M.
Eves of First Fridays: 7:00 to 7:30 P.M.
Eves of Holy Days: 7:00 P.M.
Confessions will also be heard at any reasonable time on request.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA):

For those who would like to inquire about the Catholic Faith, information is available. Please contact the Director of Religious Education, Annmarie Flanagan, at 215-493-5204 or 215-370-5701

BAPTISMS:

The Sacrament of Baptism is normally administered on the second and fourth Sundays of each month at 12:45 P.M. Pre-Jordan class, for the first child only, is required for parents. Class is held on the first Monday of the month at 7:30 PM in room 2B on the 2nd floor of the Meeting Center. Parents, please call the rectory to register for the class.

MARRIAGES:

Arrangements must be made at least six months in advance. An appointment should be made with one of the parish priests. Available dates cannot be given, nor can weddings be scheduled, rescheduled, postponed or cancelled over the phone.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK:

Please call the rectory if someone is sick. The Holy Eucharist will be brought to anyone homebound.

NEW PARISHIONERS:

New to the parish? Please call the rectory for an appointment to register.

EXPOSITION OF BLESSED SACRAMENT:

24 Hours a day in Adoration Chapel



CALLED TO WITNESS

In the aftermath of Jesus' salvific death and resurrection, the early believers called upon a variety of witnesses to attest to that event whereby their lives were forever changed. First but not foremost among these witnesses was the empty tomb. The emptiness of the tomb that Joseph of Arimathea had provided for the burial of Jesus invited various interpretations even among the disciples. Those who first came upon the tomb thought that someone had moved the body. Only with the further clarification of an angel interpreter on an experience of the risen Jesus was the witness understood. Others among Jesus' disciples thought the tomb was empty because the body of Jesus had been stolen; some non-disciples and detractors of Jesus assumed that His disciples had taken the body and hidden it in order to propagate the "myth" of His rising.

Witnesses who experienced Jesus in His risen glory offered some of the most powerful testimony. These attested to having seen Jesus in various places throughout Judah; He spoke with them and ate with them. He showed his wounds and enabled them to begin to see that God's promise of salvation had been fulfilled in Him. He assured them that He would remain with them through the abiding presence of the bread and in the word. These witnesses to Jesus were instrumental in drawing others to believe and in causing the Jesus-movement to grow and to spread beyond Judah throughout the then-known world.

Too soon, however, these eyewitnesses to the historical as well as to the risen Jesus were silenced by their own passage through death of life. Witnesses to the risen Christ, therefore, became the special privilege and responsibility of the community of believers. We become reacquainted with the earliest members of our community during the Easter Season. In our first reading, St. Luke reminds us that the first disciples were characterized by a unity of mind and heart. Christian unity did not demand conformity; on the contrary, differences were to be respected and even revered as the community grew and its complexion changed.

The early Christians bore powerful witness to their contemporaries by their mutual caring and sharing and by their willingness to forgive and work toward the reconciliation of all peoples in Christ.

These early witnesses and the testimony we revisit year after year should not be simply a glimpse at the "good old days" or at a bygone era that is now passé or too impractical and unrealistic for the 21st century believers. On the contrary, these witnesses and the lives they lived challenge us. Their idealism begs to be reflected in us. Their courage urges us not to allow our tentative efforts to falter or our pessimism to hold us back or our desire to be politically correct to delete or extinguish altogether our best efforts at living the Gospel. God forbid that we might look foolish or naïve in our hoping and in our caring. Although it may be tempting to "beg off" because we are so busy or overwhelmed at the enormity of the world's needs or because there are agencies and people who are being paid to take care of such things, these early witnesses will not allow us to shirk or ignore the ministry that they have begun. Their ministry has become our own.

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Who indeed is the victor over the world but the one who believes that Jesus is the Son of God?
~ I John 5:5

Mass Intentions



Monday

9:00 Alfred and Eleanor Baldwin
(Janet and Leonard Wassum)

Tuesday

9:00 Salvatore Loiacono (Josephine Loiacono)

Wednesday

9:00 Deceased Members of the Evanoski Family
(Estate)

Thursday

9:00 All Living & Deceased Members of the Parish

Friday

9:00 Beatrice and Chase Conover
(Janet and Leonard Wassum)

Saturday

8:00 Adele and Dean Fletcher (Jim Fletcher)
5:15pm Melanie Borys (Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Pryor)

Sunday

April 19, 2015

7:30 Carl A. Lantzy (Children)
9:30 Michael Herlihy (Margaret Herlihy)
11:30 Paul and Helen McGrory (The McGrory Family)
6:00pm Christina and Fred Hynoski
(Mikie [Mom], Chris, and Candice)

RESPECT LIFE: ROSE INTENTION

April 18th and 19th: For all families to say **YES** to life and love.

DEVOTION FOR DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY



Please join us this Sunday for our 10th Annual Divine Mercy Devotion and Celebration. At 3:00pm, the Hour of Mercy, devotions begin and include a procession around the interior of the church chanting the Divine Mercy Chaplet.

Don't hesitate to join us even if you have never heard of this devotion. It is a wonderful experience and we will guide you through it. We sing hymns, recite the rosary, offer some time for reflection and conclude with Benediction.

Immediately following, you are invited to join us for some light refreshments in our school cafeteria. We encourage you to bring your children - they usually enjoy the procession!

Also, kindly ask other family members, friends, and neighbors, who are Catholic or not.

This is a wonderful way to evangelize and invite friends and family who do not regularly attend church. Jesus loves us all! Hope to see you there. You are encouraged to go to confessions before this Feast Day. Kindly check our bulletin for Reconciliation times.

BLUE MASS ~ FRIDAY, APRIL 17, 2015 7:00PM



The Knights of Columbus will be sponsoring a Blue Mass for our **Police, Fire, and Emergency Services** personnel. As St. Ignatius will be the Host Parish for this event, thanks to Monsignor Shoemaker, we strongly encourage **all parishioners** to attend in support of these brave men and women and to join your prayers with those of the surrounding community. All first responders are invited to attend in uniform and encourage your departments to do the same! A reception will follow in the auditorium immediately following the Mass.

Questions? Contact Eric Miller PGK at 215-932-8298 or ericmiller@yardleyknights.org.

GOOD NEWS FOR MONSIGNOR SHOEMAKER

In the year that a Pastor celebrates his 75th birthday, Canon Law requires that he submit his resignation from his office as Pastor to the Archbishop by January 15th of that year. Monsignor's 75th birthday is September 22nd, 2015.

Following this requirement, Monsignor Shoemaker submitted his resignation to the Archbishop early in January, 2015.

Recently the Archbishop wrote to Monsignor noting that after consultation with the Archdiocesan Priest Personnel Board, he was pleased to inform Monsignor that the Archbishop would be most grateful if Monsignor would remain as Pastor of St. Ignatius Parish.

I am happy to share this information with you this weekend and request your continued prayers for me and my ministry here at this wonderful parish.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS SATURDAY, MAY 2, 2015

**Principal Celebrant: Archbishop Charles J. Chaput,
O.F.M. Cap.**



The annual Wedding Anniversary Mass is celebrated in May to pray for and with married couples in the Archdiocese of Philadelphia who are newlyweds, who have been married 25 years or more, or who have been married 50 years or more.

DATE: Saturday, May 2nd, 2015

TIME: 5:15 P.M. Vigil Mass

**LOCATION: Cathedral Basilica of SS. Peter and Paul
18th Street and Benjamin Franklin Parkway
Philadelphia, PA**

NO PRIOR REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Friends and family are welcome and encouraged to attend.

POOR BOXES

Next weekend all monies placed in the Poor Box will assist the poor and needy at **Catholic Social Services** in Levittown.

CARE OF OUR CHURCH ALTARS AND SANCTUARY DECORATIONS

For several years, Mrs. Carolyn McGovern has cared for our Church Altar and all the decorations for the holidays, such as, Christmas, Easter, Confirmation, First Communion, Forty Hours, etc.

Carolyn is going to be retiring shortly and Monsignor is searching for someone to take Carolyn's place in this very important undertaking.

If you would be interested, please call Monsignor Shoemaker at 215-493-3377, ext. 211 and he would be glad to explain further the responsibilities of the ministry.

CLOTHING DONATIONS

The St. Vincent DePaul clothing bin in our parking lot is no longer overseeing your clothing donations. The service has been taken over by a new company, **Thrifty Irishman**.

Your donations of wearable, used clothing will be greatly appreciated!



COUNTING OUR BLESSINGS

Palm Sunday 2014

Sunday	\$20,500.00
Youth Ministry	128.00
Latin America	616.00
Military Services	5.00
Monthly ACH	5,634.00

Palm Sunday 2015

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Easter Sunday 2014

Sunday	\$69,793.00
Easter Flowers	2,620.00
Holy Thursday	2,711.00
Holy Land	2,742.00
Africa Fund	10.00
Latin American	11.00
Military Services	20.00

Easter Sunday 2015

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2,412.00

3,309.00

3,183.00

10.00

11.00

20.00

We are very grateful for the support of our parish.

MAY FLOWERS FOR THE BLESSED MOTHER ALTAR



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During May, if you would like to donate flowers to honor Our Lady, please contact Monsignor Shoemaker at the rectory, 215-493-3377, ext. 211. We need three \$50.00 donations for the weekends of May 3rd, 10th, 17th & 25th. These donations may be made in memory of deceased loved ones, and the memorials will be published in the bulletin.

PARISH FALL APPEAL 2015

As of **April 5, 2015**, **292 families** have donated to this year's appeal totaling **\$76,935.00**.

From the Religious Education Office ...

The Religious Education Office is open on Sunday mornings at 7:00 a.m. and Monday to Thursday at 9:30 a.m. **Note that the office is closed on Friday.**

First Communion Retreat is scheduled for Tuesday afternoon, April 21.

First Communion takes place on Saturday, May 2, at 10:00 a.m. Mass for Monday and Wednesday PREP students, and at the 1:00 p.m. Mass for St. Ignatius School and Sunday PREP students. **Rehearsal** for the 10:00 Mass is on Tuesday, April 28, from 6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m., and rehearsal for the 1:00 Mass is on Thursday, April 30, from 6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Our Vacation Bible School Camp will take place from June 22nd to 26th, 2015, from 9:00 a.m. to 12:15 p.m., for children who will be entering grades K to 5 this fall. We will focus on God's power to provide, comfort, heal, forgive, and love us forever in the program *Everest Expedition 2015*. Registration forms have already been given to the children. If you do not have one, please stop in or call the PREP office. We are in great need of **ADULT** volunteers to help out. We also need a very limited number of volunteer junior aides (Grades 6 - 12).

REGISTRATION FOR 2015-2016 PREP YEAR...

Our Religious Education program is open to students in grades K through 12. All PREP families should have received registration materials. Please bring the completed registration forms for each child and tuition fee to the PREP Office as soon as possible.

If you are new to the parish or will have children entering kindergarten or grade 1 in the Fall, please stop in our office for information and registration materials, or call 215-493-5204. We will also need a copy of the child's Baptismal certificate unless he/she was baptized here at St. Ignatius Church.

To Parents of Students in grades 7 - 12: In grades K - 6, students learn about God and the doctrines of our Faith in an age appropriate manner. If this is the only Religious Education that a child receives, how can he/she ever learn to develop a teenage or adult relationship with God? Parents, is the God you believe in still the God of your youth? Please give your older children the chance to know a "big" God. Send them to PREP through grade 12.

Parents, are you aware that we have a "Special Needs" PREP class that meets on Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m.? If we could help to give your child a religious education in a small group environment, please give Annmarie a call to put your name on our mailing list.

CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP

All are invited - as we sing God's praises and share in His Word and His Love in an intimate community of faith.

We meet every Tuesday from 7:00-8:30PM in Room 2F in the Meeting Center. Deacon Bob Skawinski is our spiritual Prayer Group Director.

ST. IGNATIUS OF ANTIOCH SCHOOL



"High Achievement ~ Higher Purpose"

From the desk of Mrs. DiTommaso:

Do you teach your children to trust in the mercy of God? Are you a sign of mercy to your family? In the year 2000, Pope John Paul II proclaimed the second Sunday of Easter as Divine Mercy Sunday. This doctrine of Divine Mercy is based on Holy Scripture, on the faith handed down from the Apostles, and on the liturgical traditions based in the worship life of the ancient Christian communities.

Congratulations to the following students who earned honors for the second marking period:

Grade 8: *First Honors* - Meghan Alexander, Keeley Connor, Catherine Goldner, Joseph LaMorte, Brandon, McCoy, James Muldowny, and Carly Smith; ***Second Honors*** - Bridgett Baker, Ryan Burns, Elaina Fiduccia, and Henry Glunz.

Grade 7: *First Honors* - Stephen Bontempo and Olivia Glunz; ***Second Honors*** - Sarah Abdalla, Mateo Blanco, Krista Galasso, Charlie White, Vincent Twomey, Nico Valerio, and Marissa Weber.

On Wednesday, April 15th, our two teams of students will be competing in the **Reading Olympics**. Please pray to the Holy Spirit to enlighten them.

Success starts here. St. Ignatius School is now accepting registration for the 2015 - 2016 school year. We offer a strong academic curriculum for Pre K 3 through 8th grade. Call 215-493-3867 for more information.

FATHER McCAFFERTY SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Monsignor Shoemaker is in need of several donations to the fund in order to assist needy families with school tuition.

PLEASE REMEMBER

The first day each week for Catholic Education in School and PREP begins on Saturday/Sunday with attendance at Mass.



Maria LaMantia - Youth Minister
Email: ym@siparish.org
Phone: 267-391-7693

Senior High Y Disciple Youth Group - 7:00pm to 8:30pm on Sunday Nights; Join us on April 19th, May 3rd, and May 8th. For more information on the Y Disciple Program please visit www.ydisciple.org.

Junior High Youth Group - May 8th, 7:00pm to 9:00pm - open gym night/Marian Retreat.

Youth Group General Events: Saturday, May 16th, 9am to 12pm at Core Creek Park - Fishing with the Pastor - Msgr. Shoemaker will be conducting a short class on the basics of fishing and then we'll be casting our lines into the waters and seeing what we can catch! We are looking for a few Dads and Moms who love to fish to assist Msgr. Shoemaker in teaching the class. Sunday, May 31st, 3:00pm to 5:00pm - Youth Group End of Year Party!

If you are interested in attending any of our events or volunteering, please let me know!

PRAY FOR THOSE SERVING OUR COUNTRY...

Matthew Bauer, Melissa Bishop, Christian Blaydon, Sara Brill, Mark Buckley, Michael Joseph Buckley, Brad Bullman, Evan Cumming, Brent Cummings, Kevin O'Brien, Staten DeTample, Jamie Drennen, Ronald Ernst, Kevin Frawley, Anthony Fuscarello, Joe Galle, Andrew Garcia, Jessica Garcia, Shane Gibbons, Stephen Greene, Jonathan Grubb, Edward Hill, William J. Homer IV, Karen Jacinto, David & Christine Kawoczka Krueger, Matthew Krall, Justin Kumor, Matthew Listner, Matt Leonardo, James Limer, Michael Lowe, W. Kyle Magrisi, Joseph Marchand, Greg Marolo, Matthew McGurk, Phil Melandez, William Mennell, Chris Merrick, Jayson Mix, David Morgan, Kevin Nash, Stephen Neder, John O'Rourke, John Parente, Laura Perazzola, Gregory B. Procaccini, Jason Propst, Matthew Rieser, Mary Romo, James Tams, Scott Toro, Sean Wolodzko, John Worman.

To add someone in the Armed Forces to our prayer list, call 215-493-3377.



SPRING FURNITURE DRIVE MONDAY, APRIL 20, 2015 SOCIAL ACTION COMMITTEE

The St. Ignatius Spring Furniture Drive will be conducted on Monday, April 20th. All types of furniture in good condition are welcome. The furniture will be given to **FOX CHASE CANCER CENTER**. If you would like to donate items, please contact one of the following members **by Friday APRIL 10TH**:

Dillon Costa 215-962-3994
Barbara Scherer 215-321-3519
Joan O'Brien 215-493-6889
Joan Lambert 215-295-3901



Because of federal and state regulations, mattresses CANNOT be accepted.

Collections will begin at approximately 9:00am and continue until complete. To expedite pickup, we will use two trucks and the most efficient routing will be employed. For this reason, we will not be able to guarantee a specific pickup time. We hope you understand.

Thanking you in advance for your generosity and for helping make life better for the less fortunate among us. They are extremely grateful, **YOU CAN BE MOST ASSURED!**

HOST A FAMILY

World Meeting of Families is coming to Philadelphia in September 2015 and you can help!



Thousands will visit for this international event from September 22 - 27, 2015.

You can open your home and host a family or an individual.

Open your home and host a family!

It is easy to sign up online.

Be a part of this historic event and learn more at www.WorldMeeting2015.org or email us at host@WorldMeeting2015.org

ADORATION CHAPEL

We are truly blessed at St. Ignatius to have an Adoration Chapel. 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, someone is spending quiet time with our Eucharistic Lord, Jesus! You can too, anytime day or night - just come in and visit. Also if you would like to come at a set time each week, please consider taking one of the following hours:

Sunday - 3:00pm; Monday - 10:00am; Tuesday - 3:00am, 9:00am, 3:00pm, and 6:00pm; Friday - 6:00pm; Saturday - 4am and 12:00pm. Also, if you would like to be a partner on Monday at 6:00pm, Saturday at 7:00pm, or Sunday at 8:00pm, that would be appreciated. For more information about Eucharistic Adoration, kindly call Marianne Kloc for more information at 267-346-0152.

New Information for Chapel Closing: To find out if the Chapel is open or closed, kindly call 215-493-3377, extension 221. A recorded message will give you the latest information. We are phasing out calling our Adorers, so please call the information number provided and keep it handy for your convenience. It would be helpful to call anytime the weather is inclement to see if we have decided upon an extended closing. Thank you for your cooperation and commitment to Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.

KID'S KORNER....is coming Saturday, April 18th, 2015! Join us at our popular sale of gently used Spring and Summer infant/children's clothing, fall gear, toys, games, strollers, bikes, furniture....newborn to size 16.



The sale will be held at Saint John the Evangelist School, 728 Big Oak Road in Morrisville from 8:00am to 2:30 pm. Shoppers, mark your calendars and arrive early for incredible finds.

For further information, please contact Jen Mayle at 215-369-4337.

A Red Rose Can Be Placed By The Respect Life Altar



The Respect Life Committee offers all parishioners the opportunity to dedicate our Rose for Life to a special occasion, person, or event. Just fill out one of the envelopes at the entrances of the church or adoration chapel and drop off in a collection basket or the rectory. We will accommodate a special plaque to your request on the 'rose pedestal'. Also, please stop by our new Guadalupe shrine in the Reading Ave. entrance of the Church and say one Hail Mary to stop abortion.

"I pray that at every level a general commitment to support the family will reappear and be strengthened so that today too - even amid so many difficulties and serious threats - the family will always remain, in accordance with God's plan, the 'sanctuary of life'." (Pope St. John Paul II).

"What joy fills My heart when you return to Me. Because you are weak, I take you in My arms and carry you to the home of My Father." (Marian Fathers of the BVM; Diary, 1486).

The family is under attack and we need to defend it. Today is Divine Mercy Sunday. Let us turn to God and His divine mercy and pray that the authentic family of His plan will continue to persist and succeed; if not, our culture is doomed and our society will crumble.

Our Lady of Guadalupe, pray for us.

BOOK 'N BEAN

Wish you had more time to read great books? How about one per month? Join us on the last Tuesday of each month to discuss the club's book of the month!



Our group meets in the Religious Education Office (across from the school cafeteria) from 7:30 - 8:45pm for a relaxed discussion. Bring your own refreshments. Contact Linda Stewart at dremom@verizon.net or call her at (215) 968-3577 with any questions. Our schedule is as follows:

April 28th: *The Boys in the Boat* (Daniel James Brown)

May 26th: *Gone Girl* (Gillian Flynn)

**THE FAMILY FULLY ALIVE
PRO LIFE/PRO FAMILY MEETING**

In preparation for the 2015 *World Meeting of Families* and the visit of Pope Francis, St. Ignatius Parish will hold a gathering, named after the 2015 theme for the world meeting, **to pray and praise God for the gift of family and life, and to gain understanding of the beautiful teachings gifted to us by the church of Philadelphia in order to prepare for the World Meeting of Families next September.**

The gathering will take place from 7:15pm to 8:30pm in the Old Rectory in the room above the Adoration Chapel on the 2nd and 4th Monday evening for each of the ten months leading up to September 2015. Each month will cover one of the ten topics. For more information, please contact Marie Joseph at 215-493-1058 or Sheila Gallagher at 215-493-5298. **If you are alive, you are part of a family... all are welcome!**

DIVORCE AND BEYOND... Recovery from divorce is not done alone. **"Divorce and Beyond"** is a program for men and women who are already divorced or have filed for divorce and are working to heal the wounds of divorce.

WHERE: Saint Bede the Venerable Church
1071 Holland Road, Holland, PA

WHEN: 7:00pm on April 21st, April 28th, May 5th, May 19th, May 26th, June 2nd, June 16th, June 23rd, June 30th, and July 7th.

Registration fee is \$10.00. Please send the fee along with your name, address, phone number, and email to:

Divorce and Beyond
c/o St. Bede the Venerable Rectory
1071 Holland Road, Holland, PA 18966

For more information, call Helen Love at 267-304-3772.

**BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP FOR
WIDOWS AND WIDOWERS**

Alternate Wednesdays ~ No Fee ~ Refreshments

Location: James J. Dougherty Funeral Home, Inc.
2200 Trenton Road Levittown, PA 19056

Time: 1:30 PM to 2:45 PM

Date: April 15, 2015 - Physical Symptoms of Grief
April 29, 2015 - Emotional Roller Coaster
May 13, 2015 - Belongings and Reminders
May 27, 2015 - Caring for Yourself While Grieving
June 10, 2015 - Continuing Bonds

Sponsored by James J. Dougherty Funeral Home, Inc.
For information call: 215-624-8190 or email:

dgawthropcnlt@verizon.net

**AN INVITATION TO ALL CATHOLICS IN THE
ARCHDIOCESE OF PHILADELPHIA**

The Knights of Columbus is presenting ***"Solutions to Your Long Term Care Concerns"*** on Thursday, April 16th at 7:00 p.m. at St. Joseph the Worker Council Home, 1492 Woodbourne Road, Levittown, PA.

Hear specialist Paul Ochs from the Knights of Columbus speak on topics such as:

How over 43% of people over age 65 will require long-term care during their lifetime; how the average individual will spend up to \$65,000 per year for long term expenses; how the average stay in a nursing home is at least 2½ years; how 40% of people needing long term care are under the age of 65.

The potential cost for this rising problem is over \$162,000! See what you can do to help take care of or reduce this astronomical cost! This is a free seminar is open to every Catholic in the Archdiocese.

Please RSVP no later than April 13th, 2015. A minimum of 15 participants will be needed to secure this event. Please call your local Field Agent, Joseph Grayeske at 484-924-8449 to reserve your space!

**PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL THE SICK IN OUR
COMMUNITY that they return to the comfort of good**

health: Elizabeth Alvino, Edita S. Asuncion, Phyllis Atkins, Frances Barkocy, Mary Barrett, Mary Beck, Brian Benedict, Ethel Beres, Theresa Bond, Anthony Bonanno, John Borges, Carolyn Bowers, Brian Bruder, Connie Buettler, Grace Burke, Jackelyne Carder, Ruthann Carroll, Florence Cebula, Peggy Ciulla, Michele Coleman, Kathleen Ann Collins, Lynda Collins, Josephine Consalvo, Cliff Conway, Tom Cox, Marjorie DeFelice, Bill & Theresa Derisi, Loretta & Sharon Douglas, Mary Ann Dougherty, Jenee Dwyer, Hannah Einwechter, Rosanne Ferrante, Grace Filak, Emilia Fina, Carol Foley, Casey Foley, Allen Fowler, Carol Fry, David Fry, Maureen Gallagher, Liz Gomes, Madeline Guarnieri, RoseAnn Grall, Jeff Greenly, Lou Gunkel, Karl Hagermann, Jim Holmes, Craig Inducci, Meryl Jacobson, Samia Jordens, Alex Kersha, Elizabeth Keys, Elizabeth Koch, Dolly Kratz, Rita Kroger, Barbara Lawless, Madelyn Liss, Jane Liwoch, Elvia Luna, Michael Martell, Genevieve Marvuglio, Ellen Masterson, Bettie Mayer, Diane Mays, Bernadette McBeth, Baby Kevin McBeth, Lisa McBeth, Jim McCarthy, John McConnell, Ed McDonough, Carol McDonnell, Regina McHugh, Betty McNichol, Laurence Meo, Elizabeth Merrick, George Monti, Emily Morton, Phyllis Moser, Michael Murphy, Robert Murphy, Daniel O'Brien, Tim O'Reilly, Mignon Parham, Arty Peake, Nerissa Pepito, Alex Peters, Thelma Pisano, Mike Pompei, Susan Prager, Sara Puca, Mary Ramsey, Ralph Repoli, Don Roth, Joseph Russo, Jen Shipp, Esperanza Sikorski, Ardene Smith, Joan Smoluk, Jay Steiger, Ryder Sternagel, Rita Stine, Darwin Stout, Pat Straub, Olivia Sullivan, Eileen Sutton, Jonathan Sutton, Doris Tarquinio, Jeanne Tobin, Bernadette Valko, Pat Van Dine, Melvin Vangilder, Jane Wallace, Jessica Walters, Mark Wassum, Charlene Weaver, Molly White, Luanne Wons, Patricia Yorkus, Dorothy Young, Linda Zadnik.

PRAY FOR OUR BELOVED DECEASED, Father Howard Krick, Father Joseph O'Brien, Joseph Kelly, all of the service personnel killed while serving our country, those who have no one to pray for them and the Holy Souls in Purgatory.

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