

St. Ignatius of Antioch Church

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August 20, 2017 Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time



"O woman, great is your faith! Let it be done for you as you wish."

Matthew 15:28

MINISTERIAL STAFF

Rev. Andrew C. Brownholtz, Pastor Rev. Anthony J. DiGuglielmo, Assistant Pastor Deacon Robert J. Skawinski, Retired Deacon Michael Cibenko Mary Ann DiTommaso, School Principal Annmarie C. Flanagan, Director of Religious Education Gregory Lucidi, Business Manager Maria L. LaMantia, Parish Secretary Lee F. Milhous, Music Director Trevor Dooley, Youth Minister

RECTORY OFFICE SUMMER HOURS

Sunday—CLOSED Monday– Thursday 9am—4pm Friday—9am—12pm Saturday—CLOSED SCHEDULE OF MASSES: Saturday: 5:15 PM Vigil Mass Sunday: 7:30, 9:30, 11:30AM Children's Liturgy of the Word: at 9:30 Mass Daily, Monday to Friday: 9:00 AM Saturday: 8:30 AM Holy Day Schedule: 7:00PM Vigil Mass, 7:00AM, 9:00AM, and 7:00PM. Special Schedules for Christmas, New Years & Easter

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Saturdays: 4:00 to 5:00 P.M. Confessions will also be heard upon request. Please call the rectory to make an appointment.

<u>NEW PARISHIONERS</u> New to the parish? Please call the rectory to register.

Daily Readings and Mass Intentions

Sunday August 20, 2017 1 Kgs 3:5, 7-12; Ps 119:57, 72, 76-77, 127-130; Rom

8:28-30; *Mt* 13:44-52 (44-46) **7:30AM** Thomas (Lee) Carroll (The Carroll Family)

9:30AM Joseph Murphy (The Murphy Family)

11:30AM Kathleen Gasson

(Joe, Mary Claire, and Claire Marie Rossi)

Monday

Ex 32:15-24, 30-34; Ps 106:19-23; Mt 13:31-35 **9:00AM Donald O'Brien Sr.** (Vince and Roxana McKernan)

Tuesday

Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28; Ps 103:6-13; Mt 13:36-43 9:00AM All Living and Deceased Members of the Parish

Wednesday

Ex 34:29-35; Ps 99:5-7, 9; Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42 **9:00AM William Smith (Mary C. Crawford)**

Thursday

Ex 40:16-21, 34-38; *Ps* 84:3-6a, 8a, 11; *Mt* 13:47-53 9:00AM James and Theresa Fazzalore (Frank and Mary Fazzalore)

Friday Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37; Ps 81:3-6, 10-11ab; Mt 13:54-58

9:00AM Keith Moore (Ebby Conway)

Saturday

Lv 25:1, 8-17; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 7-8; Mt 14:1-12 8:30AM Frederick A. Stinner (Deacon Michael and Anna Cibenko) 5:15PM Eugene Buerke (Loretta and Bill Amerine)

Sunday August 27, 2017

Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9; 2 Pt 1:16-19; Mt 17:1-9 7:30AM Thomas (Lee) Carroll (The Carroll Family) 9:30AM Jennie B. and Nick Pellinger (The Carroll Family) 11:30AM Joseph F. Oueenen Jr. (Mary Crawford)

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ADORATION CHAPEL- Won't you consider being a substitute adorer this summer? It's not a permanent commitment, we just ask that you give us your name and phone number. We will call you when we need a sub and if you are able to do it, it's most appreciated. If you are interested in becoming a permanent adorer, our open hours are: Sunday 5pm, 6pm, Monday 9am, 10am and 3pm, Friday 1am and Saturday 1am and 6am (the last 2 Saturdays of the month). Kindly call Marianne Kloc at 267-346-0152 if you are interested.

<u>ANNOINTING OF THE SICK</u>—Please call the rectory if someone is sick. The Holy Eucharist will be brought to anyone homebound.

BAPTISMS—The Sacrament of Baptism is normally administered on Sundays at 12:45P.M. Pre-Jordan class, for the first child only, is required for parents. Class is held on the first Monday of the month at 7:00 PM in room 2B on the 2nd floor of the Meeting Center. Parents, please call the rectory to register for the class or for a Baptism.

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. For more information, please contact our spiritual prayer group director, Deacon Bob Skawinski, at rjcs1219@verizon.net.

<u>CLOTHING COLLECTION</u>—You can donate wearable, used clothing at the Thrifty Irishman clothing bin in our parking lot. Your donations are greatly appreciated!

FOOD COLLECTION— We will collect our usual items for Mary's Pantry on the second Sunday of each month. Please bring your canned and boxed items, paper goods and baby needs to Mass and place them in the designated places

ROSARY—All are invited to recite the rosary after the 9:00am Mass. For those who can stay longer, the Chaplet of Divine Mercy is also recited. The rosary is also recited before the 5:15pm Saturday Mass starting at 4:45pm.

<u>WEDDINGS</u>—Arrangements should be made at least six months in advance. Please call the rectory to make an appointment with one of the priests.

*PRAYER REQUESTS—The receptacle for prayer requests is a wooden box located on the wall under the First Station of the Cross. All are welcome to place prayer requests in the box. A member of the parish prayer group will intercede for your request for 7 days.

FISCAL CORNER

We have made a small modification to the way we report our Sunday collections. We will now total the Sunday giving along with our new electronic giving to give a more comprehensive total for our weekly collections. Our new online giving program is a great success, thanks to your help! We would like to ask everyone not participating in our online giving program to please consider this method of making your weekly gift to St. Ignatius. Online giving is a convenient and secure way to make your weekly contribution to our parish. Please visit our parish website at www.stignatius.church and click on the Parish Giving logo for more information.

	COUNTING OUR BLESS	NGS
	August 14, 2016	August 13, 2017
Sunday Offering Online Parish Givi	\$ 13,106.50 338 Env. ing \$ 1,416.75 *	\$ 14,533.33 331 Env. \$ 2,491.98
Total Weekly	\$ 14,523.25	\$ 17,025.31
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We are	very grateful for the support	t of our parish!

ST. IGNATIUS ANNUAL PARISH PICNIC SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER $17^{\rm TH} \sim 2:00$ TO 5:00 PM SAVE THE DATE



Come and enjoy good food, games, music and socialize with your fellow parishioners.

We will be selling raffle tickets in the coming weeks and at the picnic. Take a chance on winning \$200, \$300 or \$500!! Proceeds from the tickets help with the cost of the picnic.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

If you can help the day of the picnic or with the tickets after Mass, please contact the rectory. Volunteer forms will be available. Students who need "Service Hours" are welcome to help.



FOR THE SICK IN OUR **COMMUNITY** that they return to the comfort of good health: Loretta Amerine, Sabrina Amerine, Tom Baust, Eileen Burke, Ruthann Carroll, Brynn Clare Connor, Cliff Conway, Gabrielle Cordisco, Mary C. Crawford, Alex Dobzanski, Olga Fleming, David Fry, Rose Ann Grall, Madeline Guarnieri, Denise Hiel, Charles Jacobson, Myrna Kane, Andrew Kelly, Jake Lindahl, Ellen Masterson, Donna McCarthy, Christine Miller, Eileen Murphy, Lily Murphy, Daniel O'Brien, James O'Brien, Francisco Pepito, Richard Petrucco, Thelma Pisano, James Reynolds, Madison Ritter, Mark Sassaman, Marlene Spillane, Darwin Stout, Catherine Torres, Jane Wallace, Sabrina Wooding, Barbara Zenno. (Please call the rectory to submit prayer requests for the sick, and also to remove a name from the list. Names will be removed after a month, unless you request otherwise.)

FOR OUR BELOVED

DECEASED, especially Don Weston all of our service personnel killed while serving our country, those who have no one to pray for them, and the Holy Souls in purgatory.

FOR THOSE SERVING OUR COUNTRY :

Cameron Armstrong, Matthew Bauer, Melissa Bishop, Christian Blaydon, Sara Brill, Mark Buckley, Michael Joseph Buckley, Brad Bullman, Evan Cumming, Brent Cummings, Kevin O'Brien Darby, Staten DeTample, Andrew Dill, Ronald Ernst, Kevin Frawley, Anthony Fuscarello, Joe Galle, Jessica Garcia, Shane Gibbons, Stephen Greene, Jonathan Grubb, Edward Hill, David & Christine Kawoczka Krueger, Matthew Krall, Justin Kumor, Daniel LaMorte, Matt Leonardo, James Limer, Michael Lowe, W. Kyle Magrisi, Joseph Marchand, Greg Marolo, Matthew McGurk, Phil Melandez, Chris Merrick, David Morgan, Kevin Nash, Stephen Neder, Fred Olivari, John O'Rourke, John Parente, J.C. Peabody, Laura Perazzola, Gregory B. Procaccini, Jason Propst, Matthew Rieser, James Tams, Scott Toro, John Worman.

SAVE THE DATE NEW ALTAR SERVER TRAINING 4th –8th grades welcome!!



If your child is interested in altar serving, please contact the rectory for an application. Applications will also be handed out through the school and PREP Program once classes resume in the Fall. Training for new altar servers will take place on Sunday, October 22nd after the 11:30am Mass or Thursday, October 26th at 7PM. Your child only needs to attend one of the sessions.

HAVE FURNITURE TO DONATE?

Contact: Goodwill Industries 215-822-2708 x 320 Attn: Patty

> H.O.P.E. (Helping Other People Everyday)



H.O.P.E. is a group of concerned parishioners who are willing to help

anyone in the geographical boundaries of our parish.

What we do: Visit shut-ins; prepare meals in a crisis situation; grocery shop or run errands for shut-ins; take others to the grocery store; take people to Mass one day a month; drive to medical appointments, bank, post office, etc.

What we CANNOT do:

Transport people in wheelchairs, be called as an

emergency ride, do personal care (feeding, bathing, toileting, house cleaning, or respite care), respond on short notice. (If possible, please give us 2 weeks notice).

To volunteer for **H.O.P.E.** or to use **H.O.P.E.**, call Pat Furst at 215-801-0820.

RCIA

For those who are considering becoming a member of the Catholic Faith information is available. Please contact the Director of Religious Education, Annmarie Flanagan, at 215-493-5204 or 215-370-5701.

CATHEDRAL AMBASSADORS

The Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter and Paul conducts an evangelization ministry with the Cathedral Ambassadors. This enthusiastic group of trained Ambassadors staffs the Basilica every day of the week and is comprised of volunteers from all over the Archdiocese. They answer questions and offer assistance to all who come to the Cathedral Basilica. Cathedral Ambassadors provide a personal presence in the Basilica and most importantly they put a face on the Church. Cathedral Ambassadors are assigned 4 hour shifts. The schedule is flexible with assignments of one day or more a month. Training and materials are provided to support this evangelization ministry.

For more information and to become a Cathedral Ambassador, please contact Martha Ortiz, the coordinator of the Cathedral Ambassadors, at cathedral.ambassadors@gmail.com.

Learn more about our Cathedral Basilica at www.cathedralphila.org

SECOND ANNUAL POLISH HARVEST FESTIVAL

All are invited to Second Annual Polish Harvest Festival at the TK Club at 521 East Hector Street in Conshohocken on Sunday September 17th from Noon to 6 pm to support St. Mary Polish American Society. Polka Fest will feature live Polka music, Polish food, a 50/50 drawing and other games of chance, a basket raffle, and baked goods for sale. Families are welcome, as there will be games for children with plenty of prizes!

Tickets are \$10 in advance and \$15 on the day of the event. Tickets for children are \$7 each and free for children under the age of 6. Tickets include the price of admission, food not included. Advance tickets are on sale until Wednesday September 6th. Walk-ins are still welcome on the day of the event. For advance tickets, please

email stmaryconshy@gmail.com or call Dorothy Swedkowski at 610-630-

SUPPORT GROUP FOR THE DIVORCED

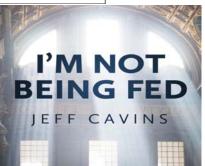
Tuesdays 7pm—8:15pm September 5th, 12th, 19th, 26th October 3rd, 10th, 17th, 31st November 7th, 14th ST JUDE CATHOLIC EDUCATION CENTER

This support group consists of a ten week program for divorced Catholics. Each session includes a brief DVD presentation, offered by expert counselors, author Rose Sweet, and others who have suffered through divorce. Following each presentation, the group is guided through a series of discussion questions. All sharing will be kept confidential. If you are a divorced Catholic, we invite you to experience this pastoral program. Your life will be rejuvenated, your hope restored, and your faith in Christ and his Church renewed! Fee is \$30.00 and includes workbook, handouts, and refreshments. Pre-registration and pre-payment are necessary. Registration forms can be found on the Adult Faith Events Page of our parish website at www.stjudechalfont.org. Contact Angela McClellan at 215-822-9225 (ext. 234) or at faith@stjudechalfont.org for further questions

GET FORMED



Take courage; get up, he is calling you. Mk 10:49



Simply Visit: **www.formed.org** Enter Our Parish Code: **40742e** Register yourself and enjoy the content available to you and your family!

Jeff Cavins explores and responds to some of the reasons why so many people have left the Catholic Church for Evangelical Christianity.

As he presents the story of his return to Catholicism, Cavins also builds a case for why the Catholic Church is the Church founded by Christ.

The AbbeyFest: Faith, Music, and Family Festival



AbbeyFest is the premier celebration of family, friends, and contemporary Catholic/Christian music in the greater Philadelphia area. Over 3,000 kids, teens, and parents attended last year. This year's musical headliners are Matt Maher and Mandisa, along with many other Christian musicians! Saturday, September 16, 2017, Daylesford Abbey, Paoli, PA. More info & tickets at theabbeyfest.com.

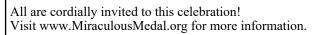
STATE OF VOCATIONS ADDRESS - Facebook LIVE!

All are invited to tune into Facebook LIVE to view the *State of Vocations Address* on **Tuesday, August 22, 2017 at 7:00 PM**. This event will be broadcast on the Vocation Office Facebook Page (<u>www.facebook.com/</u><u>phillypriest</u>). View this event, hosted by the Vocation Office for the Diocesan Priesthood, to see how you and your parish, school, family, and community can help create a culture of vocations in the Archdiocese of Philadelphia! HEED YOUR CALL! Questions? Contact Sue Matour at 610-667 -5778 or <u>smatour@archphila.org</u>.

Feast of Our Lady of Good Health Vailankanni Miraculous Medal Shrine, 500 E. Chelten Ave. Philadelphia, PA 19144 September 9, 2017 at 4pm – 7pm

The Miraculous Medal Shrine of Germantown, Philadelphia, is celebrating the Feast of Our Lady of Good Health Vailankanni in collaboration with the Indian Catholic community and St. Thomas Syro-Malabar Catholic Forane Church, Philadelphia.

Special Prayer for the Sick, Miraculous Medal Novena, Our Lady of Good Health Novena, Solemn High Mass Procession with Our Lady of Good Health Statue, Rosary in Different Languages



the Father reveals to the little ones. Show us the strength of your mantle of protection. In your Immaculate Heart, be the refuge of sinners and the way that leads to God. In unity with my brethren, In Faith, Hope and Love, I surrender myself

to you. In unity with my brethren, through you, I consecrate myself to God, O Virgin of the Rosary of Fatima.

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PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

ma! Blessed among all women, you

are the image of the Church dressed

• in the Paschal light, you are the hon-

or of our people, you are the triumph

Prophecy of the merciful Love of • the Father, Teacher of the Annuncia-

tion of the Good News of the Son,

• Sign of the burning Fire of the Holy

• and sorrows, the eternal truths that

Spirit, teach us, in the valley of joys

• over the mark of evil.

Hail, Mother of the Lord, Virgin Mary, Queen of the Rosary of Fati-

And thus surrounded by the Light that comes from your hands, I will give Glory to the Lord for ever and ever. Amen.

SERVANTS OF MARY



Join us to pray the rosary with families and youth:

7:00PM every Wednesday evening in the Grotto (every night in September) 10:00AM Healing Hour in the Adoration Chapel 3:00PM Sacred Heart/Divine Mercy Reparation in the Adoration Chapel 9:00AM Every First Saturday in the Grotto followed by Tea

Youth and Young Adult



ST. IGNATIUS OF ANTIOCH SCHOOL

"A Blue Ribbon School of **Excellence**" "A Community of Faith, Academics and Service" 215-493-3867





School Office hours: Month of August Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursdays from THIS SUMMER! 10:00 AM to 2:00PM Call: 215-493-3867 before coming to the

building.

Registration for the coming school year is available by calling 215-493-3867 or by emailing:

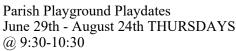


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siprincipal@sischool.org. We are accepting registration for Pre K 3 through 8th grade classes. We offer a rigorous academic program intertwined with our reli-

gious curriculum. Give your child a strong foundation. Check us out! Our 2017 graduating class earned \$273,000 in high school scholarships!

FAMILY MINISTRY





Take trips to playgrounds over the summer? Why not make it an opportunity to get some fresh air while developing friendships? Join us for 9:00 AM Mass beforehand. Keep up to date on Facebook: St. Ignatius Yardley Family Ministry

Theology of the Body Institute and Anthem

Theology on Tap Presents: HUMANAE VITAE Wednesday, August 23 at 7PM Borghi's | 4 N. Main Street in Chalfont Is Pope Paul VI's teaching on Human Life still relevant 50 years later? What does it mean to be a human being? Join Daniel Drain MTS, a PhD candidate at the Pope St. John Paul II Institute for Marriage and Family Studies, as he asks the unpopular and difficult questions about Church teaching and human life.

All young adults ages 21-35 are welcome. No RSVP necessary, drinks and food at attendee's expense.

For more details, check out the Catholic Young Adults of Bucks County on Facebook or contact us at BucksCatholicYA@gmail.com.

From the Religious Education Office ...

This month, the PREP Office is open from 9:30 a.m. on.



REMINDER: PREP classes begin on Sep-**REGISTER** tember 10, 11, and 13. It is time to get in those registration forms for the 2017 - 2018PREP year. Stop in to register, or send it in the mail, or drop off the registrations at the

rectory. You can download the forms on the parish website.

HELP NEEDED: PREP needs classroom aides at all three sessions (mostly Sunday at 10:45) and a door monitor for the Monday and the Wednesday evening sessions. If you have never volunteered for us before, you don't know what you're missing! Want to join us?

PREP FACULTY: All teachers must attend one of two Faculty Meetings. You can choose Monday, Aug. 28, at 7:00 p.m., in the Religious Education Center, or Tuesday, Sept. 5, at 7:00 p.m., in the Religious Education Center. Classroom Aides and Door Monitors are welcome to join us.

PRIVATE CATHOLIC SCHOOL PARENTS: If you are a parishioner and the parent of a 6th grade student in a private, Catholic school (e.g. Grey Nun Academy), please come to a brief meeting in the Religious Education Office, on Thursday, September 14, at 6:30 p.m. to register your child for the Sacrament of Confirmation and get the paperwork needed.

REGISTRATION FOR 2017 – 2018 PREP YEAR

All PREP families should bring the completed registration form (1 per child) and tuition fee to the PREP Office or send it to us in the mail.

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 your child's Baptismal certificate unless he/she was baptized here at St. Ignatius Church.

Parents of students who will be entering grades 7-12 in the fall: Please encourage your sons and daughters to continue their Religious Education after Confirmation. Confirmation is a beginning, not an end. Don't deprive your older kids the chance to learn more about who God is and what he is all about. We all know how much we need God in our lives.

"Special Needs" PREP class: Parents, are you aware that we have a PREP class for students with special needs? This class 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 at 215-493-5204.