



# St. Ignatius of Antioch Church

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Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 21, 2018

Lord,  
make me  
an instrument  
of your peace.

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## MINISTERIAL STAFF

Rev. Andrew C. Brownholtz, Pastor  
Deacon Robert J. Skawinski, Retired  
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Maria L. LaMantia, Parish Secretary  
Lee F. Milhous, Music Director  
Trevor Dooley, Junior High Youth Minister  
Emily Rogers, High School Youth Minister  
Salvatore LaMantia, High School Youth Minister

## RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

Sunday—CLOSED  
Monday—Friday 9am—4pm  
Saturday—CLOSED

## SCHEDULE OF MASSES:

Saturday: 5:15 PM Vigil Mass  
Sunday: 7:30, 9:30, 11:30AM, 6:00PM  
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.

## NEW PARISHIONERS

New to the parish? Please call the rectory to register.

## Daily Readings and Mass Intentions

### Sunday October 21, 2018

*Is 53:10-11; Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22; Heb 4:14-16; Mk 10:35-45 or MK 10:42-45*

**7:30AM Danny McCann**  
(The Twomey Family)

**9:30AM Pat Joy (Mariann Corcoran)**

**11:30AM Charles and Helen Servis**  
(Joe and Sue Bednarski)

**6:00PM All Living and Deceased Members of the Parish**

### Monday October 22, 2018

*Eph 2:1-10; Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4ab, 4c-5; Lk 12:13-21*

**9:00AM John J. O'Rourke**  
(Alice O'Rourke and Family)

### Tuesday October 23, 2018

*Eph 2:12-22; Ps 85:9ab-10, 11-12, 13-14; Lk 12:35-38*

**9:00AM Anne Costa (The Costa Family)**

### Wednesday October 24, 2018

*Eph 3:2-12; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6; Lk 12:39-48*

**9:00AM Marie Reed (Lois and Tim Collins)**

### Thursday October 25, 2018

*Eph 3:14-21; Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 11-12, 18-19; Lk 12:49-53*

**9:00AM Richard Petrucco**  
(Ann and Akos Swierkiewicz)

### Friday October 26, 2018

*Eph 4:1-6; Ps 24:1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6; Lk 12:54-59*

**9:00AM Richard Petrucco**  
(John and Bonnie Filipowicz)

### Saturday October 27, 2018

*Eph 4:7-16; Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5; Lk 13:1-9*

**8:30AM Giuseppe Covello**  
(The Covello Family)

**5:15PM All Living and Deceased Members of the Parish**

### Sunday October 28, 2018

*Jer 31:7-9; Ps 126:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 6; Heb 5:1-6; Mk 10:46-52*

**7:30AM Joseph Norpel (The Twomey Family)**

**9:30AM Kathryn Marseglia**  
(The Marseglia Family)

**11:30AM Patrick J. Joy**  
(Joe, Mary Claire, and Claire Marie Rossi)

**6:00PM John-Wario Jimenez**  
(The Young Family)

**ADORATION CHAPEL**—Did you know? Spending time with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament is a great source of peace and comfort. It also increases our desire for prayer. Won't you spend some time at our Chapel? You can visit anytime day or night. If you would like to spend an hour each week, please consider one of the following open hours: Sunday 4pm, 5pm, Monday 10am, 11am. Saturday 4pm and 8am (the last 2 Saturdays of each month. Kindly call Marianne Kloc at 267-346-0152 if you would like more information.

**ANNOINTING OF THE SICK**—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 12:45PM 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](mailto:rjcs1219@verizon.net).

**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

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

**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 at the following times: 4:45pm Saturday Nights, 7pm each night throughout May in the Grotto of our Blessed Mother, 7:30PM First Friday (Church), 8:00am First Saturday (Church), 6pm Wednesdays in our Blessed Mother's Meeting Room (#2D Antioch Meeting Center), 10am Tuesdays Rosary for Healing (Chapel), 3pm Fridays Sacred Heart Rosary (Chapel)

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

## FISCAL CORNER

It's back!!! – Our Monday Morning Madness raffle has returned. Tickets are now on sale for our weekly drawing, called the “Monday Morning Madness II” raffle. Each Monday we will draw a lucky ticket for a fixed cash prize. Tickets are \$10 each and can be purchased at the rectory or through the school. We will make them available after Masses soon! Tickets will be available through the end of December. The first drawing will take place on Monday January 7th, 2019 with additional drawings every Monday through March. Prizes will be \$100 on each Monday, and \$500 on the last Monday of the month.

Our 2018-2019 Annual Parish Appeal is underway! This critical parish financial appeal will run from October through the end of January. This is one of our largest sources of income, aside from our normal Sunday collections, and is greatly needed for the daily operation of our parish. You should have received our appeals materials in the mail. If you have not, there are appeal envelopes located in the entrances of the church. Please return your donation by placing this year's appeal envelope in the collection basket at Mass. You may also mail your contribution or drop it off directly to the rectory.

As of our second full week of the Parish appeal, 96 families have contributed \$32,480 toward our goal of \$160,000. We are at 20.30% of this year's goal. Thank you for your generosity!

### COUNTING OUR BLESSINGS

|                      | October 15, 2017     | October 14, 2018     |
|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| Sunday Offering      | \$15,120.00 375 env. | \$18,131.00 384 env. |
| Online Parish Giving | \$ 3,125.74          | \$ 4,516.46          |
| <b>Total Weekly</b>  | <b>\$18,245.74</b>   | <b>\$22,647.46</b>   |
| Fuel Collection      | \$ 1,592.00          | \$ 1,381.00          |

*We are very grateful for the support of our parish!*

### FATHER CHUCK'S CHALLENGE

#### Father Chuck's Challenge

This weekend a guest preacher will be speaking at all our Masses. He represents Father Chuck's Challenge, an initiative celebrating the memory and ministry of Father Charles Pfeffer, a deceased beloved priest of our Archdiocese.

Over the last 12 years, donors to Father Chuck's Challenge have provided more than 1,200 homes for desperately poor families living virtually homeless, shelters of plastic and scrap wood in areas frequently ravished by tropical storms in the northern highlands of Nicaragua and in hurricane ravaged Haiti.

The poorest of the poor come to know the love of Jesus through our loving and generous response to their temporal needs.

Checks may be made out to the parish with a memo P of F will be forwarded to the Propagation. Thank you for your assistance and prayers

See a video of our last trip to Haiti and other information at:

<https://www.fatherchuckschallenge>

*“Whatever you do for the least of My brothers, you do unto Me.” (Mt 25:40)*

## Prayer List

### FOR THE SICK IN OUR

**COMMUNITY** that they return to the comfort of good health: Loretta Amerine, Sabrina Amerine, Kathleen Carmody, Ruthann Carroll, Brynn Clare Connor, Cliff Conway, Mary C. Crawford, Olga Fleming, David Fry, Sherry Golden, Tina Golden, Rose Ann Grall, Jonathan Grubb, Madeline Guarnieri, Denise Hiel, Charles Jacobson, Ryan Law, Andrew Kelly, Geraldine Kelly, Lee Kelly, Betsy Keys, Kim Koshneig, Edmund Liwoch, Jane Liwoch, Sean Marriott, Bernie Matulis, Scott McDowell, Dorothy McMullen, Bob Merlo, Kathy Merlo, Eileen Murphy, Delaney Nalli, Christine Nassar, Nabil Nassar, James O'Brien, Thomas O'Brien, Janet Sassaman, Darwin Stout, Catherine Torres (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**, 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, Daniel Basheda, 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, Anthony Fuscarello, Jessica Garcia, Shane Gibbons, Stephen Greene, Jonathan Grubb, Edward Hill, David & Christine (Kawoczka) Krueger, Matthew Krall, Justin Kumor, Daniel LaMorte, Matt Leonardo, James Limer, Matthew Listner, 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.



**LITTLE SISTERS  
OF THE POOR  
COLLECTION  
NEXT WEEKEND**



For almost 150 years the Little Sisters of the Poor have been privileged to serve and care for the elderly poor of Philadelphia in the same Charism of their Foundress, St. Jeanne Jugan, who took in an elderly blind and paralyzed beggar woman off the streets of France in 1839. Their apostolate includes begging and personally assisting the dying, and reverberates around the world in 31 countries with 180 homes for the elderly poor. They profess a fourth vow of hospitality that imprints their very lives through simplicity and humility with the intent of their vocation—“Making the Elderly Happy is Everything” JJ. They will be visiting us next weekend, appealing for your financial assistance to support their work. Your support is GREATLY APPRECIATED and is God’s tangible providential assistance to the poor.

**FOR ALL PARENTS WHO  
HAVE EXPERIENCED THE  
DEATH OF THEIR CHILD**



A Memorial Mass of Healing will be celebrated by the faith community of St. Ignatius for all parents who have experienced the death of a child. This liturgy will be celebrated at our church on Tuesday, November 13th at 7PM. Parishioners of St. Ignatius and our surrounding parishes are invited to attend. If you can join us, please call the rectory at 215-493-3377 by November 1st and provide your contact information, your child’s name and his/her date deceased or stillborn. We hope you will join us for sharing and light refreshments following this Mass.

**TURKEY BINGO IS BACK!  
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2018 1:30 - 5:30 PM**

Doors open at 12:30pm. Please join us for a fun filled afternoon of bingo, raffles, food and fun for the whole family! Turkey Bingo is held in the church auditorium and is sponsored by the St. Ignatius Home and School. Tickets are \$5 each. You can drop an envelope off at the Rectory Labeled Turkey Bingo c/o Stephanie DeJesus. Just fill in the info below and include in the envelope. Checks can be made out to St. Ignatius Home & School. For all other Info call Stephanie DeJesus at 215-321-1932 or email sblake75@yahoo.com.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone# \_\_\_\_\_

#of Tickets \_\_\_\_\_ Check Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**ADULT  
*Faith*  
FORMATION**

As we proceed through this Respect Life month and as we review our programs for the upcoming year, we have seen Dr. Ruppertsberger already present on *Humanae Vitae* in honor of its 50-year anniversary.

We will be having Meghan Cokeley on November 17 as mentioned in last week’s bulletin.

Our final program of the winter session will be on the feast of the Immaculate Conception, 12/8/18 in the Religious Ed center at 9:30 AM with Dr. Peter Kreeft, one the most informative and entertaining speakers and teachers of our time on DVD – “Becoming a Saint: Is it Possible? Can I?” - you always wanted to be a Saint, didn’t you? After all, we are all called to be saints. Is it possible? Come join us, have a cup of coffee and bring a friend. Why not go to mass at 8:30 AM for the Holy Day and come for coffee and a program? Put it on your calendar now!

St. Thomas Aquinas, pray for us.



**Rose of Life Intention: For all life; that we fight  
the good fight and pray to Our Lady.**

“Pray daily for the end to abortion, that all mothers and children experience the loving support of the Church community, and that all who suffer after

abortion find healing and peace.”

We can put an end to abortion. But it cannot be done without you/us. Those who respect life but ‘sit on the sidelines’ need to get into the battle. Make no mistake, this is spiritual warfare. There is nothing Satan loves better than to ‘divide and conquer’ and see the destruction of life and souls...THAT is his primary goal. There is nothing else he can do until the end of time because he knows that he LOSES but to see to it that as many of God’s creation are destroyed. If nothing else, pray; get involved; write letters; vote prolife; march; pray, and pray some more. Our Lady will intercede for us.

Our Lady of Guadalupe, pray for us.

Intercessory Prayer: May we build a culture of life by embracing our mission as messengers of God’s love; We pray to the Lord:

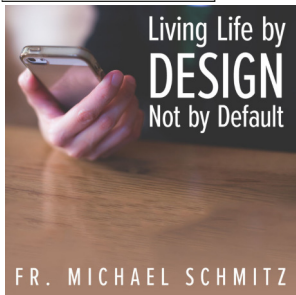
# GET FORMED



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

Simply Visit:  
[www.stignatius.formed.org](http://www.stignatius.formed.org)

Register yourself and enjoy the content  
available to you and your family!



With so much technology at our fingertips, it's tough not to be swept away in all the noise and clutter. In our society, there's often a tendency to live passively by simply "going with the flow." In this talk given at a FOCUS national conference, Fr. Mike Schmitz explains how we need to live an intentionally Christian life within a technological age.

## SOCIAL ACTION COMMITTEE COAT AND SWEATER DRIVE

The Annual Coat and Sweater Drive held recently was a huge success, in spite of a cloudy, rainy, day. Thanks to you, the parishioners of St. Ignatius, we collected over 1000 coats and sweaters in perfect condition (some even new) and distributed them to needy individuals through the following agencies: Aiding Our Neighbors, Yardley; No Longer Bound, Bristol; Masterbuilders, Philadelphia; Hope 101, Fallsington. We were also able to provide the Fatima Center in Bensalem, a consignment shop for low income families, beautiful children's jackets which they were in dire need of. As the cold weather has finally arrived, be assured that your donations will be appreciated by many. Thank you for your generosity and cooperation.

## Book 'n Bean

Do you wish you had more time to read great books? How about one per month? Our discussion group always welcomes new members so please join us on the dates listed below to review our selected book of the month. We meet in the Religious Ed Office across from the School Cafeteria from 7:30pm - 8:45pm for a relaxed discussion. Bring your own beverage. If you have questions, contact Linda Stewart at: [dremom@verizon.net](mailto:dremom@verizon.net) or call 215-968-3577. Our schedule for the 2018-2019 academic year is:

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|----------------|--|
| Tues. Sept. 25 | Beneath a Scarlet Sky (Mark Sullivan)                  |
| Tues. Oct. 30  | To Change the Church (Ross Douthat)                    |
| Tues. Nov. 27  | Same Kind of Different as Me (Ron Hall & Denver Moore) |
| Tues. Jan. 29  | Everyone Brave is Forgiven (Chris Cleave)              |
| Tues. Feb. 26  | The Screwtape Letters (C. S. Lewis)                    |
| Tues. Mar. 26  | It's Not Necessarily So (Fr. Richard G. Rento)         |
| Tues. Apr. 30  | Before We Were Yours (Lisa Wingate)                    |
| Tues. May 28   | A Piece of the World (Christina Baker Kline)           |



## OUR SEMINARIAN

JOURNEY  
OF  
Faith

### Prayer for our Seminarians

*God our Father, Thank you for calling Griffen Schlaepfer and Andrew Lane, and Michael Lewis to prepare for priesthood. Grant them the grace to grow closer to You through daily prayer. Help them form their personalities as credible witnesses to others. Bless them while they study Your word and the teachings of the Church, and give them generous hearts to serve Your people. We ask this through Your Son, Jesus Christ, our great High Priest. Amen*

To learn more about our seminarians visit <http://heedthecall.org/poster/>

### It's Time to Register for CYO Basketball!!



Go to [www.wagdogs.com](http://www.wagdogs.com) to register all grades and men's league (reg. ends Oct. 31)

Below are the dates/times for the Mandatory Evaluations for Grades 5-8

Friday, November 2, 2018  
7-8 gr. girls 6:00 pm-7:30 pm  
7-8 gr. boys 7:45 pm-9:15 pm

Saturday, November 3, 2018  
5-6 gr. girls 10 am-11:30 am  
5-6 gr. boys 11:30 am -1:00 pm  
7-8 gr. girls 1:15pm -2:45 pm  
7-8 gr. boys 3:00-4:30 pm

Sunday November 4, 2018  
5-6 gr. girls 1:00 pm-2:30 pm  
5-6 gr. boys 2:30 pm-4:00pm

Contact Paul Lucas with any questions [paullucas10@verizon.net](mailto:paullucas10@verizon.net)  
267-907-6672



**St. Ignatius of Antioch School**  
"A Community of Faith,  
Academics and Service"



"Everything we have to be thankful for comes from God."



We ask you to pray for our firemen/ firewomen who put their lives on the line for us each day. May God continue to watch over and guide them. Thank you to the firefighters who came to our school to speak to our students about fire safety.

#### Coming Events:

Monday, Oct. 22 – Dress Down Day for the victims of the recent hurricanes

Tuesday, Oct. 23 – Bus Safety talk for K and grade 1

Wednesday, Oct. 24 – Protecting God's Children talk for students

**St. Ignatius of Antioch Catholic School**  
**OPEN HOUSE**  
**Tuesday, November 13th**  
**9:00 – 11:00 AM and 6:00 – 8:00 PM**

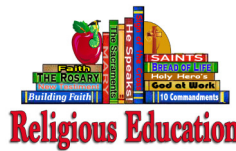
Open to all new families looking for Pre K 3 and 4 year old, Kindergarten and First Grade classes for 2019. Don't lose out on a place for your child. Tour our school and obtain information now.

#### **HIGH SCHOOL MEN'S GROUP**

Meets Second and Fourth Thursdays of each month. Next meeting is Thurs, October 25th, 6:00pm - 7:30pm in the church auditorium for fellowship, games, pizza, and a short discussion. Bring your questions, bring your faith as it is.

#### **MUSIC LESSONS**

The Westminster Conservatory of Music is offering at St. Ignatius school children/adult private instruction in piano, violin, and voice. We accept ongoing registrations throughout the year. For more information please contact Danielle Cargas at [215.493.3514](tel:215.493.3514)



*From the Religious Education Office ... The PREP office is open from Sundays through Thursdays from 9:30 a.m. on.*

**SACRAMENTS:** All parents of children who will be receiving the Sacraments of Reconciliation and First Communion during this school year are expected to attend an informational meeting on Thursday, October 18, at 7:00 p.m., in the Auditorium under the Church. If this date does not work for you, there is a make-up meeting on the following Thursday, October 25, at 6:30 p.m., in the Religious Education Center.

**PREP REGISTRATION FOR THE 2018 – 2019 SCHOOL YEAR:** Registration forms are available in the PREP Office and online on the Parish Website. The tuition is the regular price that is listed on the back of the PREP Registration Form. Please register ASAP since we are beginning our 6<sup>th</sup> week.

**Parents of students who are in grades 7-8:** 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.

#### **NEW ALTAR SERVER TRAINING / REFRESHER COURSE FOR EXISTING SERVERS 4th—8th Grades Welcome**



Join us on Thursday, October 25th from 4pm—5pm in the church for an optional one hour training session. This is a great opportunity for new servers or existing servers who would like a refresher course. If your child is interested in serving, please contact the rectory for an application. RSPV requested.