

St. Ignatius of Antioch Church

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Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 7, 2018

IN HIS

PRESENCE

40 Hours of Adoration

"Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today, and forever."

Hebrews 13:8



Beginning Sunday, October 14th after the 11:30am Mass and concluding Tuesday, October 16th with a candlelight procession and reception.

Guest Speaker: Father Thomas O'Donald Evening Prayer at 7pm each day

MINISTERIAL STAFF

Rev. Andrew C. Brownholtz, 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, 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 7, 2018

Gn 2:18-24; Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6; Heb 2:9-11; Mk 10:2-16 or Mk 10:2-12

7:30AM Loretta Landolfi Oddo (Adele and Jack Gallagher)

9:30AM All Living and Deceased Members of the Parish

11:30AM Helen and George Wright (Loretta and Alfred Halas)

6:00PM Lauren Nicole Young (The Young Family)

Monday October 8, 2018 *Gal 1:6-12; Ps 111:1b-2, 7-8, 9 and 10c; Lc 10:25-37*

9:00AM Members of the Scaringi Family (Nick and Frances Tarallo)

Tuesday October 9, 2018Gal 1:13-24; Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 14c-15; Lk
10:38-42

9:00AM Mary A. Fazzalore (Frank Fazzalore)

Wednesday October 10, 2018

Gal 2:1-2, 7-14; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Lk 11:1-4

9:00AM Dean and Adele Fletcher

(Jim Fletcher)

Thursday October 11, 2018

Gal 3:1-5; Lk 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75; Lk 11:5-13

9:00AM Patricia Ann Trigg
(The Trigg Family)

Friday October 12, 2018

Gal 3:7-14; Ps 111:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6; Lk 11:15-26

9:00AM Leonard Wassum
(The Wassum Family)

Saturday October 13, 2018

Gal 3:22-29; Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Lk 11:27-28

8:30AM James M. Mullen

(Bill and Katie Pasko)

5:15PM Ana Richards (Joseph and Lesia Pryor)

Sunday October 14, 2018Wis 7:7-11; Ps 90:12-13, 14-15, 16-17; Heb 4:12-13; Mk 10:17-30 or Mk 10:17-27

7:30AM Frank and Nora Moore (Rich and Kathy Moore)

9:30AM Michael Septer (The Septer Family) 11:30AM All Living and Deceased Members of

the Parish

6:00PM Ann and Robert Edwards (Carol Foley)

ADORATION CHAPEL—"Be still and know that I am God" Psalm 46:10. Won't you spend some quiet time in our Adoration Chapel this summer? Our Chapel is open 24/7 for you to visit anytime day or night. We are in need of adorers for the following hours: Thurs. 2pm, 4pm and 9pm, Sat. 12pm, 8pm and 8am (the last 2 Saturdays of each month). We are also in need of a partner for Monday and Tuesday 8am. A warm welcome to our new adorers. Sincere thanks to all of our faithful adorers and substitutes! May God Bless you all. Kindly call Marianne Kloc at 267-346-0152 if you are interested.

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

<u>BAPTISMS</u>—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.

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

<u>RCIA</u>—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)

<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.

2018-2019 Annual Parish Appeal

Our Appeal will run from October 1st 2018 through January 31st 2019. Last year our appeal collected \$163,297 and with your help, we can reach this year's goal of \$160,000. These funds will be used to offset our operational costs such as utilities, insurances, building maintenance, grounds upkeep and will support our many other operational obligations. In addition, these funds will help with future infrastructure upgrades, such as improvements in the Church, improvements to our meeting center and will provide much needed support to our parish school. 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 appeal materials in the mail, if not appeal envelopes will be 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. Thank you once again for your much needed and appreciated financial support of our parish.

- Fr. Andrew Brownholtz, Pastor.

COUNTING OUR BLESSINGS

 Sunday Offering
 October 1, 2017
 September 30, 2018

 Sunday Offering
 \$16,380.33
 374 env. \$13,093.00 321 env.

 Sunday Offering
 \$3,641.61
 \$4,069.52

 Total Weekly
 \$20,021.94
 \$17,162.52

We are very grateful for the support of our parish!

The Family Ministry Dinner October 13th after 5:15 Mass Church Auditorium

In honor of St. Ignatius' feast day coming up soon we are hosting a chili feast day cook off of our own! Whether you want to bring your chili to compete or just want to eat, it's bound to be a feast to remember! Prize and bragging rights included along with other food options as well. Bringing along a dessert is appreciated. Contestants please drop off your chili ready to go by 5 PM. Our dinners are run by a group of young families looking to build a tight-knit faith community in an easy going, totally kid friendly atmosphere so you don't want to miss it!

RSVP to attend or enter contest by Tuesday, October 9th:

Call rectory or email jeh243@gmail.com

SUNDAY SOCIAL COORDINATORS NEEDED

Are you looking to volunteer a few hours each month? We are looking for a few social coordinators that would oversee the ministry team in making sure there is a transition and clean up from one Mass to the next. Please call the rectory for more information.



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, 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, 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

FOR OUR BELOVED
DECEASED, especially Susan
McCartney, 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.

you request otherwise.)

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, 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, 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.

JOIN US FOR OUR BOOK FAIR FAMILY EVENT

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Tues- day, October 9th at 6PM in the School Cafeteria.

Meet special guest, CLIFFORD THE BIG RED DOG!



PRAY THE ROSARY



AMERICA NEEDS FATIMA NATIONWIDE PUBLIC ROSARY RALLY to take place Saturday 10/13 at 12 noon Veterans Square Monument Heacock and Edgewood Roads, Yardley, PA

ELECTION DAY ROSARY on Tuesday 11/6 9:30am - 8:30pm (11 Hours) Please join us for a day of continuous prayer of the holy rosary in our Church on Election Day 2018

A wonderful offering of one hour is Three Rosaries petitioning Mary's intercession. Bring friends and invite others!

LABOURÉ

HELP RESCUE VOCATIONS

The Labouré Society exists to provide financial assistance and spiritual support to individuals who must resolve student loans in order to pursue a vocation to the priesthood and/or religious life in the Catholic Church. Learn more at: rescuevocations.org. Christine's Restaurant of Yardley will donate 50% of all proceeds to the Labouré Society in honor of seminarian Tucker Brown. Join us to help Tucker and many others enter to build up our Church! Bring in this article or mention you are eating for vocations to donate! For more info or to hear more about Tucker's story email him at: tucker@labouresociety.org!



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Catholic Cemetery

Our Outdoor Columbarium Niches, located in the memorial circle in the center of our cemetery, are now available for sale. Double granite front niches are intended to be used by the cremated remains of two persons behind a marble shutter. If you have any questions, or are interested in purchasing a niche, please visit our parish website at www.stignatius.church or call the Rectory at 215-493-3377.

ADULT FORMATION

Our Adult Faith Formation committee has been meeting for over 20 years; we have been developing and presenting programs for our parish for 8 months out of the year. Some programs are

single; some are DVD's of some of the most noted, contemporary experts in their fields discussing topics of interest in our society; some are 'in-person' speakers; some are authors; some are theologians, priests, religious, attorneys; some are panel discussions; some are movies with controversial and topics of interest themes to generate discussion. Most are not duplicated. All have refreshments and fellowship for those that attend. We have tried different days and evenings and times during the week. We advertise in bulletins, on the parish website, by word of mouth, with flyers and posters and altar announcements. We are here for you. We have put together what we think are some great programs this year. They are all single time (not multiple weeks) programs and two will be 'in person' and the rest DVD. Our schedule was handed out two weeks ago as a bulletin insert. Copies are at the entrances of the Church. Why not join us? We need you on the committee; we need you to join us.



Rose of Life Intention: For all life, that we may respect it from conception to natural death.

"By embracing the mission entrusted to him, St. Juan Diego helped bring Christ's transforming love to cultures gripped by oppression and death. . . .

Like St. Juan Diego, let us embrace our daily mission to help others encounter God's transforming, life-giving love."

In this Respect Life Month of October and during this 40- days for life we need to recognize the faith of St. Juan Diego in his belief of our Mother Mary's request to build the Basilica in Mexico City in her honor as she is the Patroness of the Americas and put a stop to the human sacrifice atrocities going on in Mexico at that time. Let us look to Mary and pray through the intercession of St. Juan Diego to put an end to the daily human sacrificial atrocities in our country through abortion.

Our St. Ignatius parish is assigned to October 11, 2018 from 8 AM to 5 PM to pray before the abortion mill on Louis Drive in Warminster. Please sign up or just take a friend and go pray during one of those hours.

Our Lady of Guadalupe, pray for us.

Intercessory Prayer: May we show by our words and actions that every human life is cherished and chosen by God; We pray to the Lord:

GET FORMED



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

Simply Visit: www.stignatius.formed.org

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

Parental Guidance Suggested. Material may not be suitable for children. From porn stars to popular heroes and from leading world authorities to religious monks in sandals, Hope Undimmed provides surprising answers to the most difficult questions. This film is not rated, but was filmed live on a college campus. It may also

work very well for upper class high school. We would recommend Parental Guidance and that parents preview it before watching with children.

JOIN US FOR OUR ANNUAL 40 HOURS DEVOTION GUEST SPEAKER: FATHER THOMAS O'DONALD

On Sunday, October 14th, our Parish will begin its Annual Forty Hours Eucharistic Devotion after the 11:30 Mass. Evening prayer will conclude our day on Sunday at 7:00 PM, Monday at 7:00 PM and Tuesday at 7:00 PM. Our solemn closing of the Forty Hours on Tuesday evening will include a candle-light procession outside of the church ending with a reception in our school cafeteria.

Sunday Night, October 14th at 7PM - Jesus is the same yesterday.

Our Faith has not popped out of nowhere, but rather is deeply grounded in history. Salvation History shows us how from the first moments of human existence God has sought a relationship with us. This started at the covenants with Abraham, Moses, and David. It continued with the prophets and culminated in the coming of Christ. Christ is the fulfillment of Old Testament law, sacrifice and prophets. Christ entered at a moment in history and is a historical reality.

Monday Night, October 15th at 7PM - Jesus is the same today.

Although Christ is a historical person, he is very much alive and with us today. Christ is with us most especially in the Eucharist. At every Mass, we too get to be present on Calvary. Though Christ is also present to us in His Word (Sacred Scripture) and in the love that we share with one another. We need to invite God into our lives, knowing that the way we are able to carry our daily crosses and trials is through God's grace.

Tuesday Night, October 16th at 7PM - Jesus is the same forever.

God is constant, he is immutable. This means God does not change, he is the same yesterday, today, and forever. We don't have to worry about God changing, becoming different or abandoning us. God love us no matter what. It is we who remove ourselves from God's love by our sin. We must grow in our trust of God and His providence. This can be tough but when we place God in the center of our lives, we soon learn that he takes care of the rest. Not because we get everything we want, but everything enters the right perspective.

OUR SEMINARIAN



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/



The Social Action Committee will hold its 12th annual Coat and Sweater drive on Saturday, October 13th from 9am to noon behind the Antioch Center. We collect slightly used and new items as well as gift cards. All donations are distributed to eight local agencies who in turn give them to the homeless and those in need. An old coat or sweater to you is something brand new to someone else. Before we know it, cold weather will be here and warm clothing will be a necessity. The Social Action Committee appreciates the wonderful support our parishioners continue to give us and we thank you for your kindness.



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





October is the Month of the Holy Rosary. Let us try to pray the rosary daily, as a family, with the intention for world peace.

"This is the day that the Lord has made, let us rejoice and be glad in it." This psalm is our mantra as we begin our study of the virtue of Gratitude. Everything we have to be thankful for comes from God.

Alumni News: We would like to congratulate Natalie Pellegrino '20 at Nazareth Academy she was recently inducted into the Tri-M Music Honor Society.

We are very proud of all our alumni. Keep us informed of what is happening in your lives. Send your news to: siprincipal@sischool.org



Do you like to read? Do you like Art? Then come join us the evening of October 9 from 6:00-8:00pm. We will be presenting an Open House for our Book Fair and the presence of

the Art Mobile at St. Ignatius School. All are welcome.



Please pray for our 7th and 8th grade girls as they complete in the Sciatholn at Villa Joseph Maria on Friday, October 12th.



October is Fire Prevention Month. Are you prepared just in case? Have you practiced a home fire drill? Don't delay make a plan.



St. Ignatius School wants your child! Call 215-493-3867 for a tour or shadow day. We are rated one of the top ten schools in the diocese according to our Terra Nova scores!



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

<u>PREP Classes have already begun.</u> If you still need to register, come on in – better late than never – right?

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.

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 as soon as possible.

<u>Parents of students who are in grades 7-8</u>: 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.

Youth Ministry

Junior High Grades 5th—8th Contact: Trevor Dooley 267-391-7693 youth@stignatius.church

Meeting Friday, November 16th 7PM—9PM in the church auditorium.

High School Girl's Grades 9th-12th Contact: Emily Rogers 215-595-7135 erogers.ignatius@gmail.com

Meeting Sun., Oct 14th @ 10:00am – Meet at St. Ignatius and go to Five Mile Woods Preserve for a leisurely 2-3 mile hike in honor of the outdoorsman St. John Paul II's feast day! At least one additional adult chaperone/driver will be needed. Please contact Emily if you can volunteer!

High School Men's Grades 9th - 12th Contact: Sal LaMantia 267-391-5368 mlamantia@stignatius.church

Meeting Thurs, October 11th, 6:00pm - 7:30pm in the church auditorium for fellowship, games, pizza, and a short discussion. Bring your game, bring your questions, bring your faith as it is.