



St. Ignatius of Antioch Church

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Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 16, 2018

MESSTIAH



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MINISTERIAL STAFF

Rev. Andrew C. Brownholtz, Pastor

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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 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 September 16, 2018

Is 50:5-9a; Ps 116:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9; Jas 2:14-18; Mk 8:27-35

7:30AM Joseph J. Kobol (Mary Ann Kobol)

9:30AM Pat Joy (Alice Higgins)

11:30AM Harold "Buzz" Taylor (Joan Taylor)

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

Monday September 17, 2018

1 Cor 11:17-26, 33; Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 17; Lk 7:1-10

9:00AM Michael Votano (Ann Titano)

Tuesday September 18, 2018

1 Cor 12:12-14, 27-31a; Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5; Lk 7:11-17

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

Wednesday September 19, 2018

1 Cor 12:31-13:13; Ps 33:2-3, 4-5, 12 and 22; Lk 7:31-35

**9:00AM Peter John Soltis
(Tom and Lorraine Humphrey)**

Thursday September 20, 2018

1 Cor 15:1-11; Ps 118:1b-2, 16ab-17, 28; Lk 7:36-50

**9:00AM Desiree Ahlum Eslick
(Joe, Mary Claire and Claire Marie Rossi)**

Friday September 21, 2018

Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Ps 19:2-3, 4-5; Mt 9:9-13

**9:00AM Peter Mays
(Loretta and Bill Amerine)**

Saturday September 22, 2018

1 Cor 15:35-37, 42-49; Ps 56:10c-12, 13-14; Lk 8:4-15

**8:30AM Rose and Sal Tortoricci
(The Gambale Family)**

**5:15PM Lauren Nicole Young
(The Young Family)**

Sunday September 23, 2018

Wis 2:12, 17-20; Ps 54:3-4, 5, 6 and 8; Jas 3:16—4:3; Mk 9:30-37

**7:30AM Edward Rupprecht
(Carolyn Rupprecht)**

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

**11:30AM Genevieve Marvuglio
(The Marvuglio Family)**

6:00PM 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.

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.

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

Picnic Breakdown

The breakdown of the tables for the parish picnic will be after the 11:30am Mass on Sunday. Any help would be appreciated!

Parish Lighting Project

We have begun our newest upgrade to our parish grounds! Our new lighting project is now underway. We are installing parking lot lighting around the parish grounds to help with both security and safety. If you can help with this project, your financial assistance would be greatly appreciated! Please place your donation in an envelope marked "Parish Lighting" and place it in the collection basket at mass. You may also send your donations to the rectory.

As always, if you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact the rectory!

COUNTING OUR BLESSINGS

	September 10, 2017	September 9, 2018
Sunday Offering	\$15,187.00 417 env.	\$16,449.00 369 env.
Online Parish Giving	\$ 3,009.00	\$ 3,392.52
Total Weekly	\$18,196.00	\$19,841.52

Social Action	\$ 1,354.00 110 env.	\$ 1,068.00 90 env.
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We are very grateful for the support of our parish!

THAT MAN IS YOU

NOTE TIME CHANGE: Due to popular request, we are moving our time from mornings to evenings 8:00 to 9:30 PM. **THAT MAN IS YOU** is calling you; evenings after dinner, after work, after kids are in bed come flex your faith muscles and join other men from our parish to explore how we can be better men/husbands/fathers/leaders. Go to parish website to download registration form and register or email us at stignatiustmy@gmail.com.



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, Rose Ann Grall, Jonathan Grubb, Madeline Guarnieri, Denise Hiel, Charles Jacobson, Ryan Law, Andrew Kelly, Betsy Keys, Kim Kosshneig, 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 Sasaman, Darwin Stout, Catherine Torres, Ernest Zima (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 Mary Mocu-lak, James J. O'Neill, 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, 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.



Mercy & Mary Retreat with Fr. Michael Gaitley Sep. 21-22, 2018

St. Ignatius of Antioch Catholic Church

Join the Marian Missionaries of Divine Mercy for an inspiring retreat featuring best-selling author and acclaimed speaker Fr. Michael Gaitley, MIC. This retreat begins with one conference on Friday evening, September 21 at 7:15. Saturday will begin with Mass at 7:45 and end at 4:30.

The day will include: Coffee and donuts, Five dynamic conferences from Fr. Michael Gaitley, Lunch with the Marian Missionaries, Retreat Mass/Adoration/Benediction/Chaplet of Divine Mercy, Book signing with Fr. Gaitley and much more! To register online: <https://events.marianmissionaries.org/events/mercy-mary-retreat-philadelphia-pa/> To register using a printable, mail-in registration form: <https://events.marianmissionaries.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/04/Mail-in-Registration-Philadelphia.pdf>

HELP SUPPORT OUR FATHER McCafferty SCHOLARSHIP FUND

A suggestion to our parishioners - see if the company you work for might consider a matching gift to your donation to our Scholarship Fund. We are in need of several donations to the fund in order to assist needy families with school tuition.

SONS OF ITALY

The Piazza Nuova Lodge, Order of Sons of Italy in America, holds their monthly meetings on the 1st Tuesday evening of each month at 6:30 p.m. (except July and August). All people of Italian descent and their spouses are welcome. Visit piazzanuovalodge.org for more information. For further information, call 215-493-4120.



Walking with Purpose – Women's Catholic Bible Study
Beginning Tuesday, September 25, 2018

Opening Your Heart – This study is the foundational course that is an effective guide to a deep, lasting transformation of the heart. Course offered only for morning session.

Fearless & Free – This study, based on the book of Ephesians provides a firm foundation with an emphasis on healing and wholeness. Fearless and Free is the most personal and transformative study that Walking with Purpose has offered so far. Course offered for morning or evening session.

Morning session 9:30 a.m.-11:15 a.m.
OR Evening Session 6:45 p.m.-8:30 p.m.,

FREE Babysitting for morning session
Please register:

www.stignatius.church/womans.html

Questions: www.ignatius@gmail.com



You can protect mothers and children by joining this worldwide mobilization! Through prayer and fasting, peaceful vigils and community outreach, 40 Days for Life has inspired 750,000 volunteers and saved over 14,000 babies since 2007. The 40 days runs from 9/26-11/4/2018. OUR PARISH OF ST. IGNATIUS has been assigned:

OCTOBER 11, 2018 from 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM (last one-hour time is 4:00 PM) to pray and be outside the Planned Parenthood at 610 Louis Drive in Warminster PA 18974.

Won't you PLEASE represent our parish, pray for life and demonstrate your willingness to protect moms and their babies? Contact Christina Mahan at 215-499-5747 or sign up on time sheets at entrances of church and adoration chapel. Thank you.

ADULT Faith FORMATION

As we approach Respect Life Sunday October 7 we need to reflect on the meaning of life. We need to realize who created life, why and that we are all given this gift freely out of love and it is

for love that we were created, that we are loved at all times unconditionally. So, we need to ask ourselves, 'is life the most precious gift we have ever received'? Of course, the answer is yes. The next question we need to ask is... 'do we respect life? All life? From conception until natural death?' - if so, then ask yourselves why we have legalized abortion? Why over 3,000 babies are 'sacrificed' every day for the past 45 years- over 60 million. The entire month of October is dedicated to respecting life...it should not be for one month only, but every day of the year. We need to pray and we need to reflect and we need to repent. Let us pray daily that we see Jesus in each other and love Him and respect Him as our God and Savior.

Check out our programs. Join our committee- we meet the first Wednesday of every month. The retreat with Fr. Michael Gaitley is next weekend on Friday night and Saturday morning- see the bulletin for details.

St. Thomas Aquinas, pray for us.



Rose of Life Intention: For our Church, that she may be healed quickly.

"Sometimes our actions speak for themselves; other times, words are needed. Whatever the situation, Jesus knows how to speak to each person's heart;

we simply need to follow where he leads."

Yes, we do need to follow where He leads, but that is as true for our Church leaders as for the lay faithful. We need actions as well as words, especially words of apology and words of comfort most for those abused but also for the families and friends of those abused, for the priesthood and for the lay faithful who are all being affected by these egregious acts. These actions and words must come from the top to bottom of leaders of the Church and must be repeated over and over along with fasting, prayer and repentance until healing takes place. Again, respect for all life. The gates of Hell shall not prevail against it!

Our Lady of Guadalupe, pray for us.

Intercessory Prayer: For all people of goodwill: May God transform our respect for human life into action for its protection; We pray to the Lord:

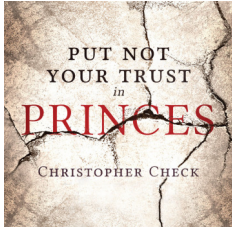
GET FORMED



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!



Speaking from his perspective as a historian, Christopher Check reminds us that the crisis of our age is cultural and, in the end, spiritual. He explains that a flourishing society is not achieved through legislation or at the ballot box, but instead radiates from the family out. Using examples from the ages, he connects us with our rich patrimony as Catholics and provides practical advice on what we must do to transform our culture for Christ.

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 or call 215-968-3577. Our schedule for the 2018-2019 academic year is:

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)

**Knights of Columbus
Pat Joy 2018 Memorial
Charity Golf Classic**
Hosted by St. Ignatius & St. John councils



Join us "FORE" a day of golf & help support the cause!
Date: Monday, September 24, 2018
Place: Northampton Valley Country Club
Time: 11:30 am

We are looking for GOLFERS, sponsors, advertisers & donations. Please visit our website for details: www.yardleyknights.org
OR email Brian Derby: bderby1856@gmail.com

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/>

H.O.P.E.



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 Regina Lertch at 267-397-0453.



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



"Whatsoever you do to the least of my people that you do unto me."

As we begin this new school year let us all remember that God welcomes us all to His table; we should do the same.

We will be welcoming 278 students for the coming year. We will also welcome three new faculty members:
 Mr. George Caucci – Music
 Mrs. Yolima Gray – Spanish and Social Studies in grades 5 and 6
 Mrs. Lisa Primavera – Grade 8

As always, we are grateful for the support of the parishioners of St. Ignatius.
 Please feel free to stop in and see the upgrades that were down over the summer months.
 God Bless.

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



You don't want to miss out on our first get together of the school year. 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. Stop by to hang out with other young families from your parish, enjoy fun kids activities, and eat delicious food! This time we're celebrating St. Ignatius for his feast day that's right around the corner.

The Catholic Tent Revival
Sunday, October 7th, 12 noon to 7:30 PM

Speakers: Fr. James Blount, SOLT, Jesse Romero, Johnnette Benkovic, Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers; music by Teresa Peterson and Marty Rotella.

Mass celebrated by Auxiliary Bishop Timothy Senior.

Location: Malvern Retreat House, Malvern, PA

Cost: This is a FREE event for individuals and families. For more information, visit: <http://www.tentrevival.com>



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

PREP Classes have already begun. If you still need to register, come on in – better late than never – right? The first get-together for the Family Catechesis Program is today, Sunday, September 16, at 10:35 a.m.

Today, Sunday, is Catechetical Sunday. Parents, you are the first teachers of the Faith for your children. Celebrate the Catechist in you!

PREP still needs some volunteers for classroom aides on Wednesdays. If you can help, we would be extremely grateful.

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.

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.

WWP CHILD CARE ASSISTANT – Help Needed

Walking with Purpose is a women's Catholic Bible study offered in our parish with childcare available during our Tuesday morning sessions. To make our program more accessible to mothers at home with young children, we are praying for a woman to serve as a child care assistant. Responsibilities include helping our child care coordinator serve the young children of our program on Tuesday mornings from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. A small stipend is available. For more information, please contact: wwp.ignatius@gmail.com