



St. Ignatius of Antioch Church

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Easter Sunday The Resurrection of the Lord

April 21, 2019



SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Saturday: 5:15PM Vigil Mass

Sunday: 7:30AM, 9:30AM, 11:30AM, 6:00PM

Children's Liturgy of the Word: at 9:30AM Mass

Daily, Monday to Friday: 9:00AM

***Special Schedules for Holy Days**

PERPETUAL ADORATION CHAPEL

Open 24 Hours, 7 Days a Week, 365 Days a Year

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays: 4:00 to 5:00PM

Confessions will also be heard upon request.

Please call the rectory to make an appointment.

RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

Sunday—CLOSED

Monday– Friday 9:00AM—4:00PM

Saturday—CLOSED

Daily Readings and Mass Intentions

Sunday April 21, 2019

Acts 10:34a, 37-43; Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23; Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8; Jn 20:1-9

7:30AM Fred and Christina Hynoski

(Micki (Mom), Chris and Candice)

9:30AM Kathryn Marseglia (Vito Marseglia)

11:30AM Lauren Nicole Young (The Young Family)

Monday April 22, 2019

Acts 2:14, 22-33; Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11; Mt 28:8-15

9:00AM James R. Murphy (10th Anniversary)

(Mother and Sisters)

Tuesday April 23, 2019

Acts 2:36-41; Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20 and 22; Jn 20:11-18

9:00AM Richard Gentile (Maria Gentile)

Wednesday April 24, 2019

Acts 3:1-10; Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9; Lk 24:13-35

9:00AM Patricia Ann Trigg (Robert Trigg)

Thursday April 25, 2019

Acts 3:11-26; Ps 8:2ab, 5, 6-7, 8-9; Lk 24:35-48

9:00AM Thor, Michael, and Heather Alfimov

(Joseph and Lesia Pryor)

Friday April 26, 2019

Acts 4:1-12; Ps 118:1-2, 4, 22-24, 25-27a; Jn 21:1-14

9:00AM Tom O'Brien (Mariann Flahive)

Saturday April 27, 2019

Acts 4:13-21; Ps 118:1, 14-15ab, 16-18, 19-21; Mk 16:9-15

7:30PM Barbara and Alex Waugh

(Joseph and Lesia Pryor)

Sunday April 28, 2019

Acts 5:12-16; Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24; Rev 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19; Jn 20:19-31

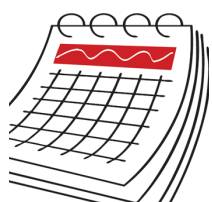
7:30AM Joseph J. Kobol (Mary Ann Kobol)

9:30AM Florence Sell (Bob and Eileen Shellenberger)

11:30AM Dr. Dorita Evangelista

(The Evangelista Family)

6:00PM All Living and Deceased Parishioners



***Please note the rectory will be closed on Easter Monday.**

Easter Sunday

April 21, 2019

First Reading: Acts 10:34a, 37-43

St. Peter's first sermon, albeit a largely Lucan composition, is nonetheless a summary of the life and mission of Jesus, with its fitting climax of the resurrection.

Second Reading: Colossians 3:1-4

These verses point out what the early Church believed: Jesus fulfilled all the promises made about the Messiah. In the end time, believers will be with Christ in glory.

Gospel: John 20:1-9

All four gospels report that there were women visiting Jesus' tomb who found it empty. The Beloved Disciple, restraining himself from dashing into the tomb, is here so respectful of Peter and makes for a splendid example of Easter faith. His affirmation is the highlight of the visit to the tomb.

SANCTUARY CANDLE

The Sanctuary Candle burns in memory of Julia Keefe (24th Anniversary of Death)

Requested by Lorraine and Tom Humphrey



Easter blessings upon all of our families. It is through the gift of faith through Jesus Christ that we celebrate this Easter Season.

*God bless you all,
Father Brownholtz*

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BECOMING A PARISHIONER

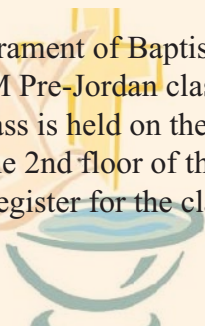
Whether it's your first time here or you have been coming to Mass here for years, we welcome you to join our parish. Please contact the rectory to register.

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.

BAPTISM

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 7:00PM 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.



St. Ignatius of Antioch

Catholic Cemetery
& Columbarium

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.

WEDDINGS

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

ANNOINTING OF THE SICK

Parishioners are encouraged to let the rectory know when they are in the hospital, nursing home, or other medical care facility. Please contact the rectory if you or anyone you know might be ill, a shut in or unable to attend Mass on a weekly basis. The Holy Eucharist will be brought to anyone homebound.

FISCAL CORNER

In the spring of 2017 we conducted an increased offertory program here at St. Ignatius. We are blessed with many generous parishioners who offer their time, talents and financial resources for the good of the parish. To insure our financial strength, expand our programs in order to continue serving our families, and to continue to make the improvements around the parish, we require regular financial support from all of our parish families. The method we use for receiving this support is our Sunday offertory. Thanks to you, our Increased Offertory Program here at St. Ignatius was a great success. We saw an average increase of almost 20% in our Sunday collections. In addition, we have also seen increases in our online parish giving. Unfortunately, as with all increased offertory programs, the level of giving tends to decline over time. The key now is to keep up, and even possibly increase our current level of giving. We would like to take this opportunity to remind everyone about the importance of sustained, regular giving, in order to keep the great things happening here at St. Ignatius. This season of lent would be a wonderful opportunity to reflect upon the gifts you give to your parish. Thank you all for your generous support and your dedication to St. Ignatius.

COUNTING OUR BLESSINGS

Due to the Easter break we will report this week's collections in next week's bulletin.

We are very grateful for the support of our parish!

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.

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, Tuesday 8am, Thursday 7pm, Friday 7pm Saturday 4pm and 6am. Kindly call Marianne Kloc at 267-346-0152 if you would like more information.

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.



Lord hear our prayer for the sick in our community that they return to the comfort of good health:

Loretta Amerine, Sabrina Amerine, Sharon Brann, Bob Borges, Pat Brodowski, Ruthann Carroll, Daniel Castillo, Brynn Clare Connor, Cliff Conway, Mary C. Crawford, Jessica DiRienzo, Frank Fazzalore, Olga Fleming, David Fry, Cindy Golden, Sherry Golden, Tina Golden, Rose Ann Grall, Richard Green, Jonathan Grubb, Madeline Guarnieri, Charles Jacobson, Ryan Law, Chuck Kane, Andrew Kelly, Betsy Keys, Edmund Liwoch, Jane Liwoch, Sean Marriott, Scott McDowell, Dorothy McMullen, Tracey Meaney, Eileen Murphy, Christine Nassar, Nabil Nassar, Janet Sassaman, Irene Schuka, Lenore Shrift, Darwin Stout, Elaine Tabackin, Catherine Torres, Charles Weber



REMEMBER TO

Pray FOR OUR **TROOPS**

Daniel Basheda, Matthew Bauer, Melissa Bishop, Christian Blaydon, Sara Brill, Mark Buckley, Michael Joseph Buckley, Brad Bullman, Evan Cummings, 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, Thomas 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.



PRAY FOR OUR SEMINARIANS

God our Father, Thank you for calling Griffen Schlaepfer, 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/>



VOCATION OFFICE FOR THE
DIOCESAN PRIESTHOOD
ARCHDIOCESE OF PHILADELPHIA
HEED THE CALL

PRAY FOR OUR BELOVED DECEASED especially those who have no one to pray for them, and the Holy Souls in purgatory.



DIVINE MERCY HOLY HOUR

Won't you join us on Sunday, April 28th at 3pm for a Eucharistic procession, Divine Mercy Chaplet, Gospel/Homily, Rosary and Benediction. Deacon Mike Cibenko will preside. Kindly, check the bulletin for Confession times as you are not required to confess on the Feast day. Confessing before the Feast day and receiving Holy Communion in the state of Grace on the Feast day fulfills Jesus' request. Immediately following (approximately 4pm) you are invited for lite refreshments in our School Cafeteria. If you are able, please bring a lite snack or dessert to share. All are welcome. Bring a friend. Hope to see you there!

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.

GET FORMED



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

Simply Visit:
www.stigmatius.formed.org
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family!



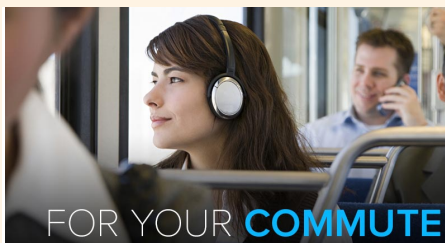
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CHILDREN & **YOUTH**



FOR YOUR **COMMUTE**



THE **SACRAMENTS**



MARRIAGE & **FAMILY**



FAMILY **MOVIE NIGHT**



AI **ORIGINALS**

L.O.L.F Pro-Life Holy Hour

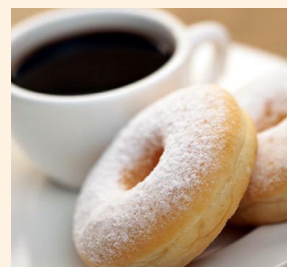
Come and pray with the staff of Legacy of Life during a silent holy hour every Thursday at 7pm in the Adoration Chapel. Please come take part in our mission of protecting the unborn and providing for women in need.

ROSARY

All are invited to recite the rosary after the 9:00 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, 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)

JOIN US FOR OUR SUNDAY SOCIALS

Join us the on the first weekend of the month after the 7:30AM, 9:30AM and 11:30AM Masses in a festive atmosphere as we share stories with one another while enjoying fresh brewed coffee, delicious donuts, and a healthy selection of fruit and juices. We look forward to seeing everyone!



ADULT *Faith* FORMATION

Praise Jesus, He is risen. Do you really believe that a dead man rose from the dead? Would you only believe it if you personally saw it? Would you believe it if a friend told you? Would you believe it if thousands of people saw Him and then told you they saw Him and other wrote it down and passed the Word down in history? Well, that is what we are dealing with. The 'story' is true; the facts are historical and if you haven't thought about it, a dead man rising from the dead, then this is the day to do so. Not just a day to have Easter egg hunts, eat candy and treats, have a nice dinner with family or friends, but a day to celebrate. No one else has ever risen from the dead on their own volition (other than those that Christ or His disciples have raised) so it is a little hard to understand why there is not greater awe, marvel, wonder and amazement and celebration on the anniversary of such an incident. God is good; think about it. He has set us free. There is no Resurrection without the Crucifixion. He is Risen!!!
St. Thomas Aquinas, pray for us.

Respect

Life 

Rose of Life Intention: For the suffering souls in Purgatory.

"Those who die in God's grace and friendship live forever with Christ. Heaven is not an abstract idea, but a true and lasting relationship with God that is beyond all earthly description and understanding. We look forward to the resurrection of the dead and everlasting life by preparing now, in hope, for our passage from this life into eternal life."
As today is the feast of the Resurrection of the Lord, we need to spend a little time to meditate on why He died? Why He rose from the dead? What it means and how it applies to our lives. One question to help with that meditation is 'if your life is a play on the stage of earth, who is the star of the play?'. Many would answer 'me, of course'! WRONG! Jesus is the star of the play; you are but a bit actor who comes into the play during some 'act', spends a little time (your life) on that stage and ultimately exits either stage RIGHT or stage WRONG (Left!). Jesus gives us the script; He is the producer and the director and He sends others to direct us along with prompts, cue cards and lighting to help us. HE is the STAR! Your job is to fulfill your role. Ask Him what is your part? Ask Him how He wants you to act it? Then, as Mary said at the wedding feast of Cana, 'do what He tells you'. Amen. Praise you risen Lord.
Our Lady of Guadalupe, pray for us.

Intercessory Prayer: For all who have died, and that their families and loved ones rejoice anew in the hope of the Resurrection and the promise of eternal life; We pray to the Lord:

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. Apr. 30

Before We Were Yours
(Lisa Wingate)

Tues. May 28

A Piece of the World
(Christina Baker)

SONS AND DAUGHTERS OF ITALY

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

HAVE FURNITURE TO DONATE?

Contact:
Goodwill Industries
215-822-2708 x 320 Attn: Patty
Sunday Breakfast Rescue Mission
215-741-1010
Habitat for Humanity Re-Store
215-716-5006



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



‘All thanks, glory and honor to You, oh God, on this day of Resurrection and forever more.’

The faculty, staff and students wish all parishioners a Happy Easter!

School resumes on Wednesday, April 24th!



Religious Education

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

PREP REGISTRATION: PREP Registrations (Grades K to 8) for the 2019 – 2020 school year are taking place now. Children who are presently in PREP classes should have taken the registration form and information home by now. If you did not get this, please call (215-493-5204)

or email Annmarie (aflanagan@stignatius.church) .

Parents of students who will be in grade 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.

SACRAMENT OF THE HOLY EUCHARIST:

FIRST COMMUNION DAY: The date is Saturday, May 4, 2019. Sunday and Monday PREP students will attend the 9:30 a.m. Mass, and St. Ignatius School and Wednesday PREP will attend the 11:30 a.m. Mass. **Rehearsal** for the 9:30 a.m. Mass will be on Tuesday, April 30, from 6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. **Rehearsal** for the 11:30 a.m. Mass will be on Thursday, May 2, from 6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

VACATION BIBLE CAMP: This year our program is ROAR – Life is wild; God is good. The camp runs from June 24 to June 28, from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. All PREP and St. Ignatius School students who will be entering grades K to 5 in September have received registration forms. We need many volunteers (adults and junior aides – 6th through 12th grades). Don't be shy; please call Annmarie if you are interested in volunteering.



At Habitat Bucks, we build more than homes. Through the power of homeownership, we change lives. We believe that every hand can make a difference. Habitat for Humanity and Thrivent are partnering on a Faith Build to help a local family in need of safe, affordable housing.

We invite you to join this partnership powered by people and passion and help us raise walls, funds and prayers to make a difference right here in Bucks County!

INTERESTED IN VOLUNTEERING?

PLEASE CONTACT DEACON MIKE CIBENKO AT 215-493-3377

Healing Retreat for Women

Friday May 31 at 3pm - Saturday, June 1, 2019, at 8:00pm

For women of all ages seeking deeper relationship with our Lord, authentic connection with other Catholic women and freedom from habitual patterns such as anxiety, self-criticism and feelings of worthlessness. Retreat includes Mass, teaching on the 5 Keys to Freedom in Christ, healing prayer, personal coaching, reflection, adoration, and more. Come, as together we grow in freedom and live life more attuned to the Holy Spirit.

Retreat leaders: Fr. Stephen DeLacy and De Yarrison of You Are Made New Ministry

Location: Mariawald Renewal Center in Reading, PA.

More info: <https://youaremadenew.com/healing-retreats/> or de@youaremadenew.com



NAZARETH ACADEMY SUMMER CAMP

Nazareth Academy High School is proud to offer a variety of summer programs this year! These programs include a Pre-8th Grade Summer Enrichment Program for students who will in 8th grade beginning in the fall, Rocketry Camp, Art Camp, and Glee Camp. The Summer Enrichment Program and camps will run between Monday, June 24th and Thursday, July 18th. Nazareth also offers athletic camps, including basketball, cheer, lacrosse, soccer, softball, and volleyball. More information and online registration is available by going to NazarethAcademyHS.org/Admissions/Summer-Programs.

**Scott Hahn at St. Agnes Church
Sellersville, PA**

**Saturday, June 15, 2019 6:30AM -
2:15PM**

Best-selling author and renowned biblical scholar Scott Hahn will explore the Sacrifice of the Mass and how we can get the most out of it and other key aspects of our Catholic faith in three talks. You will also have the opportunity to learn more about the St. Paul Center and our mission to promote biblical literacy from the heart of the Church. You can choose to include a boxed lunch from Down to Earth Café in your registration for a total of \$35. Registration not including lunch is \$20.

Go deeper in your faith—register for this powerful event today!

To learn more: Visit <https://stpaul-center.com/sellersville/>





The Columbarium

at St. Ignatius of Antioch Cemetery

For many centuries cemeteries were commonly found in churchyards, allowing churches to minister to the spiritual needs of their members, from baptism through life to death. Since our cemetery is nearly at capacity today, we cannot offer additional burial plots at our parish cemetery. But there is a modern alternative which more and more churches are offering their members: the Columbarium.

A Columbarium is a collection of niches designed to house urns containing cremated human remains (cremains). Inscribed with the persons' names and dates of birth and death. St. Ignatius' Columbarium is located in our parish cemetery on the picturesque Delaware River. The Columbarium is self-funded, using income derived from the sale of niches for construction and operation.

Benefits of a Columbarium

- *Spiritual Site for Final Resting - The principal benefit a Columbarium affords church members and their families the opportunity to select their final resting place in the parish cemetery of the church which has been central to their lives, a sacred site of beauty and dignity where their loved ones can visit and meditate whenever they visit the cemetery.*
- *Simplicity of Planning - The purchase of a Columbarium niche eliminates the pressures of choosing a burial site, casket, vault and monument; also, there is no need to plan for inurnment and memorial services at different locations and times.*
- *Substantial Financial Savings - With the Columbarium, significant costs are limited to cremation, the niche, the plaque and the obituary.*

How much does a niche cost?

Pricing of Outdoor Columbarium Niches and Services are as follows:

Two Center Rows - \$3,000
 Row Above and Below the Center Rows - \$2,750
 Top and Bottom Row - \$2,500

The purchase of an Outdoor Columbarium Niche includes the following:
 Burial rights in the niche
 Perpetual care

Opening and closing costs:
 To be paid upon interment of Cremated Remains
 Monday – Friday: \$250 Saturday: \$300

How can I arrange to purchase a niche?

You may contact the Rectory at 215-493-3377 to make an appointment to purchase. Upon final payment, a certificate covering inurnment ownership rights will be sent to the purchaser of the niche.

For More Information visit our website:

www.stignatius.church