



St. Ignatius of Antioch Church

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215-493-3377
www.stignatius.church

Twenty-Second Sunday of Ordinary Time

September 1, 2019

"When you hold a banquet, invite the poor, the crippled, the lame, the blind: blessed indeed will you be because of their inability to repay you."

LUKE 14:13-14



SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Saturday: 5:15PM Vigil Mass

Sunday: 7:30AM, 9:30AM, 11:30AM

**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 September 1, 2019

Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29; Ps 68:4-5, 6-7, 10-11; Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a; Lk 14:1, 7-14

7:30AM Lauren Matulis (The Lyons Family)

9:30AM Kathryn Marseglia (Vito Marseglia)

**11:30AM Carol Ann Matuska
(Joe and Sue Bednarski)**

Monday September 2, 2019

1 Thes 4:13-18; Ps 96:1 and 3, 4-5, 11-12, 13; Lk 4:16-30

9:00AM William Ralph Trigg (The Trigg Family)

Tuesday September 3, 2019

1 Thes 5:1-6, 9-11; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Lk 4:31-37

9:00AM Laura Matulis (The McGovern Family)

Wednesday September 4, 2019

Col 1:1-8; Ps 52:10, 11; Lk 4:38-44

**9:00AM Ann and Joseph Roslonski
(Linda Chamberlain)**

Thursday September 5, 2019

Col 1:9-14; Ps 98:2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6; Lk 5:1-11

9:00AM Al Bendl (Connie Liebreich)

Friday September 6, 2019

Col 1:15-20; Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5; Lk 5:33-39

9:00AM John Murphy (Gen Petrucco)

Saturday September 7, 2019

Col 1:21-23; Ps 54:3-4, 6 and 8; Lk 6:1-5

**5:15PM Dr. Dorita Evangelista
(The Evangelista Family)**

Sunday September 8, 2019

Wis 9:13-18b; Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14 and 17; Phlm 9-10, 12-17; Lk 14:25-33

7:30AM Lauren Matulis (The Lyons Family)

9:30AM Kathryn Marseglia (Vito Marseglia)

**11:30AM Carol Ann Matuska
(Joe and Sue Bednarski)**

JOIN US FOR OUR SUNDAY SOCIALS

Join us September 8th 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!

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Reading I: Sirach 3: 17-18, 20, 28-29

This passage celebrates humility. The pious Jew should have no concern with honors. The high and mighty have a greater need of humility than the lowly and the weak.

Reading II: Hebrews 12: 18-19, 22-24a

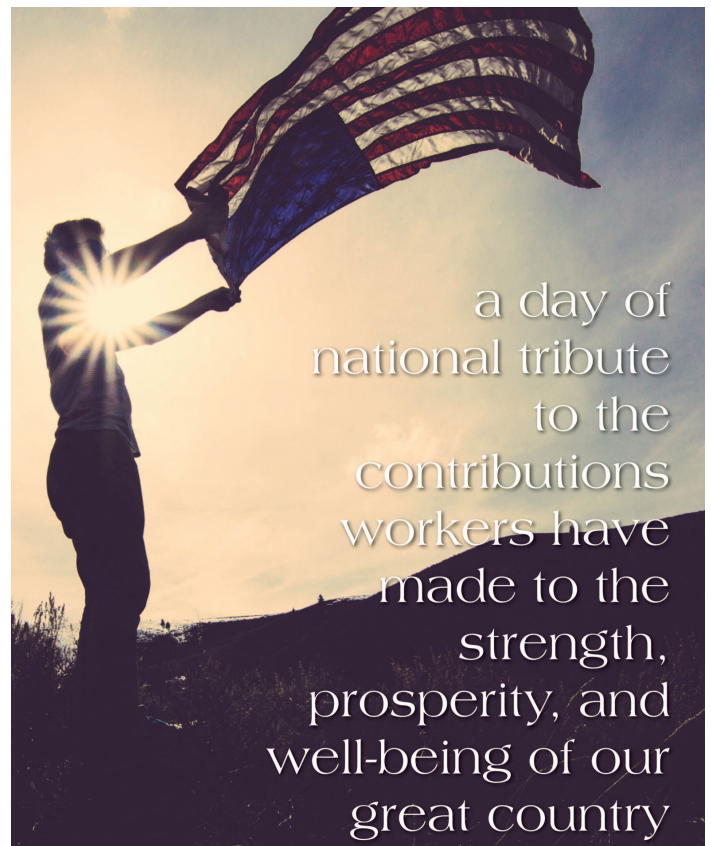
The author contrasts Israel under the old covenant with people on a journey to join those living under the new covenant, who are in heaven.

The Gospel: Luke 14: 1, 7-14

Here Luke contrasts those who are prideful with those who are humble. In essence, he writes that "God will not be fooled by one's own self-promotion."

SANCTUARY CANDLE

The Sanctuary Candle burns in memory of Marjorie J. DeFelice requested by Debora and John McConnell.



MINISTERIAL STAFF

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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.

We welcome Jonah Giovanni Pirraglia Kavanagh who was recently baptized into our Catholic Faith.

WEDDINGS

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

ANOINTING 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.



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 for 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.

FISCAL CORNER

St. Ignatius Picnic - September 21st after a special 4pm Mass

Please RSVP for our parish picnic by September 14th. You can RSVP online by visiting our parish website www.stignatius.church, filling out the form in the parish bulletin, or just by calling the rectory. BYOB, and please bring a small shareable desert!

Have you considered online giving? This program ensures a consistent weekly cash flow and is a great help with meeting all of our financial obligations. We would ask that you consider our online parish giving program as a way to ensure your weekly contribution is made to the parish. You may do so by going to the St. Ignatius of Antioch website at <http://www.stignatius.church> and clicking on the Parish Giving logo. For those participating in our Parish Giving program, you may print a participation receipt from the parish giving website to place in the weekly collection basket. Thank you all for your generosity towards our parish with your Sunday Gifts!

COUNTING OUR BLESSINGS

	<u>8/26/2018</u>		<u>8/25/2019</u>	
Sunday Offering	\$14,703.50	334	\$14,496.00	303
Online Parish Giving	\$ 3,556.23		\$ 4,854.78	
Total Weekly Contribution	\$18,259.73		\$19,350.78	

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.

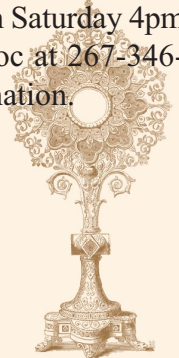
What we do: Visit shut-ins; prepare meals in a crisis situation; grocery shop or run errands for shut-ins; take others to the grocery store; take people to Mass one day a month; drive to medical appointments, bank, post office, etc.

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.





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, Kathy Carmody, Ruthann Carroll, Daniel Castillo, Brynn Clare Connor, Cliff Conway, John Corra, Mary C. Crawford, Jessica DiRienzo, Frank Fazzalore, David Fry, Cindy Golden, Sherry Golden, Tina Golden, Tom Golden, Rose Ann Grall, Richard Green, Jonathan Grubb, Madeline Guarnieri, Tommy Helkowski, Charles Jacobson, Ryan Law, Chuck Kane, Andrew Kelly, Betsy Keys, George Kinsley, Jane Liwoch, Amy Margulies, Sean Marriott, Toni McConnell, Scott McDowell, Dorothy McMullen, Tracey Meaney, Kathleen Merlo, Eileen Murphy, William Murphy, Christine Nassar, Nabil Nassar, Jean Oddis, Carolyn Rupprecht, Irene Schuka, Walter Shimp, 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 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, Thomas LaMorte, Marty Alexie Leonard, Nels Alexie Leonard, 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, Luke Stapleton, James Tams, Scott Toro, John Worman.



PRAY FOR OUR SEMINARIANS

God our Father, Thank you for calling Griffen Schlaepfer, Andrew Lane, Michael Lewis, and Philip Cheung 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 Bartholomew J. Brownholtz Sr., those who have no one to pray for them, and the Holy Souls in purgatory.



2020 MASS BOOK

The 2020 Mass Book will open on Monday, September 9th. If you would like to reserve Masses, please come to the rectory between the hours of 9am and 3pm. In order to accommodate the requests of as many parishioners as possible, we will limit the number of Masses to 5 per person for the first week that the book is open.

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.

ST. IGNATIUS PARISH 2019 BARBECUE



Saturday, September 21, 2019
following a *4:00pm Vigil Mass*



*Great food, good
company and live music!
Fun for the kids!*

*BYOB – Also, please bring a
sharable dessert for our parish
dessert table!*



Name _____

Number of Adults _____

Number of Children _____

Email _____

I can help with: Setup Tables and Chairs (Saturday Morning): _____
 Breakdown Tables and Chairs (Sunday Morning): _____

ADULT *Faith* FORMATION

This is a very busy month; it is the end of summer; it is the beginning of a new school year for students; it is the end of one season and the beginning of another. It is also the resumption of our programs that we had worked on all last winter. We also begin meeting again on the first Wednesday of every month at 7:30 Pm on the second floor of the Antioch Center – join us, we need new blood and new ideas.

In the meantime, on 9/24 the new 11th year of Walking with Purpose starts open to all women in the parish and surrounding area. There is a morning and evening program with free babysitting in the morning so young mothers can attend. Usually, over 100 women sign up for this program. On 9/25 we will begin our second annual men's program- The Letter of St. James: Pearls of Wisdom for Life also offered as morning and evening programs; this will be a Jeff Cavin's led DVD presentation followed by small group discussion. The piece of resistance will be on Saturday, 9/28/19 at 9 AM in the School cafeteria when our very own Deacon Bob Skawinski relates his personal witness in "I Saw Jesus" which he enshrined in a book which will be available to attendees. All of our programs are in our GOLD brochures outlining dates, times, locations and themes along with info on how to access. As we approach our 100- year parish anniversary in 2020, make this a new golden start of a new season of faith and sharing.... Join us and bring a friend, it is a good way to evangelize.

St. Thomas Aquinas, pray for us.

Respect



"The Church has consistently taught that every human life is precious and worthy of protection." USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities "Another Look at Abortion"

There is a huge debate that has been raging in our country for over 50 years, since 1973 when a plurality of Supreme Court judges decided to make abortion legalized throughout the land. Regardless of your opinion of this judgment or legality of the decision and many interpretations thereof, the main issue is this...is what is in the womb after a sperm and egg unite a baby or not? Answer: yes! Does that baby have the same rights in the womb as if out? Answer: yes! Can we justify good reasons for killing over 60 million children through surgical abortions alone? Answer: Doubt it!!! We don't need to go to morality or ethics or religion, all we need is to look at the science- it is fact that the human zygote/embryo/fetus/baby IS a living human being. As a society we need to protect our most vulnerable and be a voice for those who do not, as yet, have the ability to exercise theirs. We need to respect life from conception to natural death. In our age of moral relativism, many 'justify' these abortions under 'rights' or 'choice' or 'a woman's body', but they are all relativistic to fact. Just watch the movie "Horton Hears a Who" and note 'a person's a person, no matter how small'! Our Lady of Guadalupe pray for us.

Intercessory Prayer: May the life of every human person, from conception to natural death, be protected in our laws and cherished in our hearts; We pray to the Lord:

Rose of Life Intention: For respect of all life from conception to natural death

SIYA

(St. Ignatius Young Adults)

Are you looking for something more?

SIYA meets weekly to provide time for young Catholics (ages 18-28) to encounter each other apart from the pressures of the world. Join for weekly fellowship time, Bible studies, adoration, and food.

**Meetings: Thursday 8:30 PM
Antioch Center first floor**

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.

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)



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



Fourth Annual Padre Pio Festival
St. Bede the Venerable Parish
Sept. 14, 15, 2019

The priests and the parishioners of Saint Bede the Venerable Church, located in Holland, Pennsylvania (Bucks County, Northampton Township), welcomes all to its Fourth Annual Mass and Festival to honor St. Pio of Pietrelcina, better known as "Padre Pio," on Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 14 and 15. The two-day event will be highlighted by Saturday Vigil Mass and Sunday 12:30pm Mass celebrated by Fr. Pio Mandato, followed by a street procession with a statue of Padre Pio through the surrounding neighborhood. The festivities continue with a healing service with confessions, a children's pavilion, musical entertainment and several specialty food and craft vendors. Plenty of free parking is available, pilgrim buses are welcome. For more information, go online to padrepiofestivalhollandpa.com, or call the St. Bede parish office at 215-357-5720.



Religious Education

From the Religious Education Office...

During the month of August, the Religious Education Office opens at 9:30 a.m. from Monday through Thursday, and the office opens on Sunday by request.

PREP registrations can be mailed or dropped off at the PREP Office or at the rectory. You can download information and the registration form (1 form per child please) on the Parish website (www.stignatius.church). Click on PREP.

Since July 1, the regular tuition cost applies.

If you are new to the parish or will have children entering kindergarten or grade 1 in the fall, we will also need a copy of your child(ren)'s Baptismal certificate unless he/she was baptized here at St. Ignatius Church. Our Religious Education program is open to students in grades K through 8.

GRADE 8 Students: Parents, please encourage your 8th grade students to continue Religious Education after Confirmation. Confirmation is a beginning – not an ending.

"Special Needs" Class: Parents, are you aware that we have a special needs class that meets during the Wednesday PREP time at 6:30 p.m.? This class is for those students who would benefit from a very small group learning experience.

PREP CLASSES BEGIN ON SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8; MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 9; and WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: Parents, please don't be afraid to volunteer. We always need Catechists, Classroom Aides, and Door Monitors. In August, new Catechists participate in a Catechist Orientation Course, so you will not begin teaching "cold turkey." Think it over and pray about it. We have several Catechists who have worked in our program for many years; it is truly a rewarding experience, and our students are great kids.

SACRAMENTS:

CONFIRMATION: Students in grade 7, who have been in Religious Education classes for several years, will prepare to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation this year.

FIRST RECONCILIATION and FIRST COMMUNION: Students usually receive these Sacraments in grade 2 after they have completed the grade 1 curriculum.

Parents, if your child has not been in Religious Education classes consistently, and you want him/her to receive the Sacraments, please speak with Annmarie (215-493-5204). We do make accommodations. No child will ever be refused.

BUCKS COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE CATHOLIC CLUB

Interested in joining a Catholic Club on campus? If you are enrolled at Bucks County Community College, this invitation is for you. Students have initiated a community of faith to share prayer, scripture, community service, and discussion in the context of the Catholic Faith. Join us weekly, or when possible for you to share fellowship and faith in action. To learn more, contact club president: Andrew Kryzstofiak at kryzstofiak@live.bucks.edu or club advisor Jean Dolan at jean.dolan@bucks.edu

Our first gathering will be at 12:30p.m. September 17 in room 111-7 of the Student Life area in the Rollins Center on the Newtown campus. Hope to see you there!

Intellectual Disabilities and Autism Help-Line

Do you need help accessing services and support for someone with an intellectual disability or Autism? A collaboration of Catholic Social Services - Developmental Programs, The Office for Persons with Disabilities and the Schools of Special Education of the Archdiocese is offering this convenient help-line to assist families connect to disabilities services provided by the Archdiocese of Philadelphia. To reach the Help-Line call 484-472-5041 or email IDDhelp@chs-adphila.org

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.

EMAIL PHISHING

Email Phishing is the fraudulent attempt to obtain sensitive information such as usernames, passwords, and credit card details (and money), often for malicious reasons, by disguising as a trustworthy entity in an electronic communication (email). Please remember we will never request funds via email or text message from Fr. Brownholtz directly, especially from a third party source. Secondly if someone tries to trick you into purchasing any gift cards through an email or text message, it is ALWAYS a scam. Important rule of thumb, when in doubt... ask someone!



CATHOLIC WOMEN'S CONFERENCE

Saturday, October 26, 2019
9 AM to 4:30 PM

National Shrine of
Our Lady of Czestochowa
654 Ferry Road
Doylestown, PA

REGISTRATION

- \$55 general admission
- \$45 groups of 5+
- \$20 college students
- \$15 religious sisters

Register online:
catholicwomensconference.org

Questions? Send us an email:
womensconference@archphila.org

One elective or annual update credit for catechetical certification will be granted to catechists and school teachers of the Archdiocese of Philadelphia for full-day attendance.

SPONSORS





Knights of Columbus

Pat Joy Memorial Charity Golf Classic

Tournament hosted by:

Councils 7515 & 11013 / Lower Makefield & Yardley

Monday September 23, 2019

Northampton Valley Country Club, Richboro, PA

Mission: The Knights of Columbus is the world's largest Catholic men's charitable and fraternal organization. Our mission is to live our faith by helping others. The combined councils of St. John the Evangelist and Father McCafferty include over 300 men and over 1100 family members who live in the Yardley/Lower Makefield area.

CHARITIES: Listed below are just a few of our many charitable works:

- Christmas, Easter and Thanksgiving collection and distribution of over \$45,000 in food to more than 100 needy families. Providing support to:
- Numerous ministries and facilities in St. John's and St. Ignatius Parishes.
- Pro-life activities-counseling centers, shelters and temporary residences for women and children. Providing financial assistance for:
- Personal care items for soldiers in Afghanistan and Wounded Warrior Project.
- Food for Shut-ins, Local food banks, Gift of Life Family House.
- Homeless shelters and prison ministries.
- Seminarians and Deaconate candidates.
- Catholic Education and Advertising.
- Local, National and International Faith Based Charities.
- Cancer Research for children and adults.

Name: _____

Business Name (if applicable) _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State _____ Zip: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

GOLF/ DINNER REGISTRATION/ TOURNAMENT SUPPORTER FORM

Sponsor Opportunities		Check		ADS		Check
Tournament Sponsor	\$ 5,000			Full Page Ad	\$ 200	
Platinum Sponsor	\$ 3500			Half Page Ad	\$ 125	
Gold Sponsor	\$ 2500			Quarter Page Ad	\$ 75	
Silver Sponsor	\$ 1500			Business Card/ 1/8 Page Ad	\$ 50	
Bronze Sponsor	\$ 1000			Tournament Supporter/ No Ad	\$ 25	
Beverage Cart Sponsor	\$ 600			Parrish Supporter (1 line) No Businesses	\$ 25	
Individual Hole Sponsor	\$ 300			Donation	\$	
Putting Contest Sponsor	\$ 125			Golf and Dinner	\$ 170	
				Dinner Only	\$ 65	

Total Enclosed \$ _____

For More Information, Contact: Brian Derby at
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www.yardleyknights.org

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