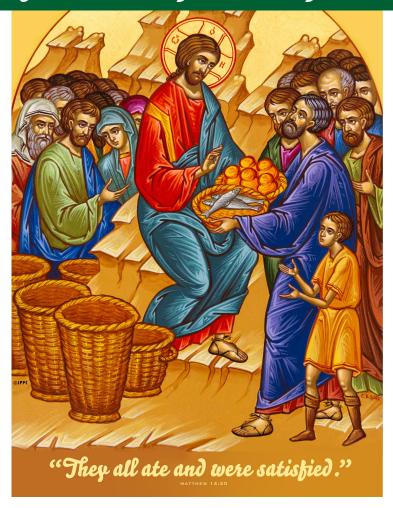


# St. Ignatius of Antioch Church 999 Reading Avenue Yardley, PA 215-493-3377 contact@stignatius.church www.stignatius.church

# Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 2, 2020





Live streaming on Sundays at 9:30am



Children's Liturgy will remain suspended throughout the summer. Children's Liturgy leaflets on the table by the back door of the church. We invite families to take one and enjoy with your children all summer.

#### **SCHEDULE OF MASSES**

Saturday: 5:15PM Vigil Mass

Sunday: 7:30AM, 9:30AM, 11:30AM Daily, Monday to Friday: 9:00AM \*Special Schedules for Holy Days

## **PERPETUAL ADORATION**

The chapel will remain closed at this time for Perpetual Adoration. Please see page 4 regarding **Eucharistic Adoration in our main church.** 

## 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-Thursday 9:00AM-4:00PM Friday - CLOSED Saturday—CLOSED (\*Please see details on page 2)



Sunday August 2, 2020

Is 55:1-3; Ps 145:8-9, 15-16, 17-18; Rom 8:35, 37-39; Mt 14:13-21

7:30AM Walt and Ruth Parsons / Helen and Paul McGrory (Tom and Debbie Parsons) 9:30AM James D. Sullivan (The Sims Family) 11:30AM John - Warrio Jimenez

(The Young Family)

Monday August 3, 2020

Jer 28:1-17; Ps 119:29, 43, 79, 80, 95, 102; Mt 14:22-36

9:00AM Kathleen Preston (Ebby Conway)

Tuesday August 4, 2020

Jer 30:1-2, 12-15, 18-22; Ps 102:16-18, 19-21, 29 and 22-23; Mt 14:22-36 or Mt 15:1-2, 10-14

9:00AM Deceased Members of the Prezioso Family Frances and Nick Tarallo

Wednesday August 5, 2020

Jer 31:1-7; Jer 31:10, 11-12ab, 13; Mt 15:21-28

9:00AM Edmund Liwoch

(Loretta and Bill Amerine)

Thursday August 6, 2020

Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9; 2 Pt 1:16-19; Mt

9:00AM Patricia Ann Trigg (Robert Trigg)

Friday August 7, 2020

Na 2:1, 3; 3:1-3, 6-7; Dt 32:35cd-36ab, 39abcd, 41; Mt 16:24-28

9:00AM Bill Leavens (Bob and Sue Mrazik)

Saturday August 8, 2020

Hab 1:12-2:4; Ps 9:8-9, 10-11, 12-13; Mt 17:14-20

5:15PM Joseph Bednarski / living (Sue Bednarski)

Sunday August 9, 2020

1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-13a; Ps 85:9, 10, 11-12, 13-14; Rom 9:1-5; Mt 14:22-33

7:30AM Michael Mahan (Family)

9:30AM All Living and Deceased Parishioners

11:30AM Jenny Bowman (Mary Bowman)

# SANCTUARYCANDLE

The Church Sanctuary Candle burns in memory of Joseph Rogowicz requested by Carole Rogowicz.



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## Reading I: Isaiah 55: 1-3

The Bible frequently uses the symbol of a banquet to celebrate God's care for Israel. Here the banquet is linked with the fulfillment of the covenant that was once made with King David.

#### **Reading II: Romans 8: 35, 37-39**

None of life's troubles or pain can make a true Christian forget the love of Christ made manifest in His death and resurrection. Even hostile forces cannot separate us from His love.

## The Gospel: Matthew 14: 13-21

After curing the sick, Jesus feeds the people, likely numbering more than 15,000 in total. The blessing and breaking of the bread anticipates the Last Supper, which in turn does the same for the future heavenly banquet.

#### **RECTORY HOURS**

The rectory office will be open Monday through Thursday from 9am until 4pm. All other times will be by appointment only. For your protection, and the protection of the staff, we ask that all persons over the age of 2 wear a mask while in the rectory.

Please do not hesitate to contact us at 215-493-3377 or contact@stignatius.church before you stop by as most things can still be accomplished with a phone call.

# Ministerial Staff

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Deacon Michael Cibenko	215-493-3377
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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.

# 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 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.

# 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.



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



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

Can you believe summer is half over? We usually see a reduction in our Sunday giving during this time, but thanks to you, our collections have been consistent! It is amazing that so many of you have come through and continued your financial support for our parish. We are extremely grateful for all of you who have continued to support St. Ignatius during this difficult period. We would like to once again say THANK YOU to all who continue to support our parish financially during this nationwide health emergency.

Our electronic giving participation has greatly increased during this shutdown. Thank you for signing up for this modern way of contributing! For those of you who do not participate, we would like to ask that you please take a look at the program. Those who use the program love it! You can visit our parish website at http://www.stignatius.church and click on the Parish Giving logo to take a look. It's very easy to use and helps the parish immensely with our cash flow. If you have any specific questions or concerns about the program, you can call us here at the rectory, or call Parish Giving directly at 1-866-307-7140. They have a wonderful staff who are knowledgeable and can help with any question!

Thank you all for your generosity towards our parish with your Sunday Gifts!



Sunday Offering
Online Parish Giving
Total Weekly Contribution

7/28/2019 \$ 12,654.00 304 \$ 4,064.69 \$ 16,718.69 7/26/2020 \$ 10,333.00 157 \$ 8,734.47 **\$ 19,067.47** 





Join us! 2020 Events

# 40 Hours Celebration

10/11/2020-10/13/2020 7:00PM each night

## **Closing Mass**

Concelebrated with Former Assistants 9/26/2020 at 4:00pm Parish Picnic to follow

# WHILE SUPPLIES LAST

THE 100 YEAR CENTENNIAL MEMORY BOOK OF HAIKUS is now available in the rectory during regular office hours until the 300 copies are gone. Be sure to secure your copy with a \$10 donation of cash or check to the K of C -- Monday to Thursday, 9 to 4. If supplies last, the books will also be available at the parish picnic and closing Mass in September. All proceeds will go to the parish as a birthday gift.



Please for the sick of our parish and return to the comfort of good those that care for them health: Loretta Amerine, Sabri

Lord hear our prayer for the sick in our community that they health: Loretta Amerine, Sabrina

Amerine, Marie Brady, Baby Brianna, Patricia Broderick, Lorraine C., Ruthann Carroll, Harris Carvel, Stephanie Carvel, Brynn Clare Connor, Cliff Conway, Evelyn Conway, Mary C. Crawford, Barry Deacon, Toni Del-Guzzo, Nancy Donnelly, Colleen Gallagher, Sherry Golden, Tom Golden, Rose Ann Grall, Jonathan Grubb, Madeline Guarnieri, Charles Jacobson, Nathan Kilgore, Ryan Law, Chuck Kane, Michael Katwicki, Andrew Kelly, Monica Kenney, John Kerper, Betsy Keys, George Kinsley, James Malley, Amy Margulies, Sean Marriott, Toni McConnell, Dorothy McMullen, Baby Eva McNamara, Tracey Meaney, Kathleen Merlo, Christine Nassar, Nabil Nassar, Teresa O'Neill, Ryan Rocha, Carolyn Rupprecht, Mary Schnee, Irene Schuka, Walter Shimp, Darwin Stout, Sharon Thomas, Catherine Torres, Edward Torres, Anne Warchol

Brian Basheda, Daniel Basheda, Matthew Bauer, Melissa Bishop, Christian Blaydon, Erik Bresnahan, Sara FOR OUT Brill, Mark Buckley, Michael Joseph Buckley, Brad ITTOOPSBullman, Evan Cumming, Brent Cummings, Kevin O'Brien Darby, Staten De Tample, Andrew Dill, Ronald Ernst, Anthony Fuscarello, Rick Fuschetti, 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.

# RNEY PRAY FOR OUR SEMINARIANS

God our Father, Thank you for calling Griffen Schlaepfer, Andrew Lane, Michael Lewis, Philip

Cheung, Erik Reyes, and Anthony Albanese to prepare for the 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/





Pray for our beloved deceased especially, David Fry, those who have no one to pray for them, and the Holy Souls in purgatory.



Exposition will be held Monday thru Friday from 10 am to 8 pm. The restrictions for church attendance such as social distancing and wearing of masks apply. To assist with church sanitizing we are designating the front 3 pews for this devotion. We hope to resume 24/7 Perpetual Adoration in the Chapel when it is advisable. In the meantime, let us pray for each other and may God continue to bless you and your families.

#### 2021 MASS BOOK

The 2021 Mass Book will open on Wednesday, September 9th. If you would like to reserve Masses, please come to the rectory, wearing a mask, between the hours of 10am 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.



# **REGISTER NOW!**

# FLEXIBLE PRE K 3 PROGRAM

PreK 3 - 8th Grade

215-493-3867 sischool.org

**CARING FOR FRIENDS**(Formerly Aid for Friends)

On Thursday, August 13th, we will again hold our monthly CFF Cook. We will begin at 9 am and especially need entrees. If you are able to help with this, it is deeply appreciated. Please label the food with the name of the item, the number of portions and deliver it to the auditorium on August 13th.

As we reopen, your health and safety are our paramount concern. We have developed the following rules to be followed during the cook:

- 1. If you don't feel well, please don't attend.
- 2. Masks are REQUIRED. No mask, no entry.
- 3. We will be strictly enforcing hygienic food preparation practices: wearing gloves, hand-washing, avoiding cross-contamination of food by cleaning and disinfecting food surfaces. Please ask any questions you may have. Education is the key!
- 4. Please stay home if you consider yourself at risk. We want you back when it is safe for you.

Please call Kathy (215-321-0116) or Jayne (215-321-5739) and leave a message if you plan to attend. We need to plan ahead.

We are always shorthanded, especially in the summer months. Please share this message with anyone you feel would be interested in joining us.

The next cook will be on Thursday, September 10th. "For it is in giving that we receive." --St. Francis of Assisi



# School Supply Drive Weekends 8th/9th

Please help the Social Action Committee as we help the United Way with their annual Stuff the Bus campaign!

Your support was overwhelming last summer! Thank you!!

With the pandemic, the drive is a little different this year.

Please donate only the following brand new supplies:

Sturdy backpacks, especially large ones for middle school/high school students
Non-toxic hand sanitizer
Disinfectant wipes
Disinfectant spray

Our collection bin will be in the main vestibule during the first 2 weekends of August along with smaller boxes positioned on the bottom shelves by the side entrances. Gift cards to Walmart or Target are also welcome as well as cash donations. On behalf of the families of Bucks County that will receive these items, we thank you!



My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen



Now that we are almost 6 months into this pandemic, with no end in sight, many organizations, businesses and individuals are cancelling/postponing events. Our Adult faith formation committee is no different. We had finished

our programs for 2020/21 last May and had created a trifold brochure. Now, because of COVID, we are having to look at what it is we can do and where we are going. One thing of which we are certain, there is a ongoing need, perhaps more than ever, for continued catechesis and formation for our parishioners. We will be doing ZOOM meetings for our men's program for the Fall- 8 weeks of videos with small group discussions on Wednesdays at 7 PM. It is not ideal, but the best we can do- Ephesians will be the Book of the Bible, led by Jeff Cavins. Our Saturday programs will be re-arranged and still held on Saturdays at 9 AMthey will be videos and not 'live' speakers. Of course, we will miss the community gatherings/refreshments and in person faith sharing. Some programs may no occur and some events, like the K of C Communion Breakfast scheduled Nov. will not happen because they do not lend themselves to the virtual format. For those who are relegated to 'staying at home' and who stream the Mass perhaps many who are seeking a 'taste' of what the Lord has to offer will 'tune' in through the ZOOM format. See our trifold at the entrances of the Church; go to our parish website where our programs are posted; sign up for "Flocknote" which will place your emails on a secure website that will facilitate contacts for any and all parish information. Finally, pray and then pray some more, especially through the intercession of Mary for an end to this pandemic, perhaps a time of correction, introspection and personal reflection on what is important and what is not.

St. Thomas Aquinas, pray for us.

Respect Life to

"We thank you, heroic mothers, for your invincible love! We thank you for your intrepid trust in God and in his love. We thank you for the sacrifice of your life" (EV 86). Pope Saint John Paul II, Evangelium vitae © 1995. Women who become moth-

ers are selfless; they give their bodies to 'house' and nurture another human being who is part of God's plan for life and love. They suffer many discomforts and inconveniences throughout the pregnancy and much more with more pains as in Genesis 3-"I will make your pains in childbearing very severe; with painful labor you will give birth to children'. So, it is with great love and becoming selfless that mothers bring children into the world. That is why Pope St. JPII called this love 'heroic' and similar to the selfless love that Jesus exhibited when He offered Himself on the cross for our sins. The very 'state' of pregnancy is selfless and self-sacrificial and a true 'yes' to life! This sacrifice continues throughout the life of that child including adulthood and is perfectly manifested by Mary's love of Jesus even to His dying on the Cross- an agonizing death for both mother Mary and Jesus. It is not that fathers do not also 'give' and 'sacrifice' but not to the expense of their very bodily selves! It is a special gift that God chose women to bring new life into the world and it is because of this gift and the jealousy of Satan in not being able to do so that he (Satan) has been after women since the Garden!

Our Lady of Guadalupe, pray for us.

Intercessory Prayer: May the Lord generously provide for the needs of all mothers as they dedicate themselves to caring for their children; We pray to the Lord:

Rose of Life Intention: For all mothers.



#### FOOD COLLECTION

We continue to support Mary's Food Cupboard at Catholic Social Services with your help. Please consider donating to our collection on the second Sunday of each month. Our next collection will be Aug 8/9th. There will be burlap bins at each church entrance labeled "Food Collection" to accept your donation of non-perishable food items, paper goods and baby needs. Thank you!

# FATHER McCAFFERTY SCHOLARSHIP FUND

A suggestion to our parishionerssee 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.



#### 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.



From the Religious Education Office ... The PREP office is open on Mondays through Thursdays, beginning on June 8, from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. If you need another time, just let me know (215-370-5701). When we return to normal, the PREP Office is open from Sundays (after the 9:30 a.m. Mass) through Thursdays from 9:30 a.m. on.

#### **SACRAMENTS:**

<u>FIRST COMMUNION:</u> First Communion Day will be on Saturday, September 12. The 9:30 a.m. Mass is for St. Ignatius School and Wednesday PREP children. The 12:00 noon Mass is for Sunday and Monday PREP children. If this works out, there will be a rehearsal for the school and Wednesday PREP kids from 6:00 to 7:30 p.m., on Tuesday, Sept. 8. Sunday and Monday PREP kids will have a rehearsal on Wednesday, Sept. 9, from 6:00 to 7:30 p.m.

<u>CONFIRMATION:</u> The Sacrament of Confirmation will be celebrated on Saturday, September 26, at 10:00 a.m. There will be a rehearsal for candidates and sponsors on Thursday, September 24, from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. All are expected to be at rehearsal. You can still mail in your gift to the Bishop for his favorite charity. Mail to the rectory to Annmarie's attention.

## **PREP REGISTRATION:**

PREP (Parish Religious Education Program) is for children in Grades K to 8. There is no increase in tuition this coming year. All PREP families have received the Registration Form by email. If anyone needs the Registration Form, please go to the Parish website and click on PREP. Please list all your children on the same form since the form has been revised. You can mail in registrations and fees to the rectory to Annmarie's attention. Our plan is to begin PREP classes on Sunday, September 13; Monday, September 14; and Wednesday, September 16.

Special Needs: 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 call Annmarie at 215-493-5204.

**8th Grade Students:** Parents, please encourage your 8th graders to continue their study of God and his Church. Confirmation is not graduation from learning about God; that's a lifetime commitment.

# St. Ignatius Church

# **Community Emergency Fund**

# Affected by COVID-19?

If you need immediate help with food, co-pay medical bills, clothing, baby supplies and basic day-to-day necessities **Contact us.** 

If you know someone who needs help **Let us know.** 

Please donate any amount if you can.



# 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 IDD-help@chs-adphila.org



#### MISSION APPEAL THIS WEEKEND!

#### Congregation of the Daughters of Mary, India

The Daughters of Mary Congregation was founded in 1938 by an Indian Missionary Priest, Monsignor Joseph Kuzhinjalil. The main purpose of this Congregation is evangelization through personal contact with the poor.

Around the world thousands of mentally ill brethren, especially women are dangerously suffering in the streets without food, clothing and a safe place to sleep. They depend on the garbage cans of the restaurants for food. They don't brush, shower, or change their clothes. They beg for their living and sleep in the street corners, public parks, railway stations, bus stations and shop corridors. They are subject to abuse, poverty, pain, rejection and despair. Their own family and public alike reject them. Their life ends in the street itself. No one is there to take care of them, or even bury their dead bodies. The municipal workers put their dead bodies in the waste bin and burn it along with the waste. These are the shocking realities of these people. These people are poor, innocent, desperate, and lonely who need our help, care and concern.

Responding to the call of the time, the Sisters of the Congregation of Daughters of Mary, St. Joseph's Province find that it is very urgent to give shelter to the mentally ill women, wandering through the streets, neglected and isolated by family and society.

At present we have three homes for the mentally ill women in the street. The first house has a capacity of 100 women, but we have 118 women in that house.

The second house has 43 woman, but as the house has tiled roof, the Government is not giving license to continue to the ministry. Therefore we are planning to construct a building for them with 50 capacity. We have prepared a proposal for construction of a shelter for these mentally ill women. It would cost about \$400,000. We make mission appeal 2019 for this project.

The third house has 23 members, and they are living in an asbestos sheet roofed building. We have given confirmation to the government officials that we will try our best to build a house within a period of five years.

Through your valuable contribution by mission appeal we will be able to support these poor brethren and bring new life in their lives. Thank you so much. May God bless you all.



# **Biking for Vocations!**

ALL Are Invited to **Welcome** the "Biking for Vocations" Seminarians At **4:00 PM on Saturday, August 8th in the Parking Lot outside the Church** 

They are riding around the Archdiocese to promote religious vocations, and St. Ignatius of Antioch is one of their stops!

ALL Are Invited to **Say Goodbye** to the Bikers in the Parking Lot **at 11:00 AM on Sunday, August 9**th



The Bikers will be at the **5:15 PM Mass on Saturday, as well as the 7:30 AM and 9:30 AM Masses on Sunday**.

# Young Adult Social (20s and 30s)

Saturday, August 8<sup>th</sup> 7:30 PM Basement of Church

Come out to meet the "Biking for Vocations" Seminarians!

For more information or to RSVP, please email Seminarian Anthony (albanese.anthony@gmail.com)