



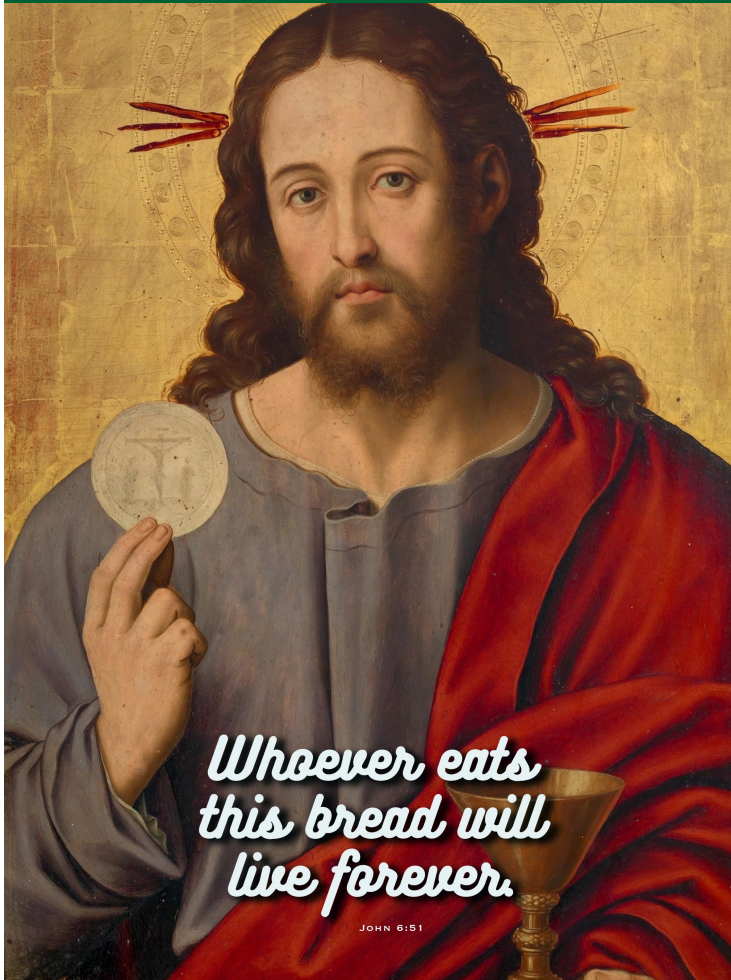
# St. Ignatius of Antioch Church

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Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 8, 2021



## Reading I: I Kings 19: 4-8

Elijah the prophet flees from Ahab's kingdom when that king refused to convert from paganism. He heads for the southern desert enroute to Mt. Horeb when he is overcome with desolation and wants to die. Suddenly an angel appears and provides him with food and drink to get up and finish his trip.

## Reading II: Ephesians 4: 30 – 5:2

This section of the Letter presents an illustration of the type of conduct proper to a baptized Christian, who is now endowed with a whole new nature.

## The Gospel: John 6: 41-51

After weathering a dispute that had arisen about His origin, Jesus declares Himself "the Bread of Life," that gives us the strength we need for the strength to complete our journey home.

### 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

### RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

Sunday—CLOSED

Monday– Thursday 9:00AM—4:00PM

Friday - CLOSED

Saturday—CLOSED

### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays: 4:00 to 5:00PM

Confessions will also be heard upon request.

Please call the rectory to make an appointment.

### PERPETUAL ADORATION

The adoration chapel has re-opened. Please see page 2 for details.

### CARE OF THE SICK

If you or someone you know is homebound, and would like to receive the Sacraments, please contact the rectory to arrange for a visit.



**Sunday August 8, 2021**

*1 Kgs 19:4-8; Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Eph 4:30 — 5:2; Jn 6:41-51*

**7:30AM Elaine Murphy (Julie Sommer)**

**9:30AM Richard Reed (Tim and Lois Collins)**

**11:30AM John - Warrio Jimenez (The Young Family)**

**Monday August 9, 2021**

*Dt 10:12-22; Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20; Mt 17:22-27*

**9:00AM Jenny Bowman (Mary and Tim)**

**Tuesday August 10, 2021**

*2 Cor 9:6-10; Ps 112:1-2, 5-6, 7-8, 9; Jn 12:24-26*

**9:00AM Darrell Closson (Tim and Lois Collins)**

**Wednesday August 11, 2021**

*Dt 34:1-2; Ps 66:1-3a, 5, 8, 16-17; Mt 18:15-20*

**9:00AM Michael Rementer (Barbara Kennedy)**

**Thursday August 12, 2021**

*Jos 3:7-10a, 11, 13-17; Ps 114:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Mt 18:21 — 19:1*

**9:00AM Joseph Maxian (Jean Maxian)**

**Friday August 13, 2021**

*Jos 24:1-13; Ps 136:1-3, 16-18, 21-22, 24; Mt 19:3-12*

**9:00AM Diane Mays (The Mays Family)**

**Saturday August 14, 2021**

*Jos 24:14-29; Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 11; Mt 19:13-15*

**5:15PM Deceased Members of the Frawley and Naughton Families (Jim and Barbara Frawley)**

**Sunday August 15, 2021**

*Vigil: 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2; Ps 132:6-7, 9-10, 13-14; 1 Cor 15:54b-57; Lk 11:27-28*

*Day: Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab; Ps 45:10, 11, 12, 16; 1 Cor 15:20-27; Lk 1:39-56*

**7:30AM Edward and Mary Mudrick (Nicholas and Sonya Villari)**

**9:30AM All Living and Deceased Parishioners**

**11:30AM The Donovan Family (Jean Green and Ray Wilhoft)**

*SANCTUARY CANDLE*

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



**SUNDAY OBLIGATION/  
LIVE STREAMING UPDATE**

As many aspects of life are now returning to normalcy, each Catholic Bishop in Pennsylvania will reinstate the obligation to attend Mass in person on Sundays and Holy Days beginning on Sunday, August 15, 2021, the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. As a result, we will no longer stream our Sunday Mass live, beginning Sunday August 15th, when we welcome our parish family back to in person attendance. St. Ignatius will continue to stream our 9:30am Mass live through Sunday August 8th.

*Eucharistic Adoration*

Exposition is held in the adoration chapel Monday thru Friday from 10AM to 8PM. For information on chapel closings/openings, please call 215-550-5638 and listen to the message.



**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.

### *Ministerial Staff*

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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.



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

## 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.

## WEDDINGS

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



## PARISH GIVING

As you know, we are using Parish Giving for our online e-giving program. They are the leading provider of secure, user-friendly online giving systems specializing in religious and charitable organizations. St. Ignatius has been very fortunate to have so many parishioners participating in the program.

Those participating in online giving have found the program to be more convenient and allows them to maintain full control over their account.

As a reminder, you can generate a giving report from the Parish Giving website to view all of your online contributions.

Our online giving program is a great success and our hope is that more parishioners will enroll. 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!

### Weekly Collection

	<u>8/02/2020</u>		<u>8/01/2021</u>	
<b>Sunday Offering</b>	\$ 10,525.00	145	\$ 10,537.00	208
<b>Online Parish Giving</b>	\$ 9,465.00		\$ 9,941.24	
<b>Total Weekly Contribution</b>	<b>\$ 19,990.00</b>		<b>\$ 20,478.24</b>	
 <b>Mission Co-Op Plan</b>	 <b>\$ 355.00</b>		 <b>\$ 548.00</b>	

*We are thankful for your consistent stewardship. ©JPPC*

### RCIA – Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

This is a program for those who -----

-are considering becoming a Catholic OR  
-are not sure if they want to be a Catholic but have questions OR  
-feel as if something is missing in their life OR  
-are not sure if they want to be a Catholic but don't know what questions to ask OR  
-just want to know what Catholicism is all about OR  
-have questions but don't want to feel stupid OR  
-have no idea why anyone would want "religion" at all.

Want to take the plunge?

Call Annmarie at 215-493-5204 or 215-370-5701.



### 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](http://www.stignatius.church) or call the Rectory at 215-493-3377.

Please  
**P R A Y**  
*for the sick of our parish and  
 those that care for them*

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

Loretta Amerine, Sabrina Amerine, Katie Bealle, Maria Brady, Lorraine C., Ruthann Carroll, Harris Carvel, Stephanie Carvel, Brynn Clare Connor, Evelyn Conway, Stacie Crane, Mary C. Crawford, Shellie D., Kathleen Geiger, Rose Ann Grall, Jonathan Grubb, Lou Gunkel, Ruth Gunkel, Charles Jacobson, Brenda Jones, Nathan Kilgore, Michael Kotwicki, Paul Lucas, Dave Maclay, Sean Marriott, Toni McConnell, Dorothy McMullen, Baby Eva McNamara, Martin McNeela, Kathy Merlo, Connie Moredich, Kevin Murphy, Christine Nassar, Nabil Nassar, Joan O'Toole, Nancy Parravecchia, Anne Proctor, Joe Rossi, Mary Claire Rossi, Carolyn Rupprecht, Irene Schuka, Baby Simon Shamar, Darwin Stout, Kyle Stout, Nick Tarallo, Charlie Thomas, Catherine Torres, Edward Torres, Scott Uhrmann, Baby Carson Joseph Vice, Anne Warchol.

## 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](mailto:rjcs1219@verizon.net).



Brian Basheda, 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, Rick Fuschetti, Jessica Garcia, Shane Gibbons, Stephen Greene, Edward Hill, David & Christine (Kawoczka) Krueger, Matthew Krall, Justin Kumor, Daniel LaMorte, Thomas LaMorte, Marty Alexie Leonard, Nels Alexie Leonard, James Limer, Matthew Listner, John Loveman, 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, Brett Ryan, Luke Stapleton, James Tams, Scott Toro, John Worman.

## KNIGHTS of COLUMBUS GIBNEY SCHOLARSHIP

The Knights of Columbus announce the William C. Gibney Memorial Scholarship for 2021. The Education Scholarship is for students accepted to a college, university, or vocational school. The scholarship is given in the name of the late William C. Gibney who was a long-standing member and a 4th degree Knight in the Fr. James J. McCafferty Council No. 11013. He was a founding "Charter Member" of the council and served the KOC in many ways. William C. Gibney was a lively and spirited Brother Knight. He brought prominence to the Council through his energetic and enthusiastic beliefs in the meritorious works of his Council. His presence and personality are memorable as he enlivened the Council's meetings, activities and outreach.

Applications must be sent and postmarked to the Father James J. McCafferty Council, 999 Reading Ave. Yardley, PA 19067 (See Yardley Knights Website [www.yardleyknights.com](http://www.yardleyknights.com) for details). The scholarship, funded by the Gibney family, will be awarded by the Knights of Columbus, Council No. 11013.



## PRAY FOR OUR SEMINARIANS

God our Father, Thank you for calling Griffen Schlaepfer, Andrew Lane, Philip Cheung, Erik Reyes, Anthony Albanese, Juan Builes, and Jacob Sanz, 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/>**



~A Legacy of Faith and Family~

Telephone: 215-493-3867

*St. Ignatius of Antioch School, a National Blue Ribbon School of Excellence in 2007, is a small private Catholic school founded by the Sisters of St. Francis in 1958. As part of the Archdiocese of Philadelphia, we provide an academically rigorous, core curriculum, faith-based education to the families of St. Ignatius of Antioch parish and the surrounding area. We emphasize academics,, and the latest in classroom technology including SMART boards in all the classrooms. We achieve a close family environment where students are committed to Christian values, high academic skills and a desire to serve others.*

Mr. John Schrenk, Principal- [mrschrenk@sischool.org](mailto:mrschrenk@sischool.org)

Mr. Jake Wild, Assistant Principal- [mrwild@sischool.org](mailto:mrwild@sischool.org)

*Part-time health aid needed for Mondays , Tuesdays, Thursdays , and Fridays  
Hours 9am-3pm. \$14.50 an hour. Please contact Mr. Schrenk to apply.*



Once again with your support, the Social Action Committee of St. Ignatius Parish will be hosting a school supply drive to benefit children in Bucks County. Our “pop-up bus” will be in the main vestibule of the church on the weekends of July 31st/ August 1st and August 7/8th. There will also be smaller collection boxes located by the side entrances to church. Questions can be addressed to Rebecca at [RTN9800@gmail.com](mailto:RTN9800@gmail.com) or by calling the rectory. Thank you for your support in past years and please consider helping by donating items listed below.

Sturdy backpacks (17"+)  
Paper Towels  
Disinfectant wipes (hand and surface)  
Disinfectant spray  
Tissues (full size boxes)  
Healthy snacks (peanut free/shelf stable)  
Juice boxes (low sugar) or small water bottles

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

On Thursday, August 12th, we will once again meet to assemble meals for Caring for Friends. We will begin at 9 am and, as always, 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.

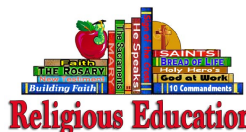
As we resume meeting together, your health and safety are our paramount concern. We have developed the following rules to be followed during the cook:

1. If you don't feel well, please don't attend.
2. Those who are fully vaccinated do not need to wear a mask, although it is appreciated. If you are not yet fully vaccinated, please continue to wear a mask.
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.

If you have any questions please call Kathy at 215-321-0116 or Jayne at 215-321-5739.

We are always shorthanded and would welcome new volunteers! Please share this message with anyone you feel would be interested in joining us.

“For it is in giving that we receive.”—St. Francis of Assisi



## Religious Education

*From the Religious Education Office ... The PREP office is open from Sundays through Thursdays during the school year. My schedule is somewhat different during the summer, but I am still available. The office number is 215-493-5204 or you can call my cell at 215-370-5701. My email address is [aflanagan@stignatius.church](mailto:aflanagan@stignatius.church).*

**PREP REGISTRATION:** PREP Registration Forms are available at the PREP office (from Monday through Thursday) or the Rectory during business hours. You can also download it from the parish website under PREP. PREP classes will be in person this year – not remote. There are 3 sessions available – Sunday from 10:35 to 11:50 a.m., Monday from 6:30 to 7:45 p.m., and the week of August 9 (9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon) with 1 Wednesday evening a month starting in September from 6:30 to 7:50 p.m. Most grades in the August session are already full. Fall classes begin on September 12 and 13. A note to Parents of children going into Grade 1: No child in PREP can go to grade 2 without completing grade 1. If your child did not attend PREP in first grade, talk to me and we can come up with a plan.

**Special Needs:** Parents, are you aware that we have a PREP class for students with special needs? If we could help to give your child a religious education in a small group environment, please call Annmarie at 215-493-5204.

**PREP HELP NEEDED:** Please volunteer to help as a classroom aide or door monitor for any of the PREP sessions.

### SACRAMENTS:

Here is a heads-up on dates for next year: Confirmation is scheduled with Archbishop Edward Adams on Saturday, March 19, 2022. First Penance will be on Tuesday, March 8, 2022. First Communion is scheduled for Saturday, April 30, 2022.

## GET FORMED

Simply Visit:

[www.stignatius.formed](http://www.stignatius.formed).

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



The Children's Liturgy of the Word at 9:30 Mass on Sundays will be paused during the month of August and will resume on Labor Day weekend. In September, we will be training new volunteers. Please consider joining this ministry. The commitment is about 2 Sundays per quarter, but the schedule is very flexible. We use SignUpGenius®, so you can choose the Sundays that fit your family's schedule. If a conflict should arise on one of your scheduled Sundays, there are plenty of us available to switch. If you are interested, please email Mary Alice LaMorte at [malamorte@verizon.net](mailto:malamorte@verizon.net) to discuss in more detail. We would love to have you join us.

**PRAY AT HOME**      **KIDS STUFF**  
**MOVIE NIGHTS**  
**FORMED LIVE.**      **HOLY HOURS**

**AUDIO BOOKS AND MORE...**



## ADULT *Faith* FORMATION

Our first Saturday morning program will present one of our favorites, Fr. Robert Spitzer, who will reprise one of his EWTN presentations on the 'Coronavirus and the Value of Human Suffering'. This program will be in the school cafeteria on Saturday, 9/25/2021 at 9:30 – 11 AM with light refreshments. A discussion will follow. Who hasn't suffered from the pandemic and what is this suffering all about? Come listen to Fr. Spitzer as he reflects on the meaning of suffering and more specifically that which arose from the virus outbreak these past 18 months of our lives. Our next Saturday program will be held on Saturday October 16, 2021 and will be a DVD presentation authored by the Catholic Medical Association on 'End of Life Care' and will address all aspects of medical, moral and spiritual care at the end of life; there will be multiple Catholic speakers. Again, the program will be held in the school cafeteria starting at 9:30 AM and will run to 11 AM with the DVD and discussion and light refreshments. Bring a friend or two. We held a program on this topic a few years ago and it was well attended and appreciated.

St. Thomas Aquinas, pray for us.

## Catholic Women's Healthcare



The Gianna Center of Philadelphia located in East Norriton (very close to Plymouth Meeting Mall) and is accepting new patients. The Center provides an authentically Catholic approach to women's reproductive healthcare and follows Catholic medical ethics. The providers treat women in various age groups - from teens to seniors, and offer general gynecologic care, yearly women's check-ups and natural family planning instruction in the Creighton Model FertilityCare System. For more information see [www.phgiannacenter.org](http://www.phgiannacenter.org) or call the center at 844-204-0005

## Respect



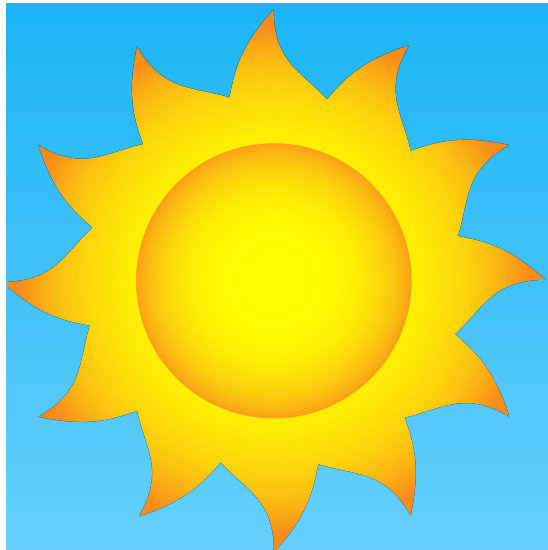
"Although we may feel unsure how best to comfort those who mourn, we must stand with them in their time of suffering. Miscarriage touches the lives of many people, yet all too often this tragedy remains unaddressed. This lack of response not only often leads to unresolved grief, but also fails to clearly manifest our belief that each person, from conception onward, is precious and unique." Regardless of the length of pregnancy, be it days or weeks or months, any loss of child affects the mom, the dad and the family and needs to be grieved and mourned. The child is not just a 'clump of cells'. The child in the womb is a living human being with an immortal soul, created by God for a purpose and is a living manifestation of the love between the parents, regardless of intent and destined to live for all eternity. Why God calls these children home early is a mystery that will only be answered for each of us at our final judgement and meeting with God face to face. Let us learn to mourn these losses and help these parents and families, not with a pat on the back or a statement like 'you can have another'! They need to grieve not any differently as the loss of parent, sibling, spouse or any other born person.

Our Lady of Guadalupe, pray for us.

Intercessory Prayer: For those grieving after a miscarriage: May they be comforted by God's everlasting love and His presence amidst their sorrow; We pray to the Lord.

Rose of Life Intention: For all parents who have suffered the loss of a child, born or unborn.





# St. Ignatius Parish 2021 Pig Roast

Saturday, September 18th  
following a 4PM Vigil Mass  
Great food, good company, fun for the  
kids and live music! Please bring a  
sharable dessert for our dessert table!



• The event is free, but please RSVP by Saturday, September 4th - You can RSVP online through  
• our parish website, by completing the form below, or just calling the rectory at 215-493-3377.

• Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Adults: \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Children: \_\_\_\_\_

• Email: \_\_\_\_\_



## 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](http://www.stignatius.church)