



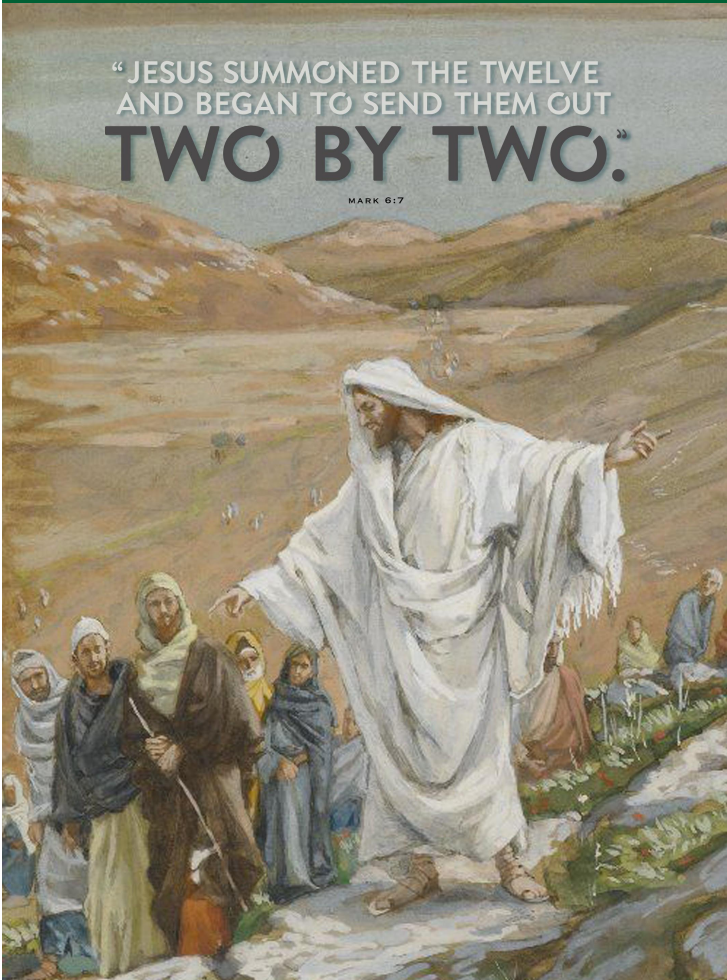
St. Ignatius of Antioch Church

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Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 11, 2021



Reading I: Amos 7: 12-15

Amaziah banishes Amos from Israel to Judah, where he is to carry out his unexpected calling. Amos avows that he is not one of the so-called “prophets for hire,” but instead has a calling to preach from Yahweh.

Reading II: Ephesians 1: 3-14, or 1: 3-10

St. Paul blesses God the Father for calling upon him with a spirit of adoption as added motivation. Paul asserts that it is by our baptism that we are incorporated to the death and resurrection of Christ and also been redeemed.

The Gospel: Mark 6: 7-13

St. Mark presents Jesus’ commissioning of the apostles as a matter of extending His own ministry of teaching and healing. Material comfort is not a component of the work, nor is over confidence. Trust in God is paramount for the great work of their calling.

SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Saturday: 5:15PM Vigil Mass

Sunday: 7:30AM, 9:30AM (Livestreamed), 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 chapel will remain closed at this time for Perpetual Adoration. Please see page 2 regarding Eucharistic Adoration in our main church.

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 July 11, 2021

Am 7:12-15; Ps 85:9-10, 11-12, 13-14; Eph 1:3-14 or 1:3-10; Mk 6:7-13

7:30AM Jean and Julie Holtz (The Lantzy Family)

9:30AM Joseph McAleavy/ living (Patricia McAleavy)

11:30AM All Living and Deceased Parishioners

Monday July 12, 2021

Ex 1:8-14, 22; Ps 124:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8; Mt 10:34 — 11:1

**9:00AM Charles and Mary Koerner
(The Koerner Family)**

Tuesday July 13, 2021

Ex 2:1-15a; Ps 69:3, 14, 30-31, 33-34; Mt 11:20-24

**9:00AM William and Eileen Murphy
(Joe and Janice Gallagher)**

Wednesday July 14, 2021

Ex 3:1-6, 9-12; Ps 103:1b-2, 3-4, 6-7; Mt 11:25-27

9:00AM Diane Mays (The Mays Family)

Thursday July 15, 2021

Ex 3:13-20; Ps 105:1, 5, 8-9, 24-25, 26-27; Mt 11:28-30

9:00AM Patricia Chamberlain (Glenn Chamberlain)

Friday July 16, 2021

Ex 11:10 — 12:14; Ps 116:12-13, 15, 16bc, 17-18; Mt 12:1-8

9:00AM Charles R. Koerner (The Koerner Family)

Saturday July 17, 2021

Ex 12:37-42; Ps 136:1, 23-24, 10-12, 13-15; Mt 12:14-21

5:15PM Stephen Ehret (Jane Ehret)

Sunday July 18, 2021

Jer 23:1-6; Ps 23:1-3, 3-4, 5, 6; Eph 2:13-18; Mk 6:30-34

**7:30AM Ellen and Frank Lyons
(Jim and Barbara Frawley)**

9:30AM Lauren Nicole Young (The Young Family)

11:30AM Joseph M. Queenan (Mary C. Crawford)

SANCTUARY CANDLE

The Church Sanctuary Candle burns for all Living and Deceased Parishioners.



Retreat for Men

**Theme : “Brothers and Sisters in Christ”
September 24th - 26th**

**San Alfonso Retreat House
755 Ocean Avenue
Long Branch, NJ 07740**

Join the Knights of Columbus for a Men’s Retreat led by Deacon Mike Cibenko!

Please see page 12 for registration form.



Eucharistic Adoration

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

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>7/5/2020</u> | | <u>7/4/2021</u> | |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------|-----|---------------------|-----|
| Sunday Offering | \$ 10,857.00 | 148 | \$ 10,626.00 | 180 |
| Online Parish Giving | \$ 10,648.98 | | \$ 10,367.90 | |
| Total Weekly Contribution | \$ 21,523.98 | | \$ 20,993.90 | |
| Campaign for Human Development | \$ 504.00 | | \$ 752.00 | |

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 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, 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, 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.



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.



HEALING RETREAT FOR VETERANS

NOVEMBER 18 – 21

FOR MORE INFORMATION:

<https://davidretreat.com/retreat/healing-retreat-for-veterans/>

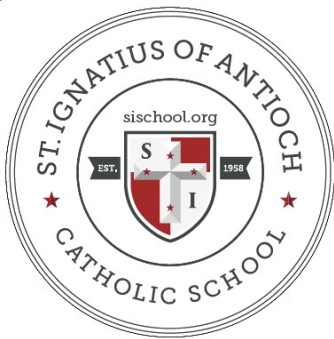


PRAY FOR OUR SEMINARIANS

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

Mr. Jake Wild, Assistant Principal- mrwild@sischool.org



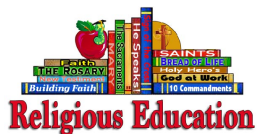
Once again with your support, the Social Action Committee of St. Ignatius Parish will be hosting a school supply drive to benefit children in Bucks County. Our "pop-up bus" will be in the main vestibule of the church on the weekends of July 31st/ August 1st and August 7/8th. There will also be smaller collection boxes located by the side entrances to church. Questions can be addressed to Rebecca at RTN9800@gmail.com 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

THANK YOU TO OUR VOLUNTEERS!

St. Ignatius volunteers recently served their 30th monthly Shared Meal to the homeless and needy in the community. We are grateful to our volunteers who have continued this outreach throughout the pandemic, preparing hundreds of meals to-go for those in need.





From the Religious Education Office ... The PREP office is open from Sundays through Thursdays during the school year. During the month of July, my schedule is different, but I will still be available. Feel free to call the office number (215-493-5204) and leave a message, or you can call 215-370-5701. My email address is aflanagan@stignatius.church.

PREP REGISTRATION: *If you need a PREP Registration Form, please call me or email me, and I will send it to you by email. If you would rather pick up a form, you can get it at the rectory during business hours. Our classes will be in person – not remote. There are 3 sessions – 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. Early Discounted Registration Period ended on June 30. Regular tuition applies now. If your child has not been in PREP classes before, don't worry. We can work out a plan together.*

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: *PREP Classroom Aides and Door Monitors are needed for the 2021 – 2022 school year. Please volunteer. If you need to find out more information or you already know you want to volunteer, please call Annmarie at 215-493-5204 or 215-370-5701.*

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.



LEGACY OF LIFE FOUNDATION JOB OPENING

- Are you passionate about the Pro-life cause?
- Do you feel called to make a difference?
- Are you or someone you know looking for a new opportunity to change lives?

The Legacy of Life Foundation funds the operation of two crisis pregnancy centers and is looking for skilled, experienced individuals to fill four open positions immediately. We are hiring for counselors, Development Director, and Operations Manager. Call us at 215-788-4051 or apply directly at www.legacyoflifefoundation.org.



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 to discuss in more detail. We would love to have you join us.

ADULT *Faith* FORMATION

We are now 15 months into the ‘great restriction’ as I like to call it with lock down guidelines decreasing every day; it is the 27th Sunday of 2021 and the 21st day of summer. How are we? Perspective is what is needed in these times; think about restrictions during WW I, WW II, Spanish Flu, Great Depression, polio epidemic, flu epidemics, Korean War, two Presidential assassinations, Viet Nam war, Gulf war, 911, Swine flu, economic meltdowns, sexual revolution, feminism, etc., etc., etc. This too shall pass. Of course, many have died, but reflect that none have died that would not have died in God’s plan of life and love and our gradual departures from this world. Whether they would have died from COVID or other means is not relevant, but what is relevant is the question that each of us must ask- why is this happening now? Is God sending us a message? Are we in need of a correction? What is it about our own lives, not others, that needs adjustment? Faith? Family? Finance? Health? Friends? Society? All of the previous? Others? Sacraments? Our programs lend guidance and background on reflections on these topics and many others. Consider joining us; in the meantime, read the Book of James in a Catholic bible.

St. Thomas Aquinas, pray for us.

Respect



“Adopting Andrew has made us more aware of God's power and of his love for us. We realize that He always has a perfect plan for our lives.” While many people take having children for granted, our Catechism of the Catholic Church and *Humanae Vitae* state that no one has a ‘right’ to a child, as if a child were a possession. Children are the supreme gift of a marriage between a man and a woman. This latter point is the basis of Catholic church teaching on abortion/contraception/Assisted reproductive technology. Crisis pregnancy centers offer other options to abortions, one of which are adoptions. Jesus was an adopted child to St. Joseph. In Him was manifested both biological and adopted! God has a Divine plan for ALL of His children which He wills to be created, regardless of circumstance. When children are aborted, we have NO idea what they would have become later in life- priests? Doctors? Lawyers? Plumbers? Leaders? Artists? Architects? Discoverers of cures? Peacemakers? Jesus’ words from the Cross are fitting- ‘forgive them Father, they know not what they do’! We need to think deeply about what we do, and do what is right! Know the Truth- who is a Person.

Our Lady of Guadalupe pray for us

Intercessory Prayer: For families considering adoption: May the Lord guide and bless their journey, and grant them peace along the way; We pray to the Lord:

Rose of Life Intention: For all adopted children and their parents



GROTTO NEWS

Visit our outdoor grotto!

Have a seat, say a prayer,
and relax.

We happily accept donations of
plants/flowers for our grotto!
Roses and annuals would be
most helpful. Please contact
the rectory to arrange for them
to be planted.



ROSARY

All are invited to recite the rosary
after the 9:00 Mass. For those who
can stay longer, the Chaplet of Di-
vine Mercy is also recited.

PURPOSE

ROMANS 8:28

*"And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him,
who have been called according to his purpose."*

A high school youth conference

SATURDAY, JULY 31ST

Open to all high schoolers entering 9th grade-exiting 12th grade
at St. John the Evangelist Parish

Featuring

Bob Lesnfsky ● JP Kasperowicz
Shannon Donnelly ● Pete DaMaio
and the Sisters of Life

\$75 registration per youth - \$20 registration per adult chaperone

Registration now available at www.stjohnnpa.org/registration/

San Alfonso Retreat House
755 Ocean Avenue
Long Branch, NJ 07740
Phone: 732-222-2731 Fax 848-800-8717
E-mail: info@sanalfonsoretreats.org

2021 WEEKEND RETREAT REGISTRATION FORM FOR MEN

JULY 16-18 - SEPTEMBER 10-12 - SEPTEMBER 17-19 - SEPTEMBER 24-26 - OCTOBER 22-24

I would like to register for the Men's Weekend Retreat on (date): Sept. 24-26

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____ Prefix: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

E-mail: _____ Phone: _____

Parish or Group: St. Ignatius Kof C Council #11013

Group Captain: (If known) Deacon Mike Cibenko

Payment Information – Retreat Stipend \$260

*To reserve a space, please enclose a \$50 non-refundable deposit. Stipend balance can be paid upon arrival at check-in.
Please make checks payable to: San Alfonso Retreat House. Credit card payments are also accepted at registration.*

Deposit: _____ Balance Due: _____

Special Needs

If you have any special needs that we should be aware of, please note them here.

Health and Safety Guidelines

I have read the pandemic health and safety guidance provided by San Alfonso and I have discerned that it is safe for me to attend the retreat.

Signature: _____ Date: _____