



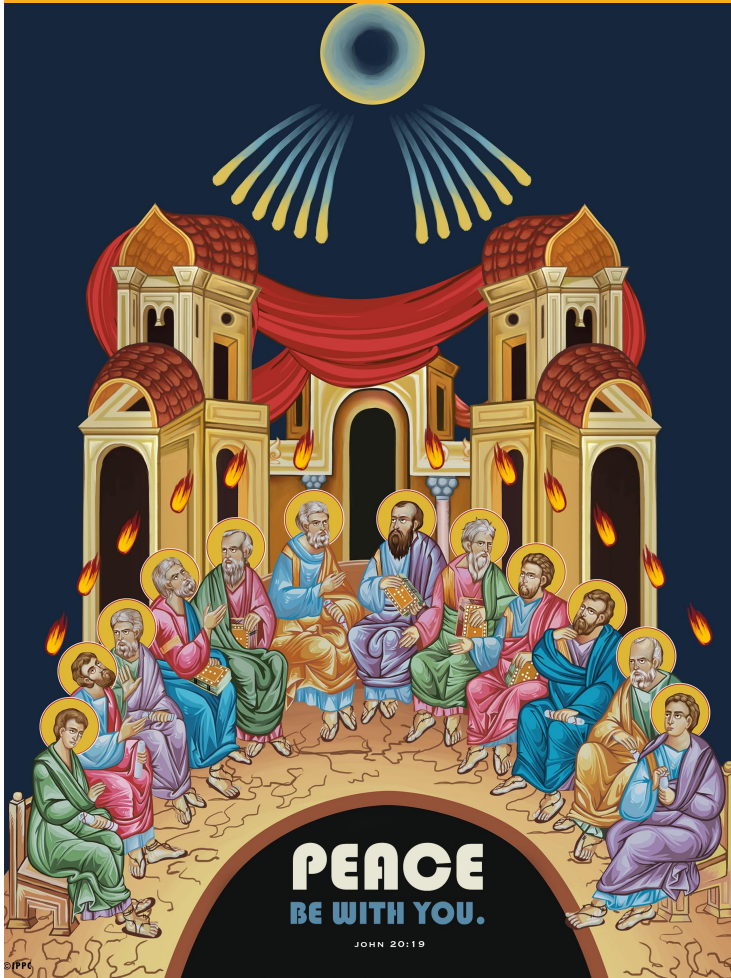
# St. Ignatius of Antioch Church

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Pentecost Sunday

May 23, 2021



## Reading I: Acts 2: 1-11

The bestowal of the Holy Spirit upon the first community of the nascent Church is recounted with great drama and memorable details, not the least of which is the language miracle.

## Reading II: I Corinthians 12: 3b-7, 12-13

Sensing some dissension in the community, Paul knows that such can threaten unity among the members. He reminds them that it is one and the same Spirit who confers all gifts, service and workings. These diverse parts form one body.

## The Gospel: John 20: 19-23

After showing His wounds to the gathered disciples, the Risen Lord offers them His peace. He gives the group, including the Twelve, the power to bestow the Spirit on those who believe and also to forgive their sins.

### SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Saturday: 5:15PM Vigil Mass

Sunday: 7:30AM, 9:30AM (Livestreamed),  
11:30AM, 6:00PM

Daily, Monday to Friday: 9:00AM

\*Special Schedules for Holy Days

### RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

Sunday—CLOSED

\*Monday– Thursday 9:00AM—4:00PM

\*Friday - 9:00AM - 3:00PM

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 May 23, 2021**

**7:30AM All Living and Deceased Parishioners**

**9:30AM James and Marie Pryor  
(Joesph and Lesia Pryor)**

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

**6:00PM James B. Lynch (The Baker Family)**

**Monday May 24, 2021**

**Gn 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14; Ps 87:1-2, 3, 5, 6-7; Jn 19:25-34**

**9:00AM Anthony Palestro (The Koerner Family)**

**Tuesday May 25, 2021**

**Sir 35:1-12; Ps 50:5-6, 7-8, 14, 23; Mk 10:28-31**

**9:00AM Most Rev. Joseph Galante  
(Bill and Mary Anne Galante)**

**Wednesday May 26, 2021**

**Sir 36:1, 4-5a, 10-17; Ps 79:8, 9, 11, 13; Mk 10:32-45**

**9:00AM Cathleen Lydon (The Cardone Family)**

**Thursday May 27, 2021**

**Sir 42:15-25; Ps 33:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Mk 10:46-52**

**9:00AM James Slaybaugh (Bob and Sue Mrazik)**

**Friday May 28, 2021**

**Sir 44:1, 9-13; Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a, 9b; Mk 11:11-26**

**9:00AM Marty Bobak (The Maier Family)**

**Saturday May 29, 2021**

**Sir 51:12cd-20; Ps 19:8-11; Mk 11:27-33**

**5:15PM All Living and Deceased Parishioners**

**Sunday May 30, 2021**

**Dt 4:32-34, 39-40; Ps 33:4-5, 6, 9, 18-19, 20, 22; Rom 8:14-17; Mt 28:16-20**

**7:30AM All Living and Deceased Parishioners**

**9:30AM Theresa Campanelli  
(Pat and Rich Campanelli)**

**11:30AM All Living and Deceased Parishioners**

## SANCTUARY CANDLE

The Church Sanctuary Candle burns in memory of Stephen Martin requested by The Joy Family.



## COVID 19 Guidelines Update

The Centers for Disease Control (CDC) issued new guidance on the use of face coverings and masks on Thursday, May 13, 2021. People who are fully vaccinated against the virus no longer need to wear masks or follow social-distancing guidelines in most indoor and outdoor settings, except as required by state and local laws or other regulations, according to the guidance. The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania automatically adopted the relaxed measures on Thursday May 13th.

Therefore, churches and institutions of the Archdiocese in Bucks, Chester, Delaware and Montgomery Counties can freely comply with the relaxed measures with regard to face coverings/masks for the celebration of the Sacred Liturgy. People no longer need to wear face coverings/masks in church nor follow any social distancing if fully vaccinated.

The May 13, 2021 guidance does not apply to capacity regulations currently in place. Every other pew must be roped off in Bucks, Chester, Delaware and Montgomery Counties until Memorial Day, May 31, 2021.



Exposition will be 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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|---|--------------|
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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 welcome the following families to our parish community:

***Blasch, Brown, Bushen, Carey, Chapin, Coon, Coppola, Dammer/Montvilaite, Dardis, Davis, DeLorenzo, Dionne, Fitzgerald, Gara-Kelley, Garrison, Hall, Hoffman, Iocco, Kershaw, Komar, Kramer, Kukorlo, McCormick, McEwing, Miller, Napolitan, Pruner, Puzio, Reiling, Ricchezza, Schaebler, Stejskal, Taylor, Uzupis, Wolfe, Zakowski, and Zinych.***



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



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

We congratulate the following couples who have recently received the Sacrament of Marriage :

***Adam and Alicia Navarro  
Brian and Patty Panero  
Ross and Akvile Dammer  
Aidian and Ewa Wilkens  
Matthew and Ashley Vecchiolla  
Chris and Kim Iocco  
Rory and Amie Lazowski  
Matthew and Samantha O'Hara  
Richard and Amy Kirk***

## 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 the following children who have been baptized into our Catholic Faith:

***Konnor Steven Johnson, Fiona Lily Jones, Jennifer Laura Harris, Lucy Lee Smith, Sawyer Martin Shedaker, Valerie Rose Mohan, Scarlett Rose Szymanski, Edward Anthony Szymanski IV, Evelyn Mae Miller, Tyler James Lazowski, Cooper Andrew Myers, Carter Napolitan, Hayden Joseph Ranallo, Annabella Rose Kilcoyne, and Hailey Alexis Flood.***



## 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>5/17/2020</u>    | <u>5/16/2021</u>    |
|----------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| <b>Sunday Offering</b>           | \$ 7,447.00 75      | \$ 9,613.00 165     |
| <b>Online Parish Giving</b>      | \$ 10,312.76        | \$ 9,446.13         |
| <b>Total Weekly Contribution</b> | <b>\$ 17,759.76</b> | <b>\$ 19,059.13</b> |

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

### Do you have questions about the Catholic Faith?

Saint Ignatius Parish offers year round opportunities for people seeking more information about the Catholic Faith, the Sacraments, and living the Christian Life. These opportunities are for adults who would like to inquire about following Jesus and becoming a member of the Catholic Church, or, if you are already a baptized Christian, would like to become Catholic, or, if you are already a baptized Catholic, would like to receive Confirmation and Holy Communion. There are many people like yourself inquiring and we are ready to answer your questions. Please contact the rectory for more information.



### 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, Lorraine C., Ruthann Carroll, Harris Carvel, Stephanie Carvel, Brynn Clare Connor, Evelyn Conway, Stacie Crane, Mary C. Crawford, Shellie D., Kathleen Geiger, Bob Gervasio, Rose Ann Grall, Jonathan Grubb, Lou Gunkel, Ruth Gunkel, Charles Jacobson, Brenda Jones, Nathan Kilgore, Michael Kotwicki, Dave Maclay, Sean Marriott, Toni McConnell, Pam McGrath, Dorothy McMullen, Baby Eva McNamara, Martin McNeela, Roberta Mooney, Connie Moredich, Kevin Murphy, Christine Nassar, Nabil Nassar, Jean Oddis, Joan O'Toole, Nancy Parravecchia, Anne Proctor, Joe Rossi, Mary Claire Rossi, Carolyn Rupprecht, Irene Schuka, Baby Simon Shamar, Darwin Stout, Kyle Stout, 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](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, 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.



Congratulations to the following students who have received honors at our local High Schools!

### Conwell - Egan Catholic High School :

#### First Honors

Sarah Baker, Brielle McNair, John Moyer, Sara Aschenbrenner, Matthew Badman, Juliana Burke, Kelly Larr, Alexandra Machek

#### Second Honors

Helena Sims, Katharine Brennan, Carter Kulak, Thomas Watkins

### Archbishop Wood High School

#### First Honors

Braeden Choo



## PRAY FOR OUR SEMINARIANS

God our Father, Thank you for calling Griffen Schlaepfer, Andrew Lane, Philip Cheung, Erik Reyes, Anthony Albanese, and Juan Builes, 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)

## Crusader Walk 2021



*Moving forward!!*



*Crusaders don't say "We can't" ... Crusaders say "Yes, we can!"*



*We are Crusaders! We excel in all things!*







*From the Religious Education Office ... The PREP office is open from Sundays through Thursdays. The office number is 215-493-5204 or you can call 215-370-5701. Because of Covid restrictions, please call Annmarie before you come in.*

**PREP REGISTRATION:** PREP Registration Forms have been emailed to all families. If, for some reason, you didn't get it, please let me know. Our classes will be in person – not remote. Based on email feedback from our PREP families, there will be 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. If you need to pick up a registration form, please stop in the PREP Office from Monday through Thursday. Early Registration ends on June 30.

**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.

**TEACHERS NEEDED:** PLEASE HELP! We do need quite a few PREP Aides for the 2021 – 2022 school year. 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.

**Vacation Bible Camp:** We have been unable to have our 1-week in-person VBS program due to Covid 19. Here's hoping we can begin it again in June, 2022.

#### **SACRAMENTS:**

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



The Children's Liturgy of the Word has resumed with safety measures in place. All participants will be asked to wear masks/face shields. The children will be spaced six feet apart while we process downstairs at the start of Children's Liturgy and again while we process upstairs afterwards. In addition, we will set up the worship space on the floor of the auditorium to provide additional room to spread the children. The children will sit on individual mats that will be disinfected each week. Siblings will be permitted to sit next to one another, if they choose, but all other participants will be spaced six feet apart. For the time being, leaflets will not be distributed. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact Mary Alice LaMorte at [malamorte@verizon.net](mailto:malamorte@verizon.net) at any time. We look forward to an interactive Children's Liturgy with your children once again!

#### **Knights of Columbus 2021 Richard Green Memorial Scholarship**

The Fr. James J. McCafferty Council No. 11013 of St. Ignatius Parish is pleased to offer the Richard Green Memorial Scholarship for students accepted to a college, university, or vocational school. As a Korean War Veteran, retired NYPD Detective, 4th degree Knight, and devout Catholic husband and father of three daughters, Richard Green was man of service to his country, community, family, and faith. This Scholarship has been set up to continue his legacy. To qualify for this year's Scholarship, applicants must have already received and/or be on schedule to receive a High School Diploma or completing a GED by 12/31/2021 or a registered full-time student at an accredited college, university and/or vocational school in the fall of 2021 or winter 2022. For Scholarship Application and additional information, please go to [www.yardleyknights.org](http://www.yardleyknights.org)

# ADULT *Faith* FORMATION

We are at the end of May and about to celebrate Memorial Day and have many blessed events with free time, family time, picnics, outdoor activities, games and a time to remember- remember those who have died for us to provide us with the freedoms that we all enjoy. However, we must also remember that it is a time to pray! A time to give thanks and praise to Him who has given us all we have! From the gift of life to the gift of love and the freedom live and worship and pursue our happiness. We must remember that He also died for us and to 'free us' from the ravages of the price of sin- He paid the debt. Also, in this month we celebrate mothers, especially our Mother of God and Mother of our Church, Mary. Next month, we celebrate fathers and the Sacred Heart of Jesus who should reside in all of our homes and hearts. Our parish has a 24/7 adoration chapel which is currently closed, but adoration is available daily in the main Church from 10 AM to 8 PM so why not pop in to say hello and pray to our Lord and Savior? He is waiting! He is there! He loves you! He awaits to hear what you have to say to Him and what He has to say to you. Drop in! St. Thomas Aquinas, pray for us.

## Respect *Life*



"Mary, patroness of America, renew in us a love for the beauty and sanctity of the human person from conception to natural death; and as your Son gave His life for us, help us to live our lives serving others. Mother of the Church, Mother of our Savior, open our hearts to the Gospel of life, protect our nation, and make us witnesses to the truth."

Mary is the Patroness of the Americas; she is the reason the Aztec holocaust of sacrificing over 3,000 human victims per day, many of them children, ended. We now have a holocaust of over 3,000 babies 'lost' to abortion daily in the U.S. This does not even address physician assisted suicide! Which is now legal in 9 US states and the District of Columbia, mandated by law in two, and pending in several others. We need Mary now more than ever! She needs to be the focus of not just the month of May, but every day of the year. She has direct access to Jesus.

Our Lady of Guadalupe, pray for us.

Intercessory Prayer: For all Christians: That we may rejoice in the gift of our earthly life, and in the hope of eternal life with God; We pray to the Lord:

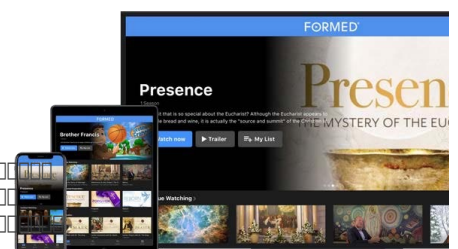
Rose of Life Intention: For Mary, may we rejoice in her FIAT= YES! To Life!

**Simply Visit:**  
**[www.stignatius.formed.com](http://www.stignatius.formed.com).**  
**Register yourself and enjoy**  
**the content available to you**  
**and your family!**



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## 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 Divine Mercy is also recited.

The rosary will also be recited in the grotto every night for the month of May at 7pm.

## GROTTO BRICK

The best way to remember our departed friends and relatives may be to dedicate a visible monument in their memory. We are currently taking orders for personally inscribed bricks that will be permanently installed on the walkway to the parish grotto. The donation is \$100.00 per brick with personal messages allowed up to 15 letters on each of three lines. Orders will be taken until June 7th for late summer installation.

Order forms are available in each vestibule and can be returned directly to the rectory. Please include your \$100.00 donation with your order form. If you need further assistance, call Jackie Madden at 215-493-3377



**During May, if you would like to  
donate flowers to honor Our Lady,  
please contact the rectory at 215-  
493-3377.**

**This weekend's flowers  
are dedicated :**

*In Memory of the  
Gaiser / Flahive Families  
Requested by  
Mariann and John Flahive*

*In Memory of  
Mary D. McMullen  
Requested by  
Dorothy McMullen*

## CONGRATULATIONS!

**Priestly and Diaconate Ordination Anniversaries**

**On May 19th Father Brownholtz celebrated his  
20th Anniversary of Ordination.**

**On May 21st Father Kennedy celebrated his  
55th Anniversary of Ordination.**

**On May 29th Deacon Bob Skawinski will celebrate his  
33rd Anniversary to the Permanent Diaconate.**

**On June 3rd Deacon Michael Cibenko will celebrate his  
9th Anniversary to the Permanent Diaconate.**

# Parish Cleanup!



## Saturday, June 5 Church back doors @ 12:45-3:45

(Church auditorium if raining)

- Indoor and outdoor jobs available*
- Stay as long as you want*
- You sign up for the task YOU want (allows you to keep as much distance from others as you want)*
- Tasks for ALL abilities- kids too!*
- Individually wrapped food & drinks served outdoors*
- Supplies provided*
- Great for those needing volunteer hours*

**RSVP by Thursday, June 3 on**  
**[TinyURL.com/FamilyMinistryParishCleanup](https://TinyURL.com/FamilyMinistryParishCleanup)**  
Or [YardleyFamilyMinistry@gmail.com](mailto:YardleyFamilyMinistry@gmail.com)