



St. Ignatius of Antioch Church

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Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 31, 2022



Reading I: Ecclesiastes 1: 2; 21-23

At first enjoying the fruits of his toil, a man must then pass them on to some heir who did not labor to produce them. Nor did that heir endure any of the trials that production entailed. So it is foolhardy to base one's happiness solely on what we have done.

Reading II: Colossians 3: 1-5, 9-11

Jesus fulfilled all the promises made about the Messiah. Listed are the vices that have to be "put to death" and the virtues that lead to holiness, teaching a person to set his/her heart on what lasts forever.

The Gospel: Luke 12: 13-21

This section provides us with a long meditation on the harmful effects that many possessions can have on true disciples. A Christian should aim to be rich on "what matters to God."

**TAKE CARE TO GUARD
AGAINST ALL GREED.**

LUKE 12:15

SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Saturday: 5:15PM Vigil Mass

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

Daily, Monday to Friday: 9:00AM

***Special Schedule for Holy Days**

SUMMER RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

Sunday - CLOSED

Monday- Thursday 9:00AM—4:00PM

Friday - CLOSED

Saturday—CLOSED

ROSARY

The rosary is said Monday - Friday after the 9AM Daily Mass.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays: 4:00 to 5:00PM

Confessions will also be heard upon request.

Please call the rectory to make an appointment.

ADORATION CHAPEL

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

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 31, 2022

*Ecc 1:2; 2:21-23; Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14 and 17;
Col 3:1-5, 9-11; Lk 12:13-21*

7:30AM Bob Gervasio (Friends at 7:30AM Mass)

9:30AM Marie Collins (Lois and Tim Collins)

11:30AM Rocco Campanelli

(Pat and Rich Campanelli)

Monday August 1, 2022

Jer 28:1-17; Ps 119:29, 43, 79, 80, 95, 102; Mt 14:13-21

9:00AM Patrick Joy (Lee and Kevin Joy)

Tuesday August 2, 2022

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

9:00AM Rich Petrucco (Genevieve Petrucco)

Wednesday August 3, 2022

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

9:00AM Deceased Members of the Prezioso Family

(Frances and Nick Tarallo)

Thursday August 4, 2022

Jer 31:31-34; Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19; Mt 16:13-23

9:00AM Krystel N. Adem (Najat and Emil Abinader)

Friday August 5, 2022

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

9:00AM Patricia Ann Trigg (The Trigg Family)

Saturday August 6, 2022

Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9; 2 Pt 1:16-19; Lk 9:28b-36

5:15PM Thomas and Ruth Humphrey

(Thomas and Lorraine Humphrey)

Sunday August 7, 2022

Wis 18:6-9; Ps 33:1, 12, 18-19, 20-22; Heb 11:1-2, 8-19 or Heb 11:1-2, 8-12; Lk 12:32-48 or Lk 12:35-40

7:30AM All Living and Deceased Parishioners

9:30AM John-Warrio Jimenez (The Young Family)

11:30AM Harry and Jenny Bowman

(Mary and Tim)



SANCTUARY CANDLE

The church sanctuary candle burns for Rhys Thorin Alloway requested by Pat and Rich Campanelli.



Saint John Vianney

Feast Day: August 4th

A man with vision overcomes obstacles and performs deeds that seem impossible. John Vianney was a man with vision: He wanted to become a priest. But he had to overcome his meager formal schooling, which inadequately prepared him for seminary studies.

His failure to comprehend Latin lectures forced him to discontinue. But his vision of being a priest urged him to seek private tutoring. After a lengthy battle with the books, John was ordained.

Situations calling for "impossible" deeds followed him everywhere. As pastor of the parish at Ars, John encountered people who were indifferent and quite comfortable with their style of living. His vision led him through severe fasts and short nights of sleep.

His work as a confessor is John Vianney's most remarkable accomplishment. In the winter months he was to spend 11 to 12 hours daily reconciling people with God. In the summer months this time was increased to 16 hours. Unless a man was dedicated to his vision of a priestly vocation, he could not have endured this giving of self day after day.

Many people look forward to retirement and taking it easy, doing the things they always wanted to do but never had the time. But John Vianney had no thoughts of retirement. As his fame spread, more hours were consumed in serving God's people. Even the few hours he would allow himself for sleep were disturbed frequently by the devil.

Who, but a man with vision, could keep going with ever-increasing strength? In 1929, Pope Pius XI named him the patron of parish priests worldwide.

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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 in person or visit:
<http://www.siforms.org/npregister.html> to register online.



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

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.

May they rest in peace. Amen.



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.



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



FISCAL CORNER

Parish Giving is 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

Counting our Blessings	7/25/21	Env	7/24/22	Env
Sunday Offering	\$9,517.00	200	\$9,477.00	204
Online Parish Giving	\$8,930.87		\$11,132.71	
Total Weekly Contribution	\$18,447.87		\$20,609.71	

We are thankful for your consistent stewardship. ©JPPC

St. Ignatius Youth Ministry



St. Ignatius Youth Ministry will be starting a new group! This is for 9th-12th grade students and will be held from 6pm-730pm on Saturday nights, In the Antioch center, starting 7/30! Food, Fun and Catholicism. Grow a deeper relationship with your peers and with Christ as we join together in team games and then dive deeper into the Catholic faith. Please don't hesitate to reach out to JD McEwing at: youth@stignatius.church

HELP WANTED !

St. Ignatius School is looking to fill the following positions for the 2022-23 school year:

- PreK-3 Teacher
- Media Specialist
- Health Room Aide
(flexible schedule available)
- School Secretary (M,W,F)

Please submit all applications or referrals to Jayne Marcinkowski at hr@stignatius.church.
Thank you!

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, Carmelinda Belliza, Patricia Broderick, Alan Brutus, Lorraine C., William Cain, Joan Canuso, Ruthann Carroll, Brynn Clare Connor, Ebby Conway, Mary C. Crawford, Shellie D., Jerry Dennell, John Flahive, Tommy Golden III, Jonathan Grubb, Lou Gunkel, Ruth Gunkel, Joanne Hutchins, Charles Jacobson, Mary Kelly, Charlie Koerner, Michael Kotwicki, Sandy Lockhart, Kathleen Long, James Malley, Isabella Mannino, Sean Marriott, Kevin McBeth, Kevin McCarthy, Toni McConnell, Dorothy McMullen, Katherine McSorley, Kathy Merlo, Joey Monaghan, Connie Moredich, Dolores Moruzzi, Christine Nassar, Nabil Nassar, Rita Off, Nancy Parravecchia, Joseph Pittore, James Perry, Anne Proctor, Gregory Rossi, Mary Claire Rossi, Maria Scotti, Barbara Stettner, Darwin Stout, Kyle Stout, Frances Tarallo, Catherine Torres,

**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, Aidan Maxwell, Matthew McGurk, Phil Melandez, Chris Merrick, David Morgan, David James Moruzzi II, 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.

RCIA - RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

If you might be interested, come in and talk with Annmarie. Anytime is a great time for a new beginning!

*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.



**PRAY FOR OUR
SEMINARIANS**

God our Father, Thank you for calling Griffen Schlaepfer, Anthony Albanese, Juan Builes, Jacob Sanz, and Luke Trombetta, 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/>



St. Ignatius of Antioch Catholic School
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St. Ignatius of Antioch School, a National Blue Ribbon School Awardee in 2021, 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.

At this time we have limited availability in our National Blue Ribbon School. Tours are being given by appointment only. Please call the school at 215-493-3867 or email Mrs. Helene Crozier at hcrozier@sischool.org for more information.

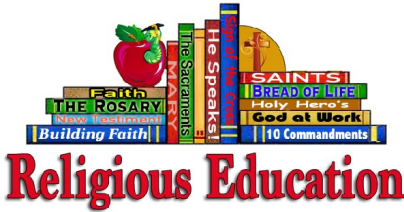


Save the Date
Welcome Back Beef and Beer
Saturday, September 24th



This is sure to be a fun-filled evening including our current parents, adult alumni, faculty, parents of alumni, and school benefactors. Our hope is to bring the community together to support as well as celebrate the wonderful school that St. Ignatius was and is today. The evening will include Sweet Lucy's Smokehouse, lots of beer, music, raffles and a 50/50.

If you have an item to donate towards the raffles, (like event tickets or gift cards) please contact Helene Crozier at hcrozier@sischool.org



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 my cell at 215-370-5701. My email address is aflanagan@stignatius.church. The PREP Office reopens on Monday, August 1. If you have not registered your child(ren), this is a good time since classes begin on September 11 (Sunday PREP) or 12 (Monday PREP).

PREP CLASSES for the 2022 – 2023 school year: Stop in the office if you need a Registration Form. Registration Forms have been emailed to our present PREP families.

- 1) Sunday weekly from September 11 to first week in May (10:35 a.m. – 11:50 a.m.)
- 2) Monday weekly from September 12 to first week in May (6:30 p.m. – 7:45 p.m.)
- 3) Special class for students in grades 8 – 11 (Fee is \$50). The day/night and time will be determined by those who participate in this class.

The Summer portion of the weeklong PREP has concluded. These students will continue their classes one Sunday a month (10:35 a.m. – 12:25 p.m.). The dates are 9/11, 10/9, 11/13, 12/11, 1/8, 2/12, 3/12, 4/16, and 5/7. (Please keep a copy of these dates). When you signed up for the Summer program, you agreed to the Sunday classes as well. They are NOT optional.

If you are not presently on our PREP email list and you need registration materials, please stop in my office by the blue doors of the school building, or call me at 215-493-5204, or email me at the address listed above.



RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY



As we end Natural Family Planning Awareness week, we know that NFP is the best kept secret of the Catholic Church when it comes to family planning. The Catholic Church does not tell people how many children to have, nor does it tell people when to have them. What the Church teaches is that there are two inherent aspects to human sexuality and the marital act, one is procreative and one is unitive and these aspects can never be separated, and, the act is reserved for marriage! The procreative aspect is to be open to life; the unitive for the coming together of the couple as the two become one- a complementarity that is intrinsic to our created natures. Contraception = against life as the word connotes. It separates the procreative from the unitive and thus violates the very nature of the marital act, and, further promotes the act outside of marriage. All of this is aside from the severe and dangerous side effects of hormonal contraception that cause harm to women like increased risks of breast cancer, cervical cancer, heart attacks, strokes, blood clots and even death. God is a good God and He loves us; He loved us into existence; He created us for love, to be loved, to love and to be happy with Him. We really need to know what is best for us. NFP is easy to learn, easy to use, very inexpensive, natural, has no side effects and the same effectiveness as 'other artificial methods'. Check it out at CCLI.org.

Our Lady of Guadalupe, pray for us.

Intercessory Prayer: For all married couples who are discerning their families, may they be fruitful and multiply according to God's plan; we pray to the Lord

Rose of Life: For all NFP instructors



Faith Formation
LIFELONG AND ONGOING

Our Adult Ed Committee has been functioning pretty much continuously for the past 25 years here at St. Ignatius. We have offered over 200 programs and retreats and speakers throughout. Our committee is 'aging' and we are in need of new blood; younger blood; new ideas; new

ways of doing things. Our pastoral center (the old rectory) – the Antioch center as it is now called has been re-furbished and renewed. We will begin our new programs this Fall. We would love to have one or two or even more new members to our committee. We meet the first Wednesday of every month for about 45-60 minutes. We do not meet during the summer. We usually have our programs selected by May and then we are 'off' four months= meaning not a lot of your time. If you have thoughts about what you think our parishioners would like to hear/learn/ discern/discuss/pray join us. Let us know. This committee and its functions should not end for lack of interest. Adult Faith Formation is key to ongoing learning and witnessing of what our Church teaches, why and how to apply it. Go to stignatiusadultfaith@gmail.com to let us know if you can join us. We would really appreciate it.

St. Thomas Aquinas, pray for us.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

IN SERVICE TO ONE, IN SERVICE TO ALL

Knights of Columbus William C. Gibney Memorial Scholarship

The William C. Gibney Memorial Scholarship announces its 2022 Education Scholarship 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 of the Fr. James J. McCafferty Council No. 11013 and a 4th degree Sir Knight. He was a founding "Charter Member" of the council and served the KOC as a Council Officer and in many other ways.

William was a man of many deep convictions and exemplifies a life of commitment to the Knights of Columbus' ideals of charity, faith, and service to others. He was a World War II U.S. Merchant Marine Officer, dangerously crossing the Atlantic several times during war times. He raised ten children as a member of St. Ignatius Parish. This scholarship has been established to honor and continue his legacy of a life well lived.

To qualify for the Scholarship, applicants must be a registered full-time student at an accredited college, university and/or vocational school in the fall of 2022 or winter 2023. For Scholarship Application and additional information, please go to yardleyknights.com. Applications must be sent and postmarked to the Father James J. McCafferty Council, 999 Reading Ave. Yardley, PA 19067 or emailed to wisefred@aol.com. Applications are due by August 20, 2022.

ST. IGNATIUS CYO

2022 FALL SPORTS



*Interested in joining St. Ignatius's
inaugural CYO fall sports?
Players and coaches needed!*

Girls Junior Varsity: 5th–6th Grade

Girls Varsity: 7th–8th Grade

VOLLEYBALL

SOCCER

All Boys and all Girls
PARISH or TRAVEL teams:

- 5th–6th Grade
- 7th–8th Grade

*The possibility of having In-House Skills Clinics
for 3rd–4th Graders for both Volleyball and Soccer
is dependent upon the number of interested
participants and coaches for this age group.*

Contact
tomaschenbrenner357@gmail.com
for registration information





walking with purpose

WALKING WITH PURPOSE REGISTRATION NOW OPEN!

Walking With Purpose is a national women's Catholic Bible study program. Participants at the St. Ignatius chapter are women of all ages and faith backgrounds seeking to grow in faith. Our first session is on Tuesday, September 13, 2022.

The course this year includes two bible studies:

Ordering Your Priorities lays a foundation that helps women focus on the things that matter most. Diving into the pages of Scripture, we'll connect our modern-day challenges with the changeless truths of our faith.

Reclaiming Friendship explores God's plan for friendship, and what it means to be created in His image. This study helps us to understand what it is to have lasting and abiding friendships.

WWP meets at St. Ignatius on:
Tuesday mornings from 9:30-11:15am in the church auditorium or Tuesday evenings from 6:45-8:30pm in the Antioch Center.

No Bible study experience is needed.

If you can't attend every week, come when you can. If you can't prepare for each week's study, come anyway and join the discussion.

**Register at www.stignatius.church
- click on Ministries – Spirituality - Women's Ministry - Walking With Purpose.**

**Contact us with any questions at:
wwp.ignatius@gmail.com**

CARING FOR FRIENDS LOOKING FOR A WORTHY CHARITY? PLEASE CONSIDER CARING FOR FRIENDS...

Caring for Friends provides free meals for the elderly, ill, poor and/or homebound in the greater Philadelphia area. Only one day per month of your time is required and you will be helping so many needy people! Our next meeting to assemble meals will be held on Thursday, August 11th from 9 am – noon in the church auditorium kitchen.

We are truly blessed, but more helping hands are always needed and welcome. If you can't stay to help assemble the meals, a main dish or starch can be delivered on the morning of the meeting or a donation can be given to help us buy supplies. Your gifts and talents are always appreciated. If you would like additional information on how you can help, please call Kathy, 215-321-0116 or Jayne, 215-321-5739. Hope to see you on August 11th!

**"For it is in giving that we receive."
—St. Francis of Assisi**



SERVANTS OF MARY

Do you have a devotion to Our Lady? We are a rosary-centered healing ministry that actively supports our parishioners and our pastor. We meet weekly in the Antioch Center, 2nd. Fl.(Reading Ave. side) on Wednesday evenings from 6-7PM.

The Flame of Love Rosary will be recited on Monday nights at 6PM. For more information on the Flame of Love visit:
<https://flameoflove.us/>