



St. Ignatius of Antioch Church

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Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

January 22, 2023

Come
AFTER ME &
I will make you
FISHERS
of Men.
MATTHEW 4:19



Reading I: Isaiah 8: 23-9: 3

The passage concludes the prophet's memoirs. The rod and staff describe Assyria's oppression. Now that very darkness will end and Yahweh has come to the rescue, bringing great light.

Reading II: I Corinthians 1: 10-13, 17

Paul confronts the problem of divisions within the community with their individual divisive slogans. True preaching releases the power of the one true gospel.

The Gospel: Matthew 4: 12-23 or 4: 12-17

Jesus takes up John the Baptist's ministry in the safer territory of Galilee. Jesus for Matthew is the Promised One of Israel. Jesus urges repentance and the near arrival of God's kingdom, the object of Christian hope.

SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Saturday: 5:15PM Vigil Mass

Sunday: 7:30AM, 9:30AM (Children's Liturgy),
11:30AM, 6:00PM

Daily, Monday to Friday: 9:00AM

*Special Schedule for Holy Days

RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

Sunday - CLOSED

Monday- Thursday 9:00AM—5:00PM

Friday - 9:00AM - 4:00PM

Saturday—CLOSED

ROSARY

The rosary is said Monday - Friday after the 9AM Daily Mass, on Saturdays before the 5:15PM Mass and, on Sundays before the 6:00PM 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 and Saturday 10AM - 4PM.

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.



Mass Intentions

Sunday January 22, 2022

Is 8:23 — 9:3; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; 1 Cor 1:10-13, 17; Mt 4:12-23 or 4:12-17

7:30AM All Living and Deceased Parishioners

9:30AM Joey Monaghan (Lynn and Victor Dixon)

**11:30AM Porfirio and Josephina Espinosa
(Maggie and Rich Fuschetti)**

6:00PM Lauren Nicole Young (The Young Family)

Monday January 23, 2022

Heb 9:15, 24-28; Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6; Mk 3:22-30, or any of a number of readings for the Day of Prayer

9:00AM Don Benes (Carol and Paul Oleyar)

Tuesday January 24, 2022

Heb 10:1-10; Ps 40:2, 4ab, 7-8a, 10, 11; Mk 3:31-35

9:00AM Kathleen Mahon

(Joseph and Dawn Schoen)

Wednesday January 25, 2022

Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Mk 16:15-18

9:00AM Joe Ridgway (Genevieve Petrucco)

Thursday January 26, 2022

2 Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5; Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 7-8a, 10; Mk 4:21-25

9:00AM Rev. Msgr. Samuel E. Shoemaker

Friday January 27, 2022

Heb 10:32-39; Ps 37:3-4, 5-6, 23-24, 39-40; Mk 4:26-34

9:00AM Ethan James Kielec (Michaeline Hynoski)

Saturday January 28, 2022

Heb 11:1-2, 8-19; Lk 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75; Mk 4:35-41

5:15PM Dorothy Farrell (Joe and Dottie Shennard)

Sunday January 29, 2022

Zep 2:3; 3:12-13; Ps 146:6-7, 8-9, 9-10; 1 Cor 1:26-31; Mt 5:1-12a

7:30AM Joanie O'Toole (Patty O'Toole)

9:30AM Ronald Kinest (Joan Nemeth)

11:30AM Richard and Marie Green

(Jean Green and Ray Willhoft)

6:00PM Sharon Thomas (Ginny Powell)



SANCTUARY CANDLE

The church sanctuary candle burns for Francesco Figlia requested by The Figlia Family.



We ♥ love
having you as part of our Flock

Keep in touch with us
via email and text!



Text
STIGNATIUS
to 84576

OR

Connect with us online at:



stignatiuschurch.flocknote.com

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ST. IGNATIUS *Designer*
Handbag

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Ticket Order Form



Join us for a fun filled evening of
bingo, basket raffles, 50/50 and door prizes!

When: Friday, February 3rd, 2023

Doors open at 6:30pm | Bingo starts at 7:30pm

Where: St. Ignatius Church Auditorium

Why: St. Ignatius Home & School and 8th Grade Graduation

Suggested donations: \$35.00 in advance | \$40.00 at the door
For tickets use QR code or email: sishandbagbingo@gmail.com

Ticket sales limited to 250 attendees to accommodate
safe spacing of tables.

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



We pray for our beloved deceased especially Francesco Figlia, Stephanie Lutkins, 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 Father Brownholtz.



FISCAL CORNER

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

Counting our Blessings	1/16/22	Env	1/15/23	Env
Sunday Offering	\$10,742.00	207	\$9,974.00	198
Online Parish Giving	\$9,359.50		\$8,877.47	
Total Weekly Contribution	\$20,101.50		\$18,851.47	

We are thankful for your consistent stewardship. ©JPPC

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Remember Our Sick

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

Emil Abinader, Ernest Aiello, Loretta Amerine, Sabrina Amerine, Carmelinda Belliza, Nicholas Bolton, Patricia Broderick, Alan Brutus, Lorraine C., William Cain, Ruthann Carroll, Adele Cesareo, Stephen Cesareo Paul Clark, Brynn Clare Connor, Ebby Conway, Mary C. Crawford, Shellie D., Jerry Dennell, Eleanor Dolan, John Flahive, Pat Furst, Cindy L. Golden, Tommy Golden III, Jonathan Grubb, Lou Gunkel, Ruth Gunkel, Joanne Hutchins, Charles Jacobson, Mary Kelly, Charlie Koerner, Michael Kotwicki, Dick Linde, Sandy Lockhart, Amanda Loveman, James Malley, Sean Marriott, Kevin McBeth, Kevin McCarthy, Toni McConnell, Dorothy McMullen, Katherine McSorley, Kathy Merlo, Janet Miller, Connie Moredich, Christine Nassar, Nabil Nassar, Rita Off, Nancy Paravecchia, Joseph Pittore, James Perry, Anne Proctor, Paul Anthony Roppa, Sister Agnes St. Joseph, Cheryl Stabile, Darwin Stout, Kyle Stout, AJ Tantala, Frances Tarallo, Catherine Torres, Edward Torres, Brendan Weisinger, Howard Wildey, and all the residents of Sunrise and Rittenhouse Village.

JOURNEY OF Faith

PRAY FOR OUR SEMINARIANS

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



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.

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/>

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.



Are you or a loved one in need of prayer? Please call our charismatic prayer ministry at 267-357-5008.

We would love to spend time and pray with you.



St. Ignatius of Antioch Catholic School
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215-493-3867
Mr. George Meade, Principal
mrmeade@sischool.org



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.



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OPEN HOUSE
SUNDAY
JAN. 29TH
12:30-2:30PM



Faith Formation
LIFELONG AND ONGOING

Ash Wednesday is February 22, 2023- about 4 weeks from today. This year we will be having a Lenten Mini-retreat on Saturday 2/18/23 to prepare for Lent. The morning begins with 8:30 AM mass; there will be a continental breakfast from 9:30 to 10:30 AM in the church auditorium;

our own Deacon Bob Skawinski will be offering two dynamic talks on issues that are very important to us all. Why not check it out and join us for a few hours? The season is not just about 'giving something up'; it is about sacrifice; it is about repentance; it is about fasting; it is about alms giving; it is a time of prayer and reflection. Why not try to attend mass more often? Go to confession more often? Say the rosary more often? Have one day per week where you only eat one meal? Visit the adoration chapel? Come to an Adult Ed program? We are in week 14 of the Gospel of Matthew in our men's program- meeting Wednesday evenings at 7 PM on the second floor of the Antioch Center. Join us and bring a friend.

We are only one month into this new Year- why not take a leap into new 'habits' of faith?

St. Thomas Aquinas, pray for us.



RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY



"There is such a wide spectrum of issues involving the protection of human life and the promotion of human dignity. Good people frequently disagree on which problems to address, which policies to adopt and how best to apply them. But for citizens and elected officials alike, the basic principle is simple: We must begin with a commitment never to intentionally kill, or collude in the killing, of any innocent human life, no matter how broken, unformed, disabled or desperate that life may seem. In other words, the choice of certain ways of acting is always and radically incompatible with the love of God and the dignity of the human person created in His image." United States Conference of Catholic Bishops "Living the Gospel of Life," © 1998 USCCB

As we 'celebrate' the overturning of Roe v. Wade with the Dobb's decision this past June the battle for life is by no means over! All that happened is that the 'battleground' has changed from the Federal level to the local level. PA is 'our' local and our current newly elected leadership is unabashedly pro-choice. The election is over the results are in, but that doesn't mean we have lost the battle. It just means we have to have a new plan, a new way of dealing with the issues. Whether it be letter writing to legislators, meeting with local representatives or 'going even more' local and doing something right here in Philadelphia, right here in Bucks County... we ALL need to do something. The Planned Parenthood in Phila at 12th and Locust performs over 6000 surgical abortions per year; 5 blocks away at 7th and Appletree a private clinic does another over 7000 surgical abortions per year and right in our backyard in Warminster the Planned Parenthood performs almost a 1000 surgical abortions per year. But, we will not be defeated. Legacy of Life Foundation HAS a center right across Locust St. in Phila.; they are also opening a new center THIS month in Warminster. There is plenty to do and if you want to help go to legacyoflifefoundation.org.

Our Lady of Guadalupe, pray for us

Intercessory Prayer; For the legal protection of unborn children and for loving support for their mothers before and after their births; We pray to the Lord:

Rose of Life Intention: For all who work to respect life and fight abortions

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!

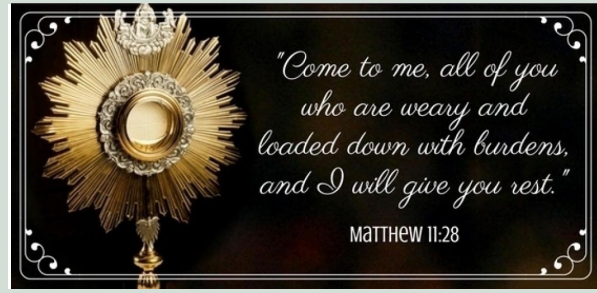
This is a program for those who ----- are considering becoming a Catholic OR are not sure if they want to be a Catholic but have questions OR

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.



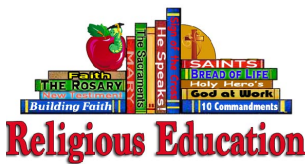
Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament Our Greatest Gift

The Adoration Chapel is open. Come, spend quiet time with Our Lord Jesus.

Exposition Hours: Monday to Friday 10am to 8pm
Saturday 10am to 4pm

The Eucharist remains in the chapel tabernacle at all other times.

Please call Marianne (267-346-0152) or Rosemary (267-799-3951) for chapel information.



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. If you need information or want to register your child(ren), please stop in the Religious Education Office, which is in the school building through the blue doors under the canopy. Classes are held on Sunday mornings and Monday evenings.

PREP Classes – The next class for the Summer Weeklong Plus Program takes place on Sunday, February 12, 2023. The Sunday classes are NOT OPTIONAL for these students.

Students in grades 8 to 11 are invited to participate in a video and group discussion program, Decision Point, on Tuesdays, from 6:00 p.m. to 7:15 p.m.

If you are not presently on our PREP email list, and you would like information about Religious Education for any age group, please email Annmarie Flanagan at the address listed above or call 215-493-5204.

INFORMATION ABOUT SACRAMENTS: Penance/Reconciliation, First Communion, and Confirmation: All Confirmation Candidates must give Ms. Flanagan the 3-page completed Confirmation packet, the Sponsor's letter of eligibility, and the Confirmation fee --- \$55 or (\$30 if you already have a robe) by January 17.

SACRAMENT DATES: First Penance is scheduled for Tuesday, March 7, at 7:00 p.m. Bishop Michael Fitzgerald will celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation for our seventh grade students on Saturday, March 25, at 10:00 a.m.

We will celebrate First Communion on Saturday, April 29, at 9:30 a.m. and 12:00 noon.

CATECHETICAL AWARDS: We congratulate Ashley Haas, who received an award from Archbishop Nelson Perez for teaching PREP classes for 10 years. We also congratulate Andrea Carney for teaching PREP for 5 years and Nancy Cassidy for being a PREP Aide for 5 years. We offer our sincere thanks for all our PREP volunteers --- teachers, classroom aides, and door monitors --- who give so much of themselves to help our children grow to love God.

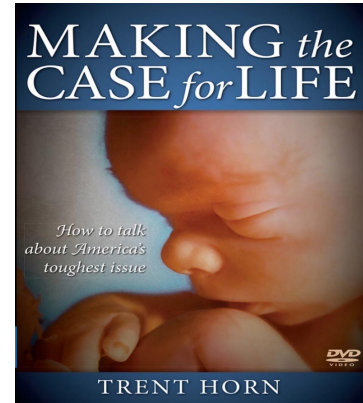
Book 'n Bean

We are meeting "in person" again this year after our long Covid isolation and we welcome newcomers to join us once a month on the last Tuesday evening in the ground floor meeting room of the Antioch Center at 7:30pm. We will be discussing books which we have chosen for the coming year (2022-2023.) Please come when you can. Our schedule is:

- Tuesday, Jan. 31 **Survival in Auschwitz**
 - Primo Levi
- Tuesday, Feb. 28 **The Lincoln Highway**
 - Amor Towles
- Tuesday, Mar. 28 **Hamnet**
 - Maggie O'Farrell
- Tuesday, Apr. 25 **The Extraordinary Life of Sam Hell**
 - Robert Dugoni
- Tuesday, May 23 **Unsheltered**
 - Barbara Kingsolver



ADULT FAITH FORMATION COMMITTEE OF ST. IGNATIUS IS PLEASED TO PRESENT:



SATURDAY, JANUARY 28, 2023

9:00 AM

ANTIOCH CENTER-SECOND FLOOR

REFRESHMENTS- BRING FRIENDS- JOIN US



Life in The Spirit Seminar
St Ignatius Church
Antioch Center
999 Reading Ave
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February 21st 7:00 Pm -8:30
for 7 consecutive weeks

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Speakers Below

Father Chris Walsh



Pastor of St Cecilia's church Philadelphia. He was ordained as a Deacon in 1998 and a Priest in 1999. He received training in the Spiritual Exercises at the Jesuit Center at Wernersville and preaches retreats and days of recollection throughout the country. In addition to his Parish duties, Father Chris is blessed to serve with the Catholic Leadership Institute providing leadership training to Parish leaders across the county. He is currently Chairman of the Board of the Pro-Life Union of Greater Philadelphia and actively participates in missionary work in central Uganda

Additional Speakers

Deacon Bob Skawanski



Deacon Bill Palmisano



Gloria Coyne



Marie Guaragno



Helene LaRosa



Gez Ford



HELP TO COPE WITH POOR PRENATAL DIAGNOSIS

If a Prenatal Diagnosis is poor, you are not alone. Lily's Gift, is a network of concerned parents and professionals who have experienced or worked closely with issues surrounding poor prenatal diagnosis. This ministry can provide a peer support team to assist couples during this critical time. Email: LilysGiftLuke12.27@gmail.com for support. You can also call 215-587-3530 or submit a request at www.LilysGift.org. For more information about a Catholic response to PPD visit: www.LilysGift.org or www.BeNotAfraid.net.



PHILADELPHIA'S 15th ANNUAL
CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE

03.04.2023

*"The Road to Emmaus - Finding Christ in the Breaking of
the Bread"*

Man Up Philly 2023 invites the men of the Archdiocese Of Philadelphia to the 15th Annual Men's Spirituality Conference to be held IN PERSON on Saturday, March 4th at Cardinal O'Hara High School.



Cardinal Timothy
Dolan
Archbishop of New
York, Author



James Wahlberg
Producer, Writer,
Film Director



Deacon James
Mahoney
Homiletics Instructor
St Charles Seminary



Mark Forrest
Globally Acclaimed
Irish Tenor



Archbishop Nelson
Perez
Archbishop of
Philadelphia



Supper at Emmaus by Michelangelo Caravaggio – National Gallery, London

SATURDAY, MARCH 4, 2023

COST \$60.00/PERSON

VISIT MANUPPHILLY.COM FOR MORE INFORMATION AND TO REGISTER

SUMMER 2023

Refuge
MT 11:28



As we begin the new year, the youth group will begin planning a pilgrimage to Franciscan University of Steubenville! The university puts on a youth conference for the Catholic youth that fosters a growing relationship with Jesus Christ! What more could you ask for! Anyone in grades 9-12 are invited both, to this pilgrimage but also to our weekly meetings on Saturdays from 6:30p-8:30p, in the Antioch center! Our weekly meetings involve a game, food and some talk about Jesus and His Church! If you are interested in attending our weekly meetings or in the pilgrimage, please reach out to JD McEwing at: youth@stignatius.church or call: 267-274-0358. Please keep us in your prayers!

SAC FOOD COLLECTION



With your help, the Social Action Committee continues to support Mary's Food Cupboard at Catholic Social Services. Please consider donating to our food collection. There are burlap bins at each church entrance labeled "Food Collection" to accept your donation of non-perishable food items, paper goods and baby needs.



The Knights of Columbus
Father McCaffrey Council No. 11013 &
The Women at the Cross invite you to

Doo Wop Night

When: Sat., February 18, 2023 @ 7PM -10 (doors open-6:30)

Where: St. Ignatius of Antioch Church Auditorium
999 Reading Ave., Yardley, PA 19067

Cost: \$15 / per person

- Entertainment: Sounds of Doo Wop (Gary, Joanna & Mary)
- Refreshments: Desserts, Coffee, Water Provided
- BYOF (Bring Your Own Food) Welcome!
- 50/50 Raffle



Proceeds benefit the Knights of Columbus charities

Checks payable to Knights of Columbus Council #11013
Please note "Doo Wop" on check

Checks can be sent to: St. Ignatius Church
Attention: WATC

Please include a note with your name, phone no. & number of tickets