



St. Ignatius of Antioch Church

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Pentecost Sunday

May 28, 2023



Reading I: Acts 2: 1-11

The vivid Pentecost scene describes a very special visitation of the Holy Spirit into the human story, and with it, the Church is born.

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

Paul fights against any elitism in the community by declaring that everyone receives the same Holy Spirit. This despite the fact that each person has his/her individual gifts and talents that benefit the group.

The Gospel: John 20: 19-23

Jesus makes His promised return to the disciples, showing them His now glorified body, complete with the scars of His crucifixion. He then wishes them peace and sends them out on mission.

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 May 28, 2023
7:30AM Frances Reedman (Lee Smith)
9:30AM John Warriio - Jimenez
(The Young Family)
11:30AM John O'Rourke (Alice O'Rourke)
6:00PM All Living and Deceased Parishioners

Monday May 29, 2023
9:00AM Alice and John Walsh
(James and Monica Walsh)

Tuesday May 30, 2023
9:00AM Theresa Campanelli
(Patti and Rich Campanelli)

Wednesday May 31, 2023
9:00AM Jameson Kloc / living (Scadden Family)

Thursday June 1, 2023
9:00AM Bautista and Mary Louda
(Renee Cereby)

Friday June 2, 2023
9:00AM Paul Deitz (Karen Zewe and Family)

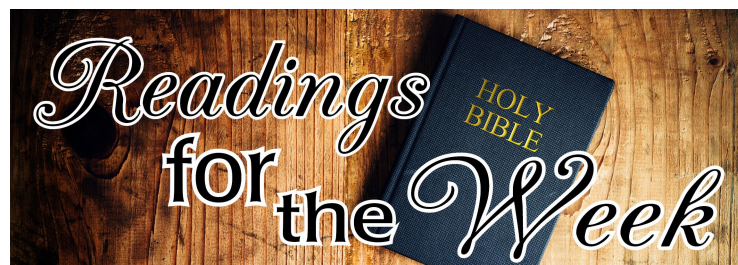
Saturday June 3, 2023
5:15PM Francesco Figlia (Your Loving Family)

Sunday June 4, 2023
7:30AM Krish and Lantzy Families (Sharon, Mike and Pat Lantzy)
9:30AM Linda Judd (Joe and Lesia Pryor)
11:30AM William and Helen Yorkus
(Joe and Sue Bednarski)



SANCTUARY CANDLE

The church sanctuary candle burns for John Murphy requested by Mary Murphy.



Sunday: Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5; Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29, 30; Rom 8:22-27; Jn 7:37-39

Day: Acts 2:1-11; Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34; 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13; Jn 20:19-23

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

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

Wednesday: Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6; Lk 1:39-56

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

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

Saturday: Sir 51:12cd-20; Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11; Mk 11:27-33

Sunday: Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9; Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56; 2 Cor 13:11-13; Jn 3:16-18

THANK YOU!

Thank you to all who purchased youth group raffle tickets to benefit the Youth group trip to Steubenville youth conference! May God Bless your generosity!

Ministerial Staff

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Welcome

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.

In Loving Memory

We pray for our beloved deceased especially Elmer Durick, Sonia Foderaro, 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.*

WEDDINGS

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

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.



PARISH GIVING

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 | 5/15/22 | Env | 5/14/23 | Env |
|---------------------------|-------------|-----|-------------|-----|
| Sunday Offering | \$13,099.00 | 224 | \$11,838.25 | 217 |
| Online Parish Giving | \$9,224.43 | | \$9,852.76 | |
| Total Weekly Contribution | \$22,323.43 | | \$21,691.01 | |

We are thankful for your consistent stewardship. ©JPPC



CALLING ALL CROONERS!!!

St. Ignatius would like to start a volunteer cantor program and an adult choir.

Please contact our music director, Lee Milhous, at music@stignatius.church or 267.205.0174 for more information about this fulfilling, meaningful and fun ministry.



St. Ignatius School is looking for a Health Room Aide for the 2023-24 school year. This position is vital to the health and well-being of our St. Ignatius School Students.

If you are interested in discussing more about the position, please contact Mr. Meade, principal, at mrmeade@sichool.org or 215-493-3867.



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

Emil Abinader, Ernest Aiello, Cleo Allen, Loretta Amerine, Sabrina Amerine, Ronald Ardeni, Carmelinda Belliza, Nicholas Bolton, Patricia Broderick, Alan Brutus, Lorraine C., William Cain, Ruthann Carroll, Stephen Cesareo, Paul Clark, Brynn Clare Connor, Ebby Conway, Mary C. Crawford, Shellie D., Jerry Dennell, John Flahive, Mary Fucich, Pat Furst, Cindy L. Golden, Margaret Golden, Jonathan Grubb, Lou Gunkel, Ruth Gunkel, Joanne Hutchins, Charles Jacobson, Mary Kelly, Charlie Koerner, Michael Kotwicki, Dick Linde, Sandy Lockhart, Amanda Loveman, James Malley, Isabella Mannino, Sean Marriott, Kevin McBeth, Kevin McBeth Jr., 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, Irene Scotti, Marco Scotti, Joyce Spera, Sister Agnes St. Joseph, Cheryl Stabile, Darwin Stout, Kyle Stout, AJ Tantala, Frances Tarallo, Kathleen Tollen, Baby Tollen, Catherine Torres, Edward Torres, Lora Warner, Brendan Weisinger, Mary Wilcox, Howard Wildey, and all the residents of Sunrise and Rittenhouse Village.



PRAY FOR OUR SEMINARIANS

God our Father, Thank you for calling Griffen Schlaepfer, JD McEwing, 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, Daniel LaMorte, Thomas LaMorte, Marty Alexie Leonard, Nels Alexie Leonard, James Limer, 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.



Are you or a loved one in need of prayer?

Please call our St. Ignatius 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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Mr. George Meade, Principal
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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.



RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY



Heavenly Father...Give us love for all people, especially the most vulnerable, and help us bear witness to the truth that every life is worth living. Pope St. JP II told us in his Theology of the Body that when confronted with a problem, go back to the beginning, the 'original man' and how God created him. We see this in Genesis 2. We are created in the image and likeness of God: we have the Holy Spirit within us; our bodies are temples of the Holy Spirit, and, as such, we 'see' Christ in each other and thus need to see the "Christ" in our neighbor and respect and love the Christ within us. If we all did this, we would have peace within ourselves, our families and the world, and be fulfilling the two great commandments of loving God and loving our neighbor as ourselves. That is all God asks of us. Is it really that difficult?

Our Lady of Guadalupe, pray for us.

Intercessory Prayer; May Christ remain in us and we in Him, so a culture that welcomes life takes root;
We pray to the Lord

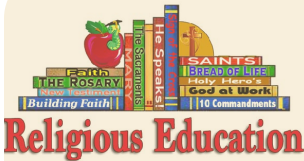
Rose of Life Intention: For respect and love of self and neighbor.



Faith Formation
LIFELONG AND ONGOING

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 our adoration chapel which is currently open 10 AM -8 PM Monday through Saturday, 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! Better yet, sign up for a regular hour and visit Him weekly. You will be glad you did.

St. Thomas Aquinas, pray for us.



Religious Education

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 in formation 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 from 10:35 a.m. to 11:50 a.m. and on Monday evenings, from 6:30 p.m. to 7:45 p.m. The Summer PREP begins in the morning on July 17 and ends on July 21. This program continues on one Sunday a month from 10:35 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

NOTE: PREP REGISTRATION FOR THE 2023 – 2024 SCHOOL YEAR (beginning with the July 17 summer week) has begun. If your child is not registered in PREP yet, stop in the PREP Office.

PREP Classes have ended for this year. They will resume in July and September.

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.

RCIA (The Rite of Christian Initiation for Teens and Adults) is now called OCIA (The Order of Christian Initiation for Teens and Adults). If you know of anyone who may be interested in becoming a Catholic, please give them my phone number so we can talk. They can call me even if they are not 100% sure yet.

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.

If your child is older than 2nd grade age and has not received his/her First Communion, please contact Annmarie as soon as possible.

VBS: Vacation Bible School Camp is scheduled for June 26 to 30 for students who will be entering grades K to 5 in the fall. We cannot have the program without volunteer help, especially adult help. Please let Annmarie know if you are able to help in any way.



**Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament
Our Greatest Gift**

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

"Christians must be distinguished above all by the art of prayer. Spend time in spiritual discourse, in silent adoration, in heartfelt love before Christ present in the Most Holy Sacrament".
(St. John Paul the Great)

As you strive to deepen your relationship with Jesus, consider making time to be present to Him, the One who loves you the most.

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.



**MAY FLOWERS
May 27th/28th Weekend**

**For: Alice Kowalski
From: Tom and Leigh Ann Kearney**

**For: Lorraine Mongell and Helen Mongell
From: Tom and Leigh Ann Kearney**

**For: Maria Rivera
From: Your daughters and son**

**For: Regina Taylor and Eleanor O'Reilly
From: Katie and Dennis O'Reilly**

**For: Hrabowski Family
From Michael and Karen Hrabowski**

**SUNDAY SOCIAL
JUNE 4th**

Hosted by: Catholic Women of Bucks Giving Circle

Please join us at this final social before the summer break to say farewell to our youth director JD McEwing, who will be leaving us to attend St. Charles Borromeo Seminary, and begin his formation for the priesthood.



THANK YOU !

Our recent bottle drive raised \$3,276.05 for the Legacy of Life Foundation ! Please keep the women they serve in your prayers as their circumstances change daily, leading them back to abortion, which requires intense counseling until their baby is born!



**KNIGHTS
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Knights of Columbus Richard Green Memorial Scholarship for Post-Secondary Education

The Fr. James J. McCafferty Council No.11013 of Yardley, PA and 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, Council Officer, and devout Catholic husband and father of three daughters, Richard Green was a man of service to his country, community, family, and faith. This Scholarship has been established to continue his legacy.

To qualify for this year's \$2,000 Scholarship, applicants must have already received and/or be on schedule to receive a High School Diploma or completing a GED by 6/30/2023 or a registered full-time student at an accredited college, university and/or vocational school for the fall of 2023 or winter 2024. For Scholarship Application and additional information, please go to www.yardleyknights.com. Applications must be received by May 31, 2023.

CONGRATULATIONS!

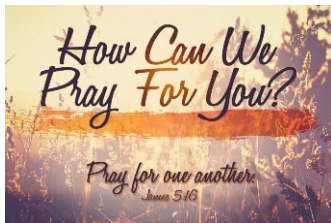


Diaconate Ordination Anniversaries

On May 29th Deacon Bob Skawinski will celebrate his 35th Anniversary to the Permanent Diaconate.

On June 3rd Deacon Michael Cibenko will celebrate his 11th Anniversary to the Permanent Diaconate.

St Ignatius Parish Prayer Teams



On Pentecost Sunday, our parish will provide prayer teams in the Adoration Chapel after the 7:30, 9:30 and 11:30 Masses. They will be there to pray with individual parishioners. Whether you're going through a challenging time, a crisis in faith, interceding for a special intention, or experiencing any form of need, we would be privileged to pray

with you for God's grace. There is nothing like the power of prayer to bring peace.

All members of our prayer teams have been prepared to participate in this new ministry, and anything shared is strictly confidential. No prior reservation is needed.

"For where two or three are gathered together in my name, there I am in the midst of them" (Matt 18:20).

Please note: Diocesan guidelines require that children under 18 years of age be accompanied by a parent or guardian.



Join the Yardley Knights of Columbus for a charity Cornhole Tournament to benefit St. Ignatius School

SUNDAY JUNE 4, 2023

2:00 - 7:00 p.m.

St. Ignatius of Antioch Parking Lot
999 Reading Avenue, Yardley PA 19067

\$50 per Team of 2 | Individuals \$30

Spectators are FREE!

Food and drink available for purchase | 50/50 Tickets: \$20/each
DJ & Family Fun

To register & pre-purchase 50/50 tickets
visit: <https://tinyurl.com/KOCCornhole2023> or scan:



Fr. James J. McCafferty
Knights of Columbus
Council 11013

Register
EARLY!
Spaces
Limited

Individuals
will be
assigned a
teammate

Corpus Christi Procession

Sunday, June 11, 2023 at 12:45PM

Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

Come join us for a special Eucharistic Procession to honor Our Father in Heaven by processing in our neighborhood with His Son. In a Eucharistic Procession, the Holy Eucharist is carried by the priest so the faithful can walk with others in a prayerful way to honor Christ and to serve as witnesses to the intimate presence of God in the world and each individual. The walking through the neighborhood in a reverent, prayerful, joyful manner, powerfully displays the Incarnation of God, becoming a human to share His merciful love.

~12:30PM~
Participants gather in
St. Ignatius church parking lot.

~12:45PM~
Participants will process down Reading Ave.
to Fairway Dr. down Fairway Dr. and
making a U-turn to walk back up Fairway Dr.
back on to Reading Ave. and
returning to St. Ignatius church parking lot.

~1:30PM~
Procession will conclude with
Benediction in the church.



- Bring your rosary
- Wear comfortable shoes and dress according to the weather
- Participate in any or all portions of the celebration

Join us in fundraising for

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at the Yardley Ice House

VALID JUNE 6TH FROM NOON TO 9PM

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