



St. Ignatius of Antioch Church

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October 22, 2017 Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time



*"Then repay to Caesar
what belongs to Caesar
and to God
what belongs to God."*

- Matthew 22:21

MINISTERIAL STAFF

Rev. Andrew C. Brownholtz, Pastor
Rev. Anthony J. DiGuglielmo, Assistant Pastor
Deacon Robert J. Skawinski, Retired
Deacon Michael Cibenko
Mary Ann DiTommaso, School Principal
Annmarie C. Flanagan, Director of Religious Education
Gregory Lucidi, Business Manager
Maria L. LaMantia, Parish Secretary
Lee F. Milhous, Music Director
Trevor Dooley, Youth Minister

RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

Sunday—CLOSED
Monday—Friday 9am—4pm
Saturday—CLOSED

SCHEDULE OF MASSES:

Saturday: 5:15 PM Vigil Mass
Sunday: 7:30, 9:30, 11:30AM, 6:00PM
Children's Liturgy of the Word: at 9:30 Mass
Daily, Monday to Friday: 9:00 AM
Saturday: 8:30 AM
Holy Day Schedule: 7:00PM Vigil Mass, 7:00AM,
9:00AM, and 7:00PM.
Special Schedules for Christmas, New Years & Easter

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Saturdays: 4:00 to 5:00 P.M.
Confessions will also be heard upon request. Please call the
rectory to make an appointment.

NEW PARISHIONERS

New to the parish? Please call the rectory to register.

Daily Readings and Mass Intentions

Sunday October 22, 2017

Is 45:1, 4-6; Ps 96:1, 3-5, 7-10; 1 Thes 1:1-5b; Mt 22:15-21

7:30AM Edith Pellegrino (Ernest Pellegrino)

**9:30AM Marge & Henry Forbes
(The Carroll Family)**

11:30AM Eric Lynn (Lee & Pat Joy)

6:00PM Frank Gresko (The Carroll Family)

Monday October 23, 2017

Rom 4:20-25; Lk 1:69-75; Lk 12:13-21

**9:00AM Edward Hayes and family
(The Liccione Family)**

Tuesday October 24, 2017

Rom 5:12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21; Ps 40:7-10, 17; Lk 12:35-38

9:00AM All Living and Deceased Members of the Parish

Wednesday October 25, 2017

Rom 6:12-18; Ps 124:1b-8; Lk 12:39-48

9:00AM Mary J. Ramsey (Jane Ehret)

Thursday October 26, 2017

Rom 6:19-23; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 12:49-53

9:00AM Edward J. Haynes (Mary C. Crawford)

Friday October 27, 2017

Rom 7:18-25a; Ps 119:66, 68, 76-77, 93-94; Lk 12:54-59

9:00AM Mary Ramsey (Wendy & Ken Glerum)

Saturday October 28, 2017

Eph 2:19-22; Ps 19:2-5; Lk 6:12-16

**8:30AM Barbara Furlan
(Maryann & Jim Shannon)**

5:15PM Joseph Pedrick (Kathleen Pedrick)

Sunday October 29, 2017

Ex 22:20-26; Ps 18:2-4, 47, 51; 1 Thes 1:5c-10; Mt 22:34-40

7:30AM John O'Rourke (Ernest Pellegrino)

**9:30AM Msgr. Samuel E. Shoemaker
(The Baker Family)**

**11:30AM Eleanor Edinger
(Joe, Mary Claire & Claire Marie Rossi)**

**6:00PM John Gresko
(The Carroll Family)**

***PRAYER REQUESTS—**The receptacle for prayer requests is a wooden box located on the wall under the First Station of the Cross. All are welcome to place prayer requests in the box. A member of the parish prayer group will intercede for your request

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ADORATION CHAPEL—Thank you to our new adorers who have agreed to cover a weekly hour. Also, our thanks to those who help out by substituting. We truly appreciate the generous gift of your time. As we know, time spent with Jesus is one of our greatest spiritual gifts. Won't you consider substituting or covering one of our open hours each week? The current hours in need of an adorer are: Sunday 6pm and 1am, Monday 6am, 3pm and 1am, Saturday 1am, 6am (the last 2 Saturdays of each month). We are also in need of a partner for Monday 8am and 7pm. Kindly call Marianne Kloc at 267-346-0152 if you are interested. May God bless you!

ANNOINTING OF THE SICK—Please call the rectory if someone is sick. The Holy Eucharist will be brought to anyone homebound.

BAPTISMS—The Sacrament of Baptism is normally administered on Sundays at 12:45P.M. Pre-Jordan class, for the first child only, is required for parents. Class is held on the first Monday of the month at 7:00 PM 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.

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.

FOOD COLLECTION—We will collect our usual items for Mary's Pantry on the second Sunday of each month. Please bring your canned and boxed items, paper goods and baby needs to Mass and place them in the designated places

RCIA—For those who are considering becoming a member of the Catholic Faith information is available. Please contact the Director of Religious Education, Annmarie Flanagan, at 215-493-5204 or 215-370-5701.

ROSARY—All are invited to recite the rosary after the 9:00am Mass. For those who can stay longer, the Chaplet of Divine Mercy is also recited. The rosary is also recited before the 5:15pm Saturday Mass starting at 4:45pm.

WEDDINGS—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

New Parish Fundraiser – St. Ignatius Parish will be running a new fundraiser this fall. We are having a weekly drawing called the “Monday Morning Madness” raffle. Each Monday we will draw a lucky ticket for a fixed cash prize. Tickets are \$10 each and can be purchased at the rectory or through the school. We will make them available after masses soon! Tickets will be available through the end of December. The first drawing will take place on Tuesday January 2nd, 2018 with additional drawings every Monday through March. Prizes will be \$100 on each Monday, and \$500 on the last Monday of the month.

Our 2017-2018 Annual Parish Appeal is underway! This critical parish fundraiser will run from October through the end of January. This is one of our largest sources of income, aside from our normal Sunday collections, and is greatly needed for the daily operation of our parish. You should have received our appeals materials in the mail. If you have not, there are appeal envelopes located in the entrances of the church. Please return your donation by placing this year’s appeal envelope in the collection basket at Mass. You may also mail your contribution or drop it off directly to the rectory.

As of our second week of the Parish appeal, 108 families have contributed \$30,980 toward our goal of \$150,000. We are at 20.65% of this year’s goal. Thank you for your generosity!

COUNTING OUR BLESSINGS

	October 16, 2016	October 15, 2017
Sunday Offering	\$13,226.50 385 env	\$15,055.00 363 env
Online Parish Giving	\$1,432.20*	\$3,125.74
Total Wkly Contribution	\$14,658.70	\$18,180.74
Social Action Committee	\$2,201.00	\$1,968.00
Hurricane Relief		\$ 240.00

***October 2016 Weekly Average**

We are very grateful for the support of our parish!



St. Ignatius of Antioch

Catholic Cemetery
& Columbarium

**St. Ignatius of Antioch
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 by two 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.

TURKEY BINGO IS BACK! SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 2017 1:30 - 5:30 PM

Doors open at 12:30pm . Please join us for a fun filled afternoon of bingo, raffles, food and fun for the whole family! Turkey Bingo is held in the church auditorium and is sponsored by the St. Ignatius Home and School. Tickets are \$5 each. For #Tickets call Eileen Sutton at 609-468-3650 or email eileensutton1027@gmail.com. "A Special Thanks to McCaffrey's Food Market for donating the Turkeys!"



FOR THE SICK IN OUR

COMMUNITY that they return to the comfort of good health: Loretta Amerine, Sabrina Amerine, Lucille Brantl, Eileen Burke, Ruthann Carroll, Brynn Clare Connor, Cliff Conway, Gabrielle Cordisco, Mary C. Crawford, Alex Dobzanski, Olga Fleming, David Fry, Sherry Golden , Rose Ann Grall, Madeline Guarnieri, Denise Hiel, Charles Jacobson, Myrna Kane, Andrew Kelly, Jake Lindahl, Ellen Masterson, Donna McCarthy, Christine Miller, Eileen Murphy, Lily Murphy, Christine Nassar, Nabil Nassar, Daniel O’Brien, James O’Brien, Thomas O’Brien, Francisco Pepito, Richard Petrucco, Thelma Pisano, Jeffrey Poe, Madison Rither, Millie Robbins, Mark Sassaman, Marlene Spillane, Darwin Stout, Catherine Torres, Jane Wallace, Mark Wassum, Sabrina Wooding, Barbara Zenno. (Please call the rectory to submit prayer requests for the sick, and also to remove a name from the list. Names will be removed after a month, unless you request otherwise.)

FOR OUR BELOVED

DECEASED, all of our service personnel killed while serving our country, those who have no one to pray for them, and the Holy Souls in purgatory.

FOR THOSE SERVING OUR

COUNTRY : Cameron Armstrong, 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, Kevin Frawley, Anthony Fuscarello, Joe Galle, Jessica Garcia, Shane Gibbons, Stephen Greene, Jonathan Grubb, Edward Hill, David & Christine Kawoczka Krueger, Matthew Krall, Justin Kumor, Daniel LaMorte, Matt Leonardo, James Limer, Matthew Listner, Michael Lowe, W. Kyle Margisi, 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, James Tams, Scott Toro, John Worman.

LOOKING TO VOLUNTEER

Do you have a few hours per week to volunteer? We are looking for volunteers to help at the rectory during the busy parts of the day. If you have a few hours to spare, and would like to assist in the rectory office with some light office duties, we could use your help! If you are interested, please call the rectory (215-493-3377) and someone would be happy to answer any questions you may have.

HAVE FURNITURE TO DONATE?

Contact: Goodwill Industries
215-822-2708 x 320
Attn: Patty

H.O.P.E. (Helping Other People Everyday)

H.O.P.E. is a group of concerned parishioners who are willing to help

anyone in the geographical boundaries of our parish.

What we do: Visit shut-ins; prepare meals in a crisis situation; grocery shop or run errands for shut-ins; take others to the grocery store; take people to Mass one day a month; drive to medical appointments, bank, post office, etc.

What we CANNOT do:

Transport people in wheelchairs, be called as an emergency ride, do personal care (feeding, bathing, toileting, house cleaning, or respite care), respond on short notice. (If possible, please give us 2 weeks notice).

To volunteer for H.O.P.E. or to use H.O.P.E., call Pat Furst at 215-801-0820.

HELP SUPPORT OUR FATHER McCAFFERTY SCHOLARSHIP FUND

A suggestion to our parishioners - see if the company you work for might consider a matching gift to your donation to our Scholarship Fund. We are in need of several donations to the fund in order to assist needy families with school tuition.

Catholic Young Adults of Bucks County #buckscatholicya

All Saints Bonfire
Friday, October 27 at 7PM
Tylersport

All are welcome to join us for a hayride, s'mores and scripture.
RSVP via email by October 22 for directions and to claim a hayride spot for you and your friends!
email: buckscatholicya@gmail.com

ADULT *Faith* FORMATION

Every Spring and Summer our committee prays and ponders what type programs the people of our parish would like to hear. We discuss personal appearances, DVD's, retreats, popular videos, popular and controversial topics, and up to date issues confronting us all. Many of us have not learned much about our faith since we left grade school or high school. Many of us don't have the time to attend a class, or read books on the faith. Yes, there is the online program FORMED, but even that takes time. Our committee puts together the best combination of programs we can find and presents them all, free of charge, for you. Won't you join us? Just bring one more.

St. Thomas Aquinas, pray for us.



Rose of Life Intention: For all who struggle with questions about life.

As we approach the end of Respect life month, we each seriously need to ponder our personal position on life. Do we believe that life begins at conception? Do we believe we are ALL created in the image and likeness of God? Do we believe that life is absolutely precious and there is nothing that can justify our taking it? Or, do we relativize and find extreme circumstances that we would use to justify taking a life???

“We must listen to God, who speaks to us. Having a well-formed conscience doesn't mean we have all the answers to the complex problems in the world, but it does mean that we are sensitive to the needs and struggles of other people.” USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities

Our committee is always looking for new members and new ideas. We meet every other month six times a year. Join us on the first Monday of every other month at 8 PM in the Antioch Meeting Center Our Lady of Guadalupe, pray for us.

Intercessory Prayer: For expectant mothers whose hearts are troubled: May they receive helpful, loving support for themselves and their babies; We pray to the Lord:

GET FORMED



Take courage; get up, he is calling you.
Mk 10:49

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Enter Our Parish Code: **40742e**
Register yourself and enjoy the content available to you and your family!

FORTY WEEKS

An Ignatian Path to Christ
With Sacred Story Prayer

William M Watson, SJ



St. Ignatius became a great spiritual guide by surrendering his heart to Christ under the guidance of the Church. He passed his wisdom along in his Spiritual Exercises and the methods of Examen (on which Forty Weeks is based), and in his letters and instructions. His spiritual disciplines invite a deep, personal relationship with Christ. It is

Christ's forgiving and healing love that burns away the selfishness and hardheartedness of sin's legacy in one's history, transforming it into a Sacred Story: fruit that endures to eternity. Following Ignatius's wisdom, all you need to engage this spiritual journey is a generous heart and a willingness to be transformed by Christ's purifying forgiveness and mercy. It is the narrow path to holiness held out by the Church for millennia and the one followed by every saint in our history. The weekly lessons are not complicated. Pray for a generous heart and ask Christ for His help every step of the way. Trust the wisdom of the structure presented here. Resist the temptation to rush or "pray the weeks" out of their natural order. Simple enough!

BOOK 'N BEAN

Our group continues to grow and we always welcome new members. How about joining us on the the dates listed below to discuss our selected book of the month? We meet in the Religious Ed Office across from the School Cafeteria from 7:30pm to 8:45pm for a relaxed discussion. Bring your own beverage. If you have any questions, contact Linda Stewart at: dremom@verizon.net

Our schedule for the academic year is:

10/24	Hillbilly Elegy - J.D. Vance	11/28	The Orchardist - Amanda Coplin
1/30	Behold the Dreamers - Imbolo Mbue		
2/27	American Heiress - Jeffrey Toobin	3/27	The Girls of Atomic City - Denise Kiernan
4/24	When Breath Becomes Air - Paul Kalanithi	5/29	Circling the Sun—Paula McLain



NEW ALTAR SERVER TRAINING

4th –8th grades welcome!!

If your child is interested in altar serving, please contact the rectory for an application. Applications will also be handed out through the school and PREP Program once classes resume in the Fall. Training for new altar servers will take place this Sunday, October 22nd after the 11:30am Mass (12:15pm) or Thursday, October 26th at 7PM. Your child only needs to attend one of the sessions.

GRIEF SUPPORT

TO LIVE AGAIN, social & support group for widows & widowers, will meet Thursday November 9th at 7pm at Morrisville Presbyterian Church, 771 N. Pennsylvania Ave., Morrisville 19067. Call Betty 215-493-6117.

**St. Charles Borromeo Seminary
Theology Lecture-
"The Reformation After 500 Years:
An Ecumenical Remembrance"
Monday, October 23, 2017
7:00pm to 8:00pm
Vianney Auditorium**

The first Theology Lecture of the Seminary Lecture Series will be presented by Dr. Timothy George, Dean of Beeson Divinity School of Samford University, on Monday, October 23, titled "The Reformation After 500 Years: An Ecumenical Remembrance." Dr. George has been the dean of Beeson Divinity School since its inception in 1988. Trained in theology and church history at Harvard University, he is the author of more than twenty books, including *Theology of the Reformers*, *John Calvin and the Church*, and *Is the Father of Jesus the God of Muhammad?*

He also serves as the general editor of the *Reformation Commentary on Scripture*, a twenty-eight volume series of sixteenth-century exegetical comment. He serves on the editorial advisory boards of *First Things*, *Christianity Today*, and *Books & Culture*. He is a life advisory trustee of Wheaton College.

An ordained minister in the Southern Baptist Convention, he has served on the Faith and Order Commission of the World Council of Churches, and has chaired the Doctrine and Christian Unity Commission of the Baptist World Alliance. He is married to Denise Wyse George, a well-known author, and they have two adult children, Christian and Alyce.

For more information visit:

<https://www.scs.edu/Lectures>

Youth and Young Adult



ST. IGNATIUS OF ANTIOCH SCHOOL
"High Achievement ~ Higher Purpose"



"Beloved, let us love one another, because love is from God."



A special "Thank You" to our good friends at Villa Rosa and the Capuano Family. They donated all the pizzas for our "Pizza Lunch for Puerto Rico". The pizza was delicious and the fundraiser was a huge success!



Save the Date See how St. Ignatius School can make a difference in your child's education by coming to our next Open House on Tuesday, November 14th from 9:00-11:00 am and 6:00-8:00 pm.



WE NEED YOUR HELP! The Future City club needs a mentor. This mentor is recommended to be an engineer. It is a fun opportunity for our students to look into the future. Your guidance is needed to help our students take a look into the future. More information can be obtained by contacting Mrs. Casey at mcasey@sischool.org.



Please call us at 215-493-3867, and schedule a tour of our campus, meet the teaching staff and discover for yourself how St. Ignatius School ignites students in spiritual, personal and academic excellence.

FAMILY MINISTRY

FREE FAMILY DINNER on November 4th after the 5:15PM Mass in the auditorium: Our buffet dinners are a casual get together to help build friendships among families. We always have activities/toys set up & our food is different every time w/ many options. The May dinner had almost 40 adults and kids attend!

Plus **TRIVIA W/ A TWIST**: For those interested, our activity this time will be a brief trivia game testing your Catholic knowledge. \$5 entry fee to participate in the game. Separate rounds for young kids, older kids, teenagers, & adults. Winner of each round gets half the earnings. Must RSVP by Nov 3rd to CAITLIN.FANELLI@GMAIL.COM or on Facebook group St. Ignatius Yardley Family Ministry

From the Religious Education Office ...

The PREP Office is open on Sunday from 9:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. and on Monday through Thursday from 9:30 a.m. on.

SACRAMENTS: Sacraments of Reconciliation and Holy Communion – If you missed the Parent Meeting on October 19, please contact Annmarie Flanagan (215-493-5204) to catch up on information.

There will be an important meeting for all parents of children who will be receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation this year on Thursday, November 2, at 7:00 p.m., in the auditorium. At least one parent is expected to come to this meeting.

PRIVATE CATHOLIC SCHOOL PARENTS: If you are a parishioner and the parent of a 6th grade student in a private, Catholic school (e.g. Grey Nun Academy), please stop in the Religious Education Office to register your child for the Sacrament of Confirmation and get the paperwork needed.

SAFE ENVIRONMENT TRAINING: (Protecting God's Children) will take place in Church from 7:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m., this coming Tuesday, October 24. All new Catechists and Aides must attend this training. Please register online at www.virtusonline.org.

REGISTRATION FOR 2017 – 2018 PREP YEAR

If you are new to the parish or have children in kindergarten or grade 1, please stop in our office for information and registration materials or call 215-493-5204. We will also need a copy of your child's Baptismal certificate unless he/she was baptized here at St. Ignatius Church.

Parents of students who are in grades 7-8 this fall:

Please encourage your sons and daughters to continue their Religious Education after Confirmation. Confirmation is a beginning, not an end. Don't deprive your older kids the chance to learn more about who God is and what he is all about. We all know how much we need God in our lives.

"Special Needs" PREP class: Parents, are you aware that we have a PREP class for students with special needs? This class meets on Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m. If we could help to give your child a religious education in a small group environment, please give Annmarie a call at 215-493-5204.