



St. Ignatius of Antioch Church

999 Reading Avenue Yardley, PA 19067

Phone: 215-493-3377

Website: www.stignatius.church

E-Mail: contact@stignatius.church

September 17, 2017 Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time



Peter approached Jesus and asked him, "Lord, if my brother sins against me, how often must I forgive? As many as seven times?"

Jesus answered, "I say to you, not seven times but seventy-seven times.

-Matthew 18:20

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 September 17, 2017

Sir 27:30 — 28:9; Ps 103:1-4, 9-12; Rom 14:7-9; Mt 18:21-35

7:30AM Joseph J. Kobol (Mary Ann Kobol)

9:30AM Lauren Nicole Young (Young Family)

11:30AM Harold (Buzz) Taylor (Wife)

6:00PM Colton Gruble (Kathleen Dickinson)

Monday September 18, 2017

1 Tm 2:1-8; Ps 28:2, 7-9; Lk 7:1-10

9:00AM Jared Lyons (Michael & Jackie DeMaio)

Tuesday September 19, 2017

1 Tm 3:1-13; Ps 101:1b-3ab, 5-6; Lk 7:11-17

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

Wednesday September 20, 2017

1 Tm 3:14-16; Ps 111:1-6; Lk 7:31-35

9:00AM William Schofield (The Alexander Family)

Thursday September 21, 2017

Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Ps 19:2-5; Mt 9:9-13

**9:00AM Kathleen M. Mullaney
(Joe, Mary Claire & Claire Marie Rossi)**

Friday September 22, 2017

1 Tm 6:2c-12; Ps 49:6-10, 17-20; Lk 8:1-3

**9:00AM Sal & Rose Tortorici
(The Gambole Family)**

Saturday September 23, 2017

1 Tm 6:13-16; Ps 100:1b-5; Lk 8:4-15

**8:30AM Holy Souls of Priests in Purgatory
(Anonymous)**

5:15PM Joseph Roberts (The Sassaman Family)

Sunday September 24, 2017

Is 55:6-9; Ps 145:2-3, 8-9, 17-18; Phil 1:20c-24, 27a; Mt 20:1-16a

7:30AM Edward Rupprecht (Carolyn Rupprecht)

**9:30AM Earl & Martha Charles
(The Charles Family)**

11:30AM Kathleen Gasson (Mary Crawford)

6:00PM Guiseppa Covello (The Covello 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 for 7 days.

ADORATION CHAPEL—Won't you consider being a substitute adorer this summer? It's not a permanent commitment, we just ask that you give us your name and phone number. We will call you when we need a sub and if you are able to do it, it's most appreciated. If you are interested in becoming a permanent adorer, our open hours are: Sunday 5pm, 6pm, Monday 9am, 10am and 3pm, Friday 1am and Saturday 1am and 6am (the last 2 Saturdays of the month). Kindly call Marianne Kloc at 267-346-0152 if you are interested.

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

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.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES—Please contact the rectory for more information on volunteering. Our ministries are always looking for help.

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

As you may have heard, we are using Parish Giving to provide an online method for contributions. Parish Giving is a leading provider of secure, user-friendly online giving systems specializing in religious and charitable organizations.

We are hoping that you will find that using the Parish Giving program will be more convenient. Importantly, you maintain full control over your account so that you can change your offering as needed. You will be able to generate a giving report, contribute to Christmas and other special collections, and change the method and/or timing of the funds transfer. In addition, unless you specifically request them, you will no longer receive church envelopes. New this year, as a school parent, you will be able to pay your Option C bills online through St. Ignatius' Parish Giving Site.

Our hope is that you enroll for this method of giving by going to the St. Ignatius of Antioch website at <http://www.stignatius.church> and clicking on the Parish Giving logo. If you are not comfortable using technology, we can register you for your online giving via paper form. Give us a call at the rectory and we will send the information to your home.



FOR THE SICK IN OUR

COMMUNITY that they return to the comfort of good health: Loretta Amerine, Sabrina Amerine, Tom Baust, Eileen Burke, Ruthann Carroll, Brynn Clare Connor, Cliff Conway, Gabrielle Cordisco, Mary C. Crawford, Alex Dobzanski, Olga Fleming, David Fry, 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, Daniel O'Brien, James O'Brien, Thomas O'Brien, Francisco Pepito, Richard Petrucco, Thelma Pisano, Jeffrey Poe, Madison Ritter, 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 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, James Tams, Scott Toro, John Worman.

COUNTING OUR BLESSINGS

	September 4, 2016	September 3, 2017
Sunday Offering	\$ 14,651.00 360 Env.	\$ 14,006.00 342 Env.
Online Parish Giving	\$ 1,548.65 *	\$ 4,097.00
Total Weekly Contribution	\$ 16,199.65	\$ 18,103.00
Social Action	\$ 2,584.00	\$ 2,436.00
	September 11, 2016	September 10, 2017
Sunday Offering	\$ 14,157.00 370 Env.	\$ 15,156.00 417 Env.
Online Parish Giving	\$ 1,548.65 *	\$ 3,009.00
Total Weekly Contribution	\$ 15,705.65	\$ 18,165.00
Social Action	\$ 2,303.00	\$ 1,354.00

* - September 2016 Weekly Average

We are very grateful for the support of our parish!

Life in the Spirit/"Wild Goose" Seminar

Curious about the Charismatic Renewal in the Catholic Church? Wondering about gifts of the Holy Spirit? A new format Life in the Spirit Seminar featuring the outstanding "Wild Goose" video series by Fr. Dave Pivonka may be just the answer for you. Fr Dave's gentle and down to earth style of presentation makes it easy to understand how the love of Jesus is manifested to all in the Life in the Spirit. Six Tuesday evenings, 7:30 – 9:00 PM
First three sessions in the Church, 9/26, 10/3, 10/10
Next two sessions in the School Cafeteria, 10/24 and 10/31
Last session in the Church, 11/7

Moderated by Deacon Bob Skawinski.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

We welcome: **Jack McCann Allsman, Alice Violet Clift, Brynn Anne Estroff, Isabelle Franz, Allison Renee Miller, and Keegan Jack O'Hara.**

These children were recently baptized into our Catholic Faith.

The Sacrament of Baptism is normally administered on Sundays at 12:45 P.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.

40 Days For Life Peaceful Prayer Vigil

Planned Parenthood,
Warminster PA
St. Ignatius Church will pray for 12 hours on Tuesday, October 3rd from 8:00am until 8:00pm
Please contact Christina Mahan at 215-499-5747 to sign up for an hour of prayer.



WINE National Catholic Women's Conference

Join women from the greater Philadelphia area and across the country for the first-ever National Catholic Women's Conference hosted by WINE: Women In the New Evangelization! Dynamic Catholic speakers Kelly Wahlquist, Teresa Tomeo, Kitty Cleveland and Sarah Christmyer will inspire you and musician Amanda Vernon will rejuvenate your spirit. The day will include time for Mass, Confession, prayer, rest, socializing, and shopping. Saturday, October 21, 2017, National Shrine of Our Lady of Czestochowa, Doylestown, PA. Special group rate available, so bring your friends! For more information & to register, visit wineconference.org.

Walking With Purpose – Women's Catholic Bible Study



Beginning Tuesday, September 26, 2017

Opening Your Heart – this study is the foundational course that is an effective guide to a deep, lasting transformation of the heart. Course offered only for morning session.

Touching the Divine – this study teaches us through the Gospel of John how much Christ loves us and how His love is the true satisfaction of our souls. Course offered for morning or evening session.

Morning session 9:30 a.m.-11:15 a.m. OR Evening Session 6:45 p.m.-8:30 p.m., FREE Babysitting for morning session

Please register: www.stignatius.church/womans.html

Questions: wwp.ignatius@gmail.com

ADULT *Faith* FORMATION

Our next program will be a very interesting video presentation on a very common topic and question interesting to many people- Suffering- and Dr. Peter Kreeft answers all of our questions on suffering and evil and the "WHY". That program will be on Saturday November 2 from 9:30 to 11 AM in the Rel Ed center along with our usual coffee and refreshments. Bring 'just one more', you and they will be glad. In the meantime, our Adult Faith Formation program is looking for new blood, new ideas and new energy. We meet the first Wednesday of every month at 7:30 PM in the Antioch meeting center, second floor. Join us. We will begin planning for next year already.

St. Thomas Aquinas, pray for us.



Rose of Life Intention: For all married couples; may they recognize the Sacramentality of their relationships.

"The Church's teaching on marital sexuality is an invitation ... to receive the gift of God's love and care, and to let this gift inform and transform us, so we may share that love with each other and with the world." USCCB, "Married Love and the Gift of Life,"

As a Catholic church, we should reclaim the value of marriage between one man and one woman in the language of the Sacrament, Matrimony. No one can change the definition of a Sacrament instituted by Christ to be a sign of what type of relationship we will have with God in Heaven; the same relationship Christ has with His Church.

The Respect Life Committee welcomes new ideas and new members. Our meetings occur at 8 PM every other month on the second floor of the Antioch meeting center. Join us.

Our Lady of Guadalupe, pray for us.

Intercessory Prayer: For the times we have taken God's gift of life for granted: May we seek forgiveness with confidence in God's faithful and merciful love; We pray to the Lord:

GET FORMED



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

Simply Visit: www.formed.org
Enter Our Parish Code: **40742e**
Register yourself and enjoy the content available to you and your family!



Produced by the award-winning filmmakers of the highly acclaimed feature film *The 13th Day*, this powerful and in-depth documentary combines archival footage, dramatic reenactments, original interviews with Fatima experts, and stunning visuals to tell the whole story of the apparitions of Our Lady of Fatima. With high production values and a beautiful look, artists and filmmakers Ian and Dominic Higgins present a compelling docu-drama on the crucial details about the appearances and messages of Our Lady in Fatima in 1917, a message of prayer, penance, and conversion that is desperately needed in our modern world. From the initial apparitions of the angel who prepared the children for Our Lady's coming, to the Miracle of the Sun, including moving film footage from *The 13th Day*, this illuminating and inspiring film will impact all those who see it to take heed of the critical messages of Our Lady of Fatima.

JUBILEE

PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

Hail, Mother of the Lord, Virgin Mary, Queen of the Rosary of Fatima! Blessed among all women, you are the image of the Church dressed in the Paschal light, you are the honor of our people, you are the triumph over the mark of evil.

Prophecy of the merciful Love of the Father, Teacher of the Annunciation of the Good News of the Son, Sign of the burning Fire of the Holy Spirit, teach us, in the valley of joys and sorrows, the eternal truths that the Father reveals to the little ones.

Show us the strength of your mantle of protection. In your Immaculate Heart, be the refuge of sinners and the way that leads to God.

In unity with my brethren, In Faith, Hope and Love, I surrender myself to you. In unity with my brethren, through you, I consecrate myself to God, O Virgin of the Rosary of Fatima.

And thus surrounded by the Light that comes from your hands, I will give Glory to the Lord for ever and ever. Amen.

FATIMA 100

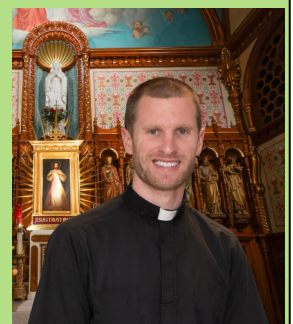
St. Ignatius of Antioch Catholic Church
presents a memorable celebration
of the 100th Year Anniversary of Fatima


“Living the Message of Fatima in Light of Divine Mercy”




***Our 2-day celebration commences at 6:30 PM
on Friday, October 13th and convenes following
the 8:30 AM Mass on Saturday, October 14th.
Refreshments to follow each day.***


Please come and join us in welcoming
Fr. Thaddaeus Lancton, MIC who is visiting us from
the Divine Mercy Shrine, Stockbridge MA.





**ST. IGNATIUS OF ANTIOCH
SCHOOL**
 “A Blue Ribbon School of
Excellence”
 “A Community of Faith,
Academics and Service”
 215-493-3867





**ST. IGNATIUS
OF ANTIOCH
CATHOLIC SCHOOL**

ALUMNI NIGHT

Saturday October 7th

5:15 Mass

School Tours and Lite
Refreshments to Follow

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:

Tuesday, Sept. 26	The Nightingale - Kristen Hannah
Tuesday, Oct. 24	Hillbilly Elegy - J.D. Vance
Tuesday, Nov. 28	The Orchardist - Amanda Coplin
Tuesday, Jan. 30	Behold the Dreamers - Imbolo Mbue
Tuesday, Feb. 27	American Heiress - Jeffrey Toobin
Tuesday, Mar. 27	The Girls of Atomic City - Denise Kiernan
Tuesday, April 24	When Breath Becomes Air - Paul Kalanithi
Tuesday, May 29	Circling the Sun - Paula McLain

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: There will be a very important meeting for all parents of children who will be receiving the Sacraments of Reconciliation and Holy Communion this year on Thursday, October 19, at 7:00 p.m., in the auditorium under the church. 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 come to a brief meeting in the Religious Education Office, on Thursday, September 14, at 6:30 p.m. to register your child for the Sacrament of Confirmation and get the paperwork needed.

REGISTRATION FOR 2017 – 2018 PREP YEAR

If you are new to the parish or have children in kindergarten or grade 1 this fall, 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.

SAFE ENVIRONMENT

The “Protecting God's Children” training session will take place on Tuesday, October 24th, from 7:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m., in Church. If you still need this training, please register at www.virtusonline.org before this date.

WESTMINSTER CONSERVATORY MUSIC CLASSES

The Westminster Conservatory of Music is offering at St. Ignatius children/adult private instruction in piano, violin, and voice. This fall 2 new children's classes will be offered in voice and voice/acting for grades 2-5. For more information please contact Danielle Cargas at 215.493.3514