



St. Ignatius of Antioch Church

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June 22, 2025

The Solemnity Of The Most Holy Body & Blood Of Christ



The WORD of GOD

Reading I: Genesis 14: 18-20

Melchizedek, translated as “King of Righteousness”, is the first person in the Bible to be called a priest. He is a “type” of Christ the Messiah. He offers bread and wine, a celebratory meal, to bless Abram’s victory.

Reading II: 1 Corinthians 11: 23-26

Jesus fulfills Melchizedek’s offering in a marvelous way. He gives to us Himself, under the appearances of bread and wine. This is the oldest account of the Eucharist, as given by St. Paul.

The Gospel: Luke 9: 11b-17

Apart from the Resurrection, the multiplication of the loaves is the only miracle recounted in all 4 Gospels. Of course, it foreshadows the miracle of the Eucharist, inaugurated at the Last Supper.

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

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 and on Saturdays before the 5:15PM 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

Adoration Hours : Monday, 10 AM until Wednesday 9 PM, Thursday 9am until 12 midnight, Friday 10 AM until 8 PM, Saturday, 10 AM until 4 PM. 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.



Saturday June 21, 2025
5:15PM Eleanor Edinger (Nick and Frances Tarallo)

Sunday June 22, 2025
7:30AM Dean Fletcher (Jim Fletcher)
9:30AM Elizabeth Lynn (Alice O'Rourke)
11:30AM Parishioners of St. Ignatius

Monday June 23, 2025
9:00AM Edmund Mizerek
(The Mizerek and Kearns Family)

Tuesday June 24, 2025
9:00AM Alice and Richard Whitney
(James and Monica Walsh)

Wednesday June 25, 2025
9:00AM Fred Sigafos (Mary Gordon)

Thursday June 26, 2025
9:00AM Jeffrey Kaschak (Karen Zewe and Family)

Friday June 27, 2025
9:00AM Ann Roslon (Linda Chamberlain)

Saturday June 28, 2025
5:15PM Parishioners of St. Ignatius

Sunday June 29, 2025
7:30AM Luke Dorozala (Wife and Children)
9:30AM Edwin Scott
(Loretta and Bill Amerine and Family)
11:30AM Timothy and Margaret Lewis
(Mary Ellen Laker)



Church Sanctuary Candle
 The church sanctuary candle
 burns this week to the glory of
 Almighty God and for
 Dorothy and Frank Young requested by
 The Young Family.



Sunday Gen 14:18-20 Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4 1
Cor 11:23-26 Lk 9:11b-17

Monday Gen 12:1-9 Ps 33:12-13, 18-19,
20 and 22 Mt 7:1-5

Tuesday Vigil Jer 1:4-10 Ps 139:1b-3,
13-14ab, 14c-15 1 Pt 1:8-12 Lk 1:5-17
Tuesday Day Is 49:1-6 Ps 139:1b-3, 13-
14ab, 14c-15 Acts 13:22-26 Lk 1:57-66,
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Wednesday Gen 15:1-12, 17-18 Ps
105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9 Mt 7:15-20
Thursday Gen 16:1-12, 15-16 or 16:6b-
12, 15-16 Ps 106:1b-2, 3-4a, 4b-5 Mt
7:21-29

Friday Ez 34:11-16 Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6
Rom 5:5b-11 Lk 15:3-7

Saturday Gen 18:1-15 Lk 1:46-47, 48-
49, 50 and 53, 54-55 Mt 8:5-17

Sunday Vigil Acts 3:1-10 Ps 19:2-3, 4-5
Gal 1:11-20 Jn 21:15-19

Sunday Day Acts 12:1-11 Ps 34:2-3, 4-5,
6-7, 8-9 2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18 Mt 16:13-19



Ministerial Staff

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Whether it's your first time here or you have been coming to Mass for years, we welcome you to join our parish. Please contact the rectory to register.

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.

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.

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

We also welcome those couples who are civilly married and desire to receive the Sacrament of Marriage. Contact the Parish Office to arrange for a sacramental convalidation of your marriage.

Parish Giving

In the spirit of embracing modern technology to foster a sense of community and ease in giving, St. Ignatius of Antioch utilizes E-Giving, a digital platform designed to streamline the process of making donations and supporting the parish's missions and operations. This innovative approach to stewardship not only simplifies the act of giving for parishioners, allowing for contributions to be made anytime and from anywhere, but also ensures a consistent flow of support for the church's many vital programs. E-Giving offers a secure, flexible, and efficient way for members of the community to uphold their commitment to the church, enhancing our ability to carry out charitable works, maintain our facilities, and expand our outreach initiatives. By adopting E-Giving, St. Ignatius of Antioch takes a significant step forward in ensuring the sustainability and growth of our beloved parish, fostering a culture of generosity and accessibility for all. Please visit our parish website to sign up or to get more information on this program.

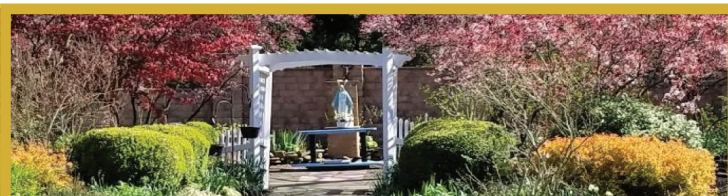
Weekly Collection

Counting our Blessings	6/16/24	Env	6/15/25	Env
Sunday Offering	\$11,181.00	198	\$13,049.00	211
Online Parish Giving	\$10,885.15		\$11,532.69	
Total Weekly Contribution	\$22,066.15		\$24,581.69	
Peter's Pence	\$1,184.00		\$1,720.00	

We are thankful for your consistent stewardship. ©JPPC



The Social Action Committee extends its appreciation to our generous parish for their donations that stock the shelves of Mary's Cupboard. There are so many local families in need, and your contributions directly impact their lives. If you feel called to give, any nonperishable items are always appreciated, but the Cupboard currently needs manual can openers, plastic utensils, cleaning supplies, small containers of laundry detergent and kid-friendly foods. Thank you!



GROTTO BRICKS

One way to remember our departed friends and relatives may be to dedicate a visible monument to their memory. We are currently taking orders for personally inscribed bricks that will be permanently installed on the walkway to the parish grotto. The donation is \$100 per brick with personal messages allowed up to 15 letters on each of three lines. Please contact the rectory for more details.

Pray FOR THE SICK

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

Baby Kayden Hledik, Emil Abinader, Angelo Alvarez, Loretta Amerine, Sabrina Amerine, Jeff Bacon, Dolores Barrett, Lorraine C., Maria Cane, Ruthann Carroll, Stephen Cesareo, Brynn Clare Connor, Kathleen Cook, Gloria Coyne, JoAnne Cumming, Shellie D., Susan Dwyer, Judith Green, Jonathan Grubb, Lou Gunkel, Ruth Gunkel, Marge Heriley, Julia Horvath, Michaeline Hynoski, Judith Kearney, Marge Kenney, Eleanor Koerner, Olivia Kraemer, Amy Layden, Tina Lippolis, Michelle Mahle, Maria Mannarino, Kevin McBeth, Kevin McBeth Jr., Kevin McCarthy, Toni McConnell, Janet Miller, , Walter Miller, Susan Mockenhaupt, Michele Mulholland, John Murray, Nancy Paravecchia, Carol Patterson, Christine Rogers, Mary Claire Rossi, MaryBeth Rushforth, Maria Scotti, Peter Sidoti, Theresa Sortino, Elsie Stolic, Darwin Stout, Kyle Stout, AJ Tantala, Nick Tarallo, Gideon Thomas, Mark Waldinger, Lora Warner, Brendan Weisinger, Fred Wise, Patricia Yorkus, Vincent Yorkus, and all the residents of Sunrise, Artis, and Floral Creek.



God our Father, Thank you for calling Griffen Schlaepfer, JD McEwing, Juan Builes, Jude Opara, Matthew Pace, Jacob Sanz, Jonathan Amgott, Pasquelge Don Sandun Tharuka, and Camilo Abedrop-Escobosa 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 School is looking for a 4th Grade Teacher and a Middle School Science Teacher. If you would like to be considered or know someone you would like to recommend, please reach out to:

Mr. George Meade, Principal
mrmeade@sischool.org

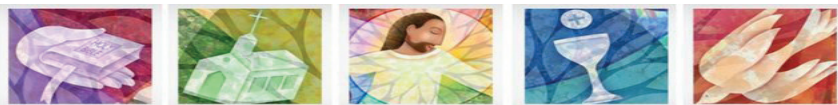
THANK YOU!!!!



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/>



Faith Formation



Today, we celebrate the solemnity of Corpus Christi, the Most Sacred Body of Christ. Traditionally celebrated on the second Thursday after Whit Sunday (actually Pentecost Sunday, but Whit in Britain and Ireland), Corpus Christi is a Catholic holiday that celebrates the presence of the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ through the Eucharist. Recent polls state that up to 70% or 'proclaimed Catholics' do not believe in the true presence in the Eucharist! This holy day has been celebrated since 1246 when Bishop of Liege, Bishop Robert de Torote was persuaded by St. Juliana to initiate a feast because of a vision she had received. Pope Urban VI ordered the whole Church to celebrate the feast in 1261. There is usually a procession led by carrying of the Monstrance containing the Eucharist through towns and neighborhoods. The Pew Research center estimates that just 31% of 'proclaimed' Catholics believe in transubstantiation where the substances of bread and wine are 'transubstantiated' into the Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity of Jesus Christ. Most believe that they are just 'symbols' of Christ and many don't know what the Church teaches. Think about one item for a moment... if one TRULY believed that the bread and wine became the Body/Blood/Soul/Divinity of Christ – would you 'show up'? how would you dress? How would you act? How would you speak? What would be different? Would you receive the Eucharist if you were not 'worthy' (i.e. in a state of mortal sin)? Confessions at St. Ignatius are every Saturday afternoon at 4 PM; lines are usually VERY short! Come visit Jesus.

St. Thomas Aquinas, pray for us.

"Christ's blood reveals to man that his greatness, and therefore his vocation, consists in the sincere gift of self. ...It is from the blood of Christ that all draw the strength to commit themselves to promoting life. It is precisely this blood that is the most powerful source of hope, indeed it is the foundation of the absolute certitude that in God's plan life will be victorious." Today we celebrate the body of Christ... Corpus Christi... and as such we need to remember that we are ALL created in the image and likeness of God so, as the Blood of Christ was shed as a necessary but egregious crime of all humanity, we must stop shedding the blood of innocent children in the womb in abortion as we violate Christ and His plan for salvation over and over and over again. As Jesus stated on the Cross "Father forgive them for they know not what they do"! We need to stop the holocaust!

Intercessory Prayer: May the worthy reception of Jesus in the Eucharist strengthen our commitment to protect the gift of human life from conception to natural death; let us pray to the Lord:

Rose of Life Prayer: For all babies lost to abortion.



Fr. James J. McCaffety Council #11013 meets regularly the fourth Thursday of every month at 7:30 PM in the Wise Meeting room in the Antioch Center. We begin with the rosary at 7 PM. We are looking for new members always. We have many activities and charities, fun gatherings and fellowship and events along with prayer and study. If interested in joining us contact Tom Kearney at thomasfkearney@verizon.net.

ST. IGNATIUS CYO FALL 2025 SOCCER



PEEWEE (CO-ED): PREK/KINDERGARTEN
(CO-ED): 1ST/2ND GRADE
NOVICE (BOYS, GIRLS): 3RD/4TH GRADE
JUNIOR VARSITY (BOYS, GIRLS): 5TH/6TH GRADE
VARSITY (BOYS, GIRLS): 7TH/8TH GRADE

Registration open to active registered St. Ignatius parishioners/students.

**REGISTER BY
TUESDAY
JULY 15, 2025!**



Visit St. Ignatius CYO
website for details:

<https://stignatiuscyo.sportngin.com/>



Contact Bryant Hosler for more information.
Email bryant.hosler@gmail.com or text 717-341-3055.

St. Ignatius CYO Flag Football

Get ready to hit the field! We are thrilled to introduce the inaugural Flag Football season at St. Ignatius providing an exciting opportunity for young athletes to showcase their skills, build teamwork, and compete in a fun and fast-paced environment.

Boys League (Fall Season) Kicking off in the autumn, the boys' league will feature four competitive divisions:

- ★ Varsity – 7th and 8th graders
- ★ Junior Varsity (JV) – 5th and 6th graders
- ★ Novice – 3rd and 4th graders
- ★ Pee-Wee – Pre-K 3 through 2nd grade

Girls League (Spring Season) Launching in the spring, the girls' league will bring the same exciting format:

- ★ Varsity – 7th and 8th graders
- ★ Junior Varsity (JV) – 5th and 6th graders
- ★ Novice – 3rd and 4th graders
- ★ Pee-Wee – Pre-K 3 through 2nd grade

Please email thomasjhynes@yahoo.com if your child has any interest. Registration will be open by the end of June.



Adoration

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.

The Adoration Chapel is open:

Monday, 10 AM until Wednesday 9 PM, Thursday 9am until 12 midnight, Friday 10 AM until 8 PM, Saturday, 10 AM until 4 PM.

We are in need of adorers for the following times:

Tuesday. 2pm

Wednesday. 12 noon, 4pm, 6pm

Thursday. 7am

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

Thank you Adorer's for your faithfulness!



PARISH / YOUNG ADULT EVENT

There will be Vespers (Evening prayer) with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament on Sunday, June 29th at 6pm celebrating the Solemnity of Sts. Peter and Paul. The intention of the celebration is to pray for Pope Leo as he begins his Petrine Ministry! All are invited! Additionally, after Vespers, there will be a **young adult (18-30) reception** downstairs in the Church Auditorium with dinner and dessert. \$15 suggested donation. Please email JD McEwing to RSVP and with questions: joedom2003@gmail.com



Please join the group for our next luncheon on Wednesday, June 25 at 12 Noon. We will be meeting at Firebirds Wood Fired Grill located in the Wegmans shopping center (Across the road from Shady Brook Farm.) The food is excellent and it is a fun place to gather. If interested, please RSVP to maryrosemoskowitz@gmail.com



Our Outdoor Columbarium Niches located in the memorial circle in the center of our cemetery are now available for sale.

Granite Front Double Niche: A space within a columbarium designed for the entombment of two cremated remains. Double granite front niches are intended to be used by two cremated remains of two persons behind a marble shutter. Maximum usable space of 11.5 inches by 11.5 inches by 13.5 inches. The urn will not be visible.

A standard plaque can be purchased for \$425 at the time of sale of the niche, or at market price at the time of interment of Cremated Remains.

Pricing of Outdoor Columbarium Niches and Services: \$3,200

The purchase of an Outdoor Columbarium Niche includes the following:

Burial rights in the niche

Perpetual care

Opening and closing costs:

To be paid upon interment of Cremated Remains

Monday – Friday: \$550

Saturday: \$700



ST. IGNATIUS CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP

All are invited - as we sing God's praises and share in His Word and His Love in a community of faith. We meet *every Thursday from 7:00-8:30PM in the Antioch Center Room 2F. For more information, please contact our spiritual prayer group director: Deacon Bob Skawinski at rjcs1219@verizon.net.

*For the summer we will be meeting on the following dates instead of every Thursday.

Following is our schedule for the summer.

June 12, June 26

July 10, July 24

August 7, August 21

We will update the schedule in September.

Friday "Knight Cruise" For A Cause



Cool Cars
Trophies
DJ Music
Food Trucks
Playground

Car Show - Friday, July 18, 2025 - 6pm to 9pm
St. Ignatius Church, 999 Reading Ave, Yardley, PA 19067
Show Car Parking Starts 5:15pm
(Rain Date - July 25)

Peoples Choice - Vote By Donation
All Net Proceeds Benefit:
Mary's Cupboard Food Pantry
&
The Veterans Multi-Service Center

Our Sponsors:



Music by DJ Rockin Roger



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Advance Registration:
<https://give.cornerstone.cc/yardleyknights+friday2025>
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Scan To Register Car



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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.

We are still accepting applications for the 2025-2026 school year!

- *Before & After School CARES*
- *Additional classes including Gym, Art, Music, Library, Spanish and STEM*

Please email Mrs. Crozier for additional information at hcrozier@sischool.org

