



St. Ignatius of Antioch Church

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The Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

June 14, 2026

The harvest is abundant but
the laborers are few.

Matthew 9:37



Reading I: Exodus 19: 2-6a

Israel assembles at Sinai to meet its God and witness His power, The covenant He proposes is a conditional one. To experience its benefits, Israel must adhere to its terms.

Reading II: Romans 5: 6 -11

The dying of Christ shows the depths of God's unconditional love for the world. This is remarkable when one considers how the "ungodly" world does not deserve His love.

The Gospel: Matthew 9: 36 – 10:8

Jesus chooses the Twelve. They are ordinary men but with enormous potential. Like them, we are called by our Baptism to go forth and witness to the reign of God, and that "the kingdom of heaven is at hand."



SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Saturday: 5:15PM Vigil Mass

Sunday: 7:30AM, 9:30AM, and 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 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 13, 2026
5:15PM Dennis and Joan Miller
(The Miller Family)

Sunday June 14, 2026
7:30AM Parishioners of St. Ignatius
9:30AM John H. Flahive (Mariann Flahive)
11:30AM John - Warrio Jimenez
(The Young Family)

Monday June 15, 2026
9:00AM Patricia Ann Trigg (Robert H. Trigg)

Tuesday June 16, 2026
9:00AM Mary, Frank, and Roseleen
McTague (Maureen McTague)

Wednesday June 17, 2026
9:00AM Dorothy and Frank Young
(The Young Family)

Thursday June 18, 2026
9:00AM Romuald and Kazimiera Dobosz
(Elizabeth and Tim Patton)

Friday June 19, 2026
9:00AM Lauren Nicole Young
(The Young Family)

Saturday June 20, 2026
5:15PM Ann Rodgers
(Debbie and Joe Linde)

Sunday June 21, 2026
7:30AM Eleanor Edinger
(Nick and Frances Tarallo)
9:30AM Parishioners of St. Ignatius
11:30AM Frances Petruzelli
(Alice Mizerek and Karen Kearns)



Church Sanctuary Candle

The church sanctuary candle burns this week to the glory of Almighty God, and for Ann and Bob Edwards requested by Carol Foley.



Sunday Ex 19:2-6a Ps 100:1-2, 3, 5 Rom 5:6-11 Mt 9:36—10:8

Monday 1 Kgs 21:1-16 Ps 5:2-3ab, 4b-6a, 6b-7 Mt 5:38-42

Tuesday 1 Kgs 21:17-29 Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 11 and 16 Mt 5:43-48

Wednesday 2 Kgs 2:1, 6-14 Ps 31:20, 21, 24 Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday Sir 48:1-14 Ps 97:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7 Mt 6:7-15

Friday 2 Kgs 11:1-4, 9-18, 20 Ps 132:11, 12, 13-14, 17-18 Mt 6:19-23

Saturday 2 Chr 24:17-25 Ps 89:4-5, 29-30, 31-32, 33-34 Mt 6:24-34

Sunday Jer 20:10-13 Ps 69:8-10, 14, 17, 33-35 Rom 5:12-15 Mt 10:26-33

Fiscal Corner

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Weekly Collection

Counting our Blessings	6/8/25	Env	6/7/26	Env
Sunday Offering	\$10,332.00	208	\$11,016.00	219
Online Parish Giving	\$11,716.99	245	\$15,613.47	273
Total Weekly Contribution	\$22,048.99	453	\$26,629.47	492

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WELCOME

We are glad you are here

Whether it's your first time here or you have been coming to Mass for years, we welcome you to join our parish! Please scan the QR code or contact the rectory to register. We will mail you a welcome packet once your registration is processed.

We welcome the Pondolph and Andalia families who have recently registered in our faith community.



BAPTISM



The Sacrament of Baptism is normally administered on most 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.



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.



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.

We congratulate the following couple who recently married:

Buddy King and Molly Parkes



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, Joseph Bednarski, Valerie Bednarski, Ruthann Carroll, Brynn Clare Connor, Kathleen Cook, Gloria Coyne, JoAnne Cumming, Shellie D., Michael Ennis, Mariann Flahive, Jim Gannon, Frank Greco, Marykay Greco, Grace Griffin, Jonathan Grubb, Lou Gunkel, Ruth Gunkel, Marie Hofelder, Julia Horvath, Michaeline Hynoski, Judith Kearney, Jack Kerper, Olivia Kraemer, Amy Layden, Don Lippolis, Tina Lippolis, Michelle Mahle, Steven Marcinkowski, Jean M. Maxian, Kevin McBeth, Kevin McBeth Jr., Kevin McCarthy, Toni McConnell, Janet Miller, Walter Miller, Susan Mockenhaupt, Anna Monastera, Michele Mulholland, Michael Murphy, Sharon Murphy, John Murray, Debbie Neal, Kathy Norris, Nancy Paravecchia, Steven Pellegrino, Margaret R., Joe Robinson, Eamon Rodriguez, Christine Rogers, Dr. Gabe Rosales, Jean Rosales Mary Claire Rossi, Carole Sciorillo Peter Sidoti, Theresa Sortino, Elsie Stolic, Darwin Stout, Kyle Stout, AJ Tantala, Frances Tarallo, Nick Tarallo, Gideon Thomas, Dwayne Vuolo, Mark Waldinger, Lora Warner, Brendan Weisinger, Patricia Yorkus, Vincent Yorkus, and all the residents of Sunrise, Artis, and Floral Creek.



“The harvest is abundant but the laborers are few.” (Matthew 9:37)
Jesus calls laborers to work in His abundant vineyard. Priests and religious men and women are called to serve God’s people with dedication and joy. As members of the Church, we are invited to pray for an increase in holy vocations so that more may answer this call. Could God be calling you to serve as a priest or in consecrated life? Talk to Fr. Brownholtz or reach out to the Vocation Office at 610-667-5778 or vocationdirector@archphila.org

God our Father, Thank you for calling JD McEwing, Juan Builes, 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>



Fr. James J. McCaffety Council #11013 - Our council 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. We need committee members for golf, car show, picnic, and other events. Membership is open to all Catholic men over 18 in the parish. Join us today for coffee/donuts after all masses. Congratulations to all our 8th grade graduates from St. Ignatius parish school.



CAMPAIGN UPDATE

Psalm 100:5 "For the Lord is good; His kindness endures forever, and His faithfulness to all generations."

Church Roof Replacement Project

Our Capital Campaign has been very successful with approximately \$5 million pledged so far! We are very grateful for the generosity of so many of our parishioners. If you have not had a chance to make a pledge or donation, there are pledge cards at the entrance to the church.

With the great success of the Capital Campaign, it is time to begin to turn our focus to the three prioritized projects; replacement of the church roof, school windows, and church heating and air-conditioning system.

A Building Advisory Committee of volunteer parishioners with experience in construction, management, and business have been meeting since December to plan these projects.

Our first project is the church roof replacement.

An independent consultant inspected the roof in 2025 and determined the need for replacement.

The committee identified the urgency in addressing the roof renovation. The committee developed a Scope of Work and RFP (Request for Proposal), interviewed architectural and engineering firms, and awarded a contract to Perez and Radosti Associates, PC.

The Archdiocese has issued a project number that enables us to start the bid process. The start of the roof replacement will be determined by material and contractor availability with the hopes of starting construction this Summer.

The roof replacement is a complicated project requiring on-site equipment and many construction personnel. We ask everyone to have patience and understanding during the inconveniences of construction (noise, dust/dirt, access alternatives, disruption of the grass areas around the church, etc).

The Committee will work closely with the project manager and roofing contractor to minimize disruptions to Mass and ensure the safety of all parishioners during this project.

Furthermore, as Capital Campaign pledges are fulfilled and additional cash is available, plans for the other two projects will be finalized.

The Committee will continue to provide regular updates during this process.



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Faith Formation

In the Eucharist we “see” Jesus in all His glory every Mass. His resurrected Body, similar to the one we receive, is shining in all of its Heavenly glow. His Resurrection marked the end of Jesus’ earthly life, but NOT the end of His presence among us as He left us His Body/Blood/Soul/ and Divinity in the Eucharist. You may visit that very Sacrament in its real presence in our Adoration Chapel as well as in the reception of the Eucharist at the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. We have many hours open in our Adoration Chapel and with a parish of about 2500 families, or about 9000+ persons, we should easily be able to fill the 168 hours per week. We are trying to get back to 24/7 for our chapel. We are blessed in having our chapel open with the Eucharist as much as we have. Many miracles and Divine interventions were observed in our parish over the first 20 yrs. of our continuous presence. COVID temporarily interrupted our adoration.... Please consider an hour. This year, we celebrate 30 yrs. of adoration. Perhaps share one with a friend or friends? Perhaps consider being a sub? Consider getting a small group of family/friends to share an hour... could be only once a month! Jesus is calling, will you answer?

St Thomas Aquinas, pray for us.

ST. IGNATIUS CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP

The Charismatic Prayer Group will not meet during the months of June, July and August. The prayer group meetings will resume on September 12, 2026.

For more information, please contact our spiritual prayer group director: Deacon Bob Skawinski at rjcs1219@verizon.net.



“The Gospel of Life is at the heart of Jesus’ saving message to the world. Through the Incarnation of Christ, God reveals to us the dignity of all human life.”

With these teachings, we are led and informed as to why killing is not acceptable- because we are ‘killing’ an image and likeness of God! Whether the life be from conception within the womb or at the end of life in a nursing home or hospice we are called to see Christ in each and every person regardless of condition, illness, function or other infirmity.

When we were created in the Garden, we were gifted with preternatural gifts; never getting sick, never dying, never aging, never having to work! Immortality! Sounds like Paradise, doesn’t it?? It WAS!!! We lost those gifts with original sin which is why we have to suffer illness, pandemics, earthquakes, accidents and death in this world... inside time. Jesus came to restore these gifts and provided the opportunity to restore them to us and all we have to do is know Him, love Him and serve Him in this world so we can be happy with Him ...forever! With all of those gifts restored once we are there! His Incarnation elevated our humanity; His crucifixion, death and resurrection restored our life. Back to Paradise. Amen??? Thanks be to God that we now have the gifts of the Eucharist, the Mass, and the Sacraments. Thanks to our Lady for her intercession.

Our Lady of Guadalupe, pray for us.

Intercessory Prayer: May society come to a deeper understanding and respect for the human person, who is created by the Father, redeemed by the Son, and made holy by the grace of the Holy Spirit; we pray to the Lord.

Rose of Life Intention: For all life, from conception to natural death.

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A LIFETIME OF GRACE.

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WANT TO GROW

Catholics who want to deepen their faith and learn more about the Church.

You
ARE WELCOME!

Join us beginning

September 16, 2026

at 7:00 PM

Antioch Center

(door next to the chapel)

INTERESTED?

Let's talk!

📞 215-493-3377

✉ ocia@siparish.org



✝ **CHRIST LEADS.**
HOPE AWAITS.

JOIN US AFTER MASS

FOR

Doughnuts and Fellowship

SUNDAY, JUNE 14TH

AFTER THE 7:30AM, 9:30AM*,

and 11:30AM MASSES

Get to know your fellow parishioners!

Find out how you can be more involved in our ministries!

Enjoy delicious doughnuts, fruit, and refreshments!

*We will be celebrating Father Kennedy's 60th Anniversary of Ordination at the social following the 9:30AM Mass!

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

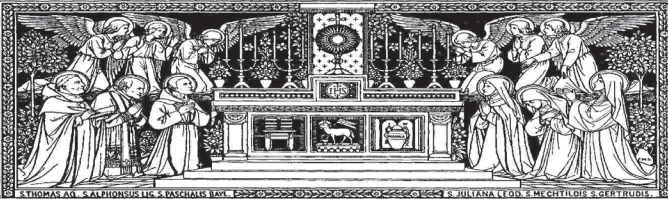
As you strive to deepen your relationship with Jesus, consider making time to be present to Him, the One who loves you the most.

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 3am and 9am.

Please call Marianne (267-346-0152) or Rosemary (267-799-3951) for chapel information. Thank you Adorer's for your faithfulness!



**June 14th, 11th Sunday
Per Tempus Annum**

The Liturgy and Prayer

The Liturgy in itself is prayer: “The liturgy is also a participation in Christ’s own prayer addressed to the Father in the Holy Spirit. In the liturgy, all Christian prayer finds its source and goal” (CCC 1073). We know that the Risen Christ is glorified at the right hand of the Father for all eternity and this relationship is made present through the Holy Spirit every time we celebrate the Sacred Liturgy. The Church gives us various liturgical actions to communicate this eternal relationship. Two examples: First, we begin and end the Mass with the Sign of the Cross thus showing our participation in the Paschal Mystery through His Cross. Also, the Collect prayers, after the Gloria on Sundays, gathers or “collects” our prayers and brings them to the Father through Christ, in the person of the priest celebrant.



The PREP office is still accepting online registrations for the 2026/27 PREP school year. We will once again be offering a Sunday Weekly Session, a Monday Weekly Session, and a Summer PLUS session. The Summer PLUS session will be held during the week of July 20-24 from 9-noon PLUS one Sunday a month. Please note that religious education is required starting in first grade. In addition, we do offer a wonderful kindergarten program at a reduced rate.



Our Outdoor Columbarium Niches located in the memorial circle in the center of our cemetery are 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



SUMMER VOLLEYBALL

IMPROVE YOUR SKILLS AND HAVE FUN IN SUMMER

EVERY SUNDAY FROM JUNE 14 TO AUGUST 16

Inviting All Young Adults

Location: St. Ignatius School Gym

Time 7:00-10:00 PM

FIRE & FAITH SUMMER YOUTH MINISTRY

SUMMER 2026

- JUNE 25** Early World 5:00-6:30 PM - St. Ignatius
- JULY 02** The Patriarchs 5:00-6:30 PM - St. Ignatius
- JULY 09** Egypt and the Exodus 5:00-6:30 PM - St. Ignatius
- JULY 16** Royal Kingdom 5:00-6:30 PM - St. Ignatius
- JULY 30** Exile 5:00-6:30 PM - St. Ignatius
- AUG 06** Messianic Fulfillment 5:00-6:30 PM - St. Ignatius
- AUG 13** The Church 5:00-6:30 PM - St. Ignatius

Summer youth ministry is a Bible study around a fire!

Open to all youth entering 7th through exiting 12th grade.

Email Maria for more information flame.ym19067@gmail.com

Join Us!

PHILLIES GAME

ST. IGNATIUS & ST. JOHN TOGETHER AT THE BALLPARK!

TUESDAY AUGUST 4

SECTION 422 \$40 PER TICKET

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TICKETS ARE LIMITED! RESERVE YOUR SPOT TODAY.

ALL AGES WELCOME! BRING YOUR FAMILY & FRIENDS.

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SUMMER CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Flame youth ministry

Maria Shadle
Director of Youth Ministry
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- June 12** Arise! Youth Adoration at Our Lady of Czestochowa **
- June 18** Ice cream sundae party & open gym St. John the Evangelist 5-6:30
- July 3** First annual Splashball game St. Ignatius field 1:00 pm
- July 3-5** National Eucharistic Pilgrimage and Procession in Philadelphia! **
- August 4** St. Ignatius and St. John the Evangelist Night at the Phillies!

All events are for students 7th - 12th grade

For more information, check out our Facebook page and website.