

# The Roman Catholic Church of Saint Ignatius of Antioch

*"I am the wheat of God. I must become the pure bread of Christ." St. Ignatius of Antioch*

**January 20, 2019 Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**



Msgr. Joseph A. Pellegrino, Pastor  
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## Mass Schedule:

Saturday.....4:00 and 6:30 p.m.  
(Fulfills Sunday Obligation)  
Sunday.....7:30, 9:00, 11:30 a.m. and  
6:00 p.m. Life Teen  
Weekdays.....7:30 a.m. and 9:00 a.m.  
Saturday.....9:00 a.m.

## Schedule of Confessions:

Saturday.....3:00– 3:45 p.m.  
and after the 6:30 p.m. Mass

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## Miraculous Medal Devotion:

Before 9 a.m. Mass each Wednesday

## Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:

Thursdays after 9 a.m. Mass until 10:15 a.m.

First Friday of the Month 9:30 a.m. until 9 p.m.

Baptism: Please call the Parish Office

Marriage: Please call the Parish Office  
at least 6 months in advance.

Holy Orders: Please call

Rev. Carl Melchior at 345-3338

## *Cana Revisited*

Today's Gospel presents one of the best known miracles in Jesus' ministry, the changing of water into wine at Cana. The presence of the Lord at this marriage feast has resulted in our associating Cana with Catholic marriage. This is OK, but actually, the miracle is less about the sacrament of marriage than it is about the sacrament of the Eucharist.

Let's take a closer look at this "first sign" to use the words of the Evangelist, John.

The account begins with a somewhat disturbing dialogue between Jesus and Mary. She tells Him that they have run out of wine, and He says, "Women, what does this concern of yours have to do with Me? It is not yet My hour." A lot is lost in the translation, to say the least. When Jesus calls His mother *woman*, He is not being sharp, like some kid calling his mother, *lady*. Instead, He is calling His mother the name given to the first of her gender, Eve. Mary is the new Eve. By asking Jesus to do something, she, like Eve, is going to put into motion an event that will transform the world. Eve put a negative event into motion. Her actions ultimately resulted in the Fall. Mary's actions are going to result in salvation. That's why Jesus brings up the concept of the hour. He is not telling time here. He is saying that the hour of His passion, death and resurrection have not yet come. The hour of salvation has not yet arrived. But Jesus acquiesces to His Mom's demands and by doing this He becomes a public figure destined for the Cross.

Mary tells the steward to do what Jesus tells him. This is the proper response to the presence of Jesus: "Trust in His word." Six water jars were used for purification. The number is important here, also. Six is one less than seven, the days of creation. Six therefore always refers to a lack of perfection. Mankind's lack of perfection is going to be transformed by the presence of the Savior.

The water that had been in the jars was used for purification. Jesus is going to transform it into something that will be used for a greater purification, not just wine, but His blood. You see, this passage is not just about wine, it is about the wine that will be transformed into the Blood of Christ. The passage is about mankind sharing in the death of the Lord through the Eucharist. The first sign, Cana, points to the Final Sign in the *Gospel of John*, the crucifixion, when Jesus is raised up on the Cross.

Biblical study like this can be enjoyable, but, like the chief priests and scribes of the Gospel on the Epiphany who knew where the Messiah would be born, but were totally oblivious to the implication this would have to their spiritual lives, scripture study is useless if we do not allow it to affect our hearts. What is this passage saying to us?

First of all, the passage points to the extraordinary transformation of the world begun at Cana. The transformation took place because people trusted in the Word of the Lord. The means for purification from the evil of the world would be transformed from symbolic washing to sharing in the Blood of Christ.

When we receive communion we are participating in this transformation of the world. When we receive communion we are united to the One who died on the Cross for

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us. We receive communion every week. We have to be careful that we never receive communion routinely. We need to remind ourselves that every reception of the Eucharist is a union with the crucified Savior whose blood has defeated the power of evil, not just in the world, but also in our lives. All of us, myself included, need to reflect more on what we are doing when we come up to communion. We can not allow this extraordinary event to become ordinary.

Mary has an instruction for us in this gospel passage. She tells the wine steward and she tells us to trust in Jesus' word. Consider this simple directive. Jesus has told us that we will never be alone. In the *Gospel of Matthew* He says that He will be with us always. Jesus has told us that God cares for each of us. In both *Matthew* and *Luke* we hear, "Are sparrows sold for two pennies? Yet not one of them is forgotten in God's sight. But even the hairs of your head are all counted. Do not be afraid; you are of more value than many sparrows." There are times that we feel alone. Henri Nouwen wrote that this was part of the human condition. That is the feeling, but the reality is that we are never alone. We have to trust in the Word of the Lord. God knows. God cares. God is with us. We have to trust in His Word.

Finally, the passage leads us to a consideration of the New World of Jesus Christ. This is a world where the ordinary becomes extraordinary. It is a world where simple people become great spiritual leaders. It is a world where the least important in society is raised up with the Dignity of God to the most important in the Kingdom. We have to take care that we don't get so bogged down with the sham events of our spiritually deprived and materialistically deprived world that we miss the really important events taking place all around us. Children are proclaiming the presence of God. Adults are reaching out to His presence in others. We are being enriched by His love in our families. For the Christian, the extraordinary is ordinary. It is quite normal for the water of the world to become the wine of Christ. The reading is telling us that we live in miraculous times. Jesus is transforming our world through the blood of His cross.

Yours in Christ,



### *Diocese of St. Petersburg's 2019 Wedding Jubilee Mass*

**The Wedding Jubilee Mass of Thanksgiving  
with Bishop Gregory Parkes will take place at the  
Cathedral of St. Jude the Apostle on  
Sunday, February 10th at 3 p.m.**

This event honors couples throughout the diocese who will celebrate 25, 50 or more years of marriage during the 2019 calendar year.

**If you wish to attend, please RSVP to the parish office  
by Wednesday January 23rd.**



Please Note: Our Monthly Community Life Food Drive will be held one weekend later than usual on January 26th & 27th

## Breakfast in the Hall

Knights of Columbus will be serving Breakfast

**January 20th**  
from 8 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

Come enjoy a Full or Lite Breakfast from Pancakes & Eggs to Donuts & coffee.

Biscuits & Gravy too!!!

Proceeds will go towards the Parish.



## Faith Formation this Week



This Sunday:

10:00 a.m.

All Faith Formation classes meet.

10:00 a.m.

Faith Centers in hall

Tuesday & Wednesday:

6:30 p.m. 6th, 7th & 8th Grade classes meet.

## Life Teen

Following Sunday's Life Teen Mass, all high school teens are invited to come to the **HALL** for food, fun, exciting presentations and experiences.



Please Note:  
Early Childhood Center & Parish Office will be closed Monday, January 21st and will resume regular hours on Tuesday, January 22nd.

## Brothers in Christ

All men of the parish are invited on **Wednesdays at 6 a.m. in the hall.**

For more info contact Geoff at 813-728-2082.



## Patriotic Rosary



Join in praying the Patriotic Rosary on Wednesday mornings following the 9 a.m. Mass.

## Choir Rehearsals



Children's Choir- Wednesdays at 5 p.m.  
Adult Choir- Thursdays at 7 p.m.

## Deacon Sam's Class

Come learn 'The Bible Time Line'

Class meets every Thursday for 12 weeks

at either 10:30 a.m. or at 6:30 p.m.



## Edge Youth Ministry



All Middle School Youth are Invited!

This Thursday we meet in the Hall from 6 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

## Fr. Kevin's Class

The Study of Religion.

Classes meet Thursdays at 7 p.m. in rooms 2 & 3 of the Life Center.



## Scouts



Boy, Cub & Girl Scouts meet every Friday evening in the classrooms of the Life Center.



7th Annual

# Men's Only Morning



PAUL ARNOLD, MD, FACS  
Board Certified Urologist  
Former Chief of Staff, FHN

**Saturday, January 26, 2019**

**Screenings: 8:30 AM**

**Lecture: 10:30 AM**

**Lunch: 11:30 AM**

St. Ignatius of Antioch Catholic Church  
Parish Hall, 715 East Orange Street, Tarpon Springs

## Free Event!

 (727) 943-3600

 [FHNPEvents.com](http://FHNPEvents.com)

Reservation Required. Space is Limited.  
Open to Men of All Ages.

## Men's Health - Live Longer and Happier!

Join us for our 7th Annual Men's Only Morning, where you will enjoy a continental breakfast, free health screenings, a lecture by Dr. Paul Arnold, a light lunch and raffle. Dr. Arnold will discuss low testosterone and a new prostate cancer treatment, High Intensity Focused Ultrasound (HIFU). HIFU is a non-invasive treatment that uses sound waves to heat and destroy tissue in the prostate, including cancerous tissue. It is a one-time, outpatient procedure.

Free health screenings include: PSA's, prostate, blood pressure, balance, DMX – digital motion x-ray, BMI, foot and ankle, hearing, skin, and shoulder and hand. Fasting is preferred for the lipid profile, which includes cholesterol, tri-glycerides (HDL, LDL) and glucose. The blood mobile will also be available to donate blood.

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## Teaching Mass

**Friday, January 25th at 6 p.m. in the Church.**

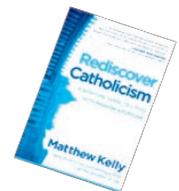
Come listen as Fr. Kyle breaks down the various aspects of the Mass and explains each part of why we do what we do as faithful Catholics when we celebrate Mass. Please join our Life Teen and RCIA catechists in an interactive evening and learn about the liturgy Christ gifted us.



**This week's  
Altar Flowers  
were donated in memory  
of NINA ADASIEWICZ  
by Willie & Chloe Pokracki.**

## Rediscover Catholicism

St. Ignatius Parish is offering a Book Club style discussion Group in February on the gift that we were given at the Christmas Masses, **Rediscover Catholicism.**



Share your thoughts of the book with others on four Wednesday mornings at 10 a.m. - 12 noon in rooms 2 & 3 of the Life Center

Feb. 6th, Part 1, Chapters 1-5  
Feb. 20th, Part 3, Chapters 12-18  
Feb. 13th, Part 2, Chapters 6-11  
Feb. 27th, Part 4, Chapters 19-21

If you need a copy of the book to attend please call Terri at 727-773-5004.

## Rosary Makers

Rosary Makers meet every Monday morning from 9:30 a.m. - noon in the hall.

All are Welcome to join in.

Rosary Makers will resume Monday, January 28th.



## Sr. Lila's Class



Sr. Lila presents Bishop Barron's enlightening study of the seven capital sins and contrasts them to the seven lively virtues.

Learn how to counteract those sinful patterns through a conscious focus on a specific virtue for each sin. Class are held Mondays, from 10 to 11:30 a.m. in rooms 2 & 3.

Sr. Lila's class will resume Monday, January 28th.

## Rite of Initiation

If you're interested in becoming Catholic, you are invited to our Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults. We meet Monday evenings at 7 p.m. in the Office of Evangelization in the Life Center or contact Joshua at 727-937-4050 ext. 224 or [jstrobe@ignatius.net](mailto:jstrobe@ignatius.net)

RCIA will resume Monday, January 28th.



The New Pavers have been placed! If you ordered the \$12 mini-paver, please pick it up at the Parish Office between 9 am-4 pm weekdays.



## IS CHRIST REALLY PRESENT IN TODAY'S WORLD?



Pope John Paul II wrote in his Letter, *Church of the Eucharist*, "Jesus instituted the Holy Eucharist on the night He was betrayed, the night before His cruel Suffering and Death. He did so in order that the fruits of His Passion and Death on the Cross the next day would constantly be offered in the Church, to all peoples of every time and place. The Holy Eucharist is indeed the inestimable gift of Christ to us for which the only fitting response is Adoration to the One who said, I Am the Resurrection and the Life, anyone to believes in me, even though he dies, will live." Christ is really present to us in many ways, but in the Eucharist He is the Eucharist as the God Man who is wholly and entirely present. From our Baptism, we literally became the adopted sons and daughters related to each other by the Blood of Christ, so that we are indeed the Body of Christ. When we receive Him in Holy Communion He comes to nourish our bodies, our soul and spirit in this very divine and human intercourse of God's Grace, the power to Love as Jesus loves.

So important is the worship of the Blessed Sacrament that St. John Paul II reminded Bishops and Priests of their responsibility "to encourage, also by their personal witness, the practice of Eucharistic Adoration and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, as well as prayer of Adoration under the Eucharistic species." It is the only place where we can, in Faith, have a conversation with the humanity and divinity of Jesus as Lord, Savior, Brother and Friend.

Our same Holy Father quotes Saint Alphonsus Liguori: "Of all the devotions, that of adoring Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament is the greatest after the sacraments, the one dearest to God and the one most helpful to us." It is the Holy Eucharist above all which builds up the Church in unity and love to carry out the mission of Christ which is to draw all people to our heavenly Father through the grace of the Holy Spirit. Eucharistic Adoration is a witness that Jesus is my personal Lord and Savior who has called us all to be saints in deed and word on our way to eternal life. Our vocation, lay or ordained, is to be holy temples of the Holy Spirit in whom and through whom Christ lives to reach others.

February 1st is First Friday, we will have Exposition of the Living Eucharist in our Chapel from 9:30 a.m. to closing with Benediction of Our Lord's Blessing at 9 p.m. Please sign the Adoration Commitment Book in front of the Church entrance to witness to Christ's Real Presence.

## Women's Council's Card & Game Luncheon!

February 21st at 12 noon in our hall.

Tickets \$13.

Tables for Bridge or other groups  
can be reserved.

To reserve your seat,  
contact Patti at (727) 938-8510 or  
Jean at (727) 543-5106 by February 18th.

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### Saint of the week:

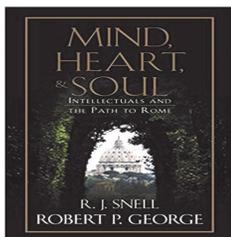
St. Francis de Sales, Bishop  
and Doctor of the Church,  
patron of authors, Catholic  
press, confessors,  
deaf people.



### Book of the week:

"Mind, Heart, & Soul:  
Intellectuals and the Path  
to Rome"

R.J. Snell & Robert P. George



## New Beginnings

The next meeting of our parish bereavement  
support group will be held on  
Saturday, February 2nd, at 10:00  
a.m. in the hall.



Brenda Covini, a grief counselor  
from St. Timothy's in Lutz, will speak on,  
"Coping with Valentine's Day".  
All are welcome.



Lord, grant eternal rest to the souls  
of our dearly departed,  
especially for

**IRENE BUSH**

and for all those we hold in our  
heart who have died,  
may they rest in the arms of God.

## Bethany Gift Shop

Store Hours: Sundays 8:30 a.m. - 11 a.m.

Tuesdays 9:45 - 12 p.m.

Check out our

First Communion, Confirmation & Wedding  
gift selection.

St. Ignatius will send you a donation  
statement for your contributions for  
the year 2018 to the Church if requested.

Please fill out this form and place it in  
the collection basket, drop off at the  
Parish Office or email your request to  
[kcreamer@ignatius.net](mailto:kcreamer@ignatius.net). Thank You.

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Catholic Schools Week begins January 27th.  
Scholastic Book Fair in the Early Childhood Center  
Sunday, January 27th from 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.



## Early Childhood Center



We offer a half day program, 9 a.m. - 12 p.m. daily, with before care and after care extending the day from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. if needed. Our two, three, four, and five year olds develop spiritually, physically, emotionally, and intellectually.

Call the Early Childhood Center to schedule a tour (727) 937-5427.

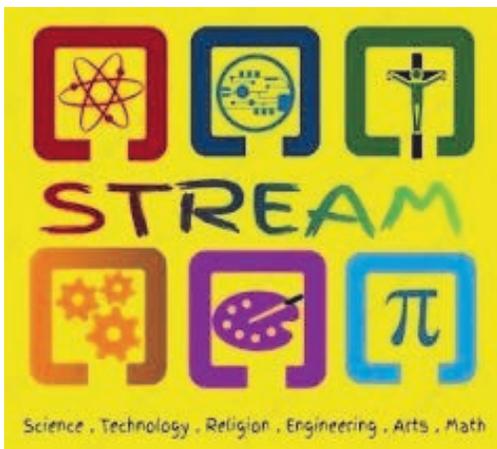


### Mothers Morning Out

Wednesdays & Thursdays in room 8 of the Life Center  
from 9:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

\$10 per visit or 6 for \$50. Ages 1 and walking to 36 months.

## Guardian Angels...



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Schedule a tour to see the school in action  
by calling 727-799-6724.

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**Box Top Labels.** Please place your labels in the  
marked box on the courtesy desk in the Church.  
Thank You!



## Wienhusen Scholarships

**Scholarships for Catholic Education are available for St. Ignatius Families.**

St. Ignatius will once more be offering the Wienhusen Scholarships for children to attend Catholic Grade or High School. These scholarships can give up to \$3,000 per child per year of tuition support for Catholic Grade School and up to \$5,000 for Catholic High School.

**Please note, if your family received a Wienhusen Scholarship for the 2018-2019 year, you still need to apply for a scholarship for the 2019-2020 school year.**

Stop by the parish office for new forms and the procedure directions and guidelines.

**All registrations must be completed and received by FACTS by April 1st to qualify.**

<i><b>DATE</b></i>	<i><b>MASS INTENTIONS</b></i>	<i><b>EVENTS</b></i>
<b>Saturday, January 19</b>	4:00 p.m. + Joseph Zajkowski 6:30 p.m. + Edward D'Ettore	
<b>Sunday, January 20</b> <i>Second Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> <i>Isiah 62:1-5</i> <i>1 Corinthians 12:4-11</i> <i>John 2:1-11</i>	7:30 a.m. + George Campos & Celia Marticorena 9:00 a.m. For the People of Our Parish 11:30 a.m. + Randy Higgins 6:00 p.m. + Jose Lopez	8:00 a.m. Breakfast in the hall 8:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. Bethany Book Store Open 10:00 a.m. Pre K - 5th Grade Class 10:00 a.m. Faith Centers in the hall 7:30 p.m. Life Night after Mass in the hall
<b>Monday, January 21</b> <i>St. Agnes</i> <i>Hebrews 5:1-10</i> <i>Mark 2:18-22</i>	7:30 a.m. For An End to Abortions 9:00 a.m. + Gloria Camp	<b>Parish Office &amp; Early Childhood Center Closed</b>
<b>Tuesday, January 22</b> <i>Day of Prayer for Legal Protection of Unborn Children</i> <i>Hebrews 6:10-20</i> <i>Mark 2:23-28</i>	7:30 a.m. + Nina Kristine Adasiewicz 9:00 a.m. + Donna Dawes 10:30 a.m. + Robert Coulson	9:45 a.m. - 12 p.m. Bethany Book Store Open 6:30 p.m. 6th & 7th Grade Classes 6:30 p.m. 8th Grade –Pre Confirmation Class
<b>Wednesday, January 23</b> <i>St. Vincent &amp; St. Marianne Cope</i> <i>Hebrews 7:1-17</i> <i>Mark 3:1-16</i>	7:30 a.m. For Vocations to the Priesthood & Religious Life 9:00 a.m. + Ronnie Rodriguez	6:00 a.m. Brothers in Christ in hall 9:30 a.m. Patriotic Rosary in Church 9:30 a.m. Moms Morning Out room 8 5:00 p.m. Children's Choir in the Church 6:30 p.m. 6th & 7th Grade Classes 6:30 p.m. 8th Grade –Pre Confirmation Class
<b>Thursday, January 24</b> <i>St. Francis de Sales</i> <i>Hebrews 7:25-8:6</i> <i>Mark 3:7-12</i>	7:30 a.m. + Brian Perry 9:00 a.m. + Spaluch Boleslaw	9:30 a.m. Moms Morning Out room 8 10:30 a.m. Deacon Sam's Class in rooms 2,3 6:00 p.m. Edge in the hall this week! 6:30 p.m. Deacon Sam's Class in room 6 7:00 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal in Church 7:00 p.m. Fr. Kevin's Class in rooms 2, 3
<b>Friday, January 25</b> <i>Conversion of St. Paul</i> <i>Acts 22:3-16</i> <i>Mark 16:15-18</i>	7:30 a.m. + Salvatore Dizzia 9:00 a.m. + Daniel Joseph Hegarty	6:00 p.m. Teaching Mass in the Church 6:00 p.m. Girl Scouts Troop 1142 in room 6 6:30 p.m. Girl Scouts Troop 817 in room 7 7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts in rooms 2-4 7:00 p.m. Cub Scouts in rooms 8-12
<b>Saturday, January 26</b> <i>St. Timothy &amp; Titus</i> <i>2 Tim 1:1-8</i> <i>Mark 23:20-21</i>	9:00 a.m. + Michael Stalowicz	8:30 a.m. Men's Health Screening in hall 9:00 a.m. Polish School in classrooms 7-12
<b>Saturday, January 26</b>	4:00 p.m. + Jim Grieco 6:30 p.m. + Joseph & Rosemary Brosnan	<b>Food Drive this Weekend</b>
<b>Sunday, January 27</b> <i>Third Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> <i>Nehemiah 8:2-10</i> <i>1 Corinthians 12:12-30</i> <i>Luke 1:1-21</i>	7:30 a.m. + Philomena Ann Smith 9:00 a.m. For the Students of Our Parish 11:30 a.m. For the People of Our Parish 6:00 p.m. For the Teens of Our Parish	8:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. Bethany Book Store Open 9:00 a.m. Donuts in the hall 10:00 a.m. Pre K - 5th Grade Class 10:00 a.m. Faith Centers in the hall 4:00 p.m. Confirmation Sessions 7:30 p.m. Life Night after Mass in the hall

If you wish to have a Mass said for special intentions or for deceased family members or friends, please stop by the parish office between 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. weekdays.