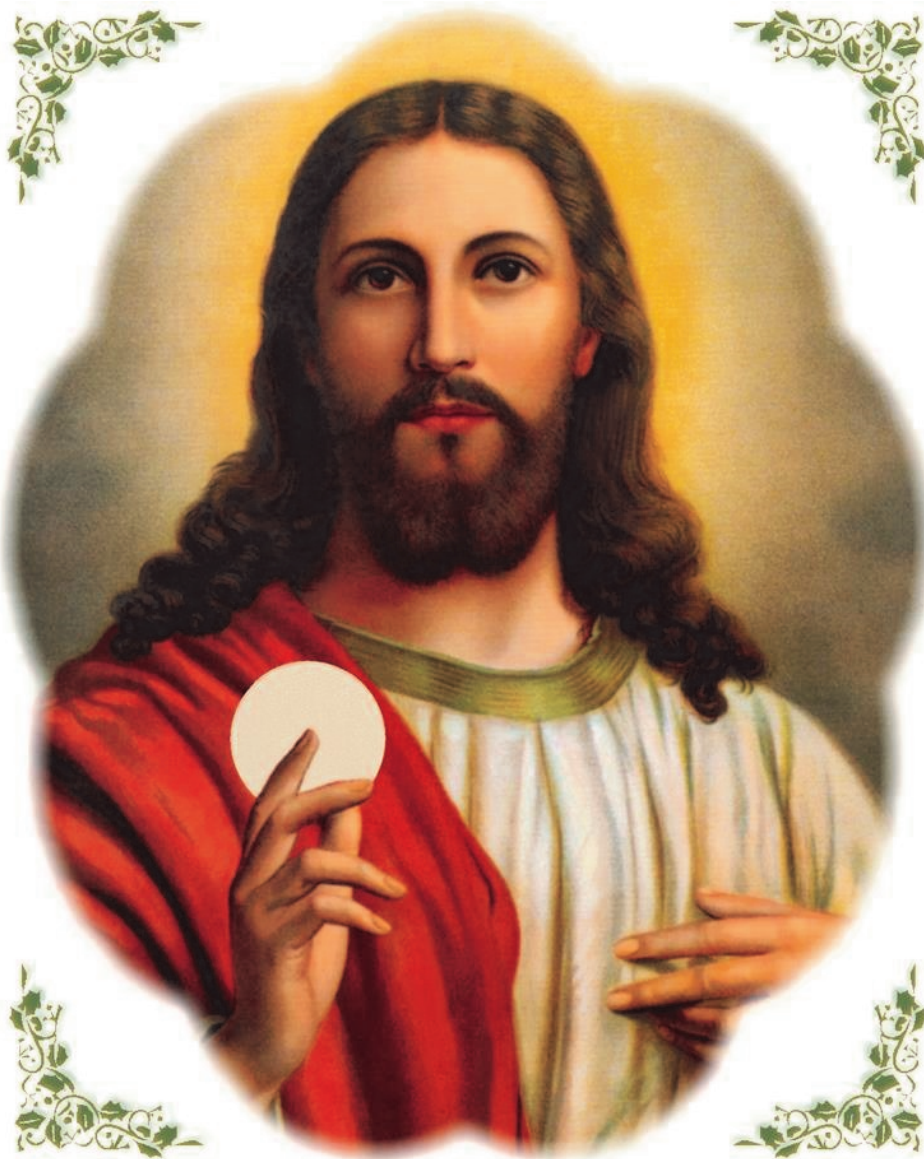


# The Roman Catholic Church of Saint Ignatius of Antioch

July 29, 2018

17th Sunday of Ordinary Time

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



*He is so great that  
He has found a way for each of us  
to join the disciples at the Last Supper,  
or what is really the First Supper,  
the First Supper of the Kingdom.*

Msgr. Joseph A. Pellegrino, Pastor  
715 E Orange Street  
Tarpon Springs, Florida 34689

## 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

## God Provides More Than We Could Ever Imagine

When I looked at the Gospel for this week, the thought that occurred to me was, “Oh no, the multiplication of loaves and fish again? Didn’t we just have this a few months ago?”

Maybe the same thought occurred to you. The thing is there are two multiplications of loaves and fish in *Matthew* and *Mark*, and one in *Luke* and *John*. Since the Church tries to cover all four Gospels in a three year period, we end up having what appears to be the same Gospel passage about twice a year.

Why is this passage repeated so often in the Gospels? Well, because the passage refers to God’s continual gift of the one food we need, the Eucharist. In fact, the same terminology, “He took, He blessed and He broke” is used in the multiplication scenes and in the accounts of the Last Supper when Jesus gave His Body and Blood.

By the time the *Gospel of John* was finalized, in the nineties, the primitive Church had developed a deep understanding of the Eucharist. This understanding is presented in the Sixth chapter of *John*. This long chapter of 71 verses is so important to us that every three years we spend five Sundays concentrating on this Gospel.

Three elements are emphasized in *John’s* account of the multiplication to provide a deeper understanding of the Eucharist. These elements are the time of the multiplication, references to *Psalms* 23, and the gathering of the fragments that are left over.

The *Gospel of John* places the multiplication of the loaves and fish at the time of the Passover. This isn’t just a passing note. The Passover was the sacred meal of the Jews celebrating their freedom from slavery in Egypt and the Lord’s continual protection. Jesus was providing a meal at the Passover time. He would provide another meal during another Passover. The Last Supper was the First Supper of the new People of God, eating the Body and Blood of the Lord. So, from the very start of today’s Gospel, we know that John is speaking about a lot more than loaves and fish.

If a person only knows one psalm, it would be *Psalms* 23. Some of the elements of this psalm are: *The Lord is my shepherd. There is nothing that I want. He leads me to green pastures, to safe waters. He restores my strength. He guides me along the right path for His names sake. Though I walk in the dark valley, I fear no evil. Your rod and Your staff give me courage. You set a table before me, and my enemies watch. You anoint my head with oil, my cup overflows. Only goodness and love follow me all the days of my life and I shall live in the house of the Lord forever.*

In today’s Gospel Jesus sees the needs of the people. He has them recline on the green grass. He restores their strength with His food. This is not just about loaves and fish. Jesus is performing a prophetic action. He provides the banquet *Psalms* 23 spoke of, the Banquet of the Lord. Those who eat this food will continue to eat it in the House of the Lord forever.

The third element that *John* emphasizes in His account of the multiplication is the recovery of the fragments that are left over. When the people of Israel gathered manna in the desert, they were told not to gather more than they needed. Moses told the people that left over manna was not

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to be stored. Jesus, though, tells His disciples to gather up the remains. They were entrusted with twelve baskets of bread to be preserved for the people. One of the mandates the Lord gives His disciples is to care for the food He provides so those who are not present might also eat His food. The Eucharist which is not consumed during the Christian banquet is not to be thrown out. It is the Body of the Lord. It is to be saved for those who were not able to be present at His meal so they also can partake of His food. What we have here is the biblical basis for the preservation of the Eucharist in our tabernacles. The Eucharist is stored so those who cannot attend the feast might still receive the Lord's Body.

These three elements emphasized by *John* in his account of the multiplication, the Passover, the fulfillment of Psalm 23, and the preservation of the fragments, remind us that God has provided a meal that is far greater than we could ever hope for, or even ever imagine. How great is our God? God is so great that He has found a way for all of us to attend the eternal Passover. How great is our God? God is so great that He leads us into His presence and feeds us His meal. How great is our God? He is so great that He has found a way for each of us to join the disciples at the Last Supper, or what is really the First Supper, the First Supper of the Kingdom.

How great is our God? He is so great that He has created six billion people in the world, about fifty billion people since the beginning of time, and over and over again, He has found a way to treat each person as an only child.

When we receive communion, we are present at the Last Supper, the First Supper, and at the Banquet of the Lord. When we receive communion we enter into the intimate union with God that Jesus came to earth to provide for these creatures whom He loves so deeply.

How much our God cares for us! He has found a way to nourish our spiritual lives continually. His very Body and Blood keep us strong. He gives us the strength to proclaim His Kingdom.

We have to catch ourselves at communion time during Mass and ask, "What am I doing?" "Am I just following the crowd?" Hopefully not. "Am I receiving some sort of blessing?" Hopefully, we realize that communion is much more than a blessing. What is it that I am doing when I receive communion? I am receiving the Food that God provides. This is the Food of the First Supper. This is the Food of the Banquet of the Lord. I am receiving, eating Jesus' Body and Blood, so I can be a strong member of the Kingdom of God.

Today we pray that every time we receive communion, we might come to a deeper and deeper understanding of the great gift of Love that is the Eucharist.

Yours in Christ,

*Mayr. Joe*



## Life Teen Night



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

## Edge Events



**Tuesday, July 31st, 6-8:30 p.m.**  
Scripture and a Slice at Sunset Beach.

Permission slip required.  
**Friday, August 3rd, 7 p.m.**  
Edge in the Youth House.

## Summer Music Camp

We will offer one more short music camp this summer. Children going into grades 2-8 are welcome to participate.

The camp has two evening rehearsals and sings at an 11:30 Sunday Mass that week. Cost for camp is \$10.

### August Camp

#### Rehearsals:

Wed., August 8 & Thurs., August 9  
from 5:30 – 7 p.m.

#### Sunday Mass:

August 12 at 11:30 Mass  
with 10:30 a.m. rehearsal



### **St. Ignatius Summer Music Camp 2018**

#### Registration Form

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Child's Age: \_\_\_\_\_  
Grade: \_\_\_\_\_  
School: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: - \_\_\_\_\_  
Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_  
House Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother's Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
Father's Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please mark if you attended our July Music Camp this year.**

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#### **Child's Tee Shirt Size:**

Child Size \_\_\_\_\_  
Adult Size \_\_\_\_\_

If you have more than one child please include the same information on another piece of paper.

Please return this form with a check payable to  
St. Ignatius Catholic Church

for \$10 for each child participating to:  
Anne Harman St. Ignatius Catholic Church  
715 E Orange St Tarpon Springs, FL 34689

## Rosary Makers

Monday mornings  
from 9:30 a.m. - noon in the hall.  
All are Welcome.



## Altar Server Training



Open to all in grades 4 and up,  
who have made their  
First Holy Communion.

Need only *one training session*  
to be eligible to start serving.

Monday, July 30th 6-7 p.m.,

Saturday, August 11th 10-11 a.m.

Contact the Parish Office to RSVP.

## Brothers in Christ

All men of the parish are invited.

Our group meets

Wednesdays at 6 a.m. in the hall.

For more info contact

Geoff at 813-728-2082.



## Comeback Catholics



Been away from  
the Church?

Want to update your  
spiritual journey?

Come join us - You are welcome here!  
We meet in the Life Center Office on  
the first Wednesday of the month  
or make an appointment  
at Comeback @ Ignatius.net

## Scouts

Boy Scouts meet  
Friday, August 3rd at 7 p.m.  
in rooms 2, 3, & 4.



## Eucharistic Adoration



St. Ignatius of Antioch (107 A.D.).

"Consider how contrary in the mind of  
God are the unorthodox in regard to  
the grace of God which has come to us.

They have no regard for charity, none  
for the widow, the orphan, the

oppressed, none for the man in prison, the hungry or thirsty.

They abstain from the Eucharist and from prayer because  
they do not admit that the Eucharist is the Flesh of our  
Savior Jesus Christ, the flesh which suffered for our sins and  
which the Father, in His graciousness, raised from the dead."

**Pope Francis: "Eucharistic Adoration:  
the Secret to knowing the love of Jesus Christ."**

"One cannot know the Lord without being in the habit of  
adoring, of adoring in silence. I believe, if I am not mistaken,  
that this prayer of adoration is the least known among us. It  
is the one in which we engage the least. To waste time—if  
I may say it—before the Lord, before the mystery of Jesus  
Christ. To adore there in silence, in the silence of Adoration.  
He is the Lord and I adore Him. How can we come to know  
'the love of Christ which surpasses all knowledge?' (Ephesians  
3:14-21) Christ is present in the Gospel and we come to know  
Him by reading the Gospel." (Homily 10/2016)

First Friday monthly Adoration is August 3<sup>rd</sup>.

Exposition of the Sacred Host, the Bread of Life,  
will be in the Chapel from 9:30 a.m. until closing  
with Benediction (Blessing of the Lord) at 9 p.m.

Whether you spend 15 minutes, 30 minutes or an  
hour, become a *"Witness to the Real Presence"*  
by signing the Witness Book of Adoration  
to visit Jesus "face to face."

## Bereavement Support

**NEW BEGINNINGS....**

The next meeting of our parish  
bereavement support group  
will be held on

Saturday, August 4th  
at 10 a.m. in the hall.

Jean Limongello from  
Compassionate Friends will  
be our speaker.





## *Children and Youth Faith Formation Sessions and Highlights 2018-2019*

**Sunday 10:00 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.**

Pre K through 5<sup>th</sup> grade – First Holy Communion session.

**Sunday 4:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.** – 9<sup>th</sup> grade Confirmation session for teens entering their second year of formation. (In coordination with Bart Kovacic our Life Teen Youth Minister)

**Tuesday or Wednesday 6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.** - 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> grade Faith Formation classes, 8<sup>th</sup> grade Pre-Confirmation classes.

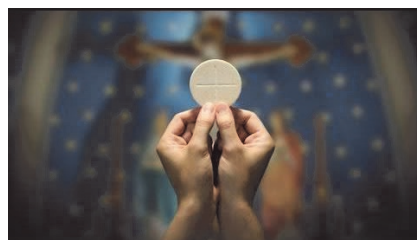
### **Sacramental Preparation for First Holy Communion and Confirmation**

is two consecutive years of faith formation in our parish program or attending a catholic school.

Typically **1<sup>st</sup> grade starts** the preparation process for

First Eucharist and then receiving the sacrament in 2<sup>nd</sup> grade, **8<sup>th</sup> grade starts** the preparation process for Confirmation and then receiving the sacrament in 9<sup>th</sup> grade.

The diocese requires two consecutive years of classes/formation of the Sacraments.



### **Christian Initiation of Children –**

Children ages 8–16 who have **not** been baptized are prepared for the Sacraments of Baptism and First Eucharist. Confirmation will be received in the 9<sup>th</sup> grade. They participate in weekly faith

formation sessions for two consecutive years at their grade level in our parish program.

Children ages 9–16 and have been baptized and are in need of the Sacrament of First Eucharist or Confirmation (received in 9<sup>th</sup> grade) are to participate in our weekly faith formation sessions for two consecutive years at their grade level in our parish program.

### **Classes begin in September with an Orientation for parents and children.**

Registration forms have been mailed out to our returning families.

**Open registration for new families** on Sunday August 19 and 26 from 10:00–1:00 p.m. in rooms 2 & 3 of the parish life center.

Please contact the faith formation office for any questions or concerns.

Joyfully in Christ – Your Faith Formation Team!

Fran Morin Director of Children and Youth Faith Formation [fmorin@ignatius.net](mailto:fmorin@ignatius.net)

Marie Day Administrative Assistant [mday@ignatius.net](mailto:mday@ignatius.net) or 727-937-4050 ext. 223

Bart Kovacic Director of Life Teen Youth Ministry/Confirmation [bkovacic@ignatius.net](mailto:bkovacic@ignatius.net)

## Tech Social

Don't know an App from a Tweet?  
There is help!  
Join us  
Saturday, August 11th  
from 2 p.m. - 4 p.m. in room 2  
and get FREE technology help!



## Bethany Gift Shop

### Sunday Summer Schedule

August 12th & 26th  
8:30 -11 a.m.

Located west of the  
Fr. John LaTondress Chapel.

## Altar Flowers

This week's Altar Flowers  
were donated  
in loving memory  
of Arthur Bove by Susan Lee.



## American Flags

If you have received an American Flag  
in honor of a loved one's military service  
and would like it flown here at the  
parish, please donate your flag  
at the parish office.



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

**CARRIE McKENZIE &  
ANTONIO PINTO**

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



## Don't Miss A Thing



Go to myparishapp,  
our Facebook Page,  
or scan our website link.

## St. Ignatius 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.

Two, three, four, and five year olds are  
given opportunities to develop  
spiritually, physically, emotionally,  
and intellectually.

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



## Guardian Angels

Our students  
Learn, Serve, Lead, Succeed.  
Schedule a tour today and  
let us show you why  
our students shine!  
Contact Mary Stalzer  
at [mstalzer@gacsfl.com](mailto:mstalzer@gacsfl.com)



**FALL 2018 WORD IN ACTION CLASS**  
**THE LETTER TO THE GALATIANS**  
**"SET FREE TO LIVE"**

Paul's letter to the Galatians speaks directly to the hearers of the Christians at Galatia and addresses the most important questions we can ask: "What must we do to be saved?" This short yet fascinating letter reveals the merciful love that God the Father has for us, his children. It speaks of the extraordinarily gift of salvation that Jesus has won for us, and it explains how we can unite ourselves to Christ's redeeming sacrifice through faith and love. The Letter to the Galatians is a study that will reignite your love for God as you learn of the astonishing love God has for you.

Classes will begin on Thursday, August 30<sup>th</sup> and continue through to October 18<sup>th</sup>. There will be two opportunities for these classes: Thursday mornings at 10:20 a.m. and Thursday evenings at 6:30 p.m. The day classes will meet in classrooms 2 and 3 and the night classes in classroom 6. Each session will last one and a half hours. The class will consist of a short lecture, the presentation of a video with Jeff Cavins and a Q&A period to go over class questions.

The study guide associated with this 8-week program will be ordered and provided at the first class. The offering for the Student Study Guide will be \$24.00 each. If you have already taken the class in 2014, your study guide will be good for the classes.

In order to secure a study guide, please register below and return the completed form with a check or cash to the Parish Office. Checks are to be made payable to 'St. Ignatius of Antioch Church'.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Workbook Offering: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Check Class Preference:

Thursday Morning \_\_\_\_\_ Thursday Evening \_\_\_\_\_

For more information, please leave a message for Deacon Sam at the office.

You are all welcomed to join in this study.

God Bless you all

***White Mass & Dinner***

Our Diocese' Annual White Mass & Dinner for physicians, medical students and other healthcare professionals will be held on Saturday, August 11<sup>th</sup>. We begin with the 4:00 p.m. Mass presided over by Bishop Gregory Parkes, at the Bethany Center. Dinner will follow with speaker Dr. Michael Parker, board member for the national Catholic Medical Association (CMA). His topic is Evangelization in Medicine: "Am I Peter or am I Paul? Who shall they say that I am?" Event is sponsored by our CMA, "Tampa Bay Guild of St. Philomena" guild.

Cost is \$ 50.00 per person for dinner.

Registration is on line; use event link:

<https://www.123signup.com/register?id=hzc pz>

Deadline to register is this Monday, July 30<sup>th</sup>.

If questions, call Rob at 727-785-3445 or

[Tampawhitemass18@gmail.com](mailto:Tampawhitemass18@gmail.com)

***Drugs?***

Are you affected  
by someone else's addiction?

**Nar-Anon Offers Hope!**

Nar-Anon Family Groups are a worldwide fellowship for those affected by someone else's addiction.

As a Twelve step program, we offer help by sharing our experience, strength and hope.

Join us Tuesdays from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m.  
at All Saints Church

-1700 Keystone Road- Tarpon Springs.

For other locations - check out [naranonfl.org](http://naranonfl.org)

Need our Helpline? Call 1-888-947-8885

***Lay Carmelites***

**Lay Carmelites seek the face of God through prayer, community and service.**

Our Lady Queen of Carmel #1043 Lay Carmelite Community meets at St. Vincent De Paul Church 4843 Mile Stretch Dr, Holiday, on the first Saturday of each month at 9:30 a.m. in Fr. Farrell Hall located behind the church.

Please contact Barbara Westcott if you would like to visit a community meeting to learn more about the Lay Carmelites at [bwest@pasco.org](mailto:bwest@pasco.org) or 727-842-5058.

<i><b>DATE</b></i>	<i><b>MASS INTENTIONS</b></i>	<i><b>EVENTS</b></i>
<b>Saturday, July 28</b>	4:00 p.m. + Andrea Scully 6:30 p.m. + Ninfa Prince	
<b>Sunday, July 29</b> <i>17th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> <i>2 Kings 4:42-44</i> <i>Ephesians 4:1-6</i> <i>John 6:1-15</i>	7:30 a.m. + Jim Grieco 9:00 a.m. For the People of Our Parish 11:30 a.m. + Alfredo Quiroga 6:00 p.m. + Michael Franco	7:30 p.m. Life Night after Mass in the hall
<b>Monday, July 30</b> <i>St. Peter Chrysologus</i> <i>Jeremiah 13:1-11</i> <i>Matthew 13:31-35</i>	7:30 a.m. + Doug Del Net 9:00 a.m. + Rosa Scarola	9:30 p.m. Rosary Makers in the hall 6:00 p.m. Altar Server Training in Church
<b>Tuesday, July 31</b> <i>St. Ignatius of Loyola</i> <i>Jeremiah 14:17-22</i> <i>Matthew 13:36-43</i>	7:30 a.m. + Albert Wilson 9:00 a.m. + Caroline Mazzei 10:30 a.m. + Allen Koehler	6:00 p.m. Edge at Sunset Beach 6:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal in the Church
<b>Wednesday, August 1</b> <i>St. Alphonsus Liguori</i> <i>Jeremiah 15:10-21</i> <i>Matthew 13:44-46</i>	7:30 a.m. For Vocations to the Priesthood & Religious Life 9:00 a.m. + Pedro Africano	6:00 a.m. Brothers in Christ in hall 7:00 p.m. Comeback Catholics in Life Center Office
<b>Thursday, August 2</b> <i>St.s Eusebius &amp; Peter Eymard</i> <i>Jeremiah 18:1-6</i> <i>Matthew 13:47-53</i>	7:30 a.m. + Anthony Dalmaso 9:00 a.m. Special Intentions of Anthony & Katie Napolitano	7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal in the hall
<b>Friday, August 3</b> <i>Jeremiah 26:1-9</i> <i>Matthew 13:54-58</i>	7:30 a.m. + Marty Pfeiffer 9:00 a.m. + Janice DeMascio	<b>Eucharistic Adoration</b> <b>9:30 a.m. - 9:00 p.m. in the Chapel</b> 9:00 a.m. ECC Staff Meeting in room 6 7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts in rooms 2-4 7:00 p.m. Edge in the Youth House
<b>Saturday, August 4</b> <i>St. John Vianney</i> <i>Jeremiah 26:11-24</i> <i>Matthew 14:1-12</i>	9:00 a.m. + John Petko	10:00 a.m. New Beginnings – Bereavement Support Group in hall
<b>Saturday, August 4</b>	4:00 p.m. Special Intentions of the St. Ignatius Women's Council 6:30 p.m. + Esther Mellor	
<b>Sunday, August 5</b> <i>18th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> <i>Exodus 16:2-15</i> <i>Ephesians 4:17-24</i> <i>John 6:24-35</i>	7:30 a.m. For An End to Abortions 9:00 a.m. For the People of Our Parish 11:30 a.m. + Mauro Sardanopoli 6:00 p.m. Special Intentions of Roy & Julianne Franco	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.**