

# The Roman Catholic Church of Saint Ignatius of Antioch

October 28, 2018

30th Sunday of Ordinary Time

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

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

## ALL SAINTS DAY

### November 1st

is a holy day of obligation this year.

## Vigil Mass:

Wednesday, October 31st at 4 p.m.

## Solemnity Masses:

Thursday, November 1st at  
6:45 a.m. 7:30 a.m., 9 a.m.  
& 7 p.m.

## ALL SOULS DAY

### November 2nd

will be celebrated at  
the weekday Masses.



## *By the Side of the Road We Cry Out*

"Master, I want to see."

Jesus passes the Blind Man. Bartimaeus can only hear the commotion.

"Master, I want to see."

Our lives are full of images. There are images on TV, on the computer, on the tablet, on the phone. We spend our lives focusing on so many images that we miss that which we need to see, the Presence of the our Lord.

"Master, I want to see."

Jesus walked by blind Bartimaeus. There was no time for Bartimaeus to hesitate. If he did not take advantage of the presence of the Lord now, he would have remained blind forever.

"Master, I want to see."

We do not know how many opportunities we will have to respond to the presence of the Lord. Sometimes the doors He opens for us are only opened momentarily. A teenager hears a subtle challenge to the faith in school and asks his parents why their family was Catholic, why did they believe what they believe. How they could believe. The opportunity is right then to nurture his faith. A neighbor is looking for someone to speak to. He, she is lonely. His world feels so empty. She misses her husband so much. When they want to chat, we can take a few moments and bring Christ's love to her. A husband, a wife is discouraged. The spouse must be supportive now, not later. It is easy to say, "I have so much of my own stuff that I am dealing with." That is not what marriage is. Marriage is dealing with each other's stuff. And caring for her, for him. That's the sacrificial love that makes marriage a sacrament, a real presence of Jesus Christ. The Lord only gives us so many opportunities in life. We only have so much time to take advantage of each of them.

"Son of David, Have mercy on me."

Blind Bartimaeus calls out to the Lord invoking the name of David. David the great king. David the unifier of the Jewish people. David who was promised a reign that would never end. David who was told that one of his descendants, would be greater than he was, greater than he could ever imagine.

"Son of David, Have mercy on me."

The world longed for the Savior who has been given to us. Jesus the Christ is the one who brings order into the chaos of our lives. He is the Great King, the King of Kings. He is the focal point of the history of mankind. He is the Son of David and the Eternal Word of the Father. And He is reaching out to us.

"Son of David, Have mercy on me."

Bartimaeus realized that he was at the bottom of his society. No one had use for a blind beggar. He was in the way. When Jesus walked by, Bartimaeus made a nuisance of himself. "Quiet down, Bartimaeus. You're embarrassing us." But he was not embarrassing Jesus. Jesus saw him, hurt for him, called him, and had mercy on him.

"Son of David, Have mercy on me."

## 30th Sunday of Ordinary Time

People want to convince us that we are numbers. They want to convince us that God is too great for us, that we are too insignificant. But no one is insignificant to God. Jesus sees each of us and loves each of us. "Are not two sparrows sold for a small coin? Yet not one of them falls to the ground without your Father's knowledge. Even all the hairs of your head are counted. So do not be afraid; you are worth more than many sparrows." Bartimaeus's society had no use for the blind. They were forced to beg for food. But Jesus saw Bartimaeus, and hurt for him and healed him. Our society has no use for many people in many stressful circumstances. They made be infected with a terrible disease. They may be starving in a country of Africa or South America. They may be mentally ill in America. Our streets are too full of the homeless mentally ill. Shame on us. But Jesus sees all. He hurts for each of us. He reaches out to heal us. He calls. We must go to Him.

"Son of David, Have mercy on me."

Bartimaeus realized that only Jesus could heal him. He had faith in the Lord. His faith is the basis of Jesus' mercy.

"Son of David, Have mercy on me."

Some of us suffer from injuries we have inflicted upon ourselves. Some of us suffer from the way we have been treated by others. Some of us suffer from ailments caused by no one, but just resulting from our human condition. We have heart problems. We have cancer. We are caring for a relative with dementia. We are beside ourselves with our problems and we wonder where can we possibly turn. Jesus passes by and says "Have faith in Me."

"He is a priest forever according to the order of Melchizedek."

The eternal Father appointed His son Jesus to care for His people. He pleads with His Father every day for every one of us. We are significant because Jesus knows us and loves us and brings our needs to His Father. He is our eternal priest, forever, like Melchizedek. We have nothing to fear, ever.

Today's first reading proclaims: "Shout with joy for Jacob, exult at the head of the nations; proclaim your praise and say: The LORD loves His people."

God loves us.

Today and every day we proclaim His love to the world. He has had mercy on us. He has given us the gift of sight, the gift of seeing His love in our lives.

We have been blessed. We join Bartimaeus who immediately after he received his sight followed Jesus on the Lord's way to Jerusalem. We join Bartimaeus following the Lord on a new path of greatness, a path of sacrificial love, a path that leads to a New World that is the Kingdom of God.

Yours in Christ,

*Mary Joe*



## Bethany Gift Shop

October Special...25% off  
Rosaries & Selected Statues!  
**Store Hours: Sundays 8:30 a.m. - 11 a.m.**  
**Tuesdays 9:45 - 12 p.m.**

## Donuts in the hall



The Scouts will be offering  
Donuts and Coffee  
after the Sunday 9 a.m. Mass.

## Faith Formation

Classes this Sunday at 10 a.m.  
with Faith Centers in the hall.

**Confirmation Sessions**  
this Sunday at 4 p.m.

No Classes this Tuesday and Wednesday.



## 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.

## Rosary Makers

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



## RCIA

If you're interested in becoming Catholic,  
you are invited to our  
**Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults.**  
Come learn more about our beautiful faith.  
Join us 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)

## 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.



## Edge



**All Middle School Youth are Invited!**

Thursday evenings in the Youth House  
from 6 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

## Scouts



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



## Caritas

### MASS OF REMEMBRANCE

This special liturgy is on Saturday, November 3<sup>rd</sup>,  
at 10:30 a.m. to remember all our loved ones  
who have gone to the Lord. This will be a  
time to celebrate the gift of their lives.  
Refreshments will be served after the Mass.  
Please call the Caritas office if you plan to attend.

## All Souls Mass Intentions

November is the traditional  
month to remember all  
our beloved dead.

Kindly remember to return the  
Mass intention envelopes with  
the names of the deceased to be  
remembered clearly printed.

Additional envelopes are available  
on the courtesy desk in the Church.

These intentions will be placed on the altar  
for the month of November.

**May all of the faithfully departed  
through the mercy of God rest in peace.**



## Eucharistic Adoration

One of the most beautiful Teachings of our Catholic Faith is the **Communion of Saints** which we honor on November 1st as

**All Saints Day**, and the day after, **All Souls Day**. What too many people fail to realize is what we on earth have in common with those who have gone before us. It is the "State of Grace", or the Friendship enjoyed being in union with God through the Blood of Christ, from our Baptism, the Sacrament of Adoption.



What is Grace? The Grace of Christ is the free gift that God gives to us of His own life into our soul to heal it of sin and to sanctify or make holy. It is sanctifying or deifying grace received in Baptism. It is the work or power of sanctification. (CCC. @1999) In the past, which is still true, we saints or holy ones on earth were referred to as the Church **Militant**. For we are all called to live our friendship with Christ Jesus by fighting off those temptations of the world which seeks money, power and prestige. We never forget the role of the devil who seeks the ruin of souls when we pray the Prayer of St. Michael the Archangel. We are all sinners, but saints in progress, one day at a time. We are always in prayer for God's acting grace, which becomes the best habit of Love. That is why a Christian is one, in whom and through whom, Christ lives for others. We are able to believe that God loves us unconditionally, absolutely and forever. That's Grace!

Pope Benedict in June 2007, teaches us that "an intrinsic connection exists between celebration and adoration." In fact, Holy Mass is in itself, the Church's greatest act of adoration: Quoting St. Augustine: "No one eats of this flesh without first adoring it. Adoration outside of Holy Mass prolongs and intensifies what takes place in the Mass and makes a true and profound reception of Christ possible." (Angelus 2007)

November 2<sup>nd</sup> is the Feast of All Souls. It is also First Friday. We pray for all those members of the Body of Christ who have gone before us in the friendship or grace of Christ. They are in need of our prayers for the Spirit to eradicate any selfishness left in them.

**Adoration of the Real Presence begins at 9:30 a.m. in our Chapel and continues all day until Benediction (Blessing) at 9 p.m.**

Please witness to your Faith in His Real Presence by signing our Adoration Book in the front of the Church for whatever time you will visit Jesus. This is the closest we can be this side of heaven to the humanity and divinity of the Risen Lord.

## Veteran's Day Collection

There are a great number of wounded veterans recuperating at Tampa's **James A. Haley Medical Center.**



In honor of Veterans Day, our Knights of Columbus will be taking up donations on November 10th & 11th in the front- inside of the Church before each Mass.

These wounded heroes (Male & Female) are in need of some basic supplies. Thank you for all your anticipated co-operation. God Bless You!



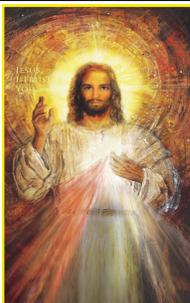
### Suggested Items:

- Underwear T-Shirts
- Socks Shampoo
- Conditioner
- Lotion After Shave
- Razor Blades
- Nail Clippers Combs Hair Brushes
- Flip-Flops (shower shoes) Make-up
- Perfume Lipstick Eyeliner
- Canned meat products
- Pens & Pencils Note Paper
- CDs DVDs
- Video Games Stereo/TV Headsets.
- Books: Word Search Sudoku
- Crossword puzzles

## Divine Mercy Cenacle

Join us every second Saturday of each month at 10 a.m. in room 4.

We invite ALL to join us in our faith journey.



## Fr. Kevin's Class



This year's topic:  
The Study of Religion.

No sign up required.

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

Please note:

There is no class November 1st.

## 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 at 7 p.m.

Or make an appointment at Comeback @ Ignatius.net or call Terri at 727-773-5004

Don't forget to turn your clocks back an hour, Saturday, November 3rd before you go to sleep.



**A BIG  
THANK YOU  
TO ALL WHO  
SHARED A PINT  
AT OUR LAST BLOOD DRIVE.**



## Respect Life Prayer



October is Respect Life Month  
What I think of when  
I hear the word Life - a Poem

When I hear the word Life,  
I think of birds flying gaily through  
sunlit light blue sky.

I think of fish swimming freely  
through the refreshingly cool water.

I think of a fully blooming flower with  
a touch of dew on its petal.

Waiting for the moment to spring a new bud,  
But when I hear the word Life-

I think mostly of a baby.

A baby who is playing gaily with its toys.

A baby that is laughing happily at something  
that amuses it.

And then you hear a cry which tells you the  
baby is part of a new world, a new beginning.

And most of all the baby

now has God's most precious gift to us.

The gift of Life.

-Mark Byrne Celebrate Life Magazine  
Spring 2017



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

**MARY WALSH,  
GLORIA CAMP,  
RUTH FITZPATRICK, BILL KORN,  
NORBERT SCHULENBERG &  
JASON DUNCAN**

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

# Viva Las Vegas Casino Night! November 17th in our Parish Hall-

Sponsored by St. Ignatius of Antioch's Women's Council & Knights of Columbus

Doors open 5 p.m. - Games run thru 8:45 p.m.

**TICKETS INCLUDE:**

Prime Rib /Fish/Chicken Buffet Dinner, Beverage & 5,000 poker chips

\$40 donation    \$45 donation at the door

**GAMES INCLUDE:**

Blackjack Tables  
Poker & Texas Hold'em  
Roulette Table  
Craps Table  
Slot Machines

**PLUS:**

Beer & Wine Available  
Raffle Prize Baskets  
50/50 Drawing

Space is limited...  
only 100 tickets available!

For Tickets Contact  
Dave & Patti at  
727-938-8510



All funds raised will go to aid those in need at St. Ignatius.

## Caritas Ministry

### MARTHA'S MINISTRY...

Our Ministry members attend Funeral Masses when there are only a few or no family and friends of the deceased in attendance.

If you would like to be a member of this very special Ministry please call Kathy at 942-6359.

### TUESDAY CARE CLUB...

Do you have a family member or neighbor who is homebound and cannot attend Mass on weekends?

On Tuesday mornings, our volunteers will drive them to the chapel for Mass (and luncheon afterwards).

Contact Laura in our Caritas Office at ext. 221.

THANK YOU for your generous support on World Mission Sunday.

While only some are called to go to the Missions to serve, all of us are called, by our Baptism, to support the church's missionary work by prayers and financial help.

To continue answering this call visit [Mission.org](http://Mission.org)



## 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.



## Don't Miss A Thing



Check out our Website , Facebook Page & myparishapp

**COURAGEOUSLY**  
*Living the Gospel*



**Stigmata** (singular *stigma*) is a term used by members of the Christian faith to describe bodily marks, sores, or sensations of pain in locations corresponding to the crucifixion wounds of Jesus Christ. The term originates from the line at the end of Saint Paul's Letter to the Galatians where he says,

"I bear on my body the marks of Jesus."

**Stigmata** is the plural of the Greek word *stigma*, meaning a mark. An individual bearing stigmata is referred to as a stigmatic or a stigmatist.

Stigmata is primarily associated with the Roman Catholic faith.

St. Francis of Assisi was the first recorded stigmatic in Christian history. For over fifty years Padre Pio of Pietrelcina of the Order of Friars Minor Capuchin reported stigmata which were studied by several 20th century physicians. The observations were reportedly unexplainable and the wounds never became infected.

*School News*

*Early Childhood...*



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.

*Guardian Angels...*

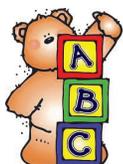
Our students  
Learn, Serve, Lead, Succeed.

Schedule a tour today and let us show you why our students shine!

Contact Mary Stalzer at [mstalzer@gacsfl.com](mailto:mstalzer@gacsfl.com)



*...Moms 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.

*...Save Box Top Labels*



Guardian Angels School is collecting box top labels. Please place your box tops on the courtesy desk in the Church. Thank You!

<i><b>DATE</b></i>	<i><b>MASS INTENTIONS</b></i>	<i><b>EVENTS</b></i>
<b>Saturday, October 27</b>	4:00 p.m. + Bud Neneman 6:30 p.m. + George & Thelma Bonzagni	
<b>Sunday, October 28</b> <i>30th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> <i>Jeremiah 31:7-9</i> <i>Hebrews 5:1-6</i> <i>Mark 10:46-52</i>	For an End to Abortions  + Rachel Barbaro + Dennis Peters	<b>8:30 a.m. — 11 a.m. Bethany Shop Open</b> 9:00 a.m. Donuts in the hall 10:00 a.m. Pre K - 5th Grade Class 10:00 a.m. Faith Centers in hall 4:00 p.m. Confirmation Sessions 7:30 p.m. Life Night after Mass in the hall
<b>Monday, October 29</b> <i>Ephesians 4:32-5:8</i> <i>Luke 13:10-17</i>	7:30 a.m. + Alicia Boggs 9:00 a.m. + Arthur Ramsdell	9:30 a.m. Rosary Makers in the hall 7:00 p.m. RCIA in Evangelization Office
<b>Tuesday, October 30</b> <i>Ephesians 5:21-33</i> <i>Luke 13:18-21</i>	7:30 a.m. + Joseph DeCody 9:00 a.m. + Jane Fisher 10:30 a.m. + Francesco Crocitto	<b>9:45 a.m. — 12 p.m. Bethany Shop Open</b>
<b>Wednesday, October 31</b> <i>Ephesians 6:1-9</i> <i>Luke 13:22-30</i>	7:30 a.m. For Vocations to the Priesthood & Religious Life 9:00 a.m. For the Conversion of Sinners  <b>All Saints Vigil Mass</b> 4:00 p.m. Fr. Louis DeTommaso	6:00 a.m. Brothers in Christ in hall 9:30 a.m. Moms Morning Out room 8  <b>All Saints Vigil Mass at 4 p.m.</b>
<b>Thursday, November 1</b> <b>All Saints Day</b> <i>Revelations 7:2-14</i> <i>Matthew 5:1-12</i>	<b>All Saints Masses</b> 6:45 a.m. + Souls in Purgatory 7:30 a.m. + Michael Malloy 9:00 a.m. + Stephen Soncini 7:00 p.m. For the People of Our Parish	<b>All Saints Masses</b> 9:30 a.m. Moms Morning Out room 8 6:00 p.m. Edge in the youth house
<b>Friday, November 2</b> <i>All Soul's Day</i> <i>Wisdom 3:1-9</i> <i>Romans 5:5-11</i> <i>John 6:37-40</i>	7:30 a.m. + Deceased Priests, Brothers & Sisters 9:00 a.m. + Deceased Members of Our Parish	<b>Eucharistic Adoration</b> <b>9:30 a.m. - 9:00 p.m. in the Chapel</b> 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, November 3</b> <i>St. Martin de Porres</i> <i>Philippians 1:18-26</i> <i>Luke 14:1-11</i>	9:00 a.m. + Christopher Larratt	9:00 a.m. Polish School in rooms 7-12 <b>10:30 a.m. Mass of Remembrance in Church &amp; hall</b> 2:00 p.m. Girl Scout Tea in the hall
<b>Saturday, November 3</b>	4:00 p.m. Special Intentions of the St. Ignatius Women's Council 6:30 p.m. + Frank & Mary Pergola	
<b>Sunday, November 4</b> <i>31st Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> <i>Deuteronomy 6:2-6</i> <i>Hebrews 7:23-28</i> <i>Mark 12:22-34</i>	+ Stanislaw Pawelczyk  + Helen 'Terry' McMahon + Aileen Drugan	<b>8:30 a.m. — 11 a.m. Bethany Shop Open</b> 9:00 a.m. Donuts in the hall 10:00 a.m. Pre K - 5th Grade Class 10:00 a.m. 1st Communion Parents in hall 4:00 p.m. Confirmation Sessions 7:30 p.m. Life Night after Mass in the hall