

St. Ignatius of Antioch

July 5, 2015 – 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Mission Statement:

*United in Faith,
Ignited by the Spirit,
We Reflect the Light
of the Living Christ*



Fr. Robert K. Rien

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Director of Faith Formation

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Director of Music, Organist,
Artist-in-Residence

Maryann Peddicord

Pastoral Secretary

Beverly Iacona

Financial Secretary

Rich Confetti

Facilities Maintenance

Eucharist Schedule

Saturday Vigil: 5 pm
Sunday: 8 am & 10 am
Mon., Wed., Fri: 8 am Holy Eucharist
Tue., Thru: 8 am Liturgy of the Word
And Holy Communion

Holy Days: 8 am & 7:30 pm
Reconciliation: Saturday, 3:45 to 4:30 pm

Faith Formation Office (925) 778-1631

Sacraments: Contact Parish (925) 778-0768

Office Hours: Monday-Friday, 8:30am to 12:30pm

For Ministries, Activities & Outreaches in Parish; see Parish handbook, available in the Office.



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My grace is sufficient for you,
for the power is made perfect
in weakness.
— 2 Corinthians 12:9

Stewardship

Thank you for the gift of your Time, your Talent and your Treasure to St. Ignatius of Antioch Parish.

“For where your treasure is, there your heart will also be.”

Stewardship of Treasure

Weekend Offering for June 20 - 21

Weekend Goal.....	\$12,500.00
Weekend Plate.....	\$7,390.00
EFT.....	\$3,240.00
Mail	\$515.00
Total for week.....	\$11,145.00
Excess (Shortfall).....	(\$1,355.00)

Parking Lot Loan (Monthly loan payment: \$5,000.00)

Payments/Donations this week..... \$10.00

New Building Fund

Payments/Donations this week.....\$1,035.00
Building Fund Balance..... \$758,081.48

Position Available

As announced last December, Bev Iacona is retiring after more than 30 years of service to St. Ignatius of Antioch, the last 10 years as our Financial Secretary. We are beginning the search for her successor. This is the primary financial position on the parish staff and is responsible for all monies received by the parish, for all payables and the maintenance of all financial records. A knowledge of accounting principles and computerized accounting systems, preferably Quick Books Pro, is required. Ideal candidate will have the demonstrated ability to work as part of a team. This is a 20 hour per week position. A complete job description is available from the parish office. Interested persons may contact Brian McCoy at 778-0768.

Hospitality Sunday Thank You

Thank you to our Knights of Columbus for hosting this weekend's Hospitality after the 8 and 10 am Liturgies. These gentlemen are a wonderful example of Christian Stewardship in our parish community.

Schedule of Events

Sunday, July 5

- 8 am and 10 am Liturgies
- Hospitality by Knights of Columbus - after both Liturgies
- Birthday Blessing - both Liturgies
- Second Collection - Parking Lot Loan

Monday, July 6

- Eucharist – 8 am
- **No SPRED this month**

Tuesday, July 7

- Liturgy of the Word and Holy Communion – 8 am

Wednesday, July 8

- Eucharist – 8 am and Novena follows

Thursday, July 9

- Liturgy of the Word and Holy Communion – 8 am
- **No Bible Sharing Class this month**
- Choir Practice – 7:30 - 9 pm – Church

Friday, July 10

- Eucharist – 8 am
- Team Matthew Blood Drive through American Red Cross - 9 am – 3 pm - Parish Hall

Saturday, July 11

- Vigil Liturgy – 5 pm
- Team Matthew Blood Drive through American Red Cross - 8 am – 1 pm - Parish Hall

Sunday, July 12

- 8 am and 10 am Liturgies

Pray for the Sick

Remember in your prayers all those who are sick or suffering in any way, especially:

Joshua Baquera	Frank Griego	Peter Villalpando
Rocco Battaglia	Karen Narberes	Alan Young
Archbishop Brunett	Jack Pyne	
Jackie Carvalho	Paul Syliangco	
Melanie Castillo	Marilyn Syliangco	
Nathan Galli	Carol Thornton	

Members of our Parish Family who are in the Military, hospitals, nursing homes, shut-ins and all those who have no one to pray for them.

Readings for the Week

Monday	Gn 28:10-22a; Ps 91:1-4, 14-15ab; Mt 9:18-26
Tuesday	Gn 32:23-33; Ps 17:1b, 2-3, 6-7ab, 8b, 15; Mt 9:32-38
Wednesday	Gn 41:55-57; 42:5-7a, 17-24a; Ps 33:2-3, 10-11, 18-19; Mt 10:1-7
Thursday	Gn 44:18-21, 23b-29; 45:1-5; Ps 105:16-21; Mt 10:7-15
Friday	Gn 46:1-7, 28-30; Ps 37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28, 39-40; Mt 10:16-23
Saturday	Gn 49:29-32; 50:15-26a; Ps 105:1-4, 6-7; Mt 10:24-33
Sunday	Am 7:12-15; Ps 85:9-14; Eph 1:3-14 [1:3-10]; Mk 6:7-13

Lay Ministers—Week of July 11th-12th

5 pm: Lectors-Sofie Zimmerman, Corrine Bielejeski; **Head Cup**- Pam Confetti; **Head Host**-Melodye Costanza; **Host**-Carol Fanfa, Forrest Towe, Bernice Campbell, Kevin Daley; **Cup**-Rhoda Herrera, Bill Barbanica, Fran Barbanica, Mary Ng, M. J. Nagtalon; **Server**-Padraig Tiongson

8 am: Lectors-Sylvia Gray, Teresa M. Stanek; **Head Cup**-Ruth Beck; **Head Host**-Sue Howell; **Host**-MaryJo Keister, Stan Stanek, Diane Hack, Rick Howell; **Cup**-Peggy Lennan, Gloria Lewis, Nick Suarez, Armando Vasquez, Pat Dunleavy; **Servers**-Isaiah Laxamana, Antonio Alvarez

10:00 am: Lectors- Rey Dollete, Sr., Cecil Jemera; **Head Cup**-Dilcia Aparicio; **Head Host**-Carol Dollete; **Host**-Cecilia Kennedy, Lesley Eubanks, Shirley Jemera, Estrella Rusk; **Cup**-Chieko Reyes, Nancy Santos, Amanet Asuncion, Gloria Asuncion, Reyna Garcia; **Servers**-Jacob Mirano, Noah Mirano

Mass Intentions for the Week

Sat. 5:00 pm	Joann Russo †
Sun. 8:00 am	Joseph Russo †
Sun. 10:00 am	Edna Mae Jacobs †
Mon. 8:00 am	All Military Men and Women
Tues. 8:00 am	Lucilia Toste †
Wed. 8:00 am	Minnie McFarlan †
Thur. 8:00 am	Rose Yarolimek †
Fri. 8:00 am	Our Parish Family

Rest in Peace

Please pray for the souls of **Alan Young and Trevor Clinton**. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.

St. Vincent de Paul



The Society of St. Vincent de Paul is requesting the following food items:

- 1 lb. bag of White Rice
- 15 oz. canned Peaches
- 5 oz. can of Tuna

Donations may be dropped off at all weekend liturgies. Thank you for your continued support of this important outreach project.

Mobile Mall Ministry

The next distribution date is:

Saturday, July 22nd, 10 am-12 Noon
Ambrose Community Center - Bay Point

Come and shop at no cost to you. Large selection of clothing, shoes, blankets, table linens, coats, jackets, etc. are all available. Everyone is welcome and everything is free. For information, call Barbara at 706-2802.

Birthright of Concord - Open House

Join Birthright of Concord (3106 Clayton Road, Concord) at their open house on Saturday, July 25 from 11am to 2pm. For more information, call 925/798-7227.

Dominican Sisters of Mission San Jose



The following two events coming in July are sponsored by the Dominican Sisters of Mission San Jose Study Center located at 43326 Mission Blvd., Fremont, CA 94539.

Wednesday July 15; 10 - 11:30 am: Mindfulness Meditation for Healing and Wholeness: Physical and Spiritual Nutrition. Explore ways to train your mind and heart to connect with your true inner self. Sister Joan Prohaska, O.P.; will facilitate assisted by Lynette Gullings, RN, Wellness Coordinator and Sister Ingrid Clemmensen, O.P., Spiritual Director. Each session includes a spiritual focus and practice. Free will offering opportunity. Call (510) 933-6335 to register.

Saturday, July 25; 10 am - 2 pm: Junipero Serra - Saint and Sinner. Join us as our presenters offer different opinions on the canonization of Junipero Serra. Andrew Galvan is a Museum Curator at Mission Dolores in San Francisco. Vincent Medina, Jr. serves as Assistant Curator at Mission Dolores. They are both Chochenyo Ohlones. Lunch is included. \$25 donation collected at the door. RSVP by Wednesday, July 13. Call (510) 933-6334 for more information.

Knights Support Youth Retreat

The Oakland Diocese has developed a retreat for young men between the ages of 13 to 18 years of age. The three-day camp aims to assist young men in discerning their vocation for the priesthood and growing a stronger relationship with Christ.

The retreat will be held at the Oakland Diocese Youth Center in Lafayette, California on July 12-15, 2015.

Seminarians, including our very own Mario Rizzo, will be there sharing their own life/vocation experiences. The **Knights of Columbus of St. Ignatius of Antioch**, as well as other councils, will be preparing the meals for the young men during the retreat.

The activities will include fun, games, music, mass, prayer and talks. Registration will be \$50.00; please call Bill Barbanica for more information at 925-757-0606 or Steve Rojek at 925-642-2329. Space is limited.

Quo Vadis Camp
Latin for "Where are you going"

Catholic Divorce Survival Guide Course

HOW TO SURVIVE THE LOSS OF A MARRIAGE

**Presented by
Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish
500 Fairview; Brentwood CA**

This is a 13 week course and support group. An information session is scheduled for August 5 at 7 pm in the IHM library. Sessions begin on September 3, 2015 and will continue on Thursdays through December. The cost is \$25. For more information, contact Sandy Heinisch at (925) 513-3412.

St. Peter Martyr School Now Enrolling



St. Peter Martyr School is accepting Fall applications for Preschool, PreKindergarten, Kindergarten, and grades 1 - 8. The Catholic school offers extended care, extra curricular programs, faith development, and a strong academic program. Applications are available at the school or www.stpetermartyrschool.org. Located at 425 West Fourth St in Pittsburg, the school is fully accredited and welcomes families from all parishes and surrounding communities. For information about affordable rates, call the school at (925) 439-1014 or visit www.stpetermartyrschool.org.

Help Needed With Parish Phone System

Our antiquated parish phone system is in need of some TLC. If you are familiar with communication systems and can provide guidance or advice on replacement or refurbishing options, please contact the parish office. Thank you.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Married Couples: Open your heart to God and allow him to transform your life and your marriage.

Upcoming Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends:
August 7-9 November 20-22.

For more information contact Mike and Jean at (925) 672-2016 or Joe and Sue at (925) 680-7767 or visit oaklandwwme.org.



*Ministry,
Organization and
Volunteer
Opportunities in our
Parish & Community*

GOD GIVES EACH OF US UNIQUE GIFTS AND NO ONE CAN TAKE YOUR PLACE IN THE PARISH. IF YOU DON'T STEP FORWARD, THEN WHO WILL? CONSIDER THE FOLLOWING:

Cookbook Project: looking for a fun way to help with Building Fund? Check out the **St. Ignatius of Antioch Cookbook Project** on page 6 of this Bulletin. The recipe deadline is July 31, 2015.



Backpack Drive August 8-9: Our seventh annual back to school backpack drive is underway! This benefits our adopted school, St. Peter Martyr in Pittsburg. Simply select a grade level, purchase a new backpack and fill it with listed school supplies. Bring

donations to weekend Liturgies on August 8-9.

Note: See the supply list included with this week's bulletin before purchasing any supplies.



Looking Ahead



Stand Down on the Delta 2015 is coming this September. The parish is planning an underwear drive in support of this outreach to our veterans. The drive will take place the weekend of

September 5-6. Watch the upcoming bulletins for drive details and for information on volunteer opportunities at this event.



Annual St. Ignatius of Antioch Sock Drive in Support of the Gubbio Project at St. Boniface Catholic Church in San Francisco will take place the weekend of **October 10-11.** Watch the bulletin for details.

Parish Perspective

By Peter Degl'Innocenti...Pastoral Associate

Sometimes, when ex-military men in our parish (especially Navy or Coast Guard) get together and talk about their experiences with officers of rank, protocol, or seamanship; and if I have something to contribute to the conversation, I'll chime-in. Quite often it will solicit the question, "Were you in the military?" to which I must reply "No, I was in the Sea Scouts."

Four plus years of sailing on the ocean, bay, and delta rivers in all kinds of weather will instill skills that will stay with you forever, especially when you've had a skipper like Will Havens to be your teacher and mentor (just ask Dorothy O'Connor or Theresa Nelms).

You can imagine my delightful surprise when I opened the June 21st bulletin and found the notice that St. Ignatius of Antioch will be taking a little cruise up to Alaska with Fr. Robert next August. Actually, "little" really isn't a very good descriptor for this type of cruise. This is a "BIG" deal. First of all, the distance to be covered is a significant portion of the entire western coast of the North American continent! We sail all the way! Secondly, we leave from San Francisco. How convenient is that? To make it any more convenient they would have to tie-up at the River View Lodge, down by the river.

So, in proper military fashion, I sent an inquiry up the chain of command to "she who must be obeyed" and asked if she'd ever been on a cruise ship. No, she hadn't. I could see the wheels turning behind her eyes as visions of episodes of *The Love Boat*, *Hart to Hart*, and perhaps even *Murder, She Wrote* or *Columbo* passed through her mind (thank you Hallmark channel). We looked at each other and decided to make the commitment now, to start saving, a little at a time, to cover the cost and go!

If you missed the last big trip the Church promoted (the Fr. Robert led trip to Italy) now is your chance to catch-up on the fun and you don't need to learn a foreign language to communicate with the natives or exchange your currency.

So, if you don't know a fid from a marlin spike and a belaying pin, that's O.K. If you can belay an anchor line in flawless fakes, that's O.K. too. Odds are we won't even see any of that nautical stuff, but we will see some of the greatest sights in all of God's creation. With you along for the cruise, we will see some of the best times friends can have together. Let the good times roll! Over the waves that is.



St. Ignatius of Antioch Cookbook Project To Benefit Our Building Fund

Dear Fellow Parishioners,

Just a little homework assignment from our Director of Faith Formation.

A COOKBOOK committee has been formed and needs you to send in one or more of your favorite recipes. Include your name, the name of the dish, the ingredients and complete preparation directions with your submission.

The recipe can be from one of the following categories:

Main Dishes	Casseroles	Salads
Soups	Desserts	Appetizers
Sauces	Other	

Submission Deadline: July 31, 2015



Email your recipe to: francesrojek@aol.com

The plan is to have this cookbook available in time for the holidays and all proceeds will go to the New Building Project. Please call the parish office at 778-0768 for more information.

Shalom,
Frances Rojek

Committee Members: Frances Rojek, Maryann Peddicord & Brian McCoy.
To join the committee, contact the parish office 925.778.0768.

**St. Ignatius of Antioch Church
and
Artist-in-Residence & Organist
Mr. Don Pearson
present the classic 1921 silent film
"THE KID"**

**Mr. Pearson will accompany the film on the Rodger's Trillium
Masterpiece Pipe/Digital Organ.**

***The Kid* is a 1921 silent comedy drama written by, produced by,
directed by and starring Charlie Chaplin. Jackie Coogan is featured
as Charlie's adopted son.**

Join Us for a Unique Experience!



When: Friday, July, 17, 2015; 8 pm

**Where: St. Ignatius of Antioch
3351 Contra Loma Blvd.
Antioch CA 94509**

**Artist's reception to follow
in the Parish Hall**

**Your free will offering will
support our
New Building Campaign**