

St. Ignatius of Antioch

April 19, 2020 - Second Sunday of Easter (Sunday of Divine Mercy)

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Eucharist Schedule

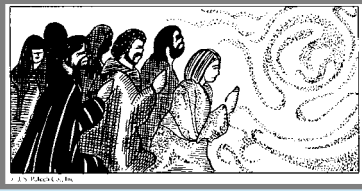
All Weekend and Daily liturgies are suspended due to the current health emergency. Sunday Mass is livestreamed at 10:00 am. This is not a public liturgy.

Check the parish website for liturgy schedule updates.

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Office Hours: Suspended at this time. Check the parish website for updates.



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*“Blessed are those who have not seen
and have believed.”*

— John 20:29b

Stewardship of Treasure

Thank you to everyone for your continued financial support during this time of anxiety and uncertainty.

Even though parish operations have been significantly curtailed, monthly expenses like gas, electricity, water, utilities and payroll are continuing.

If you would like to mail your contributions, please use the rectory address as the parish office is closed.

St. Ignatius of Antioch
209 Tanganyika Ct.
Antioch, CA 94509

You may also drop envelopes off at the rectory using the mail slot in the garage door.

If you use the BillPay feature of your checking account, you may also want to consider setting up St. Ignatius of Antioch as a payee. Use the rectory address above. (You do not need to enter an account number for St. Ignatius but you can use your envelope number if desired.)

Online Donation Option If you would like to make an online donation, the Oakland Diocese has set up a donation portal on their website. There is no cost to you or the parish if you choose this option. The Diocese is absorbing all processing fees so 100% of your donation is forward to the parish. There is a link on the parish website homepage “FINANCIAL SUPPORT OPTIONS.” Clicking this will bring you to the instructions.

For those of you with a personal PayPal account, you may choose to donate to the parish using PayPal.

Schedule of Events

All parishioners are encouraged to heed the shelter in place recommendations issued by the health department.

All daily and weekend liturgies, parish formation classes, social & fellowship events and organization meetings remain canceled until further notice. Exception: see *Fresh Fruits and Vegetables* on page 3.

The 10 am Mass on Sunday is livestreamed on the parish website. Note, this is not to be a public liturgy.

The parish office remains closed. Please use email or the telephone if you need to contact the staff. Staff will check voicemail messages and email on a regular basis.

Mass Intentions

Sun. 10:00 am

At the 10:00am liturgy, we will remember all Mass Intentions scheduled for weekend liturgies.

4/18 - 4:00 pm: (Saturday)

Leonor & Antonio Fernandes
Rocco & Josephine Battaglia

4/19 - 8 am: (Sunday)

John Fraga
Mal Ye Kennedy
Isidro Novicio
Guy Worth
Nimfa Carnes (L)-82nd birthday

4/19 - 10:00 am: (Sunday)

Joel Rusk
Sheryl Young Benson
Fe Posadas Ocoma
Manuel Martins
Joao Silva
Julia Jorge
Fara Costanza (4/20)
Vince Iacona (4/21)

Weekday Mass intentions will be rescheduled once Daily Masses resume. Thank you for your patience and understanding.

Pray for the Sick

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

Patrick Armitage	Phil Herlick
Sharon Carvalho Armitage	John Hoshimi
Robert Ballesteros	Willie Ilas
Harry Bettencourt	Kristopher Leffle
Gavin Cano	Carmen Morales-Hall
FF Capt. Steve Carter	Linda Morrison
Vincent Cortese	Jose Palomino
Stacia DeBuhr	Peter Pesonen
Zachary DeBuhr	Regina Ramos
Zoe DeBuhr	Ralph Ramirez
Celso Borba	Mack Spears
Rey Dollete	Beatrice Truxton
Infant Lucas Michael Fetty	Esperanza Valdez
Florencia T. Flores	Peter Villalpando
FF Craig Gjerman	

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

Rest in Peace

Please pray for the souls of **Harry Bettencourt, Brenda Begor, Ariana Kicker, Edina Nelson, Marilyn & Kay Baio, Gary Ridolphi, and Jess Paul Cardoza.**

May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.

Readings for the Week

Monday: Acts 4:23-31; Ps 2:1-9; Jn 3:1-8
 Tuesday: Acts 4:32-37; Ps 93:1-2, 5; Jn 3:7b-15
 Wednesday: Acts 5:17-26; Ps 34:2-9; Jn 3:16-21
 Thursday: Acts 5:27-33; Ps 34:2, 9, 17-20; Jn 3:31-36
 Friday: Acts 5:34-42; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Jn 6:1-15
 Saturday: 1 Pt 5:5b-14; Ps 89:2-3, 6-7, 16-17;
 Mk 16:15-20
 Sunday: Acts 2:14, 22-33; Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-11;
 1 Pt 1:17-21; Lk 24:13-35

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 St. Ignatius of Antioch, Antioch present

An Adult Faith Formation Series Eucharist and Real Presence:

**“Receive who you are;
 Become what you
 receive”**



Four Wednesdays in May
 St. Ignatius of Antioch Church
 3551 Contra Loma Blvd., Antioch

See Father Robert’s insert or the parish website for more details.

Divine Mercy Prayer

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You expired, O Jesus,
 but the source of life gushed forth for souls
 and an ocean of mercy opened up for the whole world.

O Fount of Life,
 unfathomable Divine Mercy,
 envelop the whole world
 and empty Yourself out upon us.

O Blood and Water,
 which gushed forth from the Heart of Jesus
 as a fount of mercy for us,

I trust in You.
 Amen.

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FIRE

Be who God meant you to be and you will set the world
 on fire.

—St. Catherine of Siena

Expansion Project News

As of this writing, we are still scheduled to meet with the
 Diocesan Review Committee on April 21, 2020 this
 coming Tuesday. Because of the shelter in place
 restrictions, the meeting will be conducted via video
 conferencing. Watch the bulletin for details of the
 meeting.

We are grateful for those of you who are able to maintain
 their pledge payment schedule. Please see *Stewardship
 of Treasure* on page 2 for options.

Flocknote

Don’t forget to signup for Flocknote to receive emails
 from St. Ignatius of Antioch parish.

Signup is totally voluntary and easy. Just follow the
 simple instructions below:

1. Go to the parish website:
www.st.ignatiusofantioch.org
2. Click on “FLOCKNOTE SIGNUP” under Quick
 Links in the right margin.
3. You will automatically be redirected to the parish’s
 signup page at Flocknote.
4. Enter your name, email address and **mobile** phone
 number (entering your mobile phone is optional) and
 click the Sign Me Up button.
5. You will receive an email from Flocknote to verify
 your email address. Just click on the **Verify my
 email button** and you’re done!

If you have any questions, email the parish at
st.ignatius@sbcglobal.net. Please enter “Flocknote
 Signup” in the subject line.

Fresh Fruits & Vegetables

As of this writing, the Food Bank is continuing with their
 community distribution of fresh fruits and vegetables.
 This free service is available for low-income families.
 Distribution at St. Ignatius of Antioch is scheduled for the
 1st and 3rd Fridays of the month. The next distribution
 will take place on Friday, April 17 from 3:30-4:30 pm in
 the church parking lot. Bring your own two sturdy bags
 with handles to carry the produce.

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