

# St. Ignatius of Antioch

January 24, 2021 - Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

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## Eucharist Schedule

In-person Liturgies have been suspended effective November 17 due to increased virus activity. **Sunday liturgy is available on YouTube. See parish website for link.**

**Walk-up Holy Communion: Sunday 10:30 - 11:30 am.**

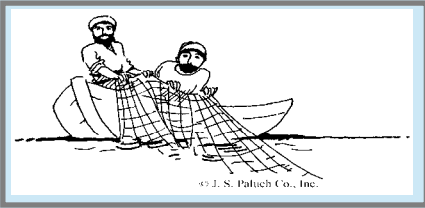
**Reconciliation:** by appointment only with Father Robert

**Parish Office:** (925) 778-0768

**Office Hours:** parish office hours are suspended due to increased virus activity. Staff availability is limited at this time. Please contact us by voicemail or email.

Check the parish website for liturgy schedule updates.

Thank you for your cooperation.



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*The kingdom of God is at hand. Repent, and believe in the gospel.*

— Mark 1:15

### 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.

*Weekend Offering for January 9-10*

**Thank you!**

**Weekend Offering** .....\$8,188.00

If you would like to mail your contributions, please use the rectory address;

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.

### Mass Intentions

**Sat., 9:00 am**

We will remember all Mass Intentions scheduled for the Liturgy requested, and weekday intentions prior to the actual day.

**1/23-24 - 9:00 am:**

- Cathy Harper
- Pat Honchell
- Teresa Narvaez Salazar
- Howard Dewey Andrew
- Angelyn Flosi
- Raymond Dupire
- Alfredo & Elina Avelar
- Dwayne "Skip" Rideau

**1/26 - Flordeliza Cornista**

**1/27 - Juanita Leonor Tenorio**

### Looking Ahead

Please consult the parish website for the latest updates on the impact of the coronavirus outbreak on the liturgies, social events and faith formation sessions.

<https://www.stignatiusofantioch.org>

The easiest way to automatically receive information is via Flocknote. Visit the parish website to enroll or call the parish office for more information.

### Not Without Love

The soul cannot live without love.

—St. Francis de Sales

### Pray for the Sick

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

- |                     |                           |
|---------------------|---------------------------|
| Patrick Armitage    | Kristopher Leffle         |
| Richard Augusta     | Matt and Marc Lopez       |
| Baby Scott          | Karen Mangini             |
| Robert Ballesteros  | Ken Mason                 |
| Harry Bettencourt   | Carmen Morales-Hall       |
| Celso Borba         | Dr. Andrew Ness           |
| Gavin Cano          | Shane Rideau              |
| Pete Cardinale      | Nick Savedra              |
| Vincent Cortese     | Willy Senoran             |
| Stacia DeBuhr       | Bill Schnitzer            |
| Rose Fitzgerald     | Esperanza Valdez          |
| Florencia T. Flores | Peter & Grace Villalpando |
| Phil Herlick        |                           |
| Pastor Roger Lee    |                           |

*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.*

### Diocesan COVID-19 Updates

The latest updates on COVID-19 that affect parishes are available at: <https://oakdiocese.org/response-to-coronavirus-pandemic>. There is also a link to this page on the right side of the parish website homepage: <https://www.stignatiusofantioch.org/>

### Rest in Peace

Please pray for the souls of **Al Ribeiro, Dwayne "Skip" Rideau, Jenay Marie Fanfa, Valentina Romani, Albert Reed, Jose Braga, Patricia Honchell, Roger Devera, Clarence Profitt and William Silva.**

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 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22; Ps 117: 1bc, 2; Mk 16:15-18
Tuesday:	2 Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5; Ps 96:1-3, 7-8a, 10; Mk 3:31-35
Wednesday:	Heb 10:11-18; Ps 110:1-4; Mk 4:1-20
Thursday:	Heb 10:19-25; Ps 24:1-6; Mk 4:21-25
Friday:	Heb 10:32-39; Ps 37:3-6, 23-24, 39-40; Mk 4:26-34
Saturday:	Heb 11:1-2, 8-19; Lk 1:69-75; Mk 4:35-41
Sunday:	Dt 18:15-20; Ps 95:1-2, 6-9; 1 Cor 7: 32-35; Mk 1:21-28

## COVID-19 Updates

Contra Costa County Health Department has set the county's reopening level back to purple, the most restrictive tier.

As a result of this directive, the following policy changes are being implemented in the parish:

- All indoor in-person liturgies have been suspended.
- Outdoor liturgies are still allowed under the directive but due to the cold weather, St. Ignatius of Antioch is not anticipating scheduling any outdoor liturgies at this time.
- **Sunday Liturgy will continue to be uploaded to YouTube every Sunday morning. Visit the parish website for links: [stignatiusofantioch.org](http://stignatiusofantioch.org)**
- **Sunday walk-up Holy Communion will continue from 10:30 am to 11:30 am each Sunday.**
- The parish office is closed. Office staff availability is limited but voicemail and email will be checked frequently.
- All non-essential gatherings remain suspended. Any essential business meetings must be held virtually or outdoors.

Please note: Flocknote is the best method for receiving updated information. If you haven't yet enrolled in Flocknote, visit the parish website.

The parish website is also updated as soon as is practical with updated information.

## Annual Contribution Statements

The annual financial report of your 2020 contributions to St. Ignatius of Antioch were mailed on January 11, 2020. If you have any questions or did not receive your statement, please contact our financial secretary, Estrella Rusk, at 925-778-0768, ext. 304. You may also email the parish at [st.ignatius@sbcglobal.net](mailto:st.ignatius@sbcglobal.net). Please enter 'Contribution Report' in the subject line.

## Carondelet High School

Carondelet High School's 2020-21 Admissions Season has officially opened! We have many virtual events and on-campus tours available (space is very limited).

To register for events and find out more about our school, please visit: [carondeleths.org/apply](http://carondeleths.org/apply).



Sign-up for Flocknote by visiting the parish website and clicking on the Flocknote link under Quick Links on the homepage:  
[www.stignatiusofantioch.org](http://www.stignatiusofantioch.org)

## Marriage Encounter

We have found, now more than ever, during these trying times, married couples need something to enrich and strengthen their marriages. Since our normal "in person" weekends are not yet possible, we are offering a "Virtual Experience" that will take place via Zoom.

"This is the time of fulfillment. The kingdom of God is at hand. Repent, and believe in the gospel." Bring your marriage to its fullest on the upcoming virtual Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience on Feb. 19-21, 2021.

Please go to [oaklandwwme.org](http://oaklandwwme.org) to apply or call: Ray & Roberta at 916-806-4601 for more information.



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