

# St. Ignatius of Antioch

May 16, 2021 - The Ascension of the Lord

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Loving Father,  
you sent your Son into the  
world that we might see  
you by seeing him. He  
offered his life as a gift for  
the life of the world. On  
the third day, you raised  
him to life, a life so  
powerful it could never  
again die.

Grant us the grace to  
offer our lives as a gift for  
the life of the world, so that,  
dying with Jesus, we might  
rise with him.

We ask this through Christ  
our Lord. Amen.



Mission Statement:

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

**Fr. Robert K. Rien**  
Pastor

**Fr. Richard Mangini**  
Assisting Clergy

**Deacon Gary Hack**  
Permanent Deacon

**Peter Degl'Innocenti**  
Pastoral Associate, Pastoral Care

**Carolyn Krantz, M.Div.**  
Pastoral Associate, Social Justice

**Maryann Peddicord**  
Pastoral Secretary

**Estrella Rusk**  
Financial Secretary

**Rich Confetti**  
Facilities Manager

**Faith Formation and  
Sacramental Preparation**  
Contact Parish Office

**Music Ministry**  
Contact Parish Office

## Eucharist Schedule

Returned to indoor in-person Liturgies effective April 11,  
2021: Saturday - 4 pm; Sunday - 8 & 10 am

**Sunday liturgy is still available on YouTube. See  
parish website for link.**

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

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

**Office Hours:** parish office hours are Monday through  
Friday, 8:30 am to 12:30 pm.

Check the parish website for liturgy schedule updates.



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**The Ascension of  
the Lord  
May 16, 2021**

*Whoever believes and is baptized  
will be saved.*

— Mark 16:16

### *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 April 24-25*

*Thank you!*

**Weekend Offering** .....\$10,872.26

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.

### *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.

### *The Loan*

We didn't inherit the earth from our parents.  
We're borrowing it from our children.

—Chief Seattle

### *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>

### *Mass Intentions*

**Sat., 4:00 pm and  
Sun., 8:00 am  
and 10:00 am**

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

**5/15 - 4:00 pm:**

Caitlyn Daviess  
Felix The  
Engineer Ricarte Tadeha  
Zenaida Gloria  
Tely Cayaban  
Emerita R. Verayo (L)  
Raymond Manuel Verayo  
Regina Ramos  
Avelina Gordovez

**5/16 - 8:00 am & 10:00 am:**

Sheryl Young Benson  
Joel Rusk  
Estan Ocoma  
Alfredo Villalpando  
Rey Dollete  
Dwayne (Skip) Rideau  
Felix The  
Leonardo Bueno  
Zenaida Gloria

**5/18 - Adolfo & Ludy Vocal (L)**

### *Pray for the Sick*

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

Richard Augusta	Kristy Poindexter
Baby Scott	Roy Quicho
Stacia DeBuhr	Doris Radovan
Joan Grazzini	Seth Reese
Phil Herlick	Shane Rideau
Kristopher Leffle	Nick Savedra
Peggy Lennan	Fred Schobert
Elaine Lopez	Bill Schnitzer
Matt and Marc Lopez	Jennifer Christine Serventi
Ken Mason	Jane Sharpe
Barbara Mulloy	Ed Swope
Matthew & Molly Ouimet	George Torres
Sharon Ouimet	Peter & Grace Villalpando
Lee Poe	Bob Wright

*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 **Robert Burton, Mary Jane Lopez, Zenaida Gloria, Adele Dutra, Tony Harris and Ret. CHP Officer Cliff Kroeger.**

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 19:1-8; Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab; Jn 16:29-33
Tuesday:	Acts 20:17-27; Ps 68:10-11, 20-21; Jn 17:1-11a
Wednesday:	Acts 20:28-38; Ps 68:29-30, 33-36ab; Jn 17:11b-19
Thursday:	Acts 22:30; 23:6-11; Ps 16:1-2a, 5, 7-11; Jn 17:20-26
Friday:	Acts 25:13b-21; Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19- 20ab; Jn 21:15-19
Saturday:	Acts 28:16-20, 30-31; Ps 11:4, 5, 7; Jn 21:20-25
Sunday:	Acts 2:1-11; Ps 104:1, 24, 29-31, 34; 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13

## Eucharistic Ministers

Welcome back Eucharistic Ministers! We are putting together the Eucharistic Ministers Schedule for June 2021. Please let me know if you are interested in returning to this important ministry. I can be reached by email at [daviesszoo@sbcglobal.net](mailto:daviesszoo@sbcglobal.net) or by phone at **925-584-0843**. Hope to hear from you soon.

Shalom, Shelli Daviess



## 2021 Bishop's Appeal

The 2021 Bishop's Appeal is continuing. If you haven't brought your gift as yet, please prayerfully consider doing so. These funds directly support the many ministries and activities of the Diocese. Please place your gift in the collection basket on the weekends or visit the parish office during the week. All gifts are welcome. It is through everyone's participation that we will meet our goal.



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)

## COVID-19 Updates

Contra Costa County has made it to the orange tier! This means that the virus is slowing down somewhat in the county, and that indoor liturgies may once again take place.

- We have returned to indoor in-person liturgies at 4:00 pm on Saturday and at 8:00 and 10:00 am on Sunday. Please arrive at least 10 minutes early for each of these liturgies.
- We are still limited to the number of people per liturgy. **Watch for updates via Flocknote or the parish website.**
- **Sunday Liturgy continues to be uploaded to YouTube every Sunday morning.**
- **The parish office is once again open. Voicemail and email will also continue to be checked frequently.**
- All non-essential gatherings remain suspended. Any essential business meetings must be held virtually or outdoors.

## Grandma's Pies are back!

Grandma Yarolimek has kept very busy these past few months preparing for our Summer Pie Sale. She has even added Cherry and Nectarine to the mix and two new cobblers! Pies will be delivered in time for your Fourth of July family get-togethers.

If you would like more information, please look for the flyer in Father Robert's Insert or email [kofc12587@gmail.com](mailto:kofc12587@gmail.com) and we will email the flyer to you. If you do not use email, you may contact any Knights of Columbus Brother and the order will be placed for you.

All orders must be received by June 13th and may be picked up at the drive-thru on June 26th between 1:30 and 2:30 pm in the St. Ignatius of Antioch parking lot. Thank you for your continued support.

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