

St. Ignatius of Antioch

August 8, 2021 - Nineteenth Sunday in Summer's 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
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
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Eucharist Schedule

Saturday Vigil: 4 pm
Sunday: 8 am & 10 am
Weekdays: suspended due to construction

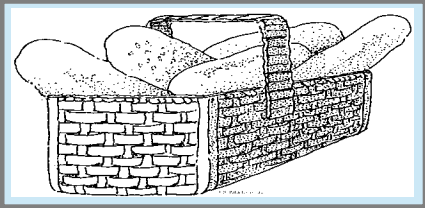
Sunday liturgy is available on YouTube. See parish website for link.

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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*I am the living bread that came
down from heaven.*

— John 6:51

Stewardship of Treasure

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

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

Weekend Offering for July 24-25

Weekend Offering\$10,512.00

Bishop's Appeal 2021\$19,735.00
(as of July 15, 2021)

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 parish office during the week.

Thank you!

Mass Intentions

8/7 - 4:00 pm:
Antonino Bondi
Caitlyn Renee Daviess

8/8 - 8:00 am & 10:00 am:
Alfredo & Elina Avelar
Josefina Villalpando (L)
Joseph Pollard
Susie Sangimino
Edna Medina (L)
Don Burian

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

Looking Ahead

August 7-8: Backpack drive. See page 3 for more details.

August 20: Contra Costa Food Bank Distribution from 3:30 - 4:30 pm in the parking lot. (1st & 3rd Fridays each month)

Pray for the Sick

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

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| Susano Amodia | Lee Poe |
| Josefina Baldoza | Kristy Poindexter |
| Stacia DeBuhr | Judy Quicho |
| Mist Frank | Roy Quicho |
| Phil Herlick | Rick Rasor |
| Kristopher Leffle | Seth Reese |
| Peggy Lennan | Shane Rideau |
| Buzz Locke | Nick Savedra |
| Debra Lopez | Fred Schobert |
| Elaine Lopez | Bill Schnitzer |
| Matt and Marc Lopez | Jennifer Christine Serventi |
| Barbara Mulloy | Murray Sexton, III |
| Matthew & Molly Ouimet | Peter & Grace Villalpando |
| Sharon Ouimet | 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.

Grand Raffle

The 2021 Grand Raffle is underway. Be on the lookout for the letter in the mail this week!

This year's theme is **"Run with the Bulls."** This is our most important fundraising event and we look forward to your support .



Rest in Peace

Please pray for the souls of **Nancy Valdoria, Kevin Costa, Lucita Acidre, Nancy Pitts, John Tarango, Pasquale Romano and Lyn "Ski" Pratt.**

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:	Dt 10:12-22; Ps 147:12-15, 19-20; Mt 17:22-27
Tuesday:	2 Cor 9:6-10; Ps 112:1-2, 5-9; Jn 12:24-26
Wednesday:	Dt 34:1-2; Ps 66:1-3a, 5, 8, 16-17; Mt 18:15-20
Thursday:	Jos 3:7-10a, 11, 13-17; Ps 114:1-6; Mt 18:21 — 19:1
Friday:	Jos 24:1-13; Ps 136:1-3, 16-18, 21-22, 24; Mt 19:3-12
Saturday:	Jos 24:14-29; Ps 16:1-2a, 5, 7-8, 11; Mt 19:13-15
Sunday:	Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab; Ps 45:10-12, 16; 1 Cor 15:20-27; Lk 1:39-56

St. Peter Martyr School Backpack Drive Returns

This year, we are again planning to collect backpacks filled with school supplies. See Father's insert for a list of supplies by class level that will allow you to 'customize' your backpacks by class.

Please bring your backpack donations to this weekend's liturgies or to the parish office no later than Monday, August 9th. Thank you for your continued support!



2021 Bishop's Appeal

Thank you to everyone who has participated in the 2021 Bishop's Appeal. As of May 31st, 153 parish families have supported the Bishop's Appeal with gifts and pledges totaling \$19,735. **We are now at 57% of our goal - \$34,900.** If you haven't yet contributed, please prayerfully consider doing so. All gifts are welcome no matter the amount. Place your gift in the collection basket on the weekends or visit the parish office during the week.



Sign-up for Flocknote by visiting the parish website and clicking on the Flocknote link under Quick Links on the homepage:
www.stignatiusofantioch.org

Current Reopening Protocols

Indoor Liturgies

- Due to the increased spread of the highly contagious Delta COVID-19 variant, the Contra Costa County Health Department is recommending that masks be worn in all indoor situations. In an abundance of caution, we ask that everyone attending Mass wear a mask.
- There are no more restrictions on social distancing and seating limits for indoor worship.
- Eucharistic Ministers must wear a mask and use the available hand sanitizer before commencing to distribute Holy Communion.
- There is no sign in requirement to attend Mass.

Office Visitors: Anyone who comes to the office (employees, volunteers, and visitors) must sign in. The sign in sheet is located in the Narthex, just outside the parish office. All volunteers who work in the building should check with office staff for proof of vaccination and mask requirements. Your cooperation is appreciated.

Meetings: Indoor, in-person meetings and gatherings may resume. **Meetings must be scheduled and approved in advance by contacting the parish office.** With the ongoing construction, meeting space is severely restricted.

Thank you for your understanding and cooperation. The health of everyone in our community is our primary concern.

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