

# Hope

## The Order of St. Ignatius Supports

IOCC International Orthodox Christian Charities  
Syrian Relief Fund  
Project Mexico  
Treehouse Ministries



Hope is the "real" gift you give that provides a needed "hand up" to the lives of those struggling to provide the basic necessities for their children and families.

## The 3 Tenets Of The Order of St. Ignatius of Antioch

### Act Of Faith

Rooted In Love &  
Compassion

All the way back to our earliest years as a child we are taught to share with others, especially those less fortunate. When we share, we give up what we believe to be control in our lives. We put our faith in God that He will provide for our needs in abundance. Through your financial commitment, you are allowing God to work through you for the benefit of others. Your gift to the Order is an expression of love and compassion for countless lives and most importantly ... it is an act of Faith.

### A Sacrifice

Immeasurable In Its  
Capacity

To sacrifice for one another is to love. Deciding to "do without" for the benefit of someone you don't know is the beginning of a true sacrifice. Your sacrifice helps a struggling family send their children to camp enabling them to experience God's world if only for a few days. It provides reassurance to a new parish, that it can meet its monthly financial obligations and continue its ministry. As a member of the Order you may consider your sacrifice to be small, but it is immeasurable in its capacity to change people's lives.

### Infinite In Its Effect

Making A Difference  
Together

Your annual gift, less than the cost of your daily cup of coffee, is merely a drop of water in a vast ocean of need. However, the ripple from your gift never ends. It expands to enrich the lives of our youth by strengthening their hearts and minds as future leaders of the Faith. It multiplies to help care for our retired clergy and our devoted seminarians. The ripple from your annual or lifetime gift touches the lives of so many that you would never have been able to reach alone.



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Let no man's place, or dignity, or riches, puff him up; and let no man's low condition or poverty abase him. For the chief points are faith towards God, hope towards Christ, the enjoyment of those good things for which we look, and love towards God and our neighbor.  
- Saint Ignatius of Antioch

# The Order of Saint Ignatius of Antioch

*Inspiring Faith, Hope, Selflessness & Gratitude For 50 Years*

## Changing The World, One Life At A Time For Almost 50 Years

Dear Saint Ignatius,  
Thank you for sponsoring me so I could go to Antiochian village this summer. This is my first time going to camp, and I can't wait. I am excited to try something different, make new friends, and create memories. I will never forget your generosity. Thank you for making this experience possible.  
-Best of wishes,  
Luke

Dear board of trustees,  
Thank you for helping the camp run! Without you there would be no camp.  
Nick

Dear Saint Ignatius,  
Thank you for help running camp. Thank you so much. You are the best bord of trsutys and I audor you. And I lay my life before you on how much I love you.

Dear Ignatius,  
You did so much for this vilige and make it strong and lovely.

Dear Mr. Ignatius, thank you for all you've done for camp and without you most of us would not be here. Lord have mercy.—Emile.

Dear Order of Saint Ignatius  
Thank you for giving The Gift to come here and having fun. It is a blessing for a little kid to come here.

Dear Saint Ignatius,  
Thank you for efrething you do for us and doing good needs and treating people good.

Dear Order of Saint Ignatius,  
Thank you to all of the support and help you have given our camp to make it a better place for the campers. Thank you for everything that you have done. Without your help, a lot of these campers would be stuck in places full of trouble. The village is a safe place for me and my friends to talk and ask for help from them and God. Everyone here at AV prays for you and hopes that you will always support the village and the other camps and all of us campers. I went to a other camp before and that was great too.

Love,  
Me

Dear Order of Saint Ignatius,

You have helped me and a lot of other campers be here and have a wonderful time. I love all of the time you put into helping this camp. One of my faviot parts of camp is Gimme shop. I also really love how butiful and nice the cabins are. I love talking, playing, and making bracelets with my cabinmates. When I grow up, I want to send my kids here and I still think it will be as great as this. All of the fun activits keep us going if we have a hardship or miss our parents. This is a place that we have fun praying to God and meeting new people. I hope I never leave.

THANK YOU!!!!!!

Love,

A camper who loves this place.

Dear Order of Saint Ignatius,  
Thank you for everything you do for this ministry. Your love and appreciation for camp and its campers makes this place so special. You have helped take care of this camp in a number of ways, but most importantly by aiding campers with your scholarships. So many children have been able to come to camp, grow in Faith, and make friends & memories because of you. For that, I am beyond grateful. We love you and are praying for you.  
Thank you,  
AV Staff Member 2023

Dear Dr. Ignatius

I thank you and God bless you For all the great donations that you gave to this camp. My life is better today.  
Thank you.

Dear Order of saint Ignatius,  
I love this camp. We are all siblings in Christ and it is very fun. Thank you. For donating money to us kids to have this experience.

Dear Saint Ignatius,  
I live in Michigan too. We are writing to thank you for your generosity that allowed us to attend the Antiochian village this summer for the first time. With three of us attending and our long-travel from where we live, the financial assistance we received was the only way we could make going to camp possible this summer. We could not have done it without your help.  
Thank you.

*Commemorating 50 Years Of Caring For Others*