

# PNC Intermediate Bond Fund

Period ending 9/30/18

NASDAQ SYMBOLS

I Shares: PIKIX

A Shares: PBFAX

C Shares: PIBCX

PNC Intermediate Bond Fund seeks to provide current income and preservation of capital by investing primarily in a portfolio of investment-grade fixed income securities.

## PERFORMANCE SUMMARY TOTAL RETURNS

Share Class (Inception Date)		3 Mos	Year to Date	1 Year	ANNUALIZED				Max Sales Chg.	Max CDSC	Gross Exp. Ratio	Net Exp. Ratio <sup>1</sup>
					3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	Since Inception				
Class I (12/20/89)		0.39%	-0.88%	-1.13%	0.78%	1.14%	3.13%	4.97%	—	—	0.59%	0.53%
Class A (4/15/91)	NAV	0.33%	-1.07%	-1.30%	0.51%	0.91%	2.86%	4.50%	4.50%	—	0.85%	0.79%
	POP	-4.19%	-5.51%	-5.78%	-1.03%	-0.01%	2.39%	4.32%	4.50%	—	0.85%	0.79%
Class C (5/30/00)	NAV	0.15%	-1.68%	-2.07%	-0.22%	0.15%	2.12%	3.02%	—	1.00%	1.59%	1.53%
	POP	-0.85%	-2.65%	-3.04%	-0.22%	0.15%	2.12%	3.02%	—	1.00%	1.59%	1.53%
Bloomberg Barclays Intermediate U.S. Government/Credit Bond Index <sup>2</sup>		0.21%	-0.76%	-0.96%	0.91%	1.52%	3.22%	—	—	—	—	—

<sup>1</sup> Net operating expenses reflect contractual waivers and expense reimbursements that continue through the end of September 2019. For more information on fee waivers or expense reimbursements please see the expense table in the prospectus. If the waivers or reimbursements were not in effect the Fund's performance would have been lower.

*Past performance is no guarantee of future results. Investment return and principal value will fluctuate so that shares, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than their original cost. POP (Public Offering Price) figures reflect maximum sales charge in class A shares of 4.50%. NAV (Net Asset Value) returns do not include the effect of any applicable sales charges. A contingent deferred sales charge of 1.00% is charged if you redeem class C shares within 12 months of the date of purchase. Current performance may be lower or higher than that shown here. Performance data current to the most recent month-end is available at 800-622-FUND (3863) or pncfunds.com.*

## PORTFOLIO CHARACTERISTICS

Number of Securities <b>180</b>	Effective Duration (Years) <sup>3</sup> <b>3.81</b>	30-day SEC Yield (sub./unsub.) <sup>4</sup> <b>2.68%/2.59%</b>
Total Fund Net Assets <b>\$133.8M</b>	Weighted Average Life (Years) <b>4.31</b>	Average Credit Quality <sup>5</sup> <b>Aa3</b>

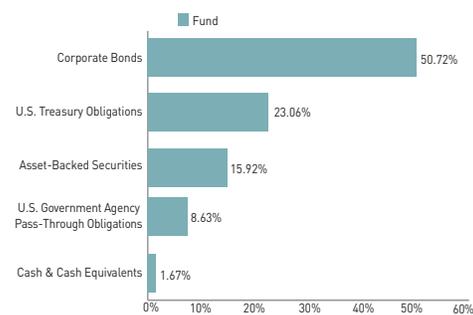
<sup>3</sup> Measure of a bond fund's sensitivity to changes in interest rates. Generally, the longer a bond or fund's duration, the more the price of the bond or fund will change as interest rates change.

<sup>4</sup> Yield shown is for I share class only. Other share class yields may differ. The 30-day SEC yield is calculated with a standardized formula mandated by the SEC. The formula is based on maximum offering price per share and includes the effect of any fee waivers. Without waivers, yields would be reduced. The 30-day unsubsidized SEC yield does not reflect waivers in effect. A fund's actual distribution rate will differ from the SEC yield and any income distributions from the fund may be higher or lower than the SEC yield.

<sup>5</sup> Average of each bond's credit rating, adjusted for its relative weighting in the portfolio.

## SECTOR WEIGHTINGS<sup>6</sup>

(Subject to Change)



<sup>6</sup> Sector Weightings are a percent of total net assets, calculated based on Fund net assets, and are subject to change. As such, they are for illustrative purposes only as they are not a permanent reflection of Fund composition.

## MOODY'S BOND RATINGS<sup>7</sup>

(Subject to Change)

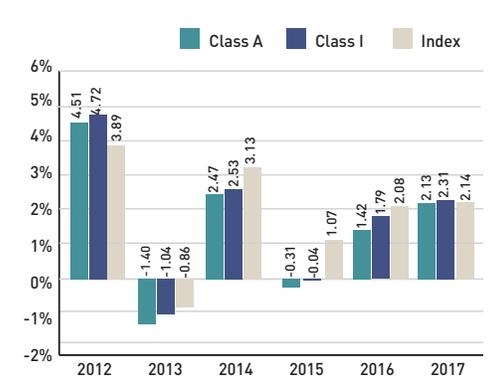
Aaa	46.80%	Baa	24.50%
Aa	2.70%	Below Baa	4.60%
A	16.10%	NR*	5.30%
<b>Total</b>			<b>100%</b>

Aaa	Highest Quality	Baa	Medium Grade
Aa	High Quality	Below Baa	Predominantly speculative, poor quality in increasing degrees
A	Upper Medium Grade	NR*	Not Rated

\* While certain of the Fund's securities may be Not Rated by Moody's, they may be rated by additional NRSRO's.

<sup>7</sup> A credit rating is a current opinion of the credit-worthiness of an obligor with respect to a financial obligation. It takes into consideration the credit-worthiness of guarantors, insurers, or other forms of credit enhancement on the obligation and takes into account the currency in which the obligation is denominated. Bond ratings are subject to change.

## CALENDAR YEAR TOTAL NAV RETURNS



<sup>2</sup> The Bloomberg Barclays Intermediate U.S. Government/Credit Bond Index, an unmanaged index representative of intermediate term bonds, is not available for direct investment. Unlike a mutual fund, the performance of an index assumes no taxes, transaction costs, management fees, or other expenses.

**INVESTMENT STRATEGY**

PNC Intermediate Bond Fund is managed through a team-driven, top-down process utilizing active sector rotation, duration, and yield curve management, with extensive credit research and portfolio analysis to mitigate risk. The Fund seeks to provide current income as well as preservation of capital by investing in investment-grade fixed income securities, including U.S. and international government bonds, corporate, mortgage-backed, and asset-backed securities. The Fund normally will maintain a dollar-weighted average maturity between three and ten years, but may vary outside that range from time to time, including due to market conditions or if deemed appropriate for temporary defensive purposes. The Fund's duration (its sensitivity to interest rate changes) is managed to plus/minus 20% maximum relative to its benchmark index, the Bloomberg Barclays Intermediate U.S. Government/Credit Bond Index.

**INVESTMENT RISKS**

The value of debt securities may be affected by the ability of issuers to make principal and interest payments and even the possibility that the issuer will default completely. Although U.S. government securities are considered to be among the safest investments, they are not guaranteed against price movements due to changing interest rates. An investment in the Fund is subject to interest-rate risk, which is the possibility that a fund's yield will decline due to falling interest rates and the potential for bond prices to fall as interest rates rise. High-yielding, non-investment-grade bonds present a greater risk of loss to principal and interest than investment-grade securities. International investments are subject to special risks not ordinarily associated with domestic investments, including currency fluctuations, economic and political change, and differing accounting standards that may adversely affect portfolio securities. These risks may be heightened in emerging markets. The Fund may also be subject to prepayment risk, the risk that the principal of a fixed income security that is held by the Fund may be prepaid prior to maturity, potentially forcing the Fund to reinvest that money at a lower interest rate.

**Derivatives Risk.** The Fund may invest a portion of its assets in derivatives. Derivative instruments include options, futures, and options on futures. A small investment in derivatives could have a potentially large impact on the Fund's performance. The Fund may be unable to terminate or sell a derivatives position. Derivative counterparties may suffer financial difficulties and may not fulfill their contractual obligations.

On August 29, 2018, the Board of Trustees of PNC Funds approved the conversion of Class C shares of the PNC Total Return Advantage Fund to Class A shares of the Fund. The conversion of Class C shares is expected to take place on or about December 10, 2018 (the "Conversion Date"). Effective November 15, 2018 through the Conversion Date, contingent deferred sales charges ("CDSCs"), if applicable, on the Fund's Class C shares will be waived. No CDSCs, if applicable, will be payable in connection with this conversion.

On August 28, 2018, the Board of Trustees of PNC Funds approved the reorganization (the "Reorganization") of PNC Intermediate Bond Fund ("Bond Fund") into PNC Total Return Advantage Fund ("Advantage Fund"). If the Reorganization is completed as proposed, each shareholder of the Bond Fund would become a shareholder in the Advantage Fund. If shareholders approve the Reorganization and other closing conditions are met, the Reorganization is anticipated to close in the fourth quarter of 2018. Prior to the Reorganization, Bond Fund shareholders may continue to purchase, redeem and exchange their shares subject to the limitations described in the Bond Fund's prospectus, as supplemented.

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**You should consider the investment objectives, risks, charges, and expenses of PNC Funds carefully before investing. A prospectus or summary prospectus with this and other information may be obtained at 800-622-FUND (3863) or pncfunds.com. The prospectus should be read carefully before investing.**

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Managed fund since: 2009

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Managed fund since: 2017

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Effective November 14, 2017 Mark Lozina, CFA, will no longer serve as a Portfolio Manager of PNC Intermediate Bond Fund. In addition, the title of Jeffery Bryant, CFA changed to Assistant Portfolio Manager.