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CHURCH of THE INCARNATION

April 19, 2015

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Registration

New parishioners are asked to contact the office. A warm welcome to all.

Baptisms

Baptisms are held on the first three Sundays, after the noon Mass. Baptisms may be scheduled on the 4th Sundays during the noon Mass (limit 4). First time parents should plan to attend the Baptismal Preparation Program offered the first Thursday of each month (7:30 Parish Center).

RCIA

Obtain information on The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults by calling Tim Niesel.

Marriages

Please plan for six months preparation time. Contact Mrs. Porcino.

Hospital & Homebound Visits

We take particular care to visit those hospitalized and homebound. If you or a family member are hospitalized or homebound, please call the parish office. If there is a need to be anointed, you may contact the office with that request.

Mass Intentions

Call or visit the Pastoral Center.



And the
Word became
flesh and lived
among us...

John 1:14

MASS TIMES

Daily _____

6:30, 8:30*: (*All school Mass Fridays 9:00 Church)

Saturday: 8:30am

Sunday Liturgy _____

Sat. 5:30pm Sun: 7:30, 9:00, 10:30, noon—Church
9:30 and 11:00—Parish Center

Confessions _____

Saturday mornings, 9:00-9:45

Eucharistic Adoration _____

3rd Mondays, 7:00pm, with Exposition and Benediction.

Church open (door closest to Rectory) throughout the week for

private adoration: Mon-Thurs, 6:00am-9:00pm; Fri, 6:00am-5:00pm;

Sat, 8:00am-6:30pm; Sun, 7:00am-9:00pm

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Mon ... Acts 6:8-15 • Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30 • Jn 6:22-29
Tue Acts 7:51-8:1a • Ps 31:3cd-4, 6, 7b, 8a, 17, 21ab • Jn 6:30-35
Wed ... Acts 8:1b-8 • Ps 66:1-3a, 4-7a • Jn 6:35-40
Thu Acts 8:26-40 • Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20 • Jn 6:44-51
Fri Acts 9:1-20 • Ps 117:1bc, 2 • Jn 6:52-59
Sat..... 1 Pt 5:5b-14 • Ps 89:2-3, 6-7, 16-17 • Mk 16:15-20
Sun Acts 4:8-12 • Ps 118:1,8-9,21-23,26,28,29 • 1 Jn 3:1-2 • Jn 10:11-18

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

The Gospel today tells us how the two disciples who had walked with Jesus on the way to Emmaus come back to tell the others their experience. And while they were still sharing their experience, Jesus appeared to them. Through that experience, the disciples began to realize their role in sharing the meaning of Scripture with others.

The Church has had many great, heroic witnesses to Christ's life and teaching. There are many saints, canonized and not yet canonized, who had a mission to fulfill. We are given a purpose as well.

We are all used to making Lenten resolutions, what we will give up, what penance we will try to perform. Why not make some Easter resolutions such as sharing the peace and the presence of Christ with others or at least with one other person.

Maybe we can be a little like a spiritual Johnny Appleseed sowing seeds of truth, care, honesty, and fidelity in our world. Maybe those seeds will become a spiritual orchard. Faith in Christ, when it takes shape in us, gives stability to our lives.

The Resurrection of Jesus was the first sign and the guarantee of the huge harvest that was to follow, the harvest of forgiveness and peace He brings, the harvest of His presence in so many human lives, and the harvest of mission as we try to share something of Christ with others.

The story of Easter was not finished with the Ascension of Jesus. Now we are a part of the Easter story. Jesus is counting on us to bring others to know Him as we witness our faith with others. God bless you.

Deacon Bob

BAPTISMS

Beau Charles Brinck
Son of Brian and Amanda (Halcomb)
Bianca Lynn Gorney
Daughter of Seth and Amanda (Bartuseck)
Sadie Ann Laurinaitis
Tye Joseph Laurinaitis
Children of Joseph and Andrea (Cannon)
Julian Willis Ryan
Son of Kevin and Katherine (Beaulieu)
Miles Anthony Shah
Son of Devanand and Sarah (Berning)

SERVER TRAINING

To all 6th and 7th graders who are not already servers, server training will be either on Thurs, April 30th at 7PM or Wed, May 6th at 4:15 PM. If you already have received a sign up sheet please turn that in to your teachers, at mass, or to Fr. Brian. If you are not in the 6th or 7th grade and would like to serve please contact Fr. Brian. Thank you for your consideration.

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Monday, April 20

6:30—McIntyre Family (L)
8:30—Mary Boehmer (d)

Tuesday, April 21

6:30—Brinkman Family (L)
8:30—Pat Vanover (d)

Wednesday, April 22

6:30—Rudolph Family (L)
8:30—Edward Bartus (d)

Thursday, April 23

6:30—Willoughby Family (L)
8:30—Heintz Huttinger (d)

Friday, April 24

6:30—Payne Family (L)
8:30—Isadore Steinke (d)

Saturday, April 25

8:30—Mishelle Tina Murlin (d)



Blessed rest:
Shirley Fisher



WEEKEND SCHEDULE

Saturday, April 25

5:30: Fr. Stretch

Sunday, April 26

7:30: Fr. Brian
9:00: Fr. Brian
9:30: Fr. George
10:30: Fr. Stretch
11:00: Fr. George
12:00: Fr. Stretch

SUNDAY COLLECTION

April 12___\$36,859

St. Vincent de Paul___\$6,026

Thank You for your continued generous support of the St. Vincent De Paul Society of Incarnation Church. Through mid-April of 2015, your donations have allowed us to provide emergency assistance in response to 384 calls for help from needy families living in our community. This year to date, 58% of callers have requested food assistance and 32% have asked for help with rent or utility bills. Incarnation Vincentians visited 75% of these callers in their homes. Your charity continues to make our community and our world a better place.

"Amen, I say to you, whatever you did for one of these least brothers of mine, you did for me" (Mt 25:40). Today, we are reminded that Jesus identified himself with our poorest brothers and sisters. The Catholic Relief Services Collection serves Jesus in the victims of human trafficking, in those who suffer from unjust laws, and in those who need pastoral care and humanitarian assistance across the globe. Through supporting today's collection, you help Jesus in disguise. Please be generous.

MY SACRIFICE AND YOURS The Worship Commission has sponsored a new booklet called *My Sacrifice and Yours* by Fr. Paul Turner. In this book he describes the role of the people at Mass. He shows that as the baptized we can offer our whole life to God during Mass with the priest as he offers the sacrifice of the Eucharist. It is a fine book recommended by the Worship commission. There are a limited number so please if you choose to pick up a copy, please take one per family.

FAITH HEALTH MINISTRY will be offering free blood pressure screenings for parishioners 18 years and older **Sun, April 19, 8am-1pm in Parish Center room 104.**

HOLY HOUR There will be a holy hour Mon, April 20, at 7PM

BLOOD DRIVE Mon, April 20, from 3-7pm in the Parish Center. Please bring a photo ID with your full name or your donor identification card with you if you have one. Must be 17 or older (16 with signed CBC parental consent form) weigh at least 110 pounds, and be in generally good health. Students wishing to earn service hours are welcome to bake cookies and recruit new blood donors (Cookies may be dropped off at the parish center 3pm the day of the blood drive. To make an appointment visit www.donortime.com and enter sponsor code 813. 1-800-388-GIVE.

LEARN CPR AND SAVE A LIFE!! The Faith Health Ministry will offer non-credentialed hands-only FREE CPR training for high school students and adults in the Parish Center on April 26, at 10:30 and 11:30 AM.

This 40 minute training will include:

Adult hands-only CPR and AED ♦ Child CPR ♦ Adult and child choking
This training involves kneeling on the floor and providing hard and fast chest compressions. Wear comfortable clothing and bring a knee pad if desired. Donations will be accepted to offset the cost of supplies. To register, email Paula Dunham at pdunham@woh.rr.com. Class size is limited.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY BUNDLE SUNDAY Spring Cleaning? Please save your usable household and clothing items for the St. Vincent de Paul thrift stores. A truck will be at the church May 2 and 3 before and after all Masses to accept your donations. Tax receipts will be available. See bulletin next Sunday for items needed. For furniture pick up call 222-5555.

GROUNDS BEAUTIFICATION Spring is here and its time to begin gardening. Thank you to all the current members of the grounds beautification committee who have agreed to continue with their area. More hands are always appreciated. If you would be interested in helping keep the parish grounds looking good, please call Bootie Zengel 433-1323 for more information.

BOY SCOUT TROOP 530 TENT SALE June 6, 8am-3pm, June 7, 9am-1pm, School. Scouts will pick up donated items from your home. To schedule a pick up, make a tax deductible donation of items or for questions, contact Rudy Moody 760-2637.

NINE MONTHS WITH CHRIST IN THE WOMB The placenta which connects Jesus to his mother is now fully formed, but what is far more exciting is that his Sacred Heart, so full of love for humanity, is beginning to develop. Jesus of the womb, Hear our prayers!

A local woman fighting Multiple Sclerosis needs your help! She desperately needs volunteers to assist other team members with transfers. Time involved minimal 1-2 hrs per week. She is also in need of people to help with meals, transit, etc. For more info contact Dionne at 291-1992 or Mike at 677-0746 or email to chanatry@woh.rr.com. No experience required! Hope you can join the team!

HOMETOWN NAZARETH VBS! – WHERE JESUS WAS A KID!



Accepting registration forms for students entering kindergarten through 6th grade (next school year). No walk-ins, campers must be registered. Please contact Paula.Weckesser@incarnation.catholic.org for the required VBS forms. Camp Dates: June 8-12 (8:45am-Noon). Registration will close on May 1st. Thank you and God Bless!

INCARNATION SCHOOL 433-1051

Incarnation School is an excellent school that reflects the faith values that are important to your family. If you are interested in a Catholic education, please contact the Principal, Dr. Cheryl Reichel, for a meeting and a tour of the school. You may contact our Registrar, Mrs. Kim Shields, 433-1051, x134, to begin the registration process. Visit our website at www.incarnation-school.com

Dear Incarnation Parishioners,

This year Fr. Stretch challenged us to have more gratitude. I am thankful for my parents for sending me to Incarnation. I am very thankful for the friends I have made at this school. I have learned so much and I have really grown in my faith. I am so thankful for my teachers who teach me right from wrong. This is a wonderful community.

Morgan

Thank you!

Thank you for your support making the Fry at Incarnation the most successful year yet. The Fry was record breaking raising over \$90,000! There were over 2100 tickets sold and 1105 pounds of fish served. New at The Fry this year was a heated tent with Warped Wing, the band This Side Up playing, and TVs showing NCAA games including a UD win! We can't wait until The Fry in 2016!

Alter Music Association Annual Mulch Sale: April 18/19 and April 25/26 at Alter High School parking lot. Mulch orders may be picked up or delivered – Alter Music students and parents will deliver your mulch for free if ordered by April 13th (within a 20-mile radius from Alter). After April 13th, the delivery fee is \$10 per order. **Supreme, Dark and Hardwood Mulch. Price per LARGE 3 cubic ft. bag: \$5.75 for 1-15 bags; \$5.50 for 16-24 bags; \$5.25 for 25+ bags.*** To Order, go online to www.alterna.org or call 937-401-0011 and leave an ordering message. Mulch spreading service available by the Alter Lacrosse team – information about how to coordinate is available when you order. Thank you for supporting the Alter Music Association!



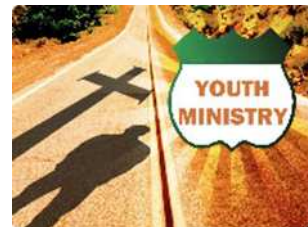
Euchre Night Fundraiser

Friday, May 1, 2015

6:30 - 11:00pm

(Check-In begins at 6:30; play begins at 7:00)

Incarnation Parish Center



- ❖ We'll be playing in groups of 16. You may organize your own group or be grouped with others. Single players welcome. ***Must be over 21 to attend.***
- ❖ **Cost is \$10 per person, pre-paid only, by 4/27/15** as it is necessary to establish groups prior to the event and to aid in the registration process that evening. Space is limited! Prizes!!!
- ❖ Proceeds go to support the Incarnation Youth Ministry and their mission work.
- ❖ We'll provide pretzels, peanuts, iced tea, lemonade, coffee, paper products and ice. Bring other hors d'oeuvres and beverages for your group if desired.

Your name: (1) _____ Phone Number: _____

Your address: _____

_____ e-mail: _____

Amount enclosed: _____ (\$10 per person)

Others you wish to be grouped with: (one registration per group)

2. _____	7. _____	12. _____
3. _____	8. _____	13. _____
4. _____	9. _____	14. _____
5. _____	10. _____	15. _____
6. _____	11. _____	16. _____

Please make checks payable to **Incarnation Youth Ministry** and mail to:

Danny Dunn 55 Williamsburg Lane Centerville, OH 45459

Questions?? Please contact: Ruth Reeve 885-6674 or Beth Brough 260-3185

One Faith One Hope One Love Questions and Answers

- ❖ Who? Every parish in the diocese will participate. We are in Block One at Incarnation.
- ❖ How Much? Our goal is the largest of any parish ... \$3.5 million.
- ❖ Where Do We Stand? Generous parishioners have already pledged \$ 1.75 M (50% of our goal.)
- ❖ What's The Money For ?
 - 1) 50% goes to Catholic Education in the form of yearly \$1000 grants to qualifying families and funds will be provided for the PREP Programs in all parishes.
 - 2) 20% will be returned to Incarnation parish as pledges are received. If we reach our goal we will get back 60% of anything collected above the goal. This money will be used for capital improvements and tuition assistance.
 - 3) 12% will go to foster vocations and for capital improvements needed due to increased enrollment at the seminary in Cincinnati.
 - 4) 10% will be used to provide for retired Diocesan Priests. In the next 5 yrs the number of retired priests is projected to increase from 84 to 140.
 - 5) 8% will go to Catholic Charities for the fund bank and other services.
- ❖ What's Needed for Success? We need your prayers. We need everyone to answer their phones or return calls when parish volunteers leave a message. If you have discontinued your landline or have changed your phone number, please call the parish office so we have up to date information.
- ❖ How Do I Contribute? *One Faith One Hope One Love* is a campaign designed for a 5 year pledge. You can make a one-time payment but are encouraged to consider a larger pledge.
- ❖ How Do I Pay? You can use credit card, checking account, check or debit, stock transfers or a donation as part of your will. Many employers offer a match so please check.
- ❖ Is This Deductible? Yes. A separate foundation has been set up as a 501 (C) (3) Trust.
- ❖ How Long? If everyone cooperates by providing timely feedback we hope to be finished with the campaign by the end of May.

The Archbishop asks that you prayerfully consider the invitation being made. Incarnation has always been a generous parish and we are again being asked to give sacrificially for the good of the church.

