

INCARNATION OF OUR LORD PARISH

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June 24th – July 2nd, 2023

SAT. Confessions – 3:00PM – 4:00PM
Vigil – 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time
4:15PM - +Carol Balog by husband Michael
+Judy Onuschak by mother,
Bernadette Demyan

SUN. **12th Sunday in Ordinary Time**
10:00AM – Anglican Catholic Mass (in English)
****Coffee & Donuts in LaBuda Hall after Mass
to welcome the Anglican Community****

SAT. Confessions – 3:00PM – 4:00PM
Vigil – 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time
4:15PM - +Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Slabikosky by
Daughters Louise, Joanne, & Rosalie

****FIRECRACKER \$10,000.00 EVENT AFTER 4:15PM MASS****

SUN. **13th Sunday in Ordinary Time**
10:00AM – Anglican Catholic Mass (in English)

SUNDAY COLLECTION

06/18/2023

\$1,796.00

E-Giving - \$278.00

Total - \$2,074.00

THANK YOU!!

Sanctuary Lamp – In Memory of Joseph & Ethel Straka by
children Joseph & Denise

Blessed Virgin Mary Lamp – In Memory of Carol Balog by
husband Michael

St. Joseph Lamp – In Memory of Elizabeth Ann Hazler by
sister Mamie Bednar, husband Steve, & Family

2023 Vigil Lamps/Masses – There are still **VIGIL LAMPS** available for 2023. Please call the rectory during normal business hours for information. Cost is \$10 each.

*****Diocesan Information: Youth Protection** – To learn more about the Diocese of Allentown's Youth Protection Programs, Sexual Abuse Policy, and Code of Conduct, visit www.allentowndioocese.org and click on "Youth Protection" in the upper right-hand corner. **COURAGE** – Diocesan Help Line – 610-217-5557. **Catholic Bishop Abuse Reporting Service:** If you have an allegation of abuse against a bishop, please contact the Catholic Bishop Abuse Reporting Service @ www.ReportBishopAbuse.org or by calling 1-800-276-1562.



Incarnation Parish 2023 "FIRECRACKER \$10,000.00: Tickets are still available for this year's FIRECRACKER \$10,000 event. Ticket Order Forms are available in the church vestibule. Cost is **\$100.00/ticket**. Drawing will be on **Sat., July 1st, 2023** after the 4:15PM Mass. We have less than **22 tickets available. THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!!**

Incarnation Senior Group – Our meetings are held every **1st Wednesday of the month @ 12Noon in Labuda Hall!** Our next meeting will be **Wed., July 5th, 2023.** New members are always welcome and we also **extend a warm welcome to the Holy Infancy Seniors to join our group!!** There's something for everyone to enjoy! Bingo, finger foods, and refreshments are served. Please contact one of our officers if you have any questions.



FATHER ANDY'S CORNER:

2023 BECAUSE WE ARE CATHOLIC ANNUAL APPEAL -

The information from the Diocese has been updated this week, and now Incarnation parishioners have contributed **\$7,122.00** to this year's Appeal! There has been **\$8,302.00** that has been "committed" to the BAA from our parish, with our goal set @ **\$10,566.50**. We continue to move closer to our goal and I would sincerely like to thank you if you've already contributed to this year's campaign, and if not, I ask you to prayerfully consider making your commitment today! With 100% participation of our registered parish families, we can make a major impact on the lives of our own friends, families, and neighbors in need. If you've not made your pledge of support yet, you may return your pledge form to our rectory in our weekend collections or make your gift online. Please remember, every gift, no matter the amount, helps those in need. You can visit the Appeal online @ BecauseWeAreCatholic.org. **God bless you all!!**



Welcome to St. John Paul II Ordinariate Community moving to Incarnation Parish – <https://www.sjp2lv.com>

As we announced last weekend, since Holy Ghost Church will now be used exclusively for the celebration of the Mass and Sacraments in the Extraordinary Form (**Latin**), **Fr. Matthew Hummel & the St. John Paul II Anglican Ordinariate Catholic Community** that was celebrating their Sacred Liturgy at Holy Ghost will now move their Sunday Mass here to Incarnation Parish. They are in full communion with the Roman Catholic Church under the Pope, but use their particular Ritual for Mass. While the ceremony of their Ritual is somewhat different from the Mass we celebrate, it is celebrated in **English**. Anyone from Incarnation Parish can feel free to attend that **English** Sunday Mass, which fulfills our Sunday obligation.

They will begin to celebrate their Mass here @ Incarnation THIS SUNDAY, JUNE 25TH, @ 10:00AM! This will be their designated Mass time every Sunday. . **PLEASE NOTE:** If you place your contribution envelopes in the collection at this Mass, it will be returned to Incarnation Parish!! Also, coffee & donuts will be served after tomorrow's Mass in LaBuda Hall to welcome them to their new home and our parishioners from Incarnation are invited to join them and get to know each other.

PAG Monthly 50/50 Drawing Reminder - \$5.00/entry, and since this drawing takes place electronically, just make your donation in multiples of \$5.00. Donation envelopes must be received by the **LAST DAY OF EACH MONTH** in order to participate in that current month's drawing! Thank you for your support!!

PAG Upcoming Events – Save the date and stay tuned for more info regarding these future PAG activities/events. (All dates tentative!)

- **PAG Meeting – Wed., 7/12/23 in Labuda Hall**
 - **Iron Pigs Outing – Sun., 7/16/23**
 - **Bingo Buffet – Sat., 8/19/23 after 4:15PM Mass**
 - **Our Lady of Sorrows Reception – Sat., 9/16/23 after 4:15PM Mass**
 - **Halupki Take-Out Sale – Sat., 10/21/23**
 - **Church Christmas Decorating – Sat., 12/2/23**
 - **Incarnation Parish Christmas Party – Fri., 12/29/23**
- (**Tentative Date**)

St. Francis Retreat House Event – Join author Jo-Ellen Darling @ St. Francis Retreat House in Easton, PA for a time of journaling, rest, and retreat on Sat., July 15th – Sun., July 16th, 2023 as she introduces a variety of techniques to uncover where we truly are with ourselves and with God. Donation requested is \$175/person onsite accommodations with reservations closing on Wed., July 5th, @ 4:00PM. Couple, commuter, and virtual options are available. You can register @ www.stfrancisretreathouse.org or call **610-258-3053, Ext. 10**.

God & Science – Are They in Opposition? St. Theresa of the Child Jesus Parish in Hellertown, PA invites you to join them in a series of Monday night presentations by **Imrich Gombar, Ph.D.**, a St. Theresa's parishioner. If you struggle to answer questions from your children & grandchildren about the compatibility of both religion and science and sometimes doubt your own beliefs due to secular media placing our faith in conflict w/science, then these talks may help you with that struggle. Dates for these talks will be **Monday, June 19th & 26th and July 3rd, 2023 @ 7:00PM in St. Theresa's Friendship Hall, 1408 Easton Rd., Hellertown, PA**. For more info or to register, please call St. Theresa's rectory @ **610-838-7045**.



Pray that the endless mercy of the Sacred Heart of Jesus will lift out of despair those who have participated in abortions, and make them defenders of life!!