

INCARNATION OF OUR LORD PARISH

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June 3rd – 11th, 2023

- SAT.** Confessions – 3:00PM – 4:00PM
Vigil – The Most Holy Trinity
4:15PM – +Michael & Anna Balog by son Michael Balog
Slovak Catholic Sokols #78 Anniversary
- SUN.** **The Most Holy Trinity**
11:00AM – Polish Mass
Karolina & Jozef Nieroda
2:00PM – Special Slovak Catholic Sokols Mass
- MON.** *St. Boniface, Bishop & Martyr*
8:00AM – Mass @ Holy Ghost
+Justine & +Joseph Kundek by Family
- TUES.** *St. Norbert, Bishop*
8:00AM – Mass @ Holy Ghost
+Joanne Glenn by Fabian Family
- SAT.** Confessions – 3:00PM – 4:00PM
Vigil – The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi Sunday)
4:15PM – +Mary Raykos by daughter Karen Fatzinger & Family
+Joseph Raykos by wife Barbara
- SUN.** **The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi Sunday)**
11:00AM – Polish Mass
Zofia Czeslaw Malek

SUNDAY COLLECTION

05/28/2023

\$1,269.00

E-Giving - \$243.00

Total - \$1,512.00

THANK YOU!!

Sanctuary Lamp – In Memory of All Deceased Veterans of Incarnation Parish

Blessed Virgin Mary Lamp – Health & God's Blessings on Dominic Villani by Vincent Facchiano
St. Joseph Lamp – In Memory of Edward Shannon, Jr.

2023 Vigil Lamps/Masses – There are **PLENTY OF VIGIL LAMPS** still 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.allentowndiocese.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.

Slovak Catholic Sokols Celebration – Mass this Sunday, 6/4/23 @ 2:00PM followed by Pork & Sauerkraut Dinner in Labuda Hall. ****Ticket holders only for dinner!****

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 **66 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 **this Wed., June 7th, 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

- As of this date, our Incarnation parishioners have contributed **\$5,622.00** to this year's Appeal! Our parish goal has been set at **\$10,566.50**. 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!!

Fr. Andy away helping Seminarians- June 1st – 9th, 2023:

I just wanted you to know that every year, in the beginning of June, I'm blessed to help seminarians in their 8-Day Silent Retreat as a Spiritual Director. This yearly event takes place at Creighton University in Omaha, NE and is part of the program from the Institute for Priestly Formation. This institute has helped me greatly in my own priesthood and it is helping seminarians and priests grow in their relationship, identity, and mission in the priesthood to strive to serve their people better by first serving God better in their interior lives. Please pray for the over **150 seminarians** that will be attend from across the USA, and for their directors during this retreat! For more information on IPF, please see <https://priestlyformation.org/>.

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 Iron Pigs Group Outing – Our Incarnation PAG Iron Pigs Group Outing is set for **Sun., July 16th, 2023 @ 1:35PM**. The Iron Pigs take on the Charlotte Knights. Cost is **\$37.00/person** and price includes PenTeleData Party Porch I seating and many other perks. Please see posters in church for all information. **NOTE: Seating is limited!! Ticket reservations MUST BE MADE BY 5:00PM ON FRI., JUNE 15th!!** For more info, please contact Milissa Bolcar @ milissa.bolcar@messer-us.com or call 484-666-9887 (mobile)!!! Hope to see you there!!

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. Elizabeth's Parish Festival, Whitehall, PA – All are invited to share in the fun at this year's Summer Festival @ St. Elizabeth's. Our address is 435 Pershing Blvd., Whitehall (near Rt. 22 & Fullerton Ave.) Enjoy fine food, entertainment, and friendship. Dates are **next Fri., 6/9/23 from 6PM – 10PM, with the band Common Form, & next Sat., 6/10/23 5PM – 10PM with Flirtin' with the Mob**. Children/adult entertainment with lots of games; halupki dinners both nights, and burgers, sausage & steak sandwiches, potato pancakes, pierogies, etc. And don't forget dessert – waffles/ice cream, snow cones, and MORE!! Come kick off the summer season here at St. Elizabeth's!

St. Elizabeth's Vacation Bible School – “STELLAR – SHINE JESUS' LIGHT”- If you have children ages 4 thru entering 5th Grade this fall, you are invited to register them for this year's Vacation Bible School @ St. Elizabeth's Parish in Whitehall, PA. Registration forms are available from our Incarnation rectory. Cost is **\$20/child or \$35/families**. Dates are **Mon., 6/26 – Fri., 6/30/23**. Bible school will be held @ 435 Pershing Blvd., Whitehall, PA. Please call Mary Spieker @ 610-266-0695, Ext. 208 or email dirreled@sercc.org.



Please pray that the Holy Spirit enlightens our nation to create a new **CULTURE OF LIFE** that cherishes **EVERY CHILD – BOTH BORN & THE UNBORN!!**