## **INCARNATION OF OUR LORD CHURCH**

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Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator – Ms. Wendy S. Krisak, M.A., NCC, LPC,

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<u>Secretary for Youth Protection</u> – Pamela J. Russo, MSW, MS Email – <u>prusso@allentowndiocese.org</u> 610-871-5200, Ext. 2204

March 30th – April 7th, 2024

SAT. <u>SOLEMN CASTER VIGIL</u> 8:00PM – All Living & Deceased Parishioners



- SUN. ୧ମୁକ୍ଟTଫR ବ୍ୟାଧ୍ୟକ୍ରମ୍ୟ 8:00AM - All Living & Deceased Parishioners 10:00AM – Mass in the Ordinariate Form
- SAT. Confessions/Adoration 3:00PM 4:00PM
  Vigil 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Easter
  (Divine Mercy Sunday)
  4:15PM +Catherine Gerencser by Incarnation Senior Group
- SUN. 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Easter 8:00AM – All Parishioners 10:00AM – Mass in the Ordinariate Form

<u>SUNDAY COLLECTION</u> 3/23/2024 \$1,094.00 E-Giving: \$193.00 Total - \$1,287.00 THANK YOU!!

## 2024 PASCHAL CANDLE

This year's Paschal Candle has been sponsored by Raymond LaBuda & Family and given "For All Living & Deceased Parishioners of Incarnation of Our Lord Church." A sincere "THANK YOU" to Mr. LaBuda and his family for their generous donation!! God bless you for your kindness! \*\*\*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. <u>COURAGE</u> – Diocesan Help Line – 610-217-5557. <u>Catholic Bishop Abuse Reporting</u> <u>Service:</u> If you have an allegation of abuse against a bishop, please contact the Catholic Bishop Abuse Reporting Service @ www.Report BishopAbuse.org or by calling 1-800-276-1562.

### THIS WEEK'S VOTIVE LAMPS

<u>Sanctuary Lamp</u> – In Memory of Deceased Members of the Kropinicki & Bosak Families by Sandy Bosak <u>Blessed Virgin Mary Lamp</u> – In Memory of Albert & Jean Libricz by daughter Connie Libricz <u>St. Joseph Lamp</u> – In Memory of Albert & Jean Libricz by Family <u>Our Lady of the Rosary</u> – In Memory of Henry & Agnes Lipsky by Family <u>Infant of Prague</u> – All Souls in Purgatory

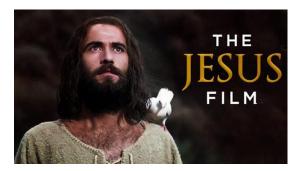
**2024 Votive Lamps & Mass Intentions:** Masses and Votive Candles are \$10.00/each. There are many Votive Lamps and some Masses for 2024 still available throughout the upcoming months. Please contact the rectory to check for available dates. Thank you.

Incarnation Senior Group – Our next meeting will be this Wed., April 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2024 @ 12Noon in LaBuda Hall! <u>\*\*NOTE\*\*</u>: A special presentation will be made by a Bethlehem Police Dept. Detective regarding scams & frauds aimed @ senior citizens. ALL ARE WELCOME!! New members are always welcome and we also extend a warm welcome to any Holy Infancy Seniors who would like 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.

# Fr. Andy's Corner: HAPPY EASTER!!

I pray that this Easter is a time of spiritual, physical and emotional renewal! Since Jesus rose from the dead anything is possible for Him and we who believe in Him if it is according to His Holy Will! May the Risen Jesus inspire us to be renewed in every aspect of our lives!

Here is some Easter inspiration for Easter Season – the Jesus Film. Look it up on Formed. There is so much more for adults and children as well! Sign up for Formed today and share it with your family members!



# TO SIGN UP for FORMED.org and enjoy all the wonderful and faith inspiring contents:

- 1) Go to www.formed.org/signup
- 2) Select "I Belong to a Parish or Organization"
- 3) Search for "Holy Infancy Church and School"
- 4) Enter your Full Name and Email address
- 5) Check that email account for a link to begin using FORMED

6) Download the FORMED.org App so you can watch it on your Smart TV or Device

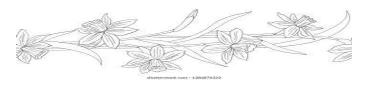
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#### Last Big Push for the DMI Survey

There is still time... We need your input... The Survey deadline has been extended until this Tues., April 2<sup>nd</sup>. You can visit <u>https://portal.catholicleaders.org/dmi/survey/b3ka4b</u> to complete the survey online. If you prefer a paper copy, you may pick it up after daily and Sunday Masses. To resubmit the completed paper survey, drop it off either in the collection boxes at the entry of the church or at the rectory.

Thank you for your help in making this a success!

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



**PAG Upcoming Events** – Save the date and stay tuned for more info regarding these future PAG activities/events:

- Coffee & Donuts NEXT SUN., 4/7/24 after a special 8:00AM morning Mass to celebrate Incarnation's Feast Day w/some food & fellowship. All are welcome! (Note: The Solemnity of the Annunciation is observed on Mon., April 8<sup>th</sup> this year since March 25<sup>th</sup> fell during Holy Week!)
- Coffee & Donuts Sun. 5/5/24 after special 8:00AM Mass (Instead of Spring Breakfast this year)
- PAG Meeting Thurs., 6/6/24 @ 6:30PM in LaBuda Hall
- Pizza & A Movie Night Sat., 6/8/24 after 4:15PM Mass
- Coffee & Donuts Sun., 6/16/24 after special 8:00AM Mass
- 2024 Iron Pigs Outing Sun., 6/23/24

Incarnation Church 2024 YARD SALE – Are you cleaning out your basement or housecleaning for Easter? SAVE YOUR ITEMS for our Annual Yard Sale here @ Incarnation on Fri., 4/26/24 from 4PM – 7PM & Sat., 4/27/24 from 9AM – 12Noon! Donations can be dropped off before or after Masses on the weekend—put them on the round table near the tunnel in LaBuda Hall. Any questions or if you can't bring your items to church, please contact Pat Krycia @ 610-703-0857 and a pick-up can be arranged. <u>NOTE:</u> We will also have a "Mini Basket Raffle & Bake Sale" at this year's event. Volunteers are needed to donate baked goods, which can be dropped off in LaBuda Hall on Fri., 4/26 after 1:00PM or Sat., 4/27 after 8:00AM. <u>MARK YOUR CALENDARS!!!</u> Thank you for your continued support from your Parish Financial Committee!

St. Monica Ministry – The St. Monica Ministry of Allentown Diocese is sponsoring a retreat for family/friends of fallen-away Catholics will be held the weekend of Fri. – Sun., 4/19 – 4/21/2024 @ Peace Retreat House, 484 Pump Rd., Weatherly, PA. Each day will have a featured speaker and special event programming including a Rosary Walk, Holy Hours, and Irish Music Night, and much more. Cost is \$200/person for the entire weekend, or \$50/per person for Saturday, 4/20/24 only. For more info, please email StMonicaMinistry27@gmail.com Before SUN., 4/7/2024!

Knights of Columbus, Trinity Council 313 – Members of the Council will be collecting donations in support of the *Bethlehem Special Olympics* after Mass on the weekend of April 13<sup>th</sup>/14<sup>th</sup>. Your participation and support would be greatly appreciated. For more information, please contact Mike Martin @ 610-248-7281.