

INCARNATION OF OUR LORD CHURCH

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August 24th – September 1, 2024

- SAT.** Confessions – 3:00PM – 4:00PM
Vigil – 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time
4:15PM – +Linda Stephan by Family
(7th Anniversary)
&
+Joseph Holub by Family
- SUN.** 10:00AM – **Trinity XIII**
Mass in the Ordinariate Form
- SAT.** Confessions – 3:00PM – 4:00PM
Vigil – 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
4:15PM – +John Fechisin by Dominic &
Nancy Villani
&
+Anna Labdik by Dorothy Krazek
- SUN.** 10:00AM – **Trinity XIV**
Mass in the Ordinariate Form

SUNDAY COLLECTION

8/17/2024

\$1,155.00

E-Giving: \$368.00

Total - \$1,523.00

THANK YOU!

THIS WEEK'S VOTIVE LAMPS

Sanctuary Lamp - In Memory of Marie Bolcar by Incarnation Choir

Blessed Virgin Mary Lamp – Special Intention

St. Joseph Lamp – In Memory of Charles, Helen, & Joseph Donches by Family

Our Lady of the Rosary – Poor Souls in Purgatory

*****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. **COVERAGE** – 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.

2024 Votive Lamps/Mass Intentions: Masses and Votive Candles are \$10.00/each. There are some Votive Lamps still available till the end of this year. However, **all Mass Intentions for 2024 have been filled.** Please contact the rectory for information. Thank you.

Incarnation Senior Group - Our next meeting will be **Wed., Sept. 4th @ 12Noon.** 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.

Incarnation Senior Group – We are planning a bus trip to **Hunterdon Hills Playhouse** in Hampton, NJ on **Wed., Oct. 9th, 2024** to see "One Slight Hitch". Cost will be **\$125/person** and will include your play ticket, lunch, bus fare, and other amenities. If interested, please contact Jo Zavec (610-867-0260) or Bonnie Zsilavec (610-866-3281) for more info. All are welcome so **COME JOIN US!!! THERE IS STILL ROOM FOR MORE PEOPLE!!**

Appointments with Fr. Andy or Fr. Miguel

The best way to make any appointments for Fr. Andy or Fr. Miguel is to email the rectory office at iparish@ptd.net or call (610) 866-3391.

OCIA-RICA Registration

Attention – Those adults who need Sacraments!

Are you an adult who want to be a Catholic or who didn't receive all your Sacraments of Initiation? Then the OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation for Adult) process is for you! Please email or call the parish to set up a meeting with Fr. Andy or Fr. Miguel.

FR. ANDY'S CORNER:

Bingo Buffet!! TODAY AFTER VIGIL MASS!!

We are still taking people at the door!

Come on down and enjoy the food and Bingo!!

Recent Fundraiser Successes:

I apologize for not getting this into the bulletin before, but I want to thank God and everyone who was involved for a wonderful Firecracker Raffle and Dinner and the Cabbage and Noodle and Uncooked Noodles at the Multicultural Fest!

Firecracker Success!

I think we all love the picnic and homemade foods! God bless the cooks. This raffle and the dinner are such a wonderful event that helps to strengthen our community and support our projects. This year's proceeds went towards the payment of the cement repairs!

2024 Firecracker Results

Gross Sales

\$19,100.00

Minus Total Raffle Costs for prizes: \$10,000.00

Donations back to the parish: \$ 915.00

Raffle Net Profit: \$10,015.00

Food/Dinner Expenses: covered by the income from the Sokol Dinner – which was \$932.50

Results of the Cooked Cabbage and Noodles and Noodle Sale at Multicultural Fest

Thanks to all those who put the time and energy to make the delicious Cabbage and Noodles along with the Uncooked Noodles to sell at the MCFest. It was a delicious addition to the event and another great help to the parish!

Results:

Gross Sales (cabbage and noodles) \$300.00

Gross Sales (noodles) \$215.00

Minus Cost of Supplies (-\$ 72.00)

Net Profit \$443.00

St. Padre Pio Center Diocesan Pilgrimage, Friday, September 20, 2024

Since there were just a few people that expressed interest in the pilgrimage from both Incarnation and Holy Infancy Parishes, anyone one is welcome to join us via carpool.

On September 20th, we can meet at 8:00 AM at the old St. Joseph Parking lot at 5th and Polk Sts. Fr. Andy will be driving and can take 3 people (first come first serve). Anyone is also welcome to go on your own. Please pack your own lunch for the pilgrimage. You can eat in the picnic area. I hope more people will be encouraged to go! It is a beautiful place!!

National Centre for Padre Pio 111 Barto Road, Barto PA, 19504.

All the faithful in the Diocese of Allentown are invited! No registration is required. Learn more at www.padrepio.org.

Schedule:

Arrival & Welcome: 8:15 am – 9:00 am

Pilgrimage Events: 9:00 am – 2:00 pm

Free Time at the Centre: 2:00 pm – 4:30 pm

The Pilgrimage Includes: Mass with Bishop Schlert, Confession, Adoration, Keynote Address by Megan Murphy, Time for Personal Prayer and to explore everything the Centre has to offer, Interactive Activities, Eucharistic Procession.

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 LAST DAY OF EACH MONTH in order to participate in that current month's drawing.

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

- **Bingo Buffet – TODAY AFTER MASS!!**
- **Our Lady of Sorrows Reception & Welcome Reception for Fr. Miguel – Sat., 9/14/2024**
- **Pizza & A Movie Night – Sat., 10/19/24 after 4:15PM Mass**
- **2024 Christmas Decorating – Sat., 11/30/24**

2024 Incarnation Church FALL BAZAAR - That time of year has arrived!! Our annual Fall Bazaar here @ Incarnation will take place on **SAT., OCT. 5TH, 2024 from 12Noon – 7:00PM in LaBuda Hall!!** We are actively seeking new items for unfilled baskets along w/baskets that are already made. Volunteers are also needed before the Bazaar to help set up LaBuda Hall, make baskets, work in the kitchen, and bakers are needed to help stock up for our Bake Sale! If interested, please contact **Pat Krycia @ 610-703-0857**. If your call is missed, please leave a message and your call will be returned promptly!!! Let's all help to make this year's Bazaare a HUGE SUCCESS! Thank you, in advance, for your kind support!

2024 Incarnation Fall Bazaar Meeting – There will be an informational Fall Bazaar Meeting in LaBuda Hall **next Thursday, Sept. 5th, 2024 @ 10:00AM!** All are welcome to join this meeting for all pertinent info regarding this year's Bazaar. If this time isn't convenient w/your schedule, please contact **Pat Krycia @ 610-703-0857**. Thank you, in advance, for your kind and much needed participation.

Mass for the Memorial of St. Monica: All are invited to St. Theresa's Church in Hellertown, PA **this Tuesday, 8/27/2024 @ 6:00PM**. We're located @ 1408 Easton Rd., Hellertown, PA. Celebrant for this Mass will be our Bishop, the Most Rev. Alfred A. Schlert. Come join us in prayer for our loved ones who have left the Church. Mass is followed by a buffet dinner in our Friendship Hall – cost for tickets are \$7/person. Please RSVP @ stmonicaministry27@gmail.com.

RESPECT LIFE!!!