INCARNATION OF OUR LORD PARISH

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March 16th - 24th, 2024

SAT. Confessions/Adoration 2:45PM – 4:00PM Vigil – 5th Sunday of Lent 4:15PM - +Mary Molnar by daughter Maryann Sysak & Family

SUN. 5th Sunday of Lent 10:00AM – Mass in the Ordinariate Form

FRI. Stations of the Cross @ 7:00PM w/Adoration & **Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament**

SAT. Confessions/Adoration 2:45PM – 4:00PM Vigil – Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord 4:15PM - +Justine Kundek by Family

SUN. Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord 8:00AM – All Parishioners

10:00AM – Mass in the Ordinariate Form

SUNDAY COLLECTION 3/9/2024

\$1,685.00 E-Giving: \$193.00 Total - \$1,878.00 THANK YOU!!

THIS WEEK'S VOTIVE LAMPS

Sanctuary Lamp - In Memory of All Deceased Parishioners of Incarnation of Our Lord Blessed Virgin Mary Lamp - In Memory of Mary Bucko by **Incarnation Choir**

St. Joseph Lamp - Living & Deceased Members of the Slovak Catholic Sokols #78



***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.Report BishopAbuse.org or by calling 1-800-276-1562.

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

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

- Coffee & Donuts Sun., 4/7/24 after a special 8:00AM morning Mass
- Spring Parish Breakfast Sun. 5/5/24 after special 8:00AM Mass
- PAG Meeting Thurs., 6/6/24 @ 6:30PM in LaBuda
- Pizza & A Movie Night Sat., 6/8/24 after 4:15PM
- Coffee & Donuts Sun., 6/16/24 after special 8:00AM Mass
- 2024 Iron Pigs Outing Sun., 6/23/24

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! Thank you for your continued support of this activity.

Fr. Andy's Corner

HOLY WEEK BEGINS NEXT WEEKEND!!

Please note there will two Masses for Palm Sunday! Saturday, March 23rd at 4:15 PM Sunday, March 24th at 8:00 AM

Also refer to the Holy Triduum Schedule you received in the mail!

Enter into interior silence before Jesus' Eucharistic Presence and receive His Love for you!

Confessions and Adoration - Saturdays: 2:45 PM – 4:00 PM at Incarnation Church.

Monday to Friday: 30 minutes before every daily Mass at Holy Infancy Church

Stations of the Cross <u>will be celebrated one more time on</u> March 22nd at 7:00 PM with some Adoration and Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament.

Reflections Series continues with the Formed.org series called PRESENCE in Msgr. LaBuda Hall.

One more on Friday, March 22nd from 5:45 PM - 7:00 PM before the Stations of the Cross at 7:00 PM

Happy St. Patrick's Day!

Go onto Formed for the wonderful presentations on the life of St. Patrick. Especially tune into my favorite, the excellent Audio Drama called, "The Trials of St. Patrick"

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

The Disciple Maker Index Survey!

There is still time... We need your input... The Survey will be open until **March 27**. You can visit https://portal.catholicleaders.org/dmi/survey/b3ka4b to complete the survey online. If you prefer a paper copy, you may pick it up after daily and Sunday Masses. To submit the completed paper survey, please pick one up at the entry of church and drop off either in the collection box at the entry of the church or at the rectory.

Thank you for your help in making this a success!



Incarnation Senior Group – Our next meeting will be Wed., April 3rd, 2024 @ 12Noon in LaBuda Hall! 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.

Senior Group Easter Holiday Roll Info - Pick-up date for orders is <u>THIS THURSDAY</u>, 3/21/24 from 9:30AM - 11:00AM in LaBuda Hall. Any questions, please contact Jo Zavecz @ 610-867-0260. THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!!

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. NOTE: 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. MARK YOUR CALENDARS!!! Thank you for your continued support from your Parish Financial Committee!

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 13th/14th. Your participation and support would be greatly appreciated. For more information, please contact Mike Martin @ 610-248-7281.

School Sisters of St. Francis Lenten Programs – "And Jesus Wept: Day of Reflection – Sat., 3/23/2024 from 9:00AM – 12:00Noon. For details, info, and registration, please call 610-867-8890. Programs available for in-person or online attendance using ZOOM.



RESPECT LIFE

Please pray for fathers to follow St. Joseph's example and be strengthened in love for their wives and children, both born and preborn! **Dear St. Joseph, please protect all children and families!!**