



**ANNOUNCED MASSES**

<b><u>Sunday</u></b>	<b><u>September 12</u></b>
7:30	Dr. Milagros Sim
9:00	Lynn, Kacie, Mars Eclipse ~ living
10:30	Ramon Grijalvo
12:00	Julian Marmol
5:00	The People of Incarnation
<b><u>Monday</u></b>	<b><u>September 13 St. John Chrysostom</u></b>
8:30	Errol Lorenzo
<b><u>Tuesday</u></b>	<b><u>September 14 Exaltation of the Holy Cross</u></b>
8:30	Brian Cook
<b><u>Wednesday</u></b>	<b><u>September 15 Our Lady of Sorrows</u></b>
8:30	Guillermo Agpalo Sr.
<b><u>Thursday</u></b>	<b><u>September 16 St. Cornelius</u></b>
8:30	Tara Germaine Wright ~ 1st Anniv.
<b><u>Friday</u></b>	<b><u>September 17 St. Robert Bellarmine</u></b>
8:30	Souls In Purgatory
<b><u>Saturday</u></b>	<b><u>September 18</u></b>
8:30	In Thanksgiving~Pushpa , Steven Rayappa
5:00	Genevieve, Marcel, Francis Payen
<b><u>Sunday</u></b>	<b><u>September 19</u></b>
7:30	Innocente & St. Louis Boursiquot
9:00	Our Lady of Czestochowa
10:30	Mr. & Mrs. Aurelio Grijalvo
12:00	Julian Marmol
5:00	The People of Incarnation

**Vision Statement**

Incarnation Parish is a Roman Catholic community centered around the Lord Jesus, a living sign of hope to all that the Word made flesh dwells among us. His presence and love is encountered in all areas of our life together, especially in the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, in Sacred Scripture and in the Sacraments. We seek to make the Lord's presence and love known through service and education, through evangelization and through continual conversion and renewal in Him. We entrust our life together and our sharing in the mission of Christ to the protection and intercession of Mary, Mother of the Lord and our Mother.

**Members of the Armed Forces on Active Duty from Incarnation**



If you have family members from Incarnation who are presently serving on Active Duty, please let us know so that we can include their names below. Please give name, rank and branch of service for each person.

**Please pray for:**

- Maj. Michael Boyle, U.S. Army
- Pfc. Spec.2 David R. Collins, U.S. Army
- Pfc. Juan Carlos Escudero, U.S. Army
- BM2 Otelo Rodriguez, U.S. Navy
- 1st Class Joseph Romulo, U.S. Air Force
- LTJg Michel Santana, U.S. Navy
- Maj. Brian Sterling Smith, U. S. Army
- LCpl. Erick Ricardo Toledo, U.S. Marines



"I have found my lost sheep!" Do you want to help bring others home to the Lord as a priest, deacon, religious sister or brother? Speak with a priest or religious or contact the Vocation Office at 718-827-2454 or [vocations@diobrook.org](mailto:vocations@diobrook.org).

**LET US PRAY...**

We ask God's healing and strength for:

- Eddie Alvarez, Henry Alvarez, Mercia Desir,
- Anita Eclipse Tangalin, Teodora Costes,
- Virginia Hogg, Rose Marie Jauregui, Felipe Galo,
- Steven Montvidas, Dorothy Winters Hall,
- Rocco Moreo, Allan Caicedo, Paul Cardenas,
- Jose Cherian, Esperanza Guitierrez, Gregg Ortiz,
- Antonine Mignon, Mary Clare McGovern,
- Joyce Kumar, Daniella Perez

May eternal rest be granted to:

All our deceased parishioners



**SUMMER CHURCH OFFERINGS** Thank you to everyone who regularly used the church envelopes throughout July and August. However, we ask those who may have been away and unable to return their offerings to please help the parish recover some of the income we depend on. Again we invite any new parishioners to register in the parish by using one of the white WELCOME envelopes found at the doors of the church.

**"GOD'S PLAN FOR GIVING"**

Collection for The Week of

September 4/5, 2010  
\$5956

Thank you for your generosity and support of your parish.

**ONE COLLECTION.** Please remember that as part of our increased giving opportunity there is only one (1) collection at the offertory of each weekend Mass. **Please place all your offerings in the one offertory collection.** There will no longer be a collection after Communion. You can now use that time for prayerful reflection.

## BRING A FRIEND TO CHURCH!

### FROM THE PASTOR'S PEN

Welcome Back Everyone! I cannot remember a Labor Day Weekend as nice as this past one. It was simply gorgeous! If it's any indication of how the new Parish –School Year is going to be I am just thrilled. Everything is beautiful with great weather. Similarly, everything is beautiful with great people.

I am thrilled to begin this new Pastoral Year here at Incarnation! I am very optimistic about the opportunity before us to worship and love God as we support and serve each other. There will be plenty of occasions to encounter the Living Lord and assist in his work. But there is one thing that can stop you, me, and our parish. Matthew's Gospel tells of how Jesus invited to the rich young man to follow him. It goes on to conclude "the young man turned, and went away sad." The road block we face is ourselves and whatever holds us back from following Jesus and his family the Church. Will this be the year that you follow him more earnestly and actively? Will you let the pastoral staff and people of Incarnation assist you? Will you assist us?

As the parish calendar moves into September there will be many liturgies, gatherings and events for you and the whole family. Don't turn away sad. Get involved. You won't regret it. I would like to point out two very different yet very important additions.

First will be **Hospitality Sundays**. Each parish organization will offer hospitality after all the morning Masses in Msgr. Nolan Hall on one Sunday a month. It will be an opportunity to meet and greet, place names with faces and connect as a parish family.

Second will be the **FEAST of FAITH SERIES**. Each year the parish will examine different religious topics helping to understand better the riches of our Catholic Faith. This year the series which is open to everyone from Incarnation and beyond will examine the Seven Sacraments: our "Divine Lifeline."

It was amazing how every day of the Labor Day weekend was better than the day before. I have a good feeling that everyday of this new year at Incarnation will get better as . "We seek to make the Lord's presence and love known through service and education, through evangelization and through continual conversion and renewal in Him. We entrust our life together and our sharing in the mission of Christ to the protection and intercession of Mary, Mother of the Lord and our Mother."

Welcome Back! Join us with the gentle breezes of a new parish year!

*Father O'Connor*

### Mass for the Anointing of the sick, aged and infirmed



– **Saturday, September 25 – 11AM.** The annual Mass of Anointing will take place Saturday, September 25<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 AM. Any parishioners who are burdened by illness or the aging process, those preparing for surgery and those in need of healing are encouraged to receive this special sacrament of the Church. A light reception will follow in Msgr. Nolan Hall. Please consider helping those in need attend.

**HOSPITALITY SUNDAY** will take place next Sunday, September 19<sup>th</sup> following all the morning Masses. Please join us in Msgr. Nolan Hall and share in some breakfast items, coffee, tea and juices as well as each other's company. We thank the Girl Scouts for sponsoring our first Hospitality Sunday of the new Pastoral Year. Hospitality Sundays will take place each month letting the unity shared around the Altar flow into our solidarity as the Family of Incarnation.

**YOUTH MINISTRY.** Next leadership meeting for the adults and college students forming the new teen club will take place Wednesday, September 22 at 7:30PM in the OLPH Meeting Room. Incarnation welcomes Paul Morisi the new diocesan director of youth ministry.



### HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE: JOURNEY TO THE LAND OF INCARNATION.

There will be an Informational meeting for all pilgrims on Sunday, September 26 at 2PM in Msgr. Griffin Hall

(School Auditorium). The meeting will allow pilgrims to greet each other and have any questions answered. Also mark your calendars for the Pilgrims Blessing which will take place at the 10:30 Mass on Sunday, October 10.

**VOCATION COMMITTEE** is being formed at Incarnation. It is hoped that a group of parishioners will work together to foster church vocation awareness among the parish assisted by the Diocesan Vocation Office. Bishop DiMarzio expects every parish in the diocese to have a vocation committee in place. Please contact either Gerarde Pierre-Antoine (718-341-2653) or Father O'Connor at the Parish Office and let us look forward to an increase in vocations to the priesthood and religious life through regular prayer and our new parish vocations committee.


**VIRTUS TRAINING—September 25 at 9:45AM in Msgr. Griffin Hall.** All those who minister to the youth of the parish and diocese are reminded of the required Virtus training if they have yet to complete it.



**Events For The Week**

<b>Sunday</b>		
10:30am	Blessing for School Students	CH
10:30am	Legion of Mary	OLPH
11:30am	Religious Ed. Registration	MGH
2:00pm	Filipino Mass	CH
<b>Monday</b>		
6:00pm	Steel Band	MGH
6:00pm	Girl Scouts	MNH
7:00pm	Caribbean Association	MGH
7:30pm	Hispanic Committee	OLPH
<b>Tuesday</b>		
12:00noon	Friendship Club	MNH
7:30pm	Blessing & Cross Celebration	CH
<b>Wednesday</b>		
9:00am	Eucharistic Adoration	CH
7:00pm	Jornada	MNH
7:30pm	Alumni	OLPH
<b>Thursday</b>		
6:00pm	Steel Band	MGH
7:30pm	Choir	CH
7:30pm	Baptism Ministry	RB
8:00pm	AA	OLPH
<b>Friday</b>		
12:00pm	Food Pantry	MNH
7:30pm	Bible Study	OLPH
7:30pm	Spanish Prayer Group	MNH
7:30pm	Spanish Choir	CH
<b>Saturday</b>		
9:00am	Flea Market	MGH
6:00pm	Haitian Prayer Group	OLPH
7:30pm	Line Dancing	MNH
8:00pm	AA	OLPH


CH = Church; MNH = Msgr. Nolan Hall (Lower Church);  
 RB = Rectory Basement; OLPH=Our Lady's (Rectory) Meeting  
 MGH = Msgr. Griffin Hall (School Auditorium)

**Incarnation School Homecoming 2010—**  

**There will be a meeting this Wednesday, September 15 at 7:30PM in the OLPH Meeting Room for anyone interested in helping with "Homecoming 2010." Please call Father O'Connor at 718-465-8534 ext 15 with any questions.**

**INCARNATION SCHOOL CORNER**

**Parent-Teacher Meetings**  
**Thursday, September 23—7PM**

Box Tops for Education  
 May be left in the church's main vestibule  
 For more info log onto [www.increc.org](http://www.increc.org)  
 or call **718-465-5066**



**Readings For The Week**

<b>Sunday</b>	Ex 32:7-11,13-14 1 Tm 1;12-17 Lk 15:1-32
<b>Monday</b>	1 Cor 11:17-26,33 Lk 7:1-10
<b>Tuesday</b>	Nm 21:4b-9 Phil 2:6-11 Jn 3:13-17
<b>Wednesday</b>	1 Cor 12:31-13:13 Jn 19:25-27
<b>Thursday</b>	1 Cor 15:1-11 Lk 7:36-50
<b>Friday</b>	1 Cor 15:12-20 Lk 8:1-3
<b>Saturday</b>	1 Cor 15:35-37,42-49 Lk 8:4-15

**Religious Education Happenings**

**Registration for Religious Education Classes is underway. Call 718-465-8534x23.**  
**Every Catholic Child in the parish must learn about our Faith either in Religious Education or Catholic School.**

**Catholic Parents and Godparents are obligated to ensure that their (God)child(ren) are educated in the riches of the Faith.**

**At least two years of formation are required before children are eligible to receive the Sacraments.**


**Registration: Sept 12 - 11:30AM-1:30PM**  
**Classes Begin: Sept 19 at 9AM**  
**Parents' Meeting: Sept 26 at 9AM**

**2011 MASS BOOK.** The opportunity to pray in a special way for the repose of the soul of a loved one or other prayerful intention is made available each day with announced Mass offerings. You may choose to commemorate a death anniversary, wedding anniversary, birthday remembrance or simply pray in thanksgiving. Each offering is \$15.00. Please come to the Parish Office to make special Mass offerings for your loved ones. You may also inquire about dedicating the bread and wine or the sanctuary lamp

**CHURCH ETIQUETTE. Have a seat!** We ask everyone to take their rightful place in the assembly using the pews at Mass. With the exception of a handful of celebrations each year there are seats for everyone. Standing along the walls in the back of the church is causing damage to the walls and prohibits those who might want to stop in church to say a little prayer by the shrines. It can block the entrance way and doesn't allow people the use of the hymnals which are needed for the hymns and psalm at Mass. Lastly, standing by the doors could give the impression that you are not fully engaged in the Celebration of the Eucharist: half in, half out, so to speak. So come in and have a seat and pray a while!

**BLESSING OF EXPECTANT PARENTS**, sponsored by the Family Life Committee, will take place on Oct 3, Respect Life Sunday, at the 5PM Mass. Expecting/adopting parents are invited to receive a special blessing and a small gift from the parish. Please call the Parish Office (718-465-8534) by Thursday, Sept 30th and leave your name and number. Know of our prayers for you as you anticipate this blessed moment in your family.

**2010 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL** continues here at Incarnation. Tallies show that there have been **278 pledges** made. So we are just at 56% **to our goal of 500 pledges**. Thank you to all who already have made a pledge to this year’s diocesan Appeal. Everyone is encouraged to take part in this year’s Appeal by making a generous donation so that we can reach our assigned goal of \$51,303. Pledges—large and small — can be made by all the working members of the household. Extra pledge envelopes are in the church today and at the Parish Office. You may mail in or return your pledge commitment in the collection and we will deliver it directly to the Appeal Office. No pledge is too small. Together let us realize that “God’s Love shines through us!”

 **Holy Cross Celebration – Tuesday, September 14 – 7:30PM.** Be there this Tuesday night, September 14 on the Feast of the Holy Cross to give thanks and praise for the Victory won by Jesus’ Cross. Through scripture, prayer and song recall and celebrate that Tree that brought new life to all the world. Service will end with blessing of Crosses and Crucifixes – so bring them from your homes and join us on the 14<sup>th</sup>.

**FLEA MARKET– Sept 18.** How about making your own money on a Saturday in September? The Parish Flea Market is a great chance to clean out the closets and basements, display your items, set your own prices and have fun making money! The Flea Market will be on Saturday, September 18th (rain or shine) from 9:30 AM to 4:00 PM. Tables are only \$25.00 each and vendor registration forms are available in the church today or at the Parish Office. Tables are limited and the deadline for vendors is Monday, September 13<sup>th</sup>. Don’t delay!

**CHRISTIAN INITIATION.** Do you know a family member or friend who is interested in becoming a Catholic? The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a wonderful process in our parish available to those who feel called to the Catholic Faith. New inquiry classes will begin in the Fall. The RCIA is also available for those Catholics who have not yet received First Eucharist or Confirmation. Please call the Religious Education Office (718-465-8534) for more information.



**DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE** to Washington, DC takes place at the end of October. Already a number of parishioners have asked about the pilgrimage because of the inexpensive overnight package being offered. The overnight trip includes transportation by motor coach, four hour guided tour of Washington, DC., visit to the Pope John

Paul II Cultural Center or the Franciscan Holy Land of America Shrine, dinner, accommodations and breakfast at the Arlington Hilton, and of course, the Diocesan Mass at the Shrine of the Immaculate Conception. The whole trip costs only \$249.00 per person (double occupancy). There are special rates for single, triple or quad occupancy as well. The dates are Friday, October 29<sup>th</sup> into Saturday, October 30<sup>th</sup>. Our parish coordinator is Patricia Brady and she can be reached at 718-465-8534 for reservations and other information. The pilgrimage is cost-effective and reasonable for all that it contains. Please fill in the form below with your payment (checks payable to Incarnation Church) and return it to the Parish Office as soon as possible. Please seats are limited.

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

Please reserve \_\_\_\_\_ seat(s) for the Diocesan Pilgrimage to the National Shrine in Washington, DC October 29<sup>th</sup>/30<sup>th</sup>.

NAMES OF OTHER PILGRIMS IN YOUR GROUP

\_\_\_\_\_

Amount Enclosed \_\_\_\_\_

**Caribbean Association** will have its first meeting of the year this Monday at 7PM in the OLPH Meeting Room. The association preserves and supports an appreciation of the Caribbean Culture in the community. It also sponsors Incarnation’s Steel Band. For more info call: Lynette Jerome (718-479-9260).



**Health Fair.** The parish is planning a Health Fair in the early fall. If you are a health care provider—physician, nurse, nutritionist, therapist, patient care giver— and would be willing to help with the event planning, or to offer services that day, please let us know. You can contact the Rectory (718-465-8534) or Maddie Hogan (718-479-7497 - hoganmadeline@yahoo.com). It is a wonderful opportunity to use God-given talents to minister to our community here at Incarnation.