


**ANNOUNCED MASSES**

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>March 29</b>
7:30	Int. P.O. Melissa Robinson & Melanie Mahabersingh
9:00	Felix B. Mamaril & Encarnacion Mamaril
10:30	Cielise Lindo
12:00	Difuntos en las Familias Caicedo & Rodriguez
5:00	Laura Brito
<b>Monday</b>	<b>March 30</b>
8:30	Belmatty Raghubar
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>March 31</b>
8:30	Danilo Antienza
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>April 1</b>
8:30	Angela Cerda
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>April 2 Holy Thursday</b>
7:30pm	The People of Incarnation
<b>Friday</b>	<b>April 3 Good Friday</b>
3:00pm	Celebration of the Lord's Passion
6:00pm	Celebracion de la Pasion del Senor
7:30pm	Celebration of the Lord's Passion
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>April 4 Holy Saturday</b>
8:00pm	The People of Incarnation
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>April 5 Easter Sunday</b>
7:30	Easter Mass Remembrance
9:00	Andres & Natividad Pagay
10:30	Hugh & Eileen Falvey
12:00	Eterno descanso Jaime Caicedo ~Primer Anniv.

**RECONCILIATION MONDAY - TOMORROW - MAR 30.**

Join with Catholics from Brooklyn Heights to Montauk and up the Hudson Valley in receiving God's Mercy before Easter. Confessions here at Incarnation will be after the 8:30AM Mass and from 3PM to 9PM. Prepare for Easter with the Sacrament of Penance. Spread the word and be engulfed in the Never-Ending Mercy of God!

 "Morning by morning He wakens - wakens my ear to listen as those who are taught." Listen in prayer daily to the promptings of the Holy Spirit, seeking to know your vocation. If He is asking you to consider the priesthood or consecrated life, contact the Vocation Office at 718-827-2454 or email: vocations@diobrook.org.

**LET US PRAY...**

*We ask God's healing and strength for:*

- Mercia Desir, Gerard Jacques, Rose Toussaint, Gregg Ortiz, Zoraida Vasquez, Kenine Dieuveuil, Alberte Jean-Baptiste, Tony & Barbara Gelia, Theresa Thomann, Marian Smith, Sarika Clona, Allan Caicedo, Owen Hogan, Ben & Lynn Eclipse, Lynette Jerome, Leone Adrien, Lucette Julien, Yvette Goin, Gabriella Krill, Arnulfo Cabahug, Sr, Carlos de Jesus Fritz Etheart, Henry Alvarez, Lunice Guiteau, William O'Neil, Levonne Jetter, Revica Villete, Maria Cabrera, Amanda Perez, Marie Charles- Elie, Jean Claude Boursiquot,

*May eternal rest be granted to:  
All our deceased parishioners*



**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:**

- Pfc. Spec.2 David R. Collins, U.S. Army
- Tech Sgt Lovewyn DeOcampo, U.S. Air Force
- 1st Class Manuel Stanley Joseph, U.S. Air Force
- BM2 Otelo Rodriguez, U.S. Navy
- 1st Class Joseph Romulo, U.S. Air Force
- Lt. Michel Santana, U.S. Navy
- Maj. Brian Sterling Smith, U. S. Army
- LCpl. Erick Ricardo Toledo, U.S. Marine Corps
- Pvt. Byron Umali, U.S. Marine Corps

**EASTER GIFT TO MY CHURCH.**

Your "Easter Gift to My Church" is being collected at this time. The Easter letter from Father O'Connor asks that everyone prayerfully make a fair share offering during this holy season of Joy and Hope. If you did not receive the mailing extra "Easter Gift to My Church" envelopes are in the church today. Thank you in advance for your support of this vital parish collection during Eastertide.



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

*Collection for The Week of  
March 21/22*

<i>My Weekly Tith</i>	<i>\$6,067</i>
<i>Easter Flowers</i>	<i>\$1,350</i>

*Thank you for your generosity and support of your parish.*

**SECOND COLLECTION**

- Mar 29: Parish Easter Gift*
- Apr 5: Retired Priests*
- Apr 12: Maintenance*

**THE GREAT CROWD TOOK PALM BRANCHES AND WENT OUT TO MEET HIM, AND CRIED OUT:  
"HOSANNA! BLESSED IS HE WHO COMES IN THE NAME OF THE LORD!"**

**FROM THE PASTOR'S PEN**

**Reconciliation Monday, March 30**

Confessions offered after the 8:30AM Mass and  
From 3PM until 9PM

**Wednesday, April 1**

8:30AM Mass  
Parish Seder Supper in Auditorium 7:30PM  
Pre-purchased tickets required

**Holy Thursday, April 2**

Morning Prayer 8:30AM  
Mass of the Lord's Supper 7:30PM  
*Tenebrae* 11:45PM

**Good Friday, April 3**

Morning Prayer 8:30AM  
Outdoor Procession of the Stations of the Cross 10AM  
Celebrations of the Lord's Passion 3PM, 6PM in Spanish, and 7:30PM

**Holy Saturday, April 4**

Morning Prayer 8:30AM  
**No Confessions & No 5PM Mass**  
The Great Easter Vigil 8PM

**EASTER SUNDAY - THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD, April 5**

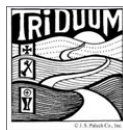
7:30AM                      9AM                      10:30AM                      12PM                      No 5PM Mass on Easter Sunday

Just a little reminder!

*Father O'Connor*

**Reconciliation Monday—March 30.** Confessions after the 8:30AM Mass and from 3PM to 9PM. In addition to Father O'Connor, Monsignor Arella and Fr. Sweeney will be in the church from 3PM-5PM; Father Kelly will be hearing confessions in Spanish and English from 7:30PM-9PM. Prepare for Easter with the Sacrament of Penance. Be renewed in mind and spirit. Invite others too!

**HOLY TRIDUUM COLLECTIONS.** The collection on Holy Thursday assists our own parish food pantry open every Friday of the year. The offerings received on Good Friday will be given in support of the Shrines in the Holy Land and on Easter Sunday they will assist the Saint John Vianney Fund in support of retired priests in the diocese.



**New Altar Servers** are now being recruited for the parish. Registration forms are available at the School, Religious Education or Parish Offices. Girls and boys in grades 4 through 7 are invited to this special ministry at the Altar of the Lord. Requirements: Children must be baptized Catholics who have received Penance and Holy Communion, have their parent's/guardian's permission and attend the required practices. For more information please contact Father O'Connor. The New Servers will be installed Saturday, April 25 at the 5PM Mass.



**DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY.** All couples celebrating their 25<sup>th</sup>, 30<sup>th</sup>, 40<sup>th</sup> and 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary are invited to a special Mass at St. Joseph's Co-Cathedral, Brooklyn on Saturday, April 25<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 AM. Bishop DiMarzio will be the main celebrant. Please call the Parish Office and register to attend before Wednesday, April 1.

**EASTER PLANTS** that will decorate the church during the Easter Season may be donated. You may wish to donate IN MEMORY OF or IN HONOR OF a loved one. Easter flower donation envelopes are in the church today and the donation is \$15.00. Please return your donation in the Sunday collection.



**Catholic Charities Queens Community Center** Field Office is open in the lower church on the Second and fourth Friday of the Month - April 10 & 24 - from 9AM to 5PM preferably BY APPOINTMENT. For more information and appointments please call 347.472.5043.

**LENTEN REGULATIONS—Fasting:** All the faithful between 18 and 59 inclusive are also bound to observe the fasting regulation on Good Friday. This involves limiting oneself to a single full meal and avoiding food between meals. Light sustenance may be taken at 2 other occasions in the day.



**Events For The Week**

<b>Sunday</b>	No Religious Education	
10:30am	Solemn Mass & Procession	CH
10:30am	Legion of Mary	OLPH
2:00pm	Youth Group	MNH
<b>Monday</b>		
9:00am	Confessions	CH
3:00pm/9:00pm	Confessions	CH
6:00pm	Girl Scouts	MNH
7:00pm	Campaign Team	RB
7:30pm	RCIA	OLPH
<b>Tuesday</b>		
5:30pm	Angelic Voices	CH
7:30pm	Choir	CH
<b>Wednesday</b>		
9:00am	Adoration	CH
	School Easter Break at Dismissal	
7:30pm	Seder Supper	MGH
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Holy Thursday</b>	
8:30am	Morning Prayer	CH
12:00noon	Food Pantry	MNH
7:30pm	Mass of the Lord's Supper	CH
11:45pm	Tenebrae	CH
<b>Friday</b>	<b>Good Friday</b>	
8:30am	Morning Prayer	CH
10:00am	Outdoor Procession & Stations of the Cross	
3:00pm	Celebration of the Lord's Passion	CH
6:00pm	Celebracion de la Pasion del Senor	CH
7:30pm	Celebration of the Lord's Passion	CH
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Holy Saturday</b>	
8:30am	Morning Prayer	CH
9:15am	RCIA Practice	CH
	<b>No Confessions / No 5pm Mass</b>	
8:00pm	Easter Vigil	CH

**Readings For The Week**



<b>Sunday</b>	Is 50:4-7 Phil 2:6-11 Mk 14::15:47
<b>Monday</b>	Is 42:1-7 Jn 12:1-11
<b>Tuesday</b>	Is 49:1-6 Jn 13:21-33,36-38
<b>Wednesday</b>	Is 50:4-9a Mt 26:14-25
<b>Thursday</b>	Ex 12:1-8,11-14 1Cor 11:23-26 Jn 13:1-15
<b>Friday</b>	Is 52:13-53:12 Heb 4:14-6,5:7-9 Jn 18:1-19:42
<b>Saturday</b>	Gn 1:1-2:2 Ex 14:15-15:1 Is 54:5,14/ Is 55:1:11

**Religious Education Happenings**

**Registration** for next September Religious Education classes will begin the Sunday after Easter. Take advantage for the early reduced fees.

**Practice for the Children Receiving First Communion:**  
 April 15th for those at the 10:30 Mass from 3:30 - 5:00.  
 April 22nd for those at the 1PM Mass from 3:30 - 5:00.

**2015 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. Dates are available as soon as August. 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.



**FLEA MARKET.** How about making your own money on a Saturday in May? 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, May 2nd (rain or shine) from 9:30 AM to 4:00 PM. Tables are only \$25.00



**Parish Registration** ~ We invite anyone who attends our Masses to register in our parish. This will give you the opportunity to be acquainted with the various events, ministers and activities of our parish and enable us to serve you better with your needs. Please come to the Rectory for a registration form.

**CONFIRMATION CLASSES** for adults who have not received the sacrament will be offered after Easter. Parishioners needing to be confirmed please call Sr. Joan at the Religious Education Office (718) 465-8534. The sacrament of Confirmation will be administered to the adults of our parish at the Pentecost Vigil: Saturday, May 23.

**SUNDAY SCRIPTURE SHARING ON SATURDAYS.** Join us on Saturday mornings from 9:30-10:30 in Our Lady's Meeting Room or the Auditorium as we spend time with the readings that will be proclaimed at Mass on Saturday evening and Sunday. Through prayer and fellowship we hope to have the Scriptures come more alive.



**INCARNATION SCHOOL CORNER**

**Accredited by the Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools**

**Registration has begun for the 2015-2016 Academic Year**

Walk-in registration will be held daily from 9-11AM.

Appointments may also be made for a School Tour. Parents who are interested in registering their child for Pre-K or K will be required to bring their child to spend a day in the current class.



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



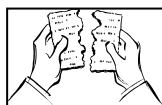
**LIVING LIGHTS.** Securing an Annual *Living Light* Votive Candle to Honor a Loved One, Remember a Special Intention, or Mark a Milestone is a continual and wonderful way to celebrate sentiments and offer intercessions of remembrance, hope and gratitude. Two wall mounted electric candle stands now hang in our church on either side of the newly restored and expanded Saints' Shrine. These unique and inviting candles are made of real wax with electrified illumination to insure your *Living Light* burns brightly throughout the year. A plaque displaying the name of your loved one, your intention, or your milestone will be mounted before your *Living Light* Votive Candle. Plaques will remain for the year you have secured your *Living Light* and may be renewed or rededicated for additional 12 month periods. In addition to its rightful place before your *Living Light* in the Saints' Shrine, your Loved One, Special Intention, or Milestone will also be included in the *Living Light* Section of the Parish Website. See the blue brochure by the church doors or contact the rectory for more info: 718-465-8534.



**Please Use Your Weekly Envelopes.** These envelopes have a parish number and bar code to properly tally your weekly donations. The use of weekly envelopes helps us to: *plan our parish budget ~ provide you with an official tax deduction statement and keep our parish family register up to date. Hints for using your envelopes:* Fill in the amount of your donations on the outside of the envelope. **ALL** Checks should be made out to "Incarnation Church." Please use the gummed flap to seal your envelopes. Please do not seal the envelope with staples, tape or stickers. Do not staple envelopes together. If no envelope contributions are made for a year, that person will be dropped from the envelope mailing list. *Please notify the Rectory if you are moving, so that we can remove your name from the mailing list.*

**DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY** is on Sunday, April 12. Based on the Divine Mercy message shared with St. Faustina Kowalska which asks the faithful to implore God's mercy for the entire world, to be merciful and forgiving towards others and to trust completely in God, the Divine Mercy Chaplet will be prayed in our church at 3PM on Sunday, April 12. Come with family and friends and pray this devotion which has helped many.

**A PARISH SEDER SUPPER** will take place this Wednesday at 7:30PM in the auditorium. Families and friends are invited to participate in a model supper reminiscent of the one that Jesus shared before he died. The eve will conclude with coffee and desert. Tickets are only \$10 with a \$3 discount if purchased by March 30 and may be purchased following Mass today in the main vestibule. Tickets are also available in the Parish Office.



**HOLY THURSDAY NIGHT** will be an opportunity for all parishioners to keep vigil commemorating Jesus' prayer in the Garden of Gethsemane. Following the Mass of the Lord's Supper, the church will remain open until Midnight and we ask members of all parish societies and organizations to keep vigil using the following timetable:  
Vigils on Holy Thursday Night



8:45-9:45

- Choir
- Family Life Committee
- Filipino Community
- Friendship Club
- Martha Ministry
- Rosary Altar Society
- Vine & Branches Prayer Group

9:45-10:45

- Caribbean Association
- Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion
- Social Justice Ministry
- Food Pantry Staff
- Hispanic Community
- Lectors

10:45-11:45

- Creole Community
- Haitian Charismatic Prayer Group
- Hospitality
- Youth Group
- Legion of Mary
- Liturgy Committee
- Sacred Hearts Prayer Group

11:45 - Tenebrae

A special time of prayer called *Tenebrae*, literally "darkness," with a short service of Scripture, Song, Silence and traditional Latin chants in the dark of night will conclude the vigil at 11:45 PM.

**THE PARISH FOOD DRIVE CONCLUDES TODAY!**

**Please bring all filled grocery bags to church by tomorrow, Monday. Place the bags by the Baptismal Room. The foods must be distributed before the Holiday weekend.** Thanks to everyone at Incarnation who participated in this Lent's Parish Food Drive.



**Tenebrae— Holy Thursday Night at 11:45PM.** Conclude your vigils with a short service of Scripture, Song, Silence and traditional Latin chants in the dead of the night. Join us as we recall Our Lord's imprisonment and when "darkness came over the whole land" (Lk 23:44).

