

ANNOUNCED MASSES

<u>Sunday</u>	<u>May 10</u>
7:30	Maria Mariano & Maxima Enriquez
9:00	Living & Deceased Mothers
10:30	Rosa Fracassa
12:00	Maria Delia Rodriguez & Cristina Caicedo
5:00	Hermesa de Ocampo
<u>Monday</u>	<u>May 11</u>
8:30	Living & Deceased Mothers
<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>May 12 Ss Nereus, Archilles, Pancras</u>
8:30	Living & Deceased Mothers
<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>May 13 Our Lady of Fatima</u>
8:30	Living & Deceased Mothers
7:30	Abelardo Yap
<u>Thursday</u>	<u>May 14 Ascension of the Lord</u>
8:30	Living & Deceased Mothers
10:30	Durland Etienne
<u>Friday</u>	<u>May 15 St. Isidore</u>
8:30	Living & Deceased Mothers
<u>Saturday</u>	<u>May 16</u>
8:30	Living & Deceased Mothers
5:00	The People of Incarnation
<u>Sunday</u>	<u>May 17</u>
7:30	Alberto Socorro Kilayko
9:00	Living & Deceased Mothers
10:30	Danilo Antienza
12:00	Maria Lucita Velez
5:00	Arsenia, Maria & Juan Mariano

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



“God sent His only Son into the world so that we might live through Him.” Are you open to the call to be sent into the world as a priest or consecrated religious, that others might live in Christ? If you think God may be offering you this grace, contact the Vocation Office at 718-827-2454 or email: vocations@diobrook.org.

Holy Day of Obligation. The Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord will be celebrated this Thursday. Mass at Incarnation will be Wednesday Evening at 7:30PM and on the Holy Day at 8:30AM and 10:30AM. Mass is also offered frequently at churches in the city. Come out and celebrate our Lord's Triumphant return to heaven. Where He has gone—We hope to follow.



LET US PRAY...

We ask God's healing and strength for:
 Mercia Desir, Gerard Jacques, Rose Toussaint, Gregg Ortiz, Zoraida Vasquez, Kenine Dieuveuil, Alberte ean-Baptiste, Tony & Barbara Gelia, Theresa Thomann, Marian Smith, Sarika Clona, Allan Caicedo, Owen Hogan, Lynn Eclipse, Lynette Jerome, Leone Adrien, Lucette Julien, Yvette Goin, Gabriella Krill, Arnulfo Cabahug, Sr, Elizabeth Xenos, Fritz Etheart, Henry Alvarez, Lunice Guiteau, William O'Neil, LeVonne Jetter, Revica Villette, Maria Cabrera, Amanda Perez, Marie Charles- Elie, Jean Claude Boursiquot, Gena Lafiere, Avi Forrester, Charles & Madeline Zakaras, Donald Kenny



*May Eternal rest be granted to:
 Vilma Campbell, P.O. Brian Moore
 May eternal rest be granted to all our
 deceased parishioners*

“GOD’S PLAN FOR GIVING”

*Collection for The Week of
 May 2/3*

*My Weekly Tithe \$6,567
 Catholic Relief Services \$ 615*

Thank you for your generosity and support of your parish.

SECOND COLLECTION

*May 10: School Support
 May 17: Communications
 May 24: Maintenance*

**“REMAIN IN MY LOVE.
IF YOU KEEP MY COMMANDMENTS, YOU WILL REMAIN IN MY LOVE.”**

FROM THE PASTOR’S PEN

Mass Intentions

The Mass Book for next year – January 1 through December 31, 2016 will open on Wednesday, May 27. In light of that I would like to talk a little about the ancient and noble practice of Mass Intentions.

One of the greatest acts of charity is to pray for the living and the dead, and the greatest and most powerful prayer we have is the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, since the fruits of the Mass are the very fruits of Jesus’ redemption. For this reason, all are encouraged to actively participate at Mass, especially on Sunday. But we can also have Mass offered for loved ones who have died, or even for the living who have some need or special intention. The word “Eucharist” means “thanksgiving” and we can offer Mass in thanksgiving to God after the reception of a specific grace or favor. This is an ancient Christian practice, and all are encouraged to take it up. Our Catholic faith is centered on Mass. For it is at the Holy Eucharist where we come together for healing, forgiveness, and renewal in Christ.

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.

If there is a “down side” to Mass Intentions here at Incarnation, it is that they get filled so quickly. As opposed to other parishes which might have “open” intentions, the intentions here at Incarnation fill rather quickly. In fact there are only a handful of intentions available for this calendar year. I feel bad when individuals come to the office looking for an available Mass Intention and the date they would like is already taken. So please come out in advance when looking for those birthdays and anniversaries. You already know the date! Why wait?

Finally, Mass is offered for your intentions every weekend here. Me too in fact, as Mass is offered each weekend for you and I, the People of the Parish.

Don’t forget the Mass Book opens Wednesday, May 27!

Happy Easter and God Bless!

The Lord is Risen. It is true! He has appeared to Simon!

Father O’Connor

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.



Come Holy Spirit! A Novena to the Holy Spirit will be prayed on the days between Ascension and Pentecost—beginning this Friday - after the 8:30 Mass. Come join us for the First Novena of the Church.



HOSPITALITY SUNDAY will take place next Sunday 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 various Groups of the Hispanic Community for sponsoring our May Hospitality.



YOUTH GROUP meets Sunday afternoons at 2PM in Msgr. Nolan Hall—Lower Church for High School and Junior High Students. Come and See.

Feast of Faith Series: You are God’s Holy Ones . . . Sitting Amidst the Saints ~ We invite

everyone who would like to explore our Catholic Faith more deeply to come and reflect on the Saints throughout this coming year.



The final of the five sessions - “New Saints: The Never Exhaustive Goodness of God” takes place Wednesday, May 27 at 7:30PM. Save the date now.

Catholic Charities Queens Community Center Field Office is open in the lower church on the Second and fourth Friday of the Month - May 8 & 22 - from 9AM to 5PM preferably BY APPOINTMENT. For more information and appointments please call 347.472.5043.



MOTHER’S DAY REMEMBRANCE begins on Mother’s Day, May 10th, at the 9AM Mass. This is a beautiful way of remembering our mothers, living or deceased, with a special Novena of Masses. Offering envelopes are available in the church today.



St. Vincent de Paul Clothing Pick-up will take place from 9AM-12PM on Saturday, May 23. Spread the word.

Events For The Week

Sunday	Mothers' Day	
9:00am	Religious Education	MGH
10:30am	Legion of Mary	OLPH
2:00pm	Filipino Mass	CH
Monday		
6:00pm	Girl Scouts	MNH
7:30pm	RCIA-Adult Confirmation	OLPH
Tuesday		
12:00noon	Friendship Club	MNH
Wednesday		
9:00am	Adoration	CH
5:30pm	Angelic Voices	CH
7:00pm	High School Catechism	OLPH
7:30pm	Vigil Mass ~ The Ascension	CH
8:30pm	Choir	CH
Thursday		
8:30am & 10:30am	Mass ~ The Ascension	CH
8:00pm	AA	OLPH
Friday		
9:00am	Holy Spirit Novena	CH
12noon	Food Pantry	MNH
7:30pm	Bible Study Group	OLPH
Saturday		
9:00am	Holy Spirit Novena	CH
9:30am	Sunday Scripture	MGH
9:30am	Sacred Hearts Prayer Group	OLPH
6:00pm	Haitian Prayer Group	MGH
7:30pm	Line Dancing	MNH
8:00pm	AA	OLPH

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

A Gathering of Grief – June 13 from 1-3PM. We invite anyone who is struggling with grief over the death of a love one, to join us for an afternoon gathering at the Immaculate Conception Center with spiritual talks in English and Spanish, along with fellowship, bereavement information and a bilingual prayer service. Fee: \$10.00. Register online at www.ccbq.org/events/bereavement—or contact April Boone, Catholic Charities Bereavement Coordinator: 718-722-6214. Seating Limited! Register Early.

INCARNATION SCHOOL CORNER

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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
or call **718-465-5066**

Readings For The Week



Sunday	Acts 10:25-6 ,34:35,44-48 1Jn 4:7-10 Jn 15:9-17
Monday	Acts 16:11-15 Jn 15:26-16:4a
Tuesday	Acts 16:22-34 Jn 16::5-11
Wednesday	Acts 17:15,22-18:1 Jn 16:12-15
Thursday	Acts 1:1-11 Eph 1:17-23 Mk 16:12-15
Friday	Acts 18:9-18 Jn 16:20-23
Saturday	Acts 18:23-28 Jn 16:23b-28

Religious Education Happenings

Re-registration for Religious Education classes for 2015 - 2016 will begin on April 20. The fee for early registration will be \$90 for 1 child and \$140 for family. Register your child early to obtain the discount on tuition; **you need to register before June 18.** After June 18 the tuition is \$100 for 1 child and \$150 for a family. The parents of new students need to bring the child's baptismal certificate.

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 October. 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.



WHITE WELCOME ENVELOPES are located in the church for those who are new in the parish, for those who would like to receive weekly envelopes and for those who may have forgotten their envelope today. Place the envelope and offering in the collection and thanks.



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.



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.



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.



Haitian Community Dinner Dance will be held Saturday, May 30 beginning at 8PM. Mark your calendars now so you wont miss out. Tickets are only \$35. Contact Bernadette for tickets and details: 718-464-2167.

PARISH WEBSITE. Click onto www.incrcc.org and enjoy all the news and information about our parish including the weekly bulletin, schedules, upcoming events and much more.

INCARNATION GOLF SHIRTS are available in the Parish Office and make for a wonderful gift. Each is burgundy and available in all sizes. It has an image of Mary at the Annunciation when she conceived by the Spirit and with the words of John's Gospel recalling the Incarnation. The shirts are \$12. Stop by & pick one up.

Incarnation School Alumni Association is looking for information on our illustrious graduates. The association is planning on sponsoring future events to reconnect graduates with each other. Please feel free to share this information with your children and others who attended Incarnation School. Fill it out and drop it in the basket or at the parish office. Register also on the internet: www.incrcc.org.

Name _____

Maiden _____

Address _____

Phone Home _____ Work _____

Email _____ Graduation Year _____

INCARNATION INFORMATION

Organization	Contact	Phone
Adult Confirmation	Sr. Joan Klimski	718-465-8534x23
Adult English Choir	Perry Townsend	718-465-8534x27
Adult Faith Formation	Sr. Joan Klimski	718-465-8534x23
Alcoholics Anonymous	Rectory	718-465-8534
Altar Servers	Fr. O'Connor	718-465-8534x15
Angelic Voices Children's Choir	Perry Townsend	718-465-8534x27
Baptism Registration	Rectory	718-465-8534
Contemporary Ensemble	Perry Townsend	718-465-8534x27
Extraordinary Ministers	Sr. Ellen Patrice	718-465-8534
Evangelization	Fr. O'Connor	718-465-8534x15
Family Life Committee	Fr. O'Connor	718-465-8534x15
Filipino Choir	Ricky Matela	718-357-4894
Finance Committee	Fr. O'Connor	718-465-8534x15
Food Pantry	Deacon Francois	718-465-8534x25
Fundraising	Fr. O'Connor	718-465-8534x15
Friendship Club	Marilyn Gallacher	718-465-2895
Girl Scouts	Nalda Gomes	646-320-9355
Haitian Prayer Group	Occide Pierre	718-776-0523
Homebound Ministry	Sr. Ellen Patrice	718-465-8534
Hospitality Ministry	Lucita Romulo	718-740-0417
Incarnation School		
	Principal Satti Marchan	718-465-5066x28
	Alumni Denise Antz	516-354-1217
	HSA	
Jornada	Lorraine Marrero	718-468-9029
Lectors	Fr. O'Connor	718-465-8534x15
Legion of Mary	B. Innocent	718-464-2167
Liturgy Committee	Fr. O'Connor	718-465-8534x15
Line Dancing	Lucita Romulo	718-740-0417
Marriage Registration	Rectory	718-465-8534
Martha Ministry	Donna Paul	347-495-0435
Mustard Seed Ministry	Sr. Joan Klimski	718-465-8534x23
Nocturnal Adoration	Anna Maria Lopez	718-217-4160
Pag-Asa Filipino Com	Jose Santiago	718-479-0496
Parish Pastoral Council	Fr. O'Connor	718-465-8534x15
Publicity Coordinator	Fr. O'Connor	718-465-8534x15
RCIA	Sr. Joan Klimski	718-465-8534x23
Religious Education	Sr. Joan Klimski	718-465-8534x23
Rosary/Altar Society	Gabriella Krill	718-464-4658
Sacred Hearts Group	Den Clemenceau	718-341-2653
Spanish Prayer Group		
Spanish Choir	Jasmine Gomez	347-407-2248
St. Vincent dePaul	Deacon Francois	718-465-8534x25
Vine & Branches Prayer Gp	Karine Baron	646-299-2291
Vocations Committee	G. Pierre-Antoine	718-341-2653

Box Tops for Education. Everyone is asked to gather BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION from their favorite brand food labels. There are two boxes in the vestibule of the church to place your box tops and this will provide added revenue to our school. Thanks.



CAR REBATES. The St. Vincent DePaul Society will give \$50-\$100 to Incarnation for each car, truck or van (running or not). If you or someone you know has an old or neglected vehicle that needs disposal please call the Society of St. Vincent DePaul at 718-491-2525 and mention Incarnation.

