



**ANNOUNCED MASSES**

<b><u>Sunday</u></b>	<b><u>May 8 Mother's Day</u></b>
7:30	Marcel & Carmen Desir
9:00	Living & Deceased Mothers
10:30	Rosa Fracasso
12:00	Maria Delia Rodriguez&Cristina Caicedo
5:00	Ana Cabeza
<b><u>Monday</u></b>	<b><u>May 9 Easter Weekday</u></b>
8:30	Living & Deceased Mothers
<b><u>Tuesday</u></b>	<b><u>May 10 St.Damien Joseph de Veuster</u></b>
8:30	Living & Deceased Mothers
<b><u>Wednesday</u></b>	<b><u>May 11 Easter Weekday</u></b>
8:30	Living & Deceased Mothers
<b><u>Thursday</u></b>	<b><u>May 12 Ss Nereus, Achilleus, Pancras</u></b>
8:30	Living & Deceased Mothers
<b><u>Friday</u></b>	<b><u>May 13 Our Lady of Fatima</u></b>
8:30	Living & Deceased Mothers
<b><u>Saturday</u></b>	<b><u>May 14 St. Matthias</u></b>
8:30	Living & Deceased Mothers
5:00	In Thanksgiving ~ Vida Moore
<b><u>Sunday</u></b>	<b><u>May 15</u></b>
7:30	In Honor of Our Lady of Fatima
9:00	Living & Deceased Mothers
10:30	Hugh Falvey—25th Anniversary
12:00	Candida Allongo ~ living
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. Marine Corps
- Pvt. Byron Umali, U.S. Marine Corps



Do you recognize Christ in your life and hope to make Him known to others? Perhaps you are being called to the priesthood or consecrated life. If you are considering this possibility, call the Vocation Office at 718-827-2454, or write: vocations@diobrook.org.

**ADULT CHOIR.** The Music Ministry is currently accepting new choir members from now to June. Any parishioner interested in giving prayer and praise through church music feel free to see Mr. Perry Townsend in the choir loft after any Masses on the weekend. The choir meets on Thursdays at 7:30PM in the church you might just want to stop by.

**LET US PRAY...**

We ask God's healing and strength for:



- Mercia Desir, Gerard Jacques, Anna Barron
- Mauro Cardio Jr., Rose Marie Jauregui, Felipe Galo,
- Kenji Yamashita, Dorothy Winters Hall, Rocco Moreo,
- Allan Caicedo, Ms. Wilson Despeignes, Gregg Ortiz,
- Antonine Mignon, Joyce Kumar, Roberto Cano,
- Erlinda Valenti, Sr. Edna Cook, Bernard Marcellus,
- Leone Adrien, Vincent Adrien, Yvette Goin,

May eternal rest be granted to:  
All our deceased relatives and friends

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

Collection for The Week of

April 30/May 1  
My Weekly Tithe \$3,885

Catholic Home Mission \$418

Thank you for your generosity and support of your parish.

**SECOND COLLECTIONS**

- May 8: **School Support**
- May 15: **Maintenance**

**“THE LORD HAS TRULY BEEN RAISED  
AND HAS APPEARED TO SIMON!**

**FROM THE PASTOR’S PEN**

Malcom Alexandre  
Erica Davis  
Joey Diejuste  
Nahirovy Figueroa  
Chloe Judith Gibbon  
Holger Jarrin  
Jada Knibbs  
Yennina Lora  
Faustina Merveille  
Arianna Paul  
Samantha Richard  
Aniyah Thomas

Angelique Cespedes  
Valery Delgado  
Jean- Jalen Drouillard  
Reed Frankie  
Nateesha Griffith  
Kaitlyn Jean-Bart  
Matthew Kumar  
Isabella Louisne  
Chelsea Okolo  
Crystal Rahamatulla  
Jose Sandoval  
Faith Villanueva

Antonio Coyoc  
Christelle Derisme  
Tatiana Fernandez  
Gerardo Fuentes  
Davien Harris  
Liam Khan  
Caleb Lemus  
Daniel Mathelier  
Nicole Paran  
Meri-Clare Refazo  
Denise Solomon  
Krizia Yao

Congratulations to our Parish Children who have received the Risen Lord Jesus in the Holy Eucharist for the first time this weekend. May their innocence and joy inspire us as we approach the Lord’s Altar each weekend. May we show them by our actions and words the importance of Jesus in the world and in our lives. May all of us, young and old, be like the two disciples on the Road to Emmaus and always recognize Jesus in the Breaking of the Bread.

Peace be with you and Happy Easter!

*Father O'Connor*

**MOTHER’S DAY REMEMBRANCE** begins on Mother’s Day, May 8<sup>th</sup>, 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 and you may return your offering in the collection or at the Parish Office. These intentions will remain in the sanctuary from Mother’s Day until the end of the month.

**A WARM WELCOME on GOOD SHEPHERD SUNDAY.** Incarnation is pleased to welcome next weekend Rev. Kevin Ables. Father Ables is a Vocation Director our Diocese of Brooklyn. He will be preaching at all the Masses to help us celebrate “Good Shepherd Sunday:” the World Day of Prayer for Vocations.

In conjunction with this visit the parish will install its newest Altar Servers at the 5PM Mass Saturday Evening. Please pray for our youngsters and these new servers that service at the Altar might help nourish the seed of a vocation to priesthood or the religious life.

**Haitian Community Dinner Dance** will be held Saturday, May 28 beginning at 8PM. Mark your calendars now so you wont miss out. Tickets are only \$30. Contact Bernadette for tickets and details: 718-464-2167.



**Marian Evening—May 31: Feast of the Visitation of Mary.** Come out Tuesday, May 31 at 7:30PM to celebrate the Feast of the Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary. The evening service will be filled with Scripture, songs, prayers and grateful sentiments as we recall the generosity of the young Virgin in journeying to assist her older cousin Elizabeth. Recognize Mary as the “Theotokos,” the “God-Bearer” as did John the Baptist who leapt in his mother’s womb. Bring the whole family as we show our affection to Our Blessed Mother.

**Spring Bash & Fun Day!** Incarnation School is throwing a Party on Saturday May 21 from 1PM-6PM in the School Auditorium. The \$12. Admission (\$10. admission for children under 8 years old) ticket is the gateway to international foods & cultural performers, clowns & face painters, DJ music & magic. There will be several chances to win big prizes. Tickets are available at the School, Parish and Religious Ed Offices. You can buy them at the main doors of the church after all the Mass this weekend. Now that it feels like spring— let’s have a little fun!





**Events For The Week**

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Mother's Day</b>	
	Little Sisters of the Poor Collection	
9:00am	Religious Education	MGH
10:30am	Legion of Mary	MNH
2:00pm	Filipino Mass	CH
<b>Monday</b>		
6:00pm	Steel Band	MGH
6:00pm	Girl Scouts	MNH
7:30pm	Caribbean Association	MGH
7:30pm	Adult Confirmation	OLPH
<b>Tuesday</b>		
12:00noon	Friendship Club	MNH
7:30pm	Talleres de Oracion	OLPH
<b>Wednesday</b>		
9:00am	Adoration	CH
3:45pm	New Altar Servers' Practice	CH
7:00pm	Alumni Association	MGH
7:00pm	Jornada	MNH
7:30pm	Feast of Faith Series	OLPH
<b>Thursday</b>		
5:00pm	Youth Choir	CH
6:00pm	Steel Band	MGH
7:30pm	Choir	CH
8:00pm	AA	OLPH
<b>Friday</b>		
12:00noon	Food Pantry	MNH
3:45pm	New Altar Servers' Rehearsal	CH
7:30pm	English Prayer Group	OLPH
7:30pm	Spanish Prayer Group	MNH
7:30pm	Spanish Choir	CH
<b>Saturday</b>		
9:00am	Haitian Youth Day	MNH
9:30am	Flea Market ~ Francis Lewis Blvd.	
5:00pm	New Altar Servers' Installation	CH
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)

**Readings For The Week**

<b>Sunday</b>	Acts 2:14,22-23 1Pt 1:17-21 Lk 24:13-35
<b>Monday</b>	Acts 6:8-15 Jn 6:22-29
<b>Tuesday</b>	Acts 7:51-8:1a Jn 6:30-35
<b>Wednesday</b>	Acts 8:1b-8 Jn 6:35-40
<b>Thursday</b>	Acts 8:26-40 Jn 6:44-51
<b>Friday</b>	Acts 9:1-20 Jn 6:52-59
<b>Saturday</b>	Acts 1:15-17, 20-26 Jn 15:9-17

**Religious Education Happenings**

Registration for next years Religious Education Classes has begun. Stop by the Religious Education Office on Sunday mornings or call 718-465-8534x23. It is important that all our parish children receive instruction in the Faith. It is obligatory that they receive two years of formation before they receive the Sacraments.



**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.

**Societies Meeting.** There will be a gathering of all the society leadership of the parish on Tuesday, May 17 at 7:30PM in Our Lady's Meeting Room. Discussions will include the Multi-cultural Mass and Pot Luck Supper at Pentecost, next year's parish calendar and other concerns. All parish groups must be represented.

**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. July intentions are available. 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.

**EASTER GIFT TO MY CHURCH.** Your all important "Easter Gift to My Church" is being collected during the Easter Season. 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 Easter.

**INCARNATION SCHOOL CORNER**

**Registration has begun at Incarnation School for the 2011-2012 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. For more info log onto [www.incrcc.org](http://www.incrcc.org) or call 718-465-5066



**Feast of Faith Series: *The Church & the Sacraments . . . Perfect Together*** ~ We invite everyone who would like to explore our Catholic Faith more deeply to come and reflect on the Sacraments though out this spring. The third of the four session—”The Sacraments of Vocation: Marriage and Holy Orders” takes place next Wednesday, May 11 at 7:30PM. The session on Penance & the Anointing of the Sick snowed out in January has been re-scheduled for Wed., June 15. So save the dates for future sessions on May 11 & June 15— Both Presentations will be in Our Lady’s Meeting Room on Wednesday Evenings at 7:30PM.

**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 this



Saturday, May 14th (rain or shine) from 9:30 AM to 4:00 PM. Tables are only \$25.00 each and ocean green vendor registration forms are available in the church today or at the Parish Office. Tables are limited and the deadline for vendors is Monday, May 9<sup>th</sup>.

**LITTLE SISTERS OF THE POOR** will be present at all the Masses this weekend. We all know of their ministry with the elderly poor particularly at Queen of Peace Residence in our own Queens Village where they provide a safe and comfortable home for elderly men and women. The Sisters will be at the doors of the church as you leave Mass to receive your donations. Please be as generous as your means will allow.

**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.



**New Altar Servers** will be installed this Saturday, May 14 at the 5PM Mass. Please pray that our children will always be connected to Christ and His Church.



**2011 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL** has begun with **77 pledges** being made in the initial weeks of the campaign. Once again we look forward to a successful pledge drive at Incarnation hoping to surpass our generosity from last year: \$68,392—almost \$17,000 of which returned to Incarnation. With the participation of every parishioner we are guaranteed success!

**INCARNATION INFORMATION**

Organization	Contact	Phone
Adult Confirmation	Fr. O’Connor	718-465-8534x15
Adult English Choir	Perry Townsend	718-465-8534x27
Adult Faith Formation	Fr. O’Connor	718-465-8534x15
Alcoholics Anonymous	Rectory	718-465-8534
Altar Servers	Fr. O’Connor	718-465-8534x15
Baptism Registration	Rectory	718-465-8534
Caribbean Association	Lynette Jerome	718-479-9260
Children’s Choir	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	Terry Forgione	718-464-8762
Girl Scouts	Nalda Gomes	646-320-9355
Haitian Prayer Gp	Occide Pierre	718-776-0523
Homebound Min	Sr. Ellen Patrice	718-465-8534
Hospitality Committee		
Incarnation School		
	Principal Satti Marchan	718-465-5066x28
	Alumni 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		
Marriage Registration	Rectory	718-465-8534
Mustard Seed Ministry		
Nocturnal Adoration	Gabriella Krill	718-464-4658
Pag-Asa Filipino Com	Lucita Romulo	718-740-0417
Parish Pastoral Council	Fr. O’Connor	718-465-8534x15
Publicity Coordinator	Fr. O’Connor	718-465-8534x15
RCIA	Fr. O’Connor	718-465-8534x15
Religious Education	Amalia Vais	718-465-8534x23
Rosary/Altar Society	Gabriella Krill	718-464-4658
Sacred Hearts Group	Dcn Clemenceau	718-341-2653
Spanish Prayer Group	Nereida Urena	347-612-2400
Spanish Choir	Norma Allongo	718-465-8534
St. Vincent dePaul	Deacon Francois	718-465-8534x25
Vine & Branches Prayer Gp	Ofelia Villar	718-465-0087
Vocations Committee	G. Pierre-Antoine	718-341-2653

**HOLY HOUR FOR VOCATIONS** will take place next Wednesday, May 18th at 7:30 PM in the church.



All parishioners are asked to attend and pray for more priests in the church and children are most especially invited. We are pleased to welcome Father Alonzo Cox, Brooklyn’s newest ordained priest and assigned to St. Clare’s Parish in Rosedale, who will offer his reflections on his first year as a priest of Jesus Christ. Come and pray before the Blessed Sacrament asking for more laborers to tend the vineyard.

**CHURCH ETIQUETTE.** A reminder to all parishioners to turn off cell phones before entering the church. Please save extended greetings with one another till you have exited the church so others may prayer quietly.