

ANNOUNCED MASSES

Sunday	October 21
7:30	In Thanksgiving
9:00	Jeanne Destra
10:30	Rafael Deperalta
12:00	Peace & Justice in the World
5:00	The People of Incarnation
Monday	October 22
8:30	Modesto Padios
Tuesday	October 23 St. John of Capistrano
8:30	Guy Vulcain
Wednesday	October 24 St. Anthony Mary Claret
8:30	Claude Roumain
Thursday	October 25
8:30	Owen F. Brady
Friday	October 26
8:30	Antonio Mojica
Saturday	October 27
8:3	Modesta Angel
5:00	The People of Incarnation
Sunday	October 28
7:30	Modesto Padios
9:00	In honor of St. Jude ~Int. of Cesar
10:30	Antonio & Angelina Cervi
12:00	Francisco Perez
5:00	Intentions of Mimerose Destra & Family



“Are you able to drink the cup that I drink, or be baptized with the baptism that I am baptized with?” Should the Lord direct these words to you in prayer, how will you respond? As a priest, deacon or in the consecrated life? Contact the Vocation Office at 718-827-2454 or email: vocations@diobrook.org.

ATTENTION ALL 7th, 8th & 9th Graders!
YOUTH GROUP MEETS FRIDAY, Oct 26 at 7:15PM. Parish young people are invited to join in Incarnation’s youth group that will meet on Friday nights. Our young people will have the opportunity to form and guide this new youth experience. Don’t miss out. Be there on the 26th.

LET US PRAY...

We ask God’s healing and strength for:

- Mercia Desir, Gerard Jacques, Rose Toussaint, Gregg Ortiz, Dora Parris, Dinorah Wilcox, Felipe Galo, Joyce Kumar, Kenji Yamashita, Dorothy Winters Hall, Rocco Moreo, Allan Caicedo, Elizabeth Burke, Ben & Horacio Eclipse, Marian Smith, Yvette Goin, Marie Lourdes Toussaint, Arnulfo Cabahug, Sr, Caroline Amurao, Henry Alvarez, Leone & Vincent Adrien, Vida Moore, Nicole LaForest, William O’Neil, Revica Villete, Maria Cabrera, Amanda Aquilar, Annette Kidd

*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
- Pfc. Juan Carlos Escudero, U.S. Army
- 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

Blood Drive—Today: 8AM– 2PM: Msgr. Griffin Hall

Consider donating the gift of life today. Approximately 30 minutes could have an effect on as many as 3 lives. Donating blood is safe and needed. At 16 years old you can donate blood with parental permission. At 17 no permission is required. Please bring a photo ID with signature. Invite others from your family or block who might not worship with us. “Christ’s Blood is Precious and so is yours to those in need!”

“GOD’S PLAN FOR GIVING”

Collection for The Week of

October 13/14

<i>My Weekly Tith</i>	<i>\$3919.21</i>
<i>School Support</i>	<i>\$276</i>

Thank you for your generosity and support of your parish.

SECOND COLLECTION

- Oct 21: Mission Sunday**
- Oct 28: All Saints’ Day**

“BRING A FRIEND TO CHURCH!”

FROM THE PASTOR'S PEN

To honor the fiftieth anniversary of the Second Vatican Council and the twentieth anniversary of the *Catechism of the Catholic Church*, Pope Benedict XVI has announced a Year of Faith, starting October 11 and ending November 24, 2013. The goal is to strengthen the faith of Catholics and draw the world to faith by their example. Bishop David Ricken of Green Bay, Wisconsin, offers “10 Ways Catholics Can Live the Year of Faith.”

1. *Participate in Mass.* The Year of Faith is meant to promote the personal encounter with Jesus. This occurs most immediately in the Eucharist. Regular Mass attendance strengthens one's faith through the Scriptures, the Creed, other prayers, sacred music, the homily, receiving Communion and being part of a faith community.
2. *Go to Confession.* Like going to Mass, Catholics find strength and grow deeper in their faith through participation in the Sacrament of Penance and Reconciliation. Confession urges people to turn back to God, express sorrow for falling short and open their lives to the power of God's healing grace.
3. *Learn about the lives of the saints.* The saints are timeless examples of how to live a Christian life, and they provide endless hope.
4. *Read the Bible daily.* Scripture offers first-hand access to the Word of God and tells the story of human salvation. Catholics can pray the Scriptures to become more attuned to the Word of God.
5. *Read the documents of Vatican II.* The Second Vatican Council ushered in a great renewal of the Church. It impacted how Mass is celebrated, the role of the laity, how the Church understands itself and its relationship with other Christians and non-Christians.
6. *Study the Catechism.* Published exactly 30 years after the start of the Council, the *Catechism of the Catholic Church* covers the beliefs, moral teachings, prayer and sacraments of the Church in 1 volume. It's a resource for growing in understanding of the faith.
7. *Volunteer in the parish.* The Year of Faith can't only be about study and reflection. The solid grounding of the Scriptures, the Council & the Catechism must translate into action. A parish is a great place where each person's gifts help build up the community.
8. *Help those in need.* The Vatican urges Catholics to donate to charity and volunteer to help the poor during the Year of Faith. This means to personally encounter Christ in the poor, marginalized and vulnerable.
9. *Invite a friend to Mass.* The Year of Faith may be global in its scope, focusing on a renewal of faith and evangelization for the whole Church, but real change occurs at the local level. A personal invitation can make all the difference to someone who has drifted from the faith or feels alienated from the Church.
10. *Incorporate the Beatitudes into daily life.* The Beatitudes (Matthew 5:3-12) provide a rich blueprint for Christian living. Their wisdom can help all to be more humble, patient, just, transparent, loving, forgiving and free.

God Bless!

Father O'Connor

HOSPITALITY SUNDAY takes place today 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 Ss Hearts Prayer Grp & the Haitian Choir for sponsoring our October Hospitality Sunday.

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 thank you for your support.

WELCOME
TO ALL WHO ENTER HERE



SOCIAL JUSTICE MINISTRY will meet this Wednesday, October 24th at 10AM/7:30 PM in the OLPH Meeting Room. All parishioners are invited to attend.

MINISTRY OF HOSPITALITY. Those who are interested in the Ministry of Hospitality to welcome visitors and parishioners to our doors at Sunday Mass are asked to contact Father O'Connor for more information. This ministry is a result of the Parish Assembly and parishioners' desire to make Incarnation a more welcoming place.

Hospitality Ministers

"Do not neglect to show hospitality to strangers, for by doing that some have entertained angels without knowing it."

Hebrews 13:2



WORLD MISSION SUNDAY is today. Please assist the mission Churches throughout the world with your prayers and generosity.

PRAYERS FOR VOCATIONS TO THE PRIESTHOOD.



Over the next nine months you will be invited to pray at home for more priests. We invite individual parishioners & families to sign up to receive a beautiful Good Shepherd statue into their home for one or two weeks and to pray for priestly vocations. A prayer kit & activity sheets about vocations will be also given to help you through your prayer week. At the end of the week, on Saturdays, we ask you to return the Good Shepherd Statue to the Parish Office so that it may be handed over to another parishioner and/or family on Sunday. You may keep the activity sheets for further prayer and reflection. Please consider signing up for our Prayer Campaign for Priestly Vocations. Simply fill in the form below and return it to the Parish Office or in the collection as soon as possible. Father O'Connor or a member of the Vocations Committee, will contact you soon afterwards about all the details.

NAME _____ PHONE: _____

Please contact me/us to participate in Incarnation's Prayer Campaign for Priestly Vocations. I/We wish to dedicate daily prayer before the Good Shepherd in our home asking for more priests to active ministry in the Church.

Events For The Week

Sunday	Hospitality Sunday/World Mission Sunday	
	Baptism Welcome	
8:00am	Blood Drive	MGH
9:00am	Religious Education Classes	SCH
9:45am	First Communion Session I	OLPH
Monday		
6:00pm	Girl Scouts	MNH
6:00pm	Steel Band	MGH
7:00pm	Caribbean Association	MGH
7:30pm	RCIA	OLPH
Tuesday		
12:00noon	Friendship Club	MNH
7:00pm	Will Seminar	OLPH
Wednesday		
9:00am	Adoration	CH
10am/7:30pm	Social Justice	OLPH
6:00pm	Steel Band	MGH
7:00pm	Jornada	MNH
Thursday		
8:00pm	AA	OLPH
Friday		
12:00noon	Food Pantry	MNH
7:00pm	Youth Group	MNH
7:30pm	Bible Study	OLPH
Saturday		
9:00am	Sacred Hearts Prayer Group	OLPH
9:30am	Sunday Scripture Sharing	MGH
10:00am	Girl Scouts	MNH
6:00pm	Haitian Prayer Group	OLPH
7:30pm	Line Dancing	MNH
8:00pm	AA	OLPH

Readings For The Week



Sunday	Is 53:10-11 Heb 4:14-16 Mt 10:35-45
Monday	Eph 2:1-10 Lk 12:13-21
Tuesday	Eph 2:12-22 Lk 12:35-28
Wednesday	Eph 3:2-12 Lk 12:39-48
Thursday	Eph 3:14-21 Lk 12:49-53
Friday	Eph 4:1-6 Lk 12:54-59
Saturday	Eph 4:7-16 Lk 13:1-9

Religious Education Happenings

MUSTARD SEED MINISTRY—Children’s Liturgy of the Word has resumed at the 10:30 Mass.

First Holy Communion

The First Preparation Session for the families (parents and students) receiving Penance & Holy Communion will take place next Sunday at 9:45AM in Our Lady’s Meeting Room.

If you can offer your assistance for the children of the Religious Education Program, please contact S. Joan Klimski at 718 465-8534 x23 to find out more information.



Welcome to Our Family . . .



Welcome to the Church! Incarnation would like to welcome the newly baptized of October: Luis Castro, Jaden Dupiton, Benjamin Garcia Vazquez, Taliyah-Marie Martino, Samantha

Tejada, Amaya Walters.

Faith Leads to Joy! Fr. James Martin, SJ—Author of *Between Heaven and Mirth*—will be speaking at OL of the Snows, Floral Pk this Thursday at 7:30PM. All Welcomed.

SUNDAY SCRIPTURE SHARING ON SATURDAYS. One of the requests from our Parish Assembly was a greater opportunity to explore and appreciate Sacred Scripture. Now is the time! So come and 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

It’s not to late to Register for this Academic Year.



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**

WILL SEMINAR. THE IMPORTANCE of having a Will and how to go about making one will be discussed at a Wills Seminar this Tuesday, October 23rd, 2012 at 7:00 p.m. The Attorney Speaker will be Michael Ryan, Esq. Mr. Ryan is a New York attorney in the general practice of law and is an expert in the fields of Wills and Estate Planning. The seminar will be held in the Our Lady’s Meeting Room. Mr. Ryan will discuss the importance of having a Will, problems with joint bank accounts, the "convenience account" law, revocable trusts, the Health Care Proxy Law, Living Wills and Elder Law. There will also be an explanation of the Diocesan Charitable Gift Annuity. **TIME WILL BE ALLOTTED FOR A QUESTION-AND-ANSWER PERIOD.** The seminar is an opportunity to obtain updated information about subjects that are useful and practical. Be Sure to Attend!

FAMILY MOVIE NITE—SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 10—

6:30PM. The Family Life Committee invites you to join with others in the parish for a Special Family Movie to be enjoyed by all in the school auditorium. Food and drink, Raffles and loads of fun are all included in the Admission Fee of \$5. Mark your calendars now for some good ol’ fashioned fun.



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.



Feast of Faith Series: *The Second Vatican Ecumenical Council-Fifty Years on* ~ We



invite everyone who would like to explore our Catholic Faith more deeply to come and reflect on Vatican II in this *Year of Faith* throughout this coming year. The second of the four sessions -“The Dogmatic Constitution on Divine Revelation: How We are Connected to Christ Jesus” takes place Wednesday, Nov 7 at 7:30PM. Save the dates for future sessions on January 9 and February 6- all Wednesday Evenings at 7:30PM.

ALL SOULS ENVELOPES are available in the church today. In November we remember and pray for the souls of the dead especially our family members, friends and fellow parishioners. Feel free to take an envelope and fill in the names of your beloved dead whom you wish to have prayers offered during November. Return the envelope with your offering in the collection basket or at the Parish Office. All Souls' Day is Friday, November 2.

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!

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
Caribbean Association	Lynette Jerome	718-479-9260
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 Group	Occide Pierre	718-776-0523
Homebound Min	Sr. Ellen Patrice	718-465-8534
Hospitality Committee		
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
Mustard Seed Ministry	Sr. Joan Klimski	718-465-8534x23
Nocturnal Adoration	Gabriella Krill	718-464-4658
Pag-Asa Filipino Com	Jose Santiago	
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	Dcn Clemenceau	718-341-2653
Spanish Prayer Group	Lucy Sanders	718-468-0899
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

2012 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL continues at



Incarnation. Tallies show that there have been **305 pledges** made. So we are just over **60% to our goal of 500 pledges but we are 25 pledges behind last year.** Thanks to all who already have made a pledge to this year's 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 \$50,290. Pledges—large and small—can be made by all the working members of the household. Extra pledge envelopes are in the church today. 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 “Build God's Kingdom in Brooklyn and Queens!”