

CHURCH OF THE INCARNATION-ST. JAMES

Mass Intentions for the Week

SATURDAY,	APRIL 26, 2008
SJ 4:00 PM	Albert Lanzoni By Dan & Nina Gowaty
I 5:30 PM	William P. Maloney By Mel & Kay Schindewolf
SUNDAY,	APRIL 27, 2008
I 7:30 AM	Deceased Parents and Family By Charles & Carolyn Stanley Family
SJ 9:30 AM	Mary Zampini By DiBella & Polizzi Family Josephine & Richard Carlisi By M/M Frank DeFeo
I 11:00 AM	William Meagher By Hoyt Family
I 5:30 PM	Mark Dettmar By Chris Franzoni
MONDAY,	APRIL 28, 2008
I 6:45 AM	Eva (Schilling) Quinn By Children
SJ 8:00 AM	Americo Silvestri By Nick & Teresa Cherri
TUESDAY,	APRIL 29, 2008
I 6:45 AM	Samuel Slowinski By George Burke
SJ 8:00 AM	Mary P. Leone By Seniors Club
WEDNESDAY,	APRIL 30, 2008
I 6:45 AM	Arthur Parziale (Anniv) By Theresa Parziale
SJ 8:00 AM	William Muldowney By Wife, Genevieve
<i>EVE OF HOLY DAY – FEAST OF ASCENSION</i>	
I 6:00 PM	Mary Hayman By Friel Family
THURSDAY,	MAY 1, 2008
<i>FEAST OF THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD</i>	
I 6:45 AM	Vera Giaguilli By Carl & Josephine Ceposki
SJ 8:00 AM	Kevin O'Donnell By Florence Perrine & John Pecci
I 9:00 AM	Intentions of Stephen Carman
School Mass	By Debbie Smith
I 12:15 PM	Msgr. Thomas Coffey By Joan Carlin
SJ 7:00 PM	Anthony Poleo By Frank & Grace DeFeo

FRIDAY,
I 6:45 AM

SJ 8:00 AM

MAY 2, 2008 FIRST FRIDAY

Kathryn Derrico (Anniv)
By Michael & Donna Derrico
Parishioners of Incarnation-St. James

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Jesus Christ, Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity, is exposed in the monstrance on the Altar each month. This month Adoration will be held May 2, 2008 following the 6:45 a.m. Mass to 4:00 p.m. in the Incarnation Church. We invite you to come to adore Christ – to be with Him. It is a personal time for reflection, a time of quiet intimacy with Christ – in His presence. There is no set time to stay, a few minutes or an hour. Jesus is there awaiting our love and adoration.

SATURDAY,
SJ 8:00 AM

I 9:00 AM
SJ 4:00 PM

I 5:30 PM

MAY 3, 2008 FIRST SATURDAY

Sebastiano Verrelli
By Family
NO 9:00 a.m. Mass due to First Communion
Renata Stirpe
By Daughter & Family
George Persichetti
By Nina & Dan Gowaty
Bill Glahn
By Wife
Elizabeth Daly (Anniv)
By Family

SUNDAY,
I 7:30 AM

SJ 9:30 AM

I 11:00 AM

I 5:30 PM

MAY 4, 2008

J. Raymond Riordan
By Warren, Connie & Christina Bechman
John E. Henry
By Thomas E. Henry
Betty, Etta & Joseph Kuhn, Sr.
By Mary Ann & Joseph Kuhn
Margaret Brennen
By Daughter, Kathleen Smith
William Piard
By Edline Souffrant
Mary Lea Savage
By Mary Bedard



The Incarnation Altar Flowers are:
In Loving Memory of: Esther DeCandido
By Children, Mary & Gene
The St. James Sanctuary Candles, Bread & Wine
used at Mass and Altar Flowers are:
In Loving Memory of: William Muldowney
By Wife, Genevieve

ETERNAL REST GRANT UNTO HER, O LORD

Please pray for the repose of the soul of: *Jennie Walsh*. May her soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.

From the Pastor's Desk



Dear Parishioners and Friends of ISJ,

CHRIST IS RISEN FROM THE DEAD AND BY DEATH HAS TRAMPLED DOWN UPON THE GRAVE! Alleluia!

Today, more than ever, the Christian world can sing these words because today our Orthodox brothers and sisters celebrate Easter Sunday, Great and Holy Pascha. That sister Church follows a somewhat different Church calendar than does the Western Church to which the majority of Christians belong.

Some years, like last year, our Easters are celebrated on the same Sunday. Other years, like next year, they are just a week apart and still some years have the gap of almost six weeks. However today gives us another reason to celebrate the greatest event in human history – the Resurrection of Jesus from the dead. This past Friday, Great and Holy Friday, I attended services at St. George Greek Orthodox Church in Hamilton and they were quite moving as they took the image of Jesus down from the Cross and placed it in a flower-covered tomb to which all the Faithful were invited to venerate. So today we are once again made joyful that Jesus has won for us such a victory.

CHRIST IS RISEN, ALLELUIA – TRULY, HE HAS RISEN, ALLELUIA!

For the Latin, Western Church, however, we are preparing to celebrate the great Feast of the Ascension of the Lord this coming Thursday, May the First. How quickly these forty days of Easter just fly by! Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week were known in former times as the Rogation Days, from the Latin, Rogare, meaning to ask or to beg. These three days were considered days of penance and supplication as the Lord prepares to leave us. Very often fields and farms were blessed, asking God for an abundant harvest in the season to come. Mass was celebrated in violet vestments and special prayers were offered. We can still live in their spirit by making this week truly holy by attending Mass, of course on Thursday, Ascension Day, but also asking the Lord Jesus for whatever we may need to love Him even more. Please consult the Bulletin this week for the complete schedule of Masses for this great and holy Day. As we celebrate the Ascension we begin to turn our attention to the coming of the Third Person of the Most Blessed Trinity, the Holy Spirit, at Pentecost. More about this great Solemnity in next week's Bulletin. If I say everything now I will have nothing next week!

This Saturday, May the 3rd, we have the Parish celebration of First Holy Communion. Our sons and daughters will receive the Lord Jesus for the first time in this great Sacrament of the Altar. What a source of joy for all of us. Remember your First Communion Day? Remember the love and devotion the Sisters tried to instill in us as we knelt to receive Him? You know today can be our first Communion day all over again. We can renew that intense love of Jesus again. Jesus told us: "Behold, I have come to make all things new." When the Little Flower, St. Theresa, received her First Holy Communion she wrote: "How sweet was that first kiss of Jesus! It was no longer Theresa and Jesus but only Jesus! He now lives and moves in me." Today we renew our love for Jesus in the Most Holy Sacrament of the Altar and resolve to make every Communion as wonderful as our First. When I was assigned to Bristol, PA at St. Ann Church, Father James Day would always tell the First Communion class that the Communion that is just as important as the First is the second and the Third and the 900th Communion and so on. O Sacrament most Holy, O Sacrament Divine – all praise and all thanksgiving be every moment Thine!

Next Sunday, May the 4th we will have the parish celebration of Our Blessed Lady with the May crowning. What a wonderful opportunity to honor Our Lady and the Holy Rosary as we begin Her special Month of May.

Finally, Father Jose, our Minister General, wishes me to extend his deepest thanks and love for the welcome and the enthusiasm that were extended to him during his Visitation last weekend. He really enjoyed himself and commented how wonderful the parishioners of Incarnation-St. James are. Of course, we know that already. I wish to thank you from the bottom of my heart all those generous individuals who planned and prepared the beautiful receptions after the Liturgies. I cannot thank you enough for your love and generosity. THANK YOU!

May this week ahead made truly holy by the Ascension of the Lord Jesus and by the continued celebration of the Resurrection be filled with every grace and blessing.

*In the Love of Jesus Risen,
Father Daniel, O.S.S.T.*

Alleluia

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

INCARNATION-ST. JAMES LAY MINISTRIES

Wednesday, April 30, 2008 Vigil

6:00 PM Reader: Claire Peer

Thursday, May 1, 2008 Feast of the Ascension

6:45 AM Reader: Joan Birchenall

8:00 AM Reader: Ginny Festa

9:00 AM Reader: Sr. Francis

12:15 PM Reader: Les Simon

7:00 PM Reader: Elizabeth Ortiz

Saturday, May 3, 2007

4:00 PM Reader: Babe Fabe
EMHC: C. & M. Caldlerone

5:30 PM Reader: Cathy Funari
Server: E. Hornyak, C. Barbiero,
C. McManimon
EMHC: K. Barbiero, M. Delaney

Sunday, May 4, 2007

7:30 AM Reader: Kathy Wollert
Server: M. Gervasio, W. Parr, S. Stradling
EMHC: C. Rudnick, J. Vandegrift, P&T Zoladz

9:30 AM Reader: Judy Paul
Server: M. Bearden
EMHC: E. Marzik, P. Brennan

11:00 AM Reader: Donald Cox
Server: M. Gardineer, C. & N. Siracusa
EMHC: Sr. Francis, Sr. Donna Watson,
C. Funari, D. Sapp

5:30 PM Reader: Mary Bedard
Server: B. Elien, C. Griffith
EMHC: M. Tovar, Jim Alessi

Remember the Sick in Your Prayers....

Daniel Adams, Lucille Altamare, Mary Aveni, Lucy Boczany, Theresa Puca-Bond, Rose Bonifazi, Margaret Ann Bruno, Lillian Bulanowski, Eileen Byrne, Steve Cebulko, Claire & Ugo Cesaro, McKenna Codd, Jean DelVecchio, Blanche DiFalco, Richard Dotter, Tom Dzubek, Marie Emma, Eileen Fell, Rennie Funari, Josephine Geraci, David Gillico, Constance Gizzi, Sharon Gizzi, Jennie Gliottone, Vincent Guagliardo, Dorothy Kalnas, Barbara Kelly, Joseph Kelly, Mary Lanzoni, Rogelio Lopera, Frances Malick, Jeanette Marasco, Nicholas Matteo, Joseph Minotti, Terry Moulton, Eileen Meagher, Bill McKnight, Marie Morello, Helene Mule, Samuel Nalbone, Frances Nardone, Pia Paul, Bernice Pearre, Helen Persichetti, Laura Petroni, Wilson Piard, Amanda Radice, Kathleen Reed, Dolores Rogers, Fena Romano, Grace Rossi, Carol Salender, Maureen Scibilia, Florence Sperazza, Tina Taglireno, Barbara Taunitas, Liliane Tocatlian, Herman Upstein, Joseph Vocheck, Theresa Wilde, Imelda Wollert and Nicholas Zuccarello.

Please call the parish office at 609-882-2860 to add a name to the prayer list and inform us when all is well so we may take a name off the list.



COLLECTION FOR THE WEEK OF APRIL 19-20, 2008

TOTAL: \$11,362.35

Thank you for your ongoing Catholic Stewardship and support of our Incarnation - St. James Parish Family. Nothing can be done without you, your participation and generosity in time, spirit and financial support.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM

Religious Education Classes will be held this Monday evening from 6:30-7:45 p.m. Please have the children on time.

First Communion Practice: Tuesday, April 29 and Wednesday, April 30 from 12:00 to 12:30.



***Congratulations to our 2008 First Communion Class
May 3, 2008 at 10:00 A.M.
Please remember our First Communion Class and their Families in your prayers.***

Please note: There is NO 9:00 A.M. Mass at Incarnation due to 1st Communion

ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY

RESERVE THESE DATES ON YOUR CALENDAR

April 27th Following the 11:00 a.m. Mass, the Respect Life **Mock Baby Shower** will take place in the Incarnation Auditorium. Please accept the invitation to attend. Your gift may be left at the altar, or brought to the Shower, or taken to the Rectory. Thank you for your generosity.

May 4th Following the 11:00 Mass, the **Annual May Crowning** of the Blessed Mother will take place. The site will be the circle by the Incarnation Church. This year, the children from the First Communion and the Confirmation Classes have been asked to participate. All in our Parish Family are most welcomed to join in this beautiful tribute to Mary, our Mother.

May 13th Tuesday, at 7:00 p.m. the RAS **Monthly Meeting** will be held in the McAndrews room of the Rectory. Again, an invitation is extended to all Rosarians to attend and to participate in a planning session for our Society.

May 14th Wednesday, **The One Day Retreat** for women is scheduled at Stella Maris Retreat Center in Elberon, NJ.

- Charter Bus from Pennington Road Fire House parking lot. Bus leaves at 8:00 a.m.
- Cost per person is \$50.00 which includes the Retreat fee, morning refreshments and lunch, and transportation.
- Father Daniel will celebrate Mass.
- Reservations are due by Wednesday, April 30th. To reserve your place please call Claire at 883-1111.

ATLANTIC CITY – SHOWBOAT

The Rosary Altar Society is sponsoring a bus trip to the Showboat on May 18, 2008. Bus leaves the Incarnation Campus parking lot at 1:00 p.m. and returns approximately 11:00 p.m. The cost is \$25.00 per person and you receive back \$20.00 in coin.

Hope you can join in the fun!

RESERVATIONS: ANNE PATRONE 883-7317

SENIORS CLUB

The Incarnation-St. James Senior's Club meets the First and Third Wednesday's at 1:00 p.m. in St. James Trinity Hall. All seniors are welcome to come and join in the fun. Membership is \$12.00 per year. One meeting per month a lunch is planned. We also invite guest speakers and sponsor bus trips throughout the year. Speak with June LiMato our President for more info on joining.

The Incarnation-St. James Senior's Club is planning a bus trip! Don't miss it! Climb aboard as we travel to **Villa Roma Resort** in Callicoon, New York. The Date is September 8-12, 2008. The cost per person is \$500.00 and price includes All meals, tips, room, shows and bus. What are ya waiting for call Connie Fanelli today to make your reservation at 609-585-0575. These trips fill up fast so pick up that phone now.

SENIOR SPIRITUALITY DAY – MERCER COUNTY

Who: Older Catholic Adults
What: A day of Spirituality, Entertainment, Education and Socializing
When: Wednesday, May 21, 9:30 a.m.-2:00 p.m.
Where: Our Lady of Good Counsel, W. Trenton.
Why: To Celebrate Life!
Lunch is included!

Please register by calling Sister Mary Simon Robb, RSM at 609-406-7400 ext. 5594.

Senior Spirituality Day is funded by: Bishop's Annual Appeal.

MAY IS THE MONTH TO REMEMBER OUR MOTHER'S

Mother's Day remembrance cards are available in the pews at both Church worship sites. If you would like to remember your mother, Living or Deceased please take a card. Please complete and return the envelope with your remembrances. The Envelopes will be placed at the Tabernacle for the month of May. Please return your request by April 30th by dropping in the collection basket or take/mail to the parish office at 1545 Pennington Road, Ewing, NJ 08618.



The World is filled
with GOD'S glory



The Provenance Camerata Chamber Ensemble

The Provenance Camerata Chamber Ensemble brings together talented young people from various schools in the area, to meet, rehearse, and perform in the best tradition of the musical art. The Camerata fosters an appreciation of music-making and provides young musicians with an opportunity to perform with their gifted peers and professionals. Musicians serve their community by donating their time and talent while raising funds for charity.

Please join musicians from *your* school, *your* friends and neighbors, for our 2008 concerts featuring classical, popular, and original music composed by G. Spensser Haynes, director, especially for the ensemble.

Saturday, May 3, 2008, 7:00 PM

Villa Victoria Academy Cafeteria

Sunday, May 4, 2008, 2:00 PM

Saint Gregory the Great Parish Center

Sunday, May 11, 2008, 2:00 PM

Incarnation – Saint James Auditorium

Saturday, May 17, 2008, 5:00 PM

Washington Town Center – Burnet Walk

There is no admission charge. Donation for our designated charity, Signal 22 Association, Mercer County's Fire Canteen Unit, are gratefully accepted. For more information, please visit us at <http://dr1.org/Camerata/PC-001.html>

BAPTISMAL PREPARATION CLASS

Parents who are registered in our parish are required to attend a Baptismal Preparation Class prior to setting the baptismal date. We invite and encourage you, when possible, to attend this session prior to the child's birth. Both parents are expected to attend. The next class will be held Wednesday, May 7th at 7:00 p.m. in the Rectory Conference Room. Please contact the Rectory for a Baptismal Information sheet 882-2860.

CATHOLIC HOME MISSIONS

The Catholic Home Mission Collection is this weekend April 26-27. This Appeal supports the Home Missions – places in the US where the Catholic Church struggles just to keep parishes open and to educate children in the faith. Some dioceses are terribly short of priests, sisters, and the money needed to run parishes. For example, there are only 70 priests in the whole state of Utah, 57 in Idaho, and 45 in Wyoming. Please give generously to help your fellow Catholics here in America.

Please join us

**Sunday, May 4th for the
Parish Crowning of the
Blessed Mother
following the 11:00 a.m.
Mass at Incarnation
in the circle.**

(if weather permits, otherwise in the church)



AND

**Friday, May 9th for the Incarnation-St. James
School Crowning of the Blessed Mother
in the Incarnation Prayer Garden
following the 9:00 a.m. School Mass.**

(if weather permits, otherwise in the church)

**All are welcome to participate in our
May Devotions to our Blessed Mother.**

**May
Month of
The Blessed
Mother**

