

CHURCH OF THE INCARNATION-ST. JAMES

Mass Intentions for the Week

SATURDAY, APRIL 18, 2009
 SJ 4:00 PM Giuseppe & Giovannina Giancarli
 & Michelina Zangrilli
 By M/M Pasquale Guarraggi
 Carmen Enourato
 By M/M Anthony Enourato
 I 5:30 PM Bill Swanhart
 By Wife, Marge & Family

SUNDAY, APRIL 19, 2009
 I 7:30 AM J. Raymond Riordan
 By Brian & Kathy Hitt & Family
 Donald Harney
 By Wife, Eileen
 SJ 9:30 AM Mary Zampini
 By DiBella & Polizzi Family
 Anna Maria Agliata & Frank Fidanza
 By Tony Agliata
 I 11:00 AM Grace Giddens
 By Niece, Prayther Denson
 William, Alice & Will Meagher
 By Family
 I 5:30 PM Henry N. "Hank" Nutt Jr.
 By Gene and Alex Spring

MONDAY, APRIL 20, 2009
 I 6:45 AM Esther DeCandido
 By Children, Mary & Gene
 SJ 8:00 AM Daniel J. O'Hern
 By Brother John Bransfield, O.S.S.T.
 Rev. Luke Mennella, O.S.S.T.
 By Harold & Grace Lanzoni

TUESDAY, APRIL 21, 2009
 I 6:45 AM Frank M. Fato
 By Daughter, Donna & Family
 SJ 8:00 AM Jeanette Marasco
 By Josephine Soden
 Frances D'Agostino
 By Theresa Cammarata

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22, 2009
 I 6:45 AM Christopher Hayman (Anniv)
 By Family
 SJ 8:00 AM Alessandra & Benny Recine
 By Son & Family
 Samuel Guarino
 By Edith Ann Mrazik

THURSDAY, APRIL 23, 2009
 I 6:45 AM Bernard J. Daly (Anniv)
 By Family
 James Fato (Anniv)
 By Daughters
 SJ 8:00 AM Dorothy Kalnas
 By Joyce & Ron Raymond
 Theresa "Tessie" Radice
 By Genevieve Muldowney

FRIDAY, APRIL 24, 2009
 I 6:45 AM Intentions of Sr. Mary Ellen Diehl, IHM
 By George Burke
 SJ 8:00 AM Mildred & Angelo Gruscione
 By M/M Angelo Romanello
 Bernard Ridolfino
 By Donna & Eddie Bucci
 I 9:00 AM Theresa Kamrad
 School Mass By Marie & Steve Agocs
 Persecuted Christians in the World
 By Meagher Family

SATURDAY, APRIL 25, 2009
 SJ 8:00 AM Maria Luisa Savelli
 By M/M Giacomo Alessi
 Evelyn S. Jammer
 By Lidia Silvestri & Family
 I 9:00 AM Kathy Birkhead Piscopo
 By Mom & Dad
 SJ 4:00 PM Michael & Grace Terranova
 By Marion & Al Ritzo
 Loretta Flacco
 By Peter & Josephine Zangrilli
 I 5:30 PM William Haines
 By Tom & Gloria Valerie

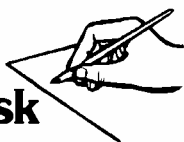
SUNDAY, APRIL 26, 2009
 I 7:30 AM Dorothy O'Grady
 By Sister, Veronica Culliton
 SJ 9:30 AM Fred & Josephine Piccirillo
 By M/M Giacomo Alessi
 Joachim Gabriele
 By Sister, Theresa Cammarata
 I 11:00 AM Viola Winsor
 By Ed and Heather Winsor
 I 5:30 PM Frank M. Fato
 By Daughter, Donna and Family

Alleluia



*The Incarnation Altar Flowers are
 In Loving Memory of:
 Esther DeCandido
 By Children, Mary & Gene*

From the Pastor's Desk



Dear Parishioners and Friends of ISJ,

"Christ is risen from the dead and by death has conquered death and to those in the grave He has bestowed life."

Easter Liturgy from the Orthodox Church.

Today, brothers and sisters, this Sunday after Easter, our Orthodox brothers and sisters celebrate Easter (Pascha) Sunday. Following a somewhat different calendar our Easters are usually a week apart. Next year both our Easters will be celebrated on April the 4th. Today all of Christianity rejoices in the fact that death has been defeated by the Resurrection of the Lord Jesus.

This first Sunday following Easter is filled with rich traditions. Primarily it is the octave day, the eighth day of Easter and we celebrate again the rising of Christ to new life. All this past week has been one, long Easter Sunday. Today we observe Easter all over again. All of the major holy days of the Jewish faith are celebrated for eight days. So it is in Christianity. The octave day of Christmas is January the 1st and today is the octave day of Holy Easter.

Today is also known as Low Sunday in comparison to Easter, the Sunday of all Sundays and the Feast of all Feasts. A priest once told me that it is called "Low Sunday" because attendance at Mass is way be "low" what it was last Sunday and the Sunday before, Palm Sunday.

Another name for today is "Dominica in Albis" or "Sunday in White". The name comes from when those who were baptized at the Solemn Vigil of Easter laid aside their white robes of baptism and resumed the wearing of ordinary clothing. Then they took their rightful place in the community of believers.

Finally, this Sunday is known as "Quasimodo" Sunday, taken from the Introit of the Latin Mass – "Crave as newborn babies, pure, spiritual milk." The name is familiar from the Victor Hugo character in the "Hunchback of Notre Dame" because he was born on this Sunday and his parents so named him. See what you learn from the Pastor's Letter?

Today is also known as the Sunday of the Divine Mercy. When the late Pope John Paul II canonized Sister Faustina, (he himself died on the eve of Mercy Sunday in 2005) the Holy Father decreed that this Sunday following Easter would be known as Mercy Sunday. On this day the floodgates of the mercy of God would be open upon all. This afternoon, I have been invited by Msgr. Edward Arnister to speak at Divine Mercy Church (Holy Cross) on divine mercy and also the conclusion of "Forty Hours" devotion. I consider that a great privilege to speak on such a timely topic.

Many people have already been praying the novena to the Divine Mercy which began on Holy and Good Friday. There will also be a big celebration at the Shrine of Divine Mercy in Stockbridge, MA. My parents' house was only 30 minutes from this beautiful shrine so I have a special place for it in my heart.

What truly makes this Sunday great is the Gospel of the Doubting Thomas. St. Thomas exemplifies someone who came to be united with the community of believers through his coming to faith in the Lord Jesus. It is instructive that the community of apostles gave him the time to come to faith. Indeed, Jesus gave him the time to come to faith, even offering to meet Thomas' requirements of touching his wounds and putting his hand into the side of Jesus. We are not certain whether Thomas did this or not; we do know by his acclamation that Thomas was moved to faith: "My Lord and my God!" Growing in faith then flows into living in love.

This week is a very special one in the life of the parish. This Wednesday, we welcome our Most Reverend Bishop, John Smith who will confer the Sacrament of Confirmation on our students. It is rare that we "get the bishop" for Confirmation so this is a special treat. We are very proud of our Confirmandi and also Sister Diane and all the instructors who gave so much of themselves for this important day. On behalf of the Parish, I wish to thank them personally. The celebration of the Sacrament will be Wednesday, April the 22nd at 4PM. All are invited to this most important event in the life of our parish.

This Friday evening, April the 24th we will have our annual Volunteer dinner honoring all of you who serve with a heart like Jesus. This is such a wonderful evening of relaxation and just plain fun. Debbie, our wonderful Parish Secretary and her better half, Bobby, will provide the music for the evening. To those who responded to the invitation, thank you. I wish to thank personally all who help serve our Parish in any capacity. We form the Parish "Family" of Incarnation-St. James and we are so proud of our family. The observance of Holy Week and Easter was outstanding and truly holy. You have made all this possible. Thank you from the bottom of my heart.

Just a friendly reminder: Deacon Frank will be hosting a bible study on the Acts of the Apostles throughout the Easter Season. Full details are in the Parish Bulletin.

May this Easter week ahead be filled with the grace and the light of Jesus rising from the dead.

"Christ is risen from the dead and by death has destroyed death and to those in the grave He has bestowed life."

*In the love and joy of the
Risen Savior
Father Daniel, O.S.S.T.*

SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

INCARNATION-ST. JAMES LAY MINISTRIES

Saturday, April 25, 2009

- 4:00 PM EMHC: Deacon Tom Rivella, M. Enourato,
Tim Rivella
Reader: Elizabeth Ortiz
Server: L. Petersack, S. Petersack
- 5:30 PM EMHC: Deacon Joe Hannawacker, Sr. Francis,
D. Sapp
Reader: Diana Ionata
Server: V. Hanson, R. Conteh

Sunday, April 26, 2009

- 7:30 AM EMHC: Deacon Tom Rivella, J. Vandegrift,
L & P Brennan
Reader: Kathy Wollert
Server: W. Parr, G. Stewart, R. Totaro
- 9:30 AM EMHC: Deacon Joe Hannawacker, E. Mrazik,
L. Silvestri
Reader: John Micai
Server: F. Mohammed
- 11:00 AM EMHC: Deacon Frank Golazeski, T. & P.
Zoladz, K. Golazeski, M. Delaney
Reader: Don Cox
Server: M. Bearden, M. Brooks, R. Hoyt
- 5:30 PM EMHC: Deacon Frank Golazeski, K. Barbiero,
B. Seaman
Reader: Melanie Seaman
Server: S. Serrato, N. Siracusa

Remember the Sick in Your Prayers....

Lucille Altamare, Josephine Amico, Maribel Aromin, Mary Aveni, Bob Bark, Jack Bartram, Lucy Boczany, Rose Bonifazi, Margaret Ann Bruno, Lillian Bulanowski, Eileen Byrne, Claire & Ugo Cesaro, Yolanda Ciprietti, Daniel Coluccio, Peter Corti, Madeline Danese, Jean DelVecchio, Richard Dotter, Tom Dzubek, Marie Emma, Eileen Fell, Rennie Funari, Alfredo Gentile, Josephine Geraci, David Gillico, Constance Gizzi, Rose Gizzi, Sharon Gizzi, Mary Gorham, Mary Hebert, Irene Infanti, Evelyn Kaltin, Barbara Kelly, Grace Lanzoni, Mary Lanzoni, Betty Lisiewski, Rogelio Lopera, Lynn Lippincott, Ralph Marsola, Viola McGuigan, Joseph Minotti, Terry Moulton, Helene Mule, Frances Nardone, Pia Paul, Bernice Pearre, Helen Persichetti, Laura Petroni, Amanda Radice, Daisy Rivera Alicea, Dolores Rogers, Fena Romano, Frederick Romanowsky, Nikki Russo, Carol Salender, Frank Sapio, Dorothy Schultz, Jean Shapiro, Christopher Smith, Mary Frances Smith, - onny Stillatano, Thomas E. Stockton, Tina Taglireno, Angelo Vagnozzi, Anthony Vannozi, Joseph Vocek, Stephanie Weightman, 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 to inform us when all is well so we may take a name off the list.

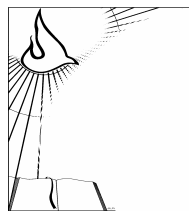


OUR WEEKLY PARISH GOAL: \$13,500.00

Collection April 4-5, 2009: \$14,206.00

EASTER April 11-12, 2009: \$32,025.00

Thank you for your ongoing Catholic Stewardship and support of our Incarnation - St. James Parish Family.



**Congratulations to our 2009
Confirmation Class
April 22, 2009 at 4:00 PM
Keep our students and their families in
your prayers.**

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM

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

ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY

Events Remembered and Anticipated

Remembered

April 5th – Palm Sunday, 11:00 mass, followed by the dedication of the Stations of the Cross in the Prayer Garden. A joyful mass...a beautiful dedication...a festive reception. The entire morning and early afternoon were lovely combinations of the spiritual, the social and the delicious.

A sincere "Thank You" goes to all who made Palm Sunday so memorable. The activities of the day were a true indication of the spirit – of – friendship-made visible within our Parish Family.

Anticipated

April 26th – the April Monthly meeting will take place in Trinity hall following the 9:30 Mass. Your attendance is welcomed and anticipated.

May 18th – A day of prayer and reflection is planned at Stella Maris Retreat House located in Elberon, New Jersey. Please reserve the day as you look forward to additional information later.

BIBLE STUDY – ACTS OF THE APOSTLES

Because of Confirmation there won't be a Bible study Wed 4/22.

Our Updated Schedule is:

April 15 - The Early Church Community - Ch 1-7

Apr 22 - Confirmation! No meeting this week

Apr 29 - The Early Church Community - Ch 1-7

May 6 - The Dispersion of Christians - Ch 8-12

May 13 - No meeting this week!

May 20 - The Missions of Paul - Ch 13-20

May 27 - The Missions of Paul - Ch 13-20

June 3 - Paul Imprisoned - Ch 21-28

June 10 - Paul Imprisoned - Ch 21-28

ATLANTIC CITY – SHOWBOAT

The Rosary Altar Society is sponsoring a bus trip to the Showboat on April 19, 2009. Bus leaves the Incarnation Campus parking lot at **1:00 p.m.** and returns approximately **11:00 p.m.** The cost is \$30.00 per person and you receive back \$25.00 in coin.

CALL: ANNE PATRONE 883-7317

PRO-LIFE SUPPORT GROUP

Come join us as we form a pro-life support group. When? April 21st at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Center. Deacon Frank Golazeski and Ruth DeFalco (882-6480). Let's see what steps we can take together. Sincerely, Ruth DeFalco Respect Life Coordinator

CENTERING PRAYER

Take time during the Easter Season to deepen your relationship with God through Centering Prayer and Faith Sharing.

We will resume on Tuesday, April 21, 2009 at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Center. For more information please call Sister Diane at 609-882-8989. All are welcome!

WOMEN OF JOY

Will meet on Saturday, May 16th after 9:00 a.m. Mass in the Parish Center.

R.C.I.A. Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

We continue to W E L C O M E the new members of our Incarnation-St. James Parish Family. Your Journey of Faith from the Fall of 2008 to Easter vigil 2009 was a long one, and each of you has been so faithful to your commitment.

Your work and your study continue as you now enter the Period of Mystagogia. Mystagogia means mystery. The mysteries of our Faith are to be experienced, celebrated, and reflected upon during this Period. We continue to pray for you as you continue your Journey of Faith

SENIOR CITIZENS CLUB

SENIOR BUS TRIP - MONTREAL AND QUEBEC CITY

June 28 – July 2, 2009. Package includes: 4 night's accommodations including: 2 nights in Montreal & 2 nights in Quebec. 4 breakfast, 4 dinners including a dinner voucher at the casino. Enjoy an evening at the "Casino de Montreal" A city tour of Montreal, A visit to Old Montreal, St. Joseph's Oratory, A tour of Notre Dame Cathedral, A tour of Quebec City, A visit to Ste. Anne de Beaupre, View of Montmorency Falls. For further information and reservation contact:

CONNIE FANELLI 585-0575

NEW YORK CITY/BROADWAY BUS TRIP

To see Wicked, Saturday, May 30th at 2:00 p.m. Orchestra Seating. Followed by full course dinner at Carmine's. Cost per person \$240.00. For details and tickets call Jim Alessi at 588-9079 or 977-6647.



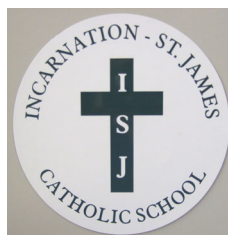
MAY IS THE MONTH TO REMEMBER OUR MOTHER'S

Mother's Day remembrance cards are available 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.

Alleluia



SCHOOL NEWS



ISJ School Car Magnets

Want to help us spread the word about Incarnation-St. James Catholic School? The school is selling ISJ car magnets for \$5.00 each. This is such an easy and affordable way to help promote the school **everywhere**

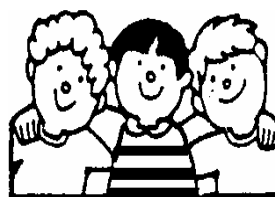
you go! If you would like to purchase a magnet, please complete the order form below and drop it off at the school or in the collection basket. Cash, or checks made payable to Incarnation-St. James School. Thank you for helping us spread the Good News in Catholic Education!

ISJ School Magnet Order Form

Yes, I would like to buy _____ magnets at \$5.00 each.

Name: _____

Phone: _____



ISJ Buddy Day - April 21st

Incarnation-St. James School will be having a **Buddy Day** for prospective students on Tuesday, April 21, 2009, from 8:00 am to 2:30 pm. Buddy Day is an excellent opportunity for children from other schools to come and spend

the day following the typical daily schedule of an ISJ student. Open to children in grades K to 7. A pizza lunch is included. All those interested in joining us for Buddy Day must register by Wednesday, April 8th. For more information, or to obtain a registration form, please contact the school office at 609-882-3228, or check out our web site at www.isjschool.org. Come and Share our Spirit!



Mark your Calendars!

ISJ Open House - Sunday, April 26th 12:00-2:00 PM

Incarnation-St. James School is now accepting applications for the 2009-2010 academic year for grades Pre-K to 8. We

invite you to come and take a tour of the school and receive our admissions packet. Open House will be Sunday, April 26th from 12-2 PM. For more information, please see our web site: www.isjschool.org

SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

INCARNATION-ST. JAMES PARISH

St. James Church - Our Lady of Good Remedy Prayer Grotto

Paver Orders Now Being Accepted

Orders are currently being taken for memorial pavers for the St. James Prayer Grotto. We are grateful for your generosity and support of this project with the addition of a paver. Space will be available on a first come first serve basis. The Paver will be inscribed with your memorial. Each paver is available for a donation of \$100.00.

The purchase of pavers is not restricted to ISJ Parishioners. Anyone wishing to purchase pavers is encouraged to do so.

Donation will directly support the Prayer Grotto and Church. A special blessing of pavers and dedication of the Grotto will be held this summer. Thank you in advance for your support of this important project. Details are below. Please complete the form below and include your donation.

ORDER FORM

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

PHONE NUMBER: _____

Number of pavers requested _____ @ \$100 EACH = Total _____

Please make check or money order payable to: 'ISJ PARISH'.

Inscriptions are limited to 3 lines. Each line limited to 15 characters (a space counts as 1 character). Paver is 6" X 12":

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Please call Peter Zangrilli, 609-883-7490 with any questions. Pavers will be placed in the order they are received.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

