Church of the Incarnation-St. James mass intentions <u>EASTER SUNDAY</u>

HOLY SATURDAY, APRIL 4, 2015

NO MORNING OR EVENING MASSES EASTER VIGIL

SJ 7:00 Fr. John Dorn

Req. by St. James Senior Citizens Club



SUNDAY, APRIL 5, 2015
RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

17:30 For the People of Incarnation St. James Parish

I 9:00 Blanche Brennen

Req. by Daughter Kathleen Smith

Beatrice SchwabReg. by the Family

SJ9:30 Immacolata Amarone & Raffaele Agliata

Req. by Tony Agliata Joseph Lumia (B'day) Req. by the Family

l 11:00 Chester Kucemba (Anniv.)

Req. by Son Stanley

John Stefane

Req. by Wife Clara Stefane

I 5:30 NO MASS

MONDAY, APRIL 6, 2015

16:45 Charles Mahon

Req. by Sr. Diane Simons

SJ8:00 Edith Pellegrino

Req. by Frank & Jean Klemmer

Arturo Poza

Req. by Trinitarians of Trenton

TUESDAY, APRIL 7, 2015

I 6:45 Steve Goydish

Req. by Family

John J. Carney

Req. by Jean & Alex Spring

SJ8:00 Margaret Goffredi

Req. by Angelo & Ross Anna Romanello

Angelo Barbero

Req. by M/M Giacomo Alessi

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 8, 2015

I 6:45 Joyce A. Tyler

Req. by M/M Joe Ricco

SJ8:00 Luciano Vega

Req. By Donna Vagnozzi-Bucci & Staff

Fr. John Dorn

Req. by Edith Ann Mrazik

THURSDAY, APRIL 9, 2014

16:45 Paul Ionata

Req. by Diana Ionata

SJ8:00 Gerardo "Jerry" Belviso, Sr.

Req. by Marie & Anthony Enourato

FRIDAY, APRIL 10, 2014

I 6:45 Alyce & Alphonse Scarlata

Req. by Son, John & Family

Paul Ionata, Sr. Reg. by Diana Ionata

SJ8:00 Frank DeFeo

Req.by Sam & Gerry Carlese

Adam Romano

Req. by San Calegro Society

19:00 NO MASS

SATURDAY, APRIL 11, 2015

SJ8:00 Sebastiano & Rose Verrelli

Req.by The Family

19:00 Fr. John Dorn

Req. by Rosary Altar Society

SJ4:00 Diane Muro

Req. by Mom, Dad & Brother

15:30 Charles Mahon

Req. by Sisters of ISJ Convent

SUNDAY, APRIL 12, 2015

17:30 Bernard Petroni

Req. by Jack & Palma Fecak& Family

Beatrice Schwab Req. by Family

SJ9:30 Tassone Family

Req. by Linda & Mary Tassone

Calegro, Salvatore, Cologero Scarlata

Req. by John & Josephine Immordino

I 11:00 Viola Winsor

Req. by Ed & Heather Winsor

Walter A. Brezak Req. by The Family

I 5:30 Mary Rita Golazeski

Req. by Deacon Frank & Mrs. Kathleen Golazeski

Steve Goydish Req. by Family

Anointing of the Sick/Communion to the Homebound: Please notify the Parish Office

when serious illness occurs or when the sick, aged, or incapacitated are confined to home for an extended period. Arrangements can be made to bring communion to those unable to attend Mass.







Dear ISJ Family,

A very Happy Easter to each and every one of you! On behalf of the priests, deacons and staff of ISJ, I extend to you our Easter blessings. May the Risen Lord continue to bless all our parishioners and may the Easter Joy continue to fill your hearts and homes throughout this season.

What a joy it is for every true Christian to celebrate the resurrection of Jesus. It is not just the end of our period of penance and sacrifice, but the beginning of a new life in Christ the risen Lord. Through the observance of the 40 days of lent, we have gone through a dying experience. Through the Holy week we once again brought to our minds the celebration of the last supper, the agony of Jesus in the garden of Gethsemane, His betrayal, His condemnation, His journey to Calvary and His shameful death on the cross.

Everything seemed to end there on Calvary for all those who were with him throughout his ministry. On that first Easter morning, the women came to the tomb looking for Jesus who was crucified. In many ways they too had died with him as their spirits were destroyed and their hopes seemed betrayed. We have tried to relive those days of darkness which the first followers of Jesus experienced, so that their immeasurable joy at finding that Jesus had risen would be also in our hearts at this Easter. We have gone through the death experience so that we might rejoice with Jesus on the day of his resurrection as coming back to a new life filled with joy and hope.

St. Paul in his letter to the Romans beautifully presents how the Easter joy should be for every Christian. "Are you unaware that we who were baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death? We were indeed buried with him through baptism into death, so that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, we too might live in newness of life.

For if we have grown into union with him through a death like his, we shall also be united with him in the resurrection. We know that our old self was crucified with him, so that our sinful body might be done away with, that we might no longer be in slavery to sin. For a dead person has been absolved from sin. If, then, we have died with Christ, we believe that we shall also live with him. We know that Christ, raised from the dead, dies no more; death no longer has power over him." (Rom 6:3-9)

So it is that death has no more power over any true follower of Jesus. If we live as children of the resurrection, we should all be very daring in the face of

death and very defiant of death, because it has no more power over us. Man goes in search of life beyond this world. The limits of space do not stop his quest for life on other planets. Today Jesus is presenting to his followers the reality of a life beyond the limits set by human life. More than what happens on other planets we need to focus in on ourselves, because it is only in our souls that we can experience the resurrection, a life that is far more valuable than what could be found on any planet in the universe. Jesus Christ is risen! He will bring us to that same joy one day.

The message of hope has been passed down to us in the preaching of the Church and in the written words of Scripture. This message of hope colored all that the early Christians said and did. It gave *focus* to the way they saw life. When Paul wrote his first letter, when Matthew, Mark, Luke and John wrote their Gospels many years after the death and resurrection of Jesus, this message of hope was central to their writings. They wrote not as reporters or his-torians intent on getting the facts straight — but as believers **bursting** to share the *good news* that now we have hope!

When we look around us at the crime and shootings in our streets, when we see greed and wanton disregard for people and property, when we realize that all life can be wiped out if two intelligent and well-meaning individuals turn a red key because they have received a wrong message, we see no future. When we see hearts breaking in families because husbands and wives, children and parents no longer commun-icate, we cry out, "Where is it all going and when it is all going to end?"

When we come into contact with poverty, mental illness, sickness, sin, death, we feel that the forces of evil must be winning. When we reflect on all that is happening in our lives and around us, we are tempted to feel the despair of the apostles in the pre-dawn hours of that first Easter. We are tempted to cry, "They have taken our Lord away and we know not where they have laid Him." Our hope in the face of the threat of nuclear annihilation, our hope in the face of death, of our own weakness, of crime and suffering, lies in hearing, accepting, living and proclaiming that same message, "Christ has died, Christ is risen, and Christ will come again."

A Happy and Blessed Easter to one and all!!!

May God bless you and watch over us, Fr. Santhosh George OSST



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

Weekly Goal: \$13,500

Weekly Collection for March 22nd - \$9,016.37

Faster in the Catholic Church



The Greatest Christian Feast:

Easter is the greatest feast in the Christian calendar. On this Sunday, Christians celebrate the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead. For Catholics, Easter Sunday comes at the end of 40 days of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving known as Lent. Through spiritual struggle and self-

denial, we have prepared ourselves to die spiritually with Christ on <u>Good Friday</u>, the day of His Crucifixion, so that we can rise again with Him in new life on Easter.

The Fulfillment of Our Faith:

Easter is a day of celebration because it represents the fulfillment of our faith as Christians. St. Paul wrote that, unless Christ rose from the dead, our faith is in vain (1 Corinthians 15:17). Through his death, Christ saved mankind from bondage to sin, and He destroyed the hold that death has on all of us; but it is His Resurrection that gives us the promise of new life, both in this world and the next.

New Life in Christ:

That is why people who are converting to Catholicism traditionally are baptized at the Easter Vigil service, which takes place on <u>Holy Saturday</u> (the day before Easter), starting sometime after sunset. They have usually undergone a long process of study and preparation known as the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA). Their <u>baptism</u> parallels Christ's own Death and Resurrection, as they die to sin and rise to new life in the Kingdom of God.

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INCARNATION-ST. JAMES LAY MINISTRIES - Readers

SATURDAY, APRIL 11, 2015

4:00 pm E. Ortiz 5:30 pm D. Ionata

SUNDAY, APRIL 12, 2015

7:30 am G. DeForte 9:30 am T. Cammarata 11:00 am R. Prykanowski

5:30 pm M. Seaman



Happy Easter to Our Parish Family,

May you have the Sprit of Easter which is <u>PEACE</u>
The Gladness of Easter,
which is <u>HOPE</u>
The Heart of Easter,
which is LOVE

All Blessings,

from Fr. Santhosh, Fr. Charles, Fr. Philip, Deacons, IHM Sisters and Parish Staff



Please Remember the Sick in Your Prayers



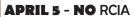
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Said Crusade, Collin Dalrimple, Frank DeFeo, Jean DelVecchio, Colin Delaney, Mary Delaney, Nicole Dennion, Rosily Devassy, Anna DiMemmo, Patricia Downs, Margaret Duncan, Tom Dzubek, Marie Emma, Palma Fecak, Claudia Fiorvanti, Xavier Freehoff, Rennie Funari, Barbara Fusceallo, Marie Gavigan, Alfredo Gentile, David Gillico, Rose Gizzi, Matthew Gorham, Dominick Gustino, Natalie Gustino, Mary Hendrickson, Regina (Van Wagner) Hoffman, Edward Housel, Irene Infanti, Mark Infanti, Louis Inverso, The Johnson Family, William Kampe, Donna Kanewski, Michele Kausler, Kenneth, William Kampe, Kneeshaw, Joseph Kuhn, Anthony LaBron, Thomas Lawrence, Larry LeClaire, Betty Lisiewski, Vicki Long, Rogelio Lopera, Rose May, Armando Mannocchi, Janet McMyne, Genevieve Montague, Lucy Mule, Annie Nalbone, Rose Nalbone, Ken Nelson, Sean O'Connor, Anne Patrone, Bernice Pearre, Benny Petosa, Diane Pilot, Helen Popick, James Raccosta, Amanda Radice, Mary Jo Ranfone, Paula & Patty Reali, Zachary, Judy & Baby Zoya Reese, Chet Rhodes, Ling Rhodes, Peggy Richerson, Richard Richardson, Joel Rivera, Steve Robbinson, Dolores Rogers, Cathy Roland, Jeff Romani, Marion Ritzo, Nikki Russo, Carol Salender, Marie Sander, Eddie Sattler, Leni Sattler, Paul Sattler, Joseph Scannelli, , Jean Shapiro, Samantha Simmers, Nina Simpson, Sr. Rose, Mary Frances Smith, Clara Stefane, Ann Steffen, Sonny Stillatano, Tina Taglireno, Sophie and Natalie Tezsla, Marie Fiore Tomczyk, Kathleen Trainor, Josephine Vannozzi, Frank Volpe, Christopher Ward, Jean Ward, Stephanie Weightman, Albert Zampiri, Nicholas Zuccarello, Jonathan Zybal.

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.

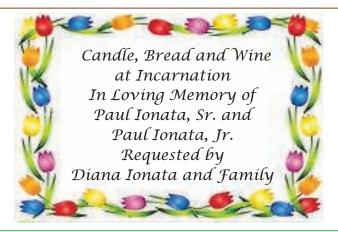
APRIL 5, 2015

ISJ PARISH FAITH FORMATION ROGRAMS



APRIL 6- NO Religious Education

For more information on Faith Formation please call Sister Diane at <u>609-882-8989</u>.



On Tuesday, April 14 at 6:30 pm, Incarnation St. James will host a "Taste of the Town" event showcasing many local restaurants. The \$25 admission lets you sample all the participating restaurants best dishes! Tickets can be purchased by calling the school at 609-882-

3228. Tickets will also be sold after mass on April 11th and 12th.

Meals on Wheels of Trenton/Ewing delivers meals to homebound of Trenton/Ewing. We are in need of weekly & substitute volunteers. Meals are picked up at 10:15 and completed about 12:30. Volunteers go out in pairs, driver and the other delivers food to client's door. We have other volunteer opportunity. Please contact the coordinator Stephanie Bradly at 609-695-3483 or sbradley@mowte.org.

New Families

We welcome new families to Incarnation-St. James Parish and request you register as soon as possible. Sincere membership is determined by registration, faithful participation at Mass and sharing of one's time, talent and resources with this community of faith. The parish can not issue certification of eligibility for sacramental sponsorship if a person is not an active parishioner.

Rosary Altar Society

- * The monthly meeting for April will take place on Sunday, April 12 at St. James, following the 9:30 mass.
- * <u>Easter Sunday</u> may it be a spiritually rewarding and a joy-filled Family Day for you!

 #APPY EASTER to our

 PARISH FAMILY

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Thank You To everyone who participated in the **Knights of Columbus** "40 cans for lent" drive. Through your generosity we helped so many in need. May God bless you for your faithfulness and caring heart. •



A Prayer for the World Meeting of Families Philadelphia 2015



God and Father of us all, in Jesus, your Son and our Savior, you have made us your sons and daughters in the family of the Church.

> May your grace and love help our families in every part of the world be united to one another in fidelity to the Gospel.

May the example of the Holy Family,
with the aid of your Holy Spirit,
guide all families,
especially those most troubled,
to be homes of communion and prayer
and to always seek your truth and live in your love.
Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Jesus, Mary and Joseph, pray for us!



Incarnation St. James School's 8th Grade Class presents



BBQ Ribs & Chicken Day

Thursday, April 23, 2015 • 3:00 pm to 6:00 pm • School Parking Lot







1/2 Rack Ribs Meal: \$13.00 ● 1/2 Chicken Meal: \$8.00 Meals include: soda, cold side salad, and roll w/butter

Pre-ordered meals will be ready for pick up from the school parking lot

1555 Pennington Road, Ewing, NJ

Thursday, April 23rd from 3:00 pm to 6:00 p m*

*After 6:00 p.m. meals not picked up are subject to be sold

All proceeds benefit ISJ's 8th Grade Class Trip Fund www. isj school.org

April 23rd Nelson's BBQ Pre-order Form Return pre-orders to school by April 14th - Questions? Call 609-882-3228

Name:		Phone:	
Email:		Pick up time:	
	Number of chicken meals:	x \$8.00 =	
	Number of rib meals:	x \$13.00 =	
	Tot al enclosed:		
	Thank you for	vour sunnort!	

St. James Seniors - June 22-26, 2015 5 day/4 night trip to Coastal Maine

4 night/4 breakfast/4 dinners, including a lobster dinner at Bluenose Inn, Bar Harbor, ME ● Whale Watch Cruise ● Visit Maine Lighthouse Museum, Mount Battie & Camden, views of Penobscot Bay ● and lots more ● Hotel & meal gratuities ● Baggage handling ● Motor coach transportation included \$100.00 per person deposit due at sign-up \$785.00 per person, double occupancy Single supplement \$250.00 additional
 For additional information & reservations, contact Connie Fanelli 609-585-0575

Trenton Diocesan Spiritual Center Box 392 • Rancocas, NJ 08073 609-877-0509 or FHOP@verizon.net

Please check www.FHOP.org for our other offerings!

SILENT DIRECTED RETREAT WEEKEND 7:00 PM Friday – 1:00 PM Sunday • April 17 – 19

Due to the frantic pace of contemporary life, it is essential for our spiritual and physical health to take time to pray. The Weekend Directed Retreat offers you the opportunity to experience the graced rhythm of life in which rest restores your body and God revives your soul. Liturgy, Spiritual Direction and optional Contemplative Prayer periods are included. Please register early. These fill quickly. Donation: \$130/\$50 non-refundable deposit with registration.

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