

CHURCH OF THE INCARNATION-St. JAMES

Mass Intentions for the Week

SJ 4:00 PM Grace Rossi
By ISJ Seniors Club
Constance Morreale
By Harold & Grace Lanzoni

I 5:30 PM Mother M. Vincentia Lawlor, I.H.M.
By Mary Bedard

SUNDAY, JULY 26, 2009
I 7:30 AM Cynthia M. Pearson
By Kammer Family
Joseph Petersack
By Maria Petersack

SJ 9:30 AM Deceased Members Fasoli, Plazerine, Garitz,
Guagliardo & Willgus Family
By Olive Fasoli Plazerine & Family

I 11:00 AM Steve Cebulko
By Wife, Agnes and Family

I 5:30 PM Charles Brennen (Anniv)
By Daughters, Kathleen Smith &
Margaret Leish

MONDAY, JULY 27, 2009
I 6:45 AM Louis Ciprietti (Anniv)
By Wife and Family

SJ 8:00 AM Lucy DiMemmo
By Frank and Barbara Coyle
Guiseppe Genovesi
By Wife and Family

TUESDAY, JULY 28, 2009
I 6:45 AM Cynthia M. Pearson
By Kammer Family

SJ 8:00 AM Frances D'Agostino
By Elvira Sgro
Josephine Malespina
By Patricia Puliti

WEDNESDAY, JULY 29, 2009
I 6:45 AM Robert Stockley
By Joan Birchenall

SJ 8:00 AM Daniel J. Puliti, Sr.
By Wife, Patricia
Pasquale Sevilla
By Harold and Grace Lanzoni

THURSDAY, JULY 30, 2009
I 6:45 AM Alexandra T. Jusiewicz
By Paul & Diana Steward

SJ 8:00 AM Richard Welsh
By Angela Perfetti
Alphonse J. Raimondo
By Robert & Sue Argilan

FRIDAY, JULY 31, 2009
I 6:45 AM Janice Ryan
By George Burke
Paul Rush
By Genevieve Muldowney
Constance Morreale
By Edith Ann Mrazik

SJ 8:00 AM

SATURDAY, AUGUST 1, 2009 FIRST SATURDAY
SJ 8:00 AM Margaret Pantano
By Seniors Club
Geraldine Neubert
By M/M Antonio Milano & Family
First Saturday Devotion begins prior to Mass.

I 9:00 AM Mother Vincentia Lawlor, I.H.M.
By Peter & Josephine Zangrilli
*First Saturday Devotion concludes following Mass. Please join us
in this Devotion to our Blessed Mother.*

SJ 4:00 PM Vivian Nadier
By Theresa Camarata
Edward Kendrick, Jr.
By Frank & Barbara Coyle

I 5:30 PM Vincent C. Vitale
By Dominic & Diane Vitale

SUNDAY, AUGUST 2, 2009
I 7:30 AM Catherine Brady
By Carlin Family

SJ 9:30 AM Americo Silvestri
By Lidia Silvestri & Family
Samuel Guarino
By Wife, Betty
William Winsor
By Ed and Heather Winsor

I 11:00 AM

I 5:30 PM Nicholas J. Matteo
By Mary Bedard

Wedding Banns

III Alicia Mendola (Incarnation) & David D'Alliessi



*The Incarnation Sanctuary Candle and the
Bread & Wine used at Mass are:
In Loving Memory of:
Steve Cebulko
By Wife, Agnes and Family*

DATES ARE AVAILABLE

The Incarnation and the St. James Campus has dates available for Sanctuary Candles, Altar Bread and Wine and Flowers throughout the 2009 YEAR. Please contact the Rectory, 882-2860 to reserve any of the above for your special intentions or In Memory of a Deceased Friend or Loved one.

From the Pastor's Desk



Dear Parishioners and Friends of our Parish,

“This is the day the Lord has made and we rejoice and we are glad.”

With this celebration of the Sunday Eucharist we begin the Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time, and with this Eucharist we begin St. John's Gospel, the 6th Chapter, the so-called “Bread of Life” discourse. Today we focus on the reaction of Philip to Jesus’ multiplying the five loaves and two fish to feed about five thousand. This reaction clarifies the Evangelist John’s perspective on how to derive enough from life to be open through prayer to the powerful working of God in our lives. Philip is the disciple who always wants more. Thus, when Jesus asks where they can buy “enough” food to feed such a large crowd, Philip responds that even with two hundred days’ wages they could not procure enough for a morsel for each.

Later, when some Greeks want to see Jesus, it is to Philip that they communicate this wish and Philip and Andrew convey this information to Jesus. This event follows right on the heels of a “great crowd” welcoming Jesus to Jerusalem, one so great that the Pharisees claim that “the whole world has gone after Him.” Philip is part of the process of attempting to increase the acclaim. Finally, at one point during his last discourse Jesus claims that to see Him is to see and know the Father. Philip replies, “Master, show us the Father and that will be enough for us.” This is the disciple who is always looking for something else to confirm his faith. Jesus’ final response to Philip redirects the disciple’s focus. The “more” that Philip is looking for is implicit in what he has already experienced in Jesus, and particularly in the works that Jesus has performed. If Philip wants more it will be present through Him. Jesus assures Philip that he will perform greater works than Jesus has performed. In order to be the medium of the divine “moreness” Philip needs to believe in this excess on the basis of the power that he has already experienced Jesus exercising in his life. Philip must look to this past (such as today’s multiplication of the loaves and fishes) as the basis for his expectation of more works to be done through him rather than to the future for more signs to be done for him.

In today’s Gospel, signs are being misread several times. The people following after Jesus were reading the sign of His healings as indicating that someone special was among them. After Jesus feeds them, they interpret this action as a sign that the Prophet who was to come had arrived (which was correct), but then they want to make Him king (which was not God’s plan). The apostles read the sign of a hungry crowd as impossible to feed with limited resources. But they had forgotten the example of Elisha the Prophet, who fed a hundred people with only twenty barley loaves. Jesus did one better, feeding five thousand men, not to say how many women and children were there, with only five barley loaves and two fish, and having twelve baskets of leftovers. (An interesting note is that barley was the food of the poor.)

The Prophet foretold by Moses had indeed come into the world, but not to be a king. What He came for will be revealed in the coming weeks. But as a start, we can reflect on how He came to be sign of the generosity of the Father who sent Him out of love for the world to feed the children of the world. With so much hunger in our world, we pray that all who have more than enough will see “the large crowd” that has so little. We pray that we might read the sign of hunger as an invitation to be a sign of God’s generous care for the poor.

This Friday evening our two postulants will receive the habit of our Order in a private ceremony at St. James Church. This is always a moment of great pride and joy for the Order as it is a sign that the vision of our Holy Father St. John DeMatha is alive and vigorous in our times. It does not seem possible that a whole year has gone by and Father Gerard first arrived and worked, along with many dedicated volunteers, to get the former Rectory in order to become the Novitiate. Next Sunday our present Novices will pronounce their First Profession of Vows. Never in the history of our Parish has there been a Profession ceremony. This, truly, is a moment of great grace for our Community and our Parish community. We shall miss our three newly-professed brothers as they leave us for a couple weeks vacation with their families and return to San Antonio, Texas to begin theological studies. They have made this year very special and we thank them for the witness of their lives and their willingness to say “Yes” to the call of Jesus to follow Him more and more closely by the vows of Poverty, Chastity and Obedience. Brothers, we love you and are so proud of you. When you leave here keep us in your hearts and keep us each day in your prayers.

Just a reminder: The Solemn Mass for Religious Profession is next Sunday, August the 2nd at 9:30 AM, St. James Church. All are invited to attend and join in the celebrations. If you are coming to the Profession, please call us at the Rectory.

Today is also the Feast Day of Good Saint Ann. As I mentioned in last Sunday’s Pastor’s Letter, She is a powerful Intercessor with God. Pray often to St. Ann for all your needs and intentions.

May the week ahead be filled with every blessing. The Summer is flying by and before you know it, school bells will be ringing. That will be the “Sound of Music” for many parents!

In the Love of Jesus and
Our Holy Founders,
Father Daniel, O.S.S.T.

*...from 5 loaves and 2 fish,
all ate and were filled.*



SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

INCARNATION-ST. JAMES LAY MINISTRIES

Saturday, August 1, 2009

4:00 PMEMHC: Deacon Frank Golazeski, J. LiMato,
B. Fabe
Reader: Liz Ortiz
5:30 PMEMHC: Deacon Tom Rivella, P. & T. Zoladz
Reader: Claire Peer

Sunday, August 2, 2009

7:30 AMEMHC: Deacon Tom Rivella, J. Vandegrift,
L. & P. Brennan
Reader: Joan Birchenall
9:30 AMEMHC: Deacon Frank Golazeski, Jim Alessi,
L. Silvestri
Reader: Dan Gowaty
11:00 AM EMHC: Deacon Joe Hannawacker, C. Davis,
D. Sapp
Reader: Don Cox
5:30 PMEMHC: B. & M. Seaman
Reader: Bob Gordon

Remember the Sick in Your Prayers....

Josephine Amico, Maribel Aromin, Mary Aveni, Bob Bark, Lucy Boczany, Rose Bonifazi, Margaret Ann Bruno, Lillian Bulanowski, Eileen Byrne, Claire & Ugo Cesaro, Yolanda Ciprietti, Daniel Coluccio, Peter Corti, Jean DelVecchio, Richard Dotter, Tom Dzubek, Marie Emma, Eileen Fell, Rennie Funari, Alfredo Gentile, Josephine Geraci, David Gillico, Constance Gizzi, Rose Gizzi, Dominick Gustino, Mary Hebert, Irene Infanti, Mark Infanti, Evelyn Kaltin, Barbara Kelly, Grace Lanzoni, Mary Lanzoni, Betty Lisiewski, Rogelio Lopera, Lynn Lippincott, Vicki Long, Armando Mannocchi, Viola McGuigan, Joseph Minotti, Terry Moulton, Helene Mule, Charlotte Napoleon, Frances Nardone, Bernice Pearre, Helen Persichetti, Laura Petroni, Amanda Radice, Daisy Rivera Alicea, Dolores Rogers, Fena Romano, Frederick Romanowsky, Nikki Russo, Carol Salender, Frank Sapio, Jean Shapiro, Anne Slowinski, Mary Frances Smith, James Smith, Sonny Stillatano, Thomas E. Stockton, Tina Taglireno, Angelo Vagnozzi, Anthony Vannozi, 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 TOTAL JULY 18-19: \$10,784.00

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.



Please don't forget... while you're planning your summer vacation, guess where we're going to be?

Right here! During the summer your Church provides activities and services that help keep a community together. Unfortunately

church expenses continue and collections dwindle.

We wish you a safe, enjoyable summer, and hope that this will remind you to plan ahead and use your **WEEKLY OFFERING ENVELOPES** every week – and to please be generous!

THANK YOU AND GOD BLESS YOU!

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM

Registration for the 2009-2010 school year will take place following the 11:00 a.m. Mass on Sunday, September 20, 2009 in the Parish Center Faith Formation Office. Please contact our Director of Faith Formation, Sister Diane Simons IHM, if you have any questions 609-882-8989.

ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY

The **BIG NEWS** for Summer **STILL IS...** The *July Bakeless Cake Sale!* No meeting for this. Can you imagine anything more convenient. No need to bake. Just donate! Enclose \$ in an envelope marked "Bakeless Cake Sale" and deposit your envelope in the Sunday Collection basket or mail/take it to the Rectory. What a cool way to contribute! For this, a gracious THANK YOU is sent your way.

SAN CALOGERO SOCIETY

Bus Trip – Atlantic City, Saturday August 15th

Feast of the Assumption / Blessing of the Water

Also including Trump Plaza bonus. Sponsored by the San Calogero Society. Bus leaves the St. James Campus parking lot at 9:00 AM and returns approximately 7:00 PM. Mass will begin promptly at noon at Boardwalk Hall. The cost is \$25.00 per person and you receive \$20.00 back for play. Hope you can make it! **RESERVATIONS:** Jennie Alessi at 586-2052 or Sharon Alessi at 588-9079



**THE NEW SAINT JOSEPH
SOCIETY
FIFTH ANNUAL PICNIC**

SUNDAY, AUGUST 23, 2009

1:00 P.M. TO 5:00 P.M.

YARDVILLE V.F.W. POST 491

9 FISCHER PLACE

YARDVILLE, NJ

**MEMBERS \$12.00 PER PERSON, NON-MEMBERS \$18.00.
CHILDREN 6-12 YEARS \$8.00**

**FOR TICKETS CALL LIDIA SILVESTRI @609-882-7131 OR
LUCY BOGDA @609-882-0750**

ALL MEMBERS OF THE PARISH ARE WELCOME!

**WEEKEND RETREAT FOR MEN
INCARNATION-ST. JAMES RETREAT CLUB
AUGUST 14TH – 16TH, 2009
SAN ALFONSO RETREAT HOUSE
LONG BRANCH, NEW JERSEY
“Where God & Sea Come Together”**

This is an opportunity for spiritual and physical renewal in one weekend. Enjoy a thoroughly relaxing and inspirational experience with the Redemptorist Community.

San Alfonso is a truly wonderful facility located on the ocean with its own private beach. The retreat house features fine dining, lounge areas and private guest rooms. Stipend is \$175.00 for three days which includes Friday dinner – Saturday breakfast, lunch and dinner – Sunday breakfast and lunch.

ALL MEN OF THE PARISH ARE INVITED TO JOIN US!!!
DON'T LET THIS SPIRITUALLY UPLIFTING WEEK-END PASS BY. For information or reservations, contact:
Angelo Romanello (609) 882-4567 or
Harold Lanzoni (609) 393-5464.

**The Church Comes Out in Favor of
Stem Cell Research**

That's right; did you know that the Church is very favorable toward stem cell research because of its ability to cure disease and save lives? The tricky part is the **type** of stem cell research. Adult stem cell research gets baby stem cells from places like umbilical cords and is A.O.K. from an ethical point of view. Embryonic stem cells come from unborn babies and research with human embryo stem cells is very unethical because it means destroying the unborn baby in order to get the stem cells.

Which type is better? Well, embryonic stem cells are better at producing "lines" of stem cells over and over and over while adult cells will peter out after awhile. But adult cells are actually better because more than 75 types of cures have been created with them; **none** have been found with embryonic stem cells. **Zero. Nada.** Why? Adult cells seem to be programmed for replacing cells and they do a good job of that. Embryonic cells are programmed to make a new person so when implanted they grow out of control. Rather than a cure you get a new tumor.

But get this. In recent news, there's been a technological breakthrough to get reprogrammed stem cells. This is a means to get embryonic type stem cells from **your** skin cells. In fact stem cells from your skin are less likely to be rejected by your body, unlike stem cells from some random embryo.

So with the success of adult stem cells, the zero success of embryonic stem cells, and the ability to reprogram regular cells to create stem cells, why is there such an effort to destroy human embryos in the name of "science" and "curing disease?" Why in March did the federal government enact funding for embryonic stem cell research and start cutting funding for adult stem cell research at a time when it seems unnecessary?



-- This has been a life awareness moment from the Incarnation-St. James Pro-Life Awareness group.

ETERNAL REST GRANT UNTO THEM, O LORD

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Miriam Ringkamp and Anthony J. Tassone. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.

PILGRIMAGE – BUS TRIP

TO THE SHRINE OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION
WASHINGTON, D.C. **SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 2009**

Bishop John Smith invites the clergy and the faithful of the Diocese of Trenton to journey with him to the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception, on Saturday, September 19, 2009. A pilgrimage is a devotional act of faith that has been part of human religious experiences for centuries. The journey of a pilgrim symbolizes the spiritual journey of the disciple. We step out of our normal routine and allow the physical journey to stretch our souls as we journey into the mystery of God. We discover our own need for conversion as we draw near to the “Holy”. Our coordinator is Claire Peer, 883-1111. Our Pilgrimage Theme will be: **“A Pilgrimage of Hope.”**

Bus departs Incarnation parking lot at 7:30 a.m. returns home approximately 10:00 p.m. Cost per person is \$45.00 and includes transportation and Smorgasbord at Cactus Willies Steak House in Maryland on return trip home.



**ISJ – VACATION BIBLE
SCHOOL!
CROCODILE DOCK!
Where Fearless Kids
Shine God's Light
AUGUST 3 TO 7, 2009**

Crocodile Dock will begin at 9:00 a.m.
And will end at 12 Noon.

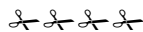
☞ You'll enjoy: Bible Point Crafts, Games, Bible Stories, Tasty snacks, Lively Music

☞ Plus, you'll meet lots of new friends!

Age: Preschool (4 years old) to Grade 5.

Price: \$25.00 per child

For more information, call: Sister Diane Simons, at 882-8989. If you are interested in being a volunteer please call Sister Diane.



To register or for more information please complete and return the form below to: VBS 1555 Pennington Road, Ewing, NJ 08618 or drop in the collection basket in an envelope marked “VBS”.

Child's Name _____

Grade _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone Number: _____

School _____

Enclosed (@\$25.00 per child) _____



ISJ SCHOOL NEWS

www.isjschool.org

Comments from the 8th Grade...

“Dear Incarnation-St. James Parish – Even though I’ve only been a student at ISJ for two years, it felt like forever. I really have enjoyed myself at school functions and all of the other times we had fun together. I really wish I could’ve been here longer. I would love to run down a line of parishioners and “high five” them but the least I can say right now is *Thank You All!*”

Ki’Asia Neal, Class of ‘09

“Dear Parish Community – I would like to thank you for all your support. My years at ISJ have been more than I could ask for because of your help. ISJ has given me the knowledge and the faith for all the challenges I will face after I leave. My school and Catholic education has prepared me for my future and I’m sure I am ready. I now know why I came to ISJ. Thank you ISJ Parish!”

Rayshell Harrison, Class of ‘09

“Dear Incarnation-St. James Parish – I want to thank you for all you did for us. Without your support and donations, we wouldn’t be able to have all the new things that have been added to our school, like our gym, the microscopes, smart boards, and computers! Thank you and God Bless you.”

Claire McManimon, Class of ‘09

“Dear Parish Community – The education here at Incarnation-St. James is great. We have fun in all of our subjects. Thank you for everything you have done.”

Carson Butler, Class of ‘09

“Dear Incarnation-St. James Parish – I just want to let you know how much help you’ve been to our school. If it weren’t for you, my time at ISJ wouldn’t be the same. Thank you so much for all of your support! We all really appreciate it.”

Jordyn Hnasko, Class of ‘09

“Dear Incarnation-St. James Parish – I thank you for your donations and for supporting ISJ School.”

Wally Nance, Class of ‘09

“Dear Incarnation-St. James Parish – I would like to thank you so much for everything you do for us and for our school. We are very grateful for everything you have donated or bought for us, such as computers in the lab. They are great. We use them all the time for research papers and projects. I don’t know what we would do without you guys. You have helped us get the best Catholic education we can get. So thank you again for everything!”

Samantha Petersack, Class of ‘09

“Dear Incarnation-St. James Parish – On behalf of the 8th grade, I would like to thank you for everything you have done, like donating computers for the computer lab, donating supplies for the science lab, and the building of our school gym. And I also want you to know that we use all of those things everyday. You don’t know how much you have helped us, but I wanted to thank you anyway!”

Sydney Lester, Class of ‘09



INCARNATION-ST. JAMES ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY JULY BAKELESS CAKE SALE

Please make checks payable to “Incarnation-St. James Rosary Altar Society”.

Either drop your contribution in the collection basket marked “Bakeless Cake Sale” or mail to:

Incarnation- St. James Rosary Altar Society 1545 Pennington Road, Ewing, NJ 08618.

Please make your returns by August 1, 2009.

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

PHONE _____

DONATION \$ _____ Thank you for your kind support!

