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CHURCH of THE INCARNATION

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Registration

New parishioners are asked to contact the office. A warm welcome to all.

Baptisms

Baptisms are held on the first three Sundays, after the noon Mass. Baptisms may be scheduled on the 4th Sundays during the noon Mass (limit 4). First time parents should plan to attend the Baptismal Preparation Program offered the first Thursday of each month (*7:30 Parish Center*).

RCIA

Obtain information on The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults by calling Tim Niesel.

Marriages

Please plan for six months preparation time. Contact Mrs. Porcino.

Hospital & Homebound Visits

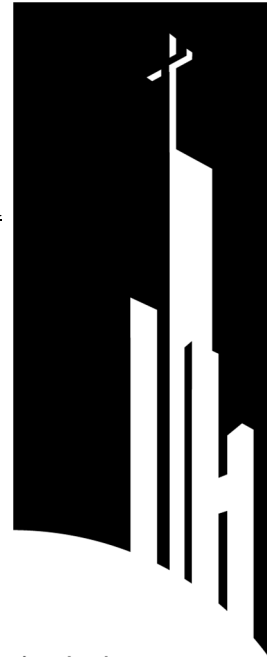
We take particular care to visit those hospitalized and homebound. If you or a family member are hospitalized or homebound, please call the parish office. If there is a need to be anointed, you may contact the office with that request.

Mass Intentions

Call or visit the office.

Parish Council Meetings

1st Mondays, Sept-June, 7:45PM, Parish Center



And the
Word became
flesh and lived
among us...

John 1:14

MASS TIMES

Daily _____

6:30, 8:30*: (*All school Mass Fridays 9:00 Church)

Saturday: 8:30am

Sunday Liturgy _____

Sat. 5:30pm Sun: 7:30, 9:00, 10:30, noon—Church
9:30 and 11:00—Parish Center

Confessions _____

Saturday mornings, 9:00-9:45

Eucharistic Adoration _____

3rd Mondays, 7:00pm, with Exposition and Benediction.

Church open (door closest to Rectory) throughout the week for private adoration: M-Th, 6:00am-9:00pm; Fri, 6:00am-5:00pm; Sat, 8:00am-6:30pm; Sun, 7:00am-9:00pm

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Mon ... 2 Pt 1:2-7 • Ps 91:1-2, 14-16 • Mk 12:1-12

Tue Zep 3:14-18a • (Ps) Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6

Wed ... 2 Tm 1:1-3, 6-12 • Ps 123:1-2 • Mk 12:18-27

Thu 2 Tm 2:8-15 • Ps 25:4-5b, 8-10, 14 • Mk 12:28-34

Fri Ez 34:11-16 • Ps 23:1-6 • Rom 5:5b-11 • Lk 15:3-7

Sat..... 2 Tm 4: 1-8 • Ps 71:8-9, 14-15b, 16-17, 22 • Lk 2:41-51

Sun 1 Kgs 17:17-24 • Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-13 • Gal 1:11-19 • Lk 7:11-17

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Monday, May 30

6:30—Chrissy Gilliam (L)

8:30—Barbara McGuinn (d)

Tuesday, May 31

6:30—Anthony Mattiss (d)

8:30—Terry Kramer (d)

Wednesday, June 1

6:30—Jose Ayson (L)

8:30—Patricia Higgins (d)

Thursday, June 2

6:30—Mary Westbrock (d)

8:30—Kassandra Hohmann (d)

Friday, June 3

6:30—Freddie Tayag (d)

8:30—Kelly Ann King (Hungerford) (d)

Saturday, June 4

8:30—Mary and Mathias Kuntz (d)

Sunday, June 5

7:30—Purgatorial Society

Bob Daniszewski

Mary Lou Garner

Terry Blair

Mary Jane Meineke

Fred, Bertha & Don Seger

Ed & Rita Evers

Evelyn Fitzgerald

Herbert E. Walter

Dona Jean Walter

George Wild

Elizabeth Wild

Jacqueline Allman

Marlene Greiner

Eugene Kangas

Mary C. Kangas

Julie Rose Leiker

Bill Loe

Carmen Raniero

Dale Cashman

Mary Jane Topp

Patricia Higgins

Michael Miller

Raymond Kross

Robert W. Higgins

Cecelia Kern

Ray Mock

Patricia Knop

Fred J. Miller

Blessed rest:

Mary Ann Hiett

Marcia Brown

Ellen Shahady



SUNDAY COLLECTION

May 22___\$33,214

BAPTISMS

Ethan Michael Roslund

Son of Eric and Karen (Pereira)



THE YEAR OF MERCY

THE FEAST OF THE BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

Food is a gift of God we all enjoy. We take pleasure in all the kinds, colors and sizes, in servings from snacks to feasts. Jesus too enjoyed food, whether his mother's home cooking, or his meals with friends. He like to compare heaven with banquets, and he was present at many himself. But he alone was able and willing to give his own body and blood for the banquet of the world.

We celebrate that gift today. It is the feast of his love. It calls us to consider with love what faith tells us about it. We look at the Eucharist as the mystery of his love for us even in death. We all know something of the mystery of love. It involves a mutual giving. The Eucharist is a giving no one else can achieve. It goes beyond human powers to give. None of us can give of ourselves so completely to another as Christ gives himself in Holy Communion.

As we celebrate this great feast today may we not only experience God's love for us, but go forth ready and willing to share that love with one another.

Fr. Stretch

WEEKEND SCHEDULE

Saturday, June 4

5:30: Fr. Brian

Sunday, June 5

7:30: Fr. George

9:00: Fr. George

9:30: Fr. Charlie

10:30: Fr. Stretch

11:00: Fr. Brian

12:00: Fr. Stretch

INCARNATION SCHOOL 433-1051

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE INCARNATION CLASS OF 2016!

Graduation was held Monday evening. This class of 77 students had many outstanding achievements. Congratulations to the following recipients of the Pastor's Service Award:

Rachael Harker, Matthew Buerschen, Michelle Woeste, and Charlotte Kunesh.

The Fr. Kallaher Christian Fellowship Award was presented to **Charlotte Kunesh**. This award was voted on by her peers. Congratulations, Charlotte!

This past week was filled with many fabulous events. The Muse presentation from the 1st and 2nd grade students, Band and Orchestra Concerts, the Kindergarten Growing Celebration, Fun Day for Early 5's through 2nd grade, 4th grade Authors Tea, First Grade's fossil dig, pizza with the principal and the final school Mass rounded out the week.

Special thanks to the parish for the support they give to Incarnation students, teachers and staff. God Bless you and have a wonderful and safe summer.

School summer office hours:

M-F, 9am to Noon: May 31-June 24, Aug 1-12
The office will be closed June 25 -July 31.
Office voicemail and email will be checked regularly throughout the summer.

Dear Incarnation Parishioners,

I am soon to be an eighth grader at Incarnation School. Incarnation is a wonderful place to learn, meet new people, and continue my education about our Catholic Faith. As I approach my ninth year at Incarnation I have learned so much. From addition of math facts to comprehension of English novels and grammar, Incarnation School has been the foundation of my education. The field trips and community activities that each Incarnation student is involved in have also been a large influence on my grade. I look forward to being a leader in the school next year and graduating from Incarnation. I truly thank you for your guidance and support as Parishioners of Incarnation and appreciate your continual faith in our school and parish.

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COME AND SHARE coffees will be held after the 6:30am and 8:30am Masses on the first Wednesday of the month, **June 1**. The coffee/breakfast will be held in Room 104. Plan to attend. All are welcome.

DONUTS & FELLOWSHIP SUNDAY

Come meet your fellow parishioners and greet old friends! We will have coffee, juice, and Bill's donuts in Room 104 from 8:15 am until 12:15 pm on **Sun, June 5**. Please stop by after mass!

BOY SCOUT TROOP 530 ANNUAL TENT SALE June 4 , 8am-3pm & June 5 9am-1pm at Incarnation School. All proceeds benefit Troop 530.

LEISURE CLUB will hold its monthly meeting on **Thurs, June 9** in the Parish Center, Room 104. Social time will begin at 10:15am and the business meeting will begin at 10:45. Entertainment at 11:30am. Debe Dockins from the Centerville Library will tell us stories and history of Erma Bombeck, followed by a luncheon catered by Jimmie Johns. For questions or to make reservations for non-members and guests, please call Irene 291-1346 or John Martin (770) 713-9061 (cell).

Tips for your Health...by Faith Health Ministry

BODY: For occasional insomnia, try a glass of warm milk which contains sleep-inducing tryptophan

MIND: Improve your listening skills

SPIRIT: Give thanks daily

BASKETBALL OPEN GYM All Parish children, grades 4-8 in fall 2016, planning to play CYO basketball. 6-8PM. June 3, 17, 24; July 1, 8, 15, 22, and 29. Contact Tom Doorley, AD, at incarnation.basketball@gmail.com for the required waiver.

PARISH MASS EXPERIENCE SURVEY

The Second Vatican Council in its document on the Sacred Liturgy (*Sacrosanctum Concilium*) shows how we ought to celebrate mass as a community. In Paragraph 11 it states that when the faithful come to mass they ought to be in the right disposition so "their minds should be attuned to their voices, and that they should cooperate with divine grace lest they receive it in vain." Paragraph 11 also states that priests should make sure the faithful "take part fully aware of what they are doing, actively engaged in the rite, and enriched by its effects."

In the comment section a common theme was wondering how we could make the mass more up to date to today, or even try to make it more entertaining and be less seemingly stilted by singing more upbeat hymns and less Latin. The Second Vatican Council acknowledged that at times reforms are needed, and in doing so also saw that we still need to hold on to the traditions of the Sacred Liturgy so any reform would come from the Church and not an individual (Paragraph 21). We can make choices about hymns, Latin, bells, incense, vestment styles, and even how we might do something within the mass like adding humor to the homily; yet we are not able to change what the Church has set for us in the Mass. The Mass is not a spectacle or a concert, it is the place we receive the Body and Blood of Christ in the Eucharist. This means that we are to help you draw close to Jesus in the Eucharist while at Mass.

Unfortunately, we are not able to address every comment from the survey either because it was a solitary comment, or it goes against the *General Instructions of the Roman Missal (GIRM)* which sets the norms for mass. In terms of music, GIRM 41 states "Since the faithful from different countries come together ever more frequently, it is desirable that they know how to sing together at least some parts of the Ordinary of the Mass in Latin..." That is why we use Latin for the main responses during the Liturgy of the Eucharist once a month. We also look to sing hymns that tie to the readings on that weekend or the Feast or Solemnity we are celebrating. We try to vary the music since this parish is so large and hopefully reach as many people as possible and their musical preferences. Higher feasts and solemnities also have a more exuberant sound, or more solemn in terms of Good Friday.

Another discussion will be in next week's bulletin.

Worship Commission

NAIM is a religious and social organization for the widowed. The June 13 meeting is at a different time and location. For more information, contact Sunny Hickey 937-443-1437 or Bob Zimmer 937-439-2665.

Take Classes Now and Deeper Your Faith: The Athenaeum of Ohio announces Lay Tuition Scholarship for 2016-17 academic year.

The Athenaeum, the Archdiocesan seminary and school of theology, announces a 50% lay tuition scholarship as part of our *One Faith, One Hope Capital Campaign* commitment. The Lay Pastoral Ministry Program Certificate Option will meet in Dayton at the Pilarczyk Center in 2016-17, and move to Sacred Heart of Jesus in McCartyville in 2017-18. You can begin the program in Dayton and finish in McCartyville with significant tuition savings. Graduate programs in Theology, Pastoral Ministry and Biblical Studies are available at the main campus in Cincinnati. All programs are designed for busy adults with an outstanding faculty, supportive staff and flexible components. There will never be a better time to come and see how lay Catholic studies through the Athenaeum can transform your life. For information about Dayton classes, call Deacon Hal Belcher, 419-305-5486. For Cincinnati options, call Dr. Susan McGurgan, 513-231-1200, or visit our web page at www.growinwisdom.org.

Alter Golf Outing Tues, June 14, at Sugar Valley Golf Club, 1PM Shotgun Start. Lunch and Steak Dinner by Chef Rob Petrosino. 18 Holes w/ Cart. Pop, Water and Beer. Games. Golfer gift. \$125 per golfer. Hole sponsorship available. You can register on-line at <https://alterhs.org/event/golf-outing/>

Celebrate the Life and Legacy of Mother Angelica! Join your EWTN family on September 17 and 18 in Birmingham, Alabama for this memorable FREE Family Celebration event. Guest speakers will include Raymond Arroyo, Marcus Grodi, Johnnette Benkovic and Fr. Wade Menezes. Visit www.ewtn.com/familycelebration for more details as they become available.



Play golf to win \$500 for our parish's St. Vincent de Paul conference at the 20th Annual Gene Westendorf Memorial Golf Tournament! This foursome scramble (shotgun start at 7:45 am) will take place at The Golf Club at Yankee Trace the morning of **Friday, July 22**, and will be played in memory of an avid supporter of St. Vincent de Paul's mission, Gene Westendorf. Register online at stvincentsdayton.org/golf or by calling Terry at 222-7349 Ext 419.

Catch the Building Spirit

It is time to start building again! We would love to have you join us for our 24th Annual Build. Catch the Building Spirit, is Catholic and Presbyterian churches all working together to build a home for our partner family each summer. Our organization continue to touch lives and impacted neighborhoods with our mission. This year's build will be in Trotwood for our partner family is Alvin, Felicia Lewis and their four children. This is a hand-up not a hand-out for our partner family. They have completed their pre-requisite volunteer hours and training classes and are anxious to start on their home. We start with Blitz Week Sat, May 28—Fri, June 3, to put the house "under roof" then we take the summer to complete the home for a September dedication. Check our website for work hours including Thursday evening. Thank you for your continued support. To learn more contact John O'Malley at 694-9603 or www.CatchtheBuildingSpirit.org

St. John West Chester - Custodian Job Opening

St. John the Evangelist in West Chester seeks motivated and qualified applicants for the full-time position of Custodian for a parish of over 2,500 families with a campus of 5 buildings. This position is responsible for janitorial duties, function setup and grounds work. Minor maintenance repair may also be required. The opening is available immediately and reports to the parish Facilities Manager. The qualified applicant must have a High School Diploma. Prior building and floor maintenance experience is helpful. Catholic candidate preferred. Evening and weekend availability is required as needed. Pay will be commensurate with work background and experience. Apply online by clicking www.stjohnwc.org Parish Info > Job Openings. Or, you can send your resume and cover letter to: Kirt Robb, Saint John the Evangelist, 9080 Cincinnati-Dayton Road, West Chester, 45069 or krobb@stjohnwc.org.

Hispanos Dayton Festival at St. Mary's Church (310 Allen St. 45410) on June 12, from 12 pm to 9pm. There will be various Latino dance groups --Peruvian, Colombian, Mexican and more with food representative of Venezuela, Mexico, Ecuador, Puerto Rico and more. We would like to share our culture and our cordiality with you! We hope you can join us!

Friday Night Concert on the Lawn St. Leonard, June 3, 6:30PM, University of Dayton New Horizons Jazz Band. Free concert. Hershey's Ice Cream and Glow Sticks available for purchase. All proceeds to the Alzheimer's Association Walk.

5K In Honor of Veterans St. Leonard, Sat, June 4, 8:30AM. Registration/Check-in at 7:30AM. Registration at www.stleonard.com/5K



PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM (PREP)

Thank you to all who have registered their children for 2016-2017.

New students or prior students not yet registered:

Prior students: go to the Parish app and tap forms catalog for PREP registrations.

New Students: Download the Incarnation Parish APP.

Go to the Apple App Store and type in "Incarnation" to search for the Incarnation Parish App. Tap on "Install" to download the app to your iPad or iPhone. Or you can enter the following link from your iPhone or iPad:

<https://itunes.apple.com/us/app/incarnation-catholic-parish/id69011298?mt=8&uo=4>

The Incarnation Parish App is available for Apple and Android devices as well as PC's. The links to download for all three are at the bottom right side of the Home page of the Incarnation Parish Website. <http://www.incarnation-parish.com>. Please register soon to obtain your desired day.



Junior high (7 & 8 grade) Sunday evening classes begin August 14.



Elementary classes (grades 1-8) will begin August 23/24.

Students should attend religious education every year. If you have missed a year -- welcome back! Call the office for polices regarding sacramental preparation.

The parish **Early Childhood Program** is for children ages 3, 4, 5 and kindergarten age children who will be that age by

Sept. 30. These classes will start Sept. 11.

The classes are held during the 9:30 am or 10:30 am Sunday mass. The Early Childhood classes are for any parish children whether they will be attending the public school or Incarnation day school. The program seeks to bridge the gap between the home and the parish, to introduce the child into an essential aspect of Christianity, the worshipping community. Here in peace, love, and security, the child can begin at his own level to explore his love of God.

Room and catechist information for Elementary students will be e-mailed the week before class begins. Early Childhood students look for your mailing the week of September 5. Call if you need any assistance or questions. Paula Weckesser CRE 433-3377 or paula.weckesser@incarnation.catholic.org

YOUTH MINISTRY

SERVICE OPPORTUNITY:

Youth Ministry Night

Tues, May 31, 5-7:30pm, Community Room

Topic: St. Vincent De Paul

† We will meet to at Incarnation and then head down to serve a meal to the guests at St. Vincent's hotel in Downtown Dayton.

† ALL ARE WELCOME!!!

† As always, parent volunteers are always needed to drive!

Please RSVP by e-mail or text if you plan on coming!

Youth Ministry Night

Thurs, June 2, 7-9pm, Community Room

Topic: Does Prayer Change God's Mind?

† The goal of this night is to challenge the teenagers' understanding of prayer. As Christians, prayer is something we know we should do, but many of us struggle with developing a daily prayer life. Many times teens ask us: "how do you pray?" The truth is there is no "prayer formula," but prayer is our response to a God who already knows and loves us perfectly.

† All High School Students are welcome!

† This week we are discussing prayer. Prayer must be modeled, practiced and encouraged. If your family does not have a regular prayer routine (in addition to weekly Mass), we recommend that you seek opportunities to pray together as a family.

Here are a few discussion questions to help you and your teen talk about this week:

1. What is prayer to you? How often do you pray?
2. Describe a powerful prayer experience.
3. Why is it often difficult to remain committed to a prayer routine?
4. How can our family incorporate more prayer into our lives?