



# CHURCH OF THE INCARNATION

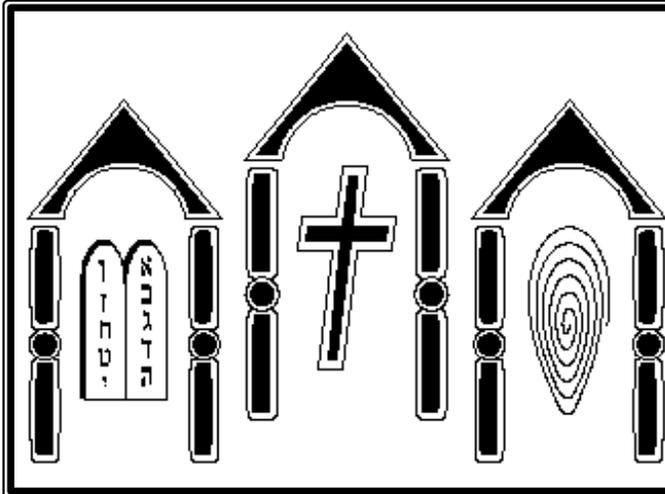
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## Growing in Christ and Living Our Faith through Relationships



### February 25, 2018 ~ 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Lent

Readings: Genesis 22:1-2,9a,10-13,15-18—Romans 8:31b-34— Mark 9:2-10

**OFFICE HOURS:** 8:30am–4:30pm Monday–Friday  
(Closed: 12:20–12:50pm daily)

#### LITURGY SCHEDULE:

Monday–Friday: Mass times on page 2

Friday: 7:30pm, Español

Saturday: 5:30pm

Sunday: 9:00am, 11:30am & 4:30pm – English

1:30pm- Español

Nursery: 9:00am, 11:30am & 1:30pm

#### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Saturday 4:30–5:00pm or by appointment

Sunday 12:45-1:15pm & Friday 8:30pm (Español)

**ADULT FORMATION OPPORTUNITY:** The Good News is that, through Baptism and Confirmation, God has poured out the gifts of His Holy Spirit upon us. But we can't enjoy a gift unless we open it! **TODAY** Sunday, February 25, between the morning Masses (starting about 10:15am), Father Gregory's adult Sunday school topic will be **The Gifts of the Spirit** in the Parish Activity Center. Grab a cup of coffee and come on over! All are welcome. We will be doing some Bible study, so, like all good Catholics, BYOB: Bring your own Bible!



### FRIDAYS OF LENT 2018

- March 2: 7:00pm Theatre 'N' Theology
- March 9 7:00pm Social Justice Evening of Reflection
- March 16: 6:00pm Stations of the Cross
- March 23 6:00pm Stations of the Cross & Fish Fry\*

\*5:00-7:00pm. All proceeds benefit Incarnation Youth and Charlottesville Catholic School.

**VIA CRUCIS:** Each Friday evening at 7:30pm during Lent our Hispanic Brothers and Sisters gather in the Worship Center for *Via Crucis*, Stations of the Cross. Everyone is invited to share in this Lenten tradition.

### SAVE THE DATE

Prepare for an incredible Dynamic Catholic experience!



Great habits create great lives. What are your habits? Are they helping you become the-best-version-of-yourself or some second-rate-version-of-yourself? How can you support your family and friends with the Great Love of Christ?

Join your fellow parishioners and other area parishioners at Church of the Incarnation for a life-changing evening!

**Friday, May 18 ~ Tickets: \$25/each**

To purchase tickets go to

<https://dynamiccatholic.com/find-your-greatness-charlottesville-may-18-2018> or call (859)980-7900.

Proceeds go to support Youth program materials through Dynamic Catholic for parishes like ours!

For questions and help registering, Please contact Kurt Elward at 434-996-6391 or [kelward@me.com](mailto:kelward@me.com) ; or Jacqui Cecalupo at [sasse318@gmail.com](mailto:sasse318@gmail.com).

Join us...  ...

We welcome all visitors and invite you to join us in the Parish Hall for coffee & donuts after the 9:00am Sunday Mass.



We marvel at how God's mercy, presence, and grace breaks in to the lives of ordinary people in good times and in crisis. That is what we see in the films that we view and discuss at our parish **TNT (Theater 'N' Theology)**. Our Lenten TNT takes place on *Friday, March 2*, beginning promptly at 7:00pm. All are welcome to come to our **Incarnation Movie Theater** (the "Stone Chapel") with comfortable seating and large projection. After the movie (the "Theology" part), we discuss the film's relevance to our life in Christ and note the action of God's mercy. Our Lenten feature is the 2003 film *Cold Mountain*. It's a story that takes place in the waning days of the American Civil War, when a wounded soldier embarks on a perilous journey back home to Cold Mountain, North Carolina to reunite with his sweetheart. Stars Jude Law, Nicole Kidman, Renee Zellweger (who won the Oscar for Best Supporting Actress), Philip Seymour Hoffman, Natalie Portman, Donald Sutherland, Jack White, and Lucas Black. Rated R. Facilitated by Fr. Gregory. All are welcome. Come watch a great movie with your brothers and sisters in Christ!



**CURIOS ABOUT CURSILLO?** We invite you to come to the Conference Room on March 11 at 10:15am. You can ask any

questions about Cursillo and get information. No commitment to attend a weekend! Can't make March 11? Email Cursillo Parish Liaisons Mary & Bill Balsam with your questions at [coticursillo@gmail.com](mailto:coticursillo@gmail.com).

The presence of the Spirit gives Christians a certain connaturality with divine realities...

--Pope Francis, *The Joy of the Gospel* #119

**2018 ANNUAL DIOCESAN APPEAL**

***Building Our Family of Faith***

Last week, many of you received a letter from Bishop Knestout asking for your support of the 2018 Annual Diocesan Appeal. We hope you will give prayerful consideration to this request. An important aspect of the Appeal is that all parishes receive back a portion of their funds collected to be used for important local priorities. Lately, we have had many wonderful social gatherings and receptions at our church, particularly around three special events: Bishop Knestout's January 23 visit, Evening Prayer with Peace Lutheran Church to pray for Christian unity, and our parish Evening of Reflection sponsored by our Pastoral Council. **This year, the funds returned to our parish will be used to fund more social gatherings to build community.** The Appeal not only provides an opportunity for you to support important ministries that impact many programs outside of our parish boundaries, it also supports the services the Diocese provides directly to our parish. In complement to the funds returned to our parish through the parish sharing formula, the Appeal also benefits us through *Fuel and Hunger Fund grants*. All pledges can be paid in ten monthly installments which makes it easy to support the important ministries of our Diocesan Church while also supporting our parish needs. *Thank you in advance for your partnership in the 2018 Appeal.*

**YOUTH MINISTRY**

Patrick Drury: patrickd@incarnationparish.org



**MULCH SALE:** Youth ministry is once again holding its annual mulch sale fundraiser, selling 3 cubic-foot bags of double-shredded hardwood mulch (brown in color). All proceeds benefit Incarnation's youth ministry program.

You can order anytime until March 11 while supplies last, and the mulch will arrive at Incarnation on Monday, March 19. It will be distributed to families that week. For more details, check out our order form on our website or pick up a hard copy after Mass. Please spread the word to anybody in town you know who is interested in purchasing mulch. Thank you!

**ANTIOCH RETREAT:** Our annual Antioch high school retreat will be held Friday-Sunday, March 9-11. It's an amazing weekend to reconnect with God, strengthen your faith, spend time in prayer and reflection, hang out with some awesome people, play games, and have a lot of fun. The registration form (with all the details you need to know) can be found on our website, or you can grab a hard copy at youth group. The cost is \$50 for the entire weekend. Everybody in grades 9-12 is invited to join us!

**CAN YOU BE A SLEEP HOME FOR THE RETREAT?** We are in need of families to open their homes the nights of Friday & Saturday, March 9 & 10 for a small group of boys or girls. Contact Patrick for details or to sign up.

The next **PARENT BOOK STUDY** with John Kronstain will meet Sunday, March 4 and Wednesday, March 7. Both meetings will be from 6:30-7:30pm in the Library. We will discuss the chapter regarding "Family." You do not have to read the chapter to join our discussion. Email John at [john.kronstain@gmail.com](mailto:john.kronstain@gmail.com) with any questions.

**WORSHIP**

Deacon Chris Morash: [deaconchris@incarnationparish.org](mailto:deaconchris@incarnationparish.org)

**MASS INTENTIONS: February 24-March 4**

Saturday	24:	5:30	Sarah Carreras (Mary & Bill Balsam)
Sunday	25:	9:00	Peter Opar (Pat & Mike Crawford)
		11:30	Frances Strzepek (Strzepek Family)
		1:30	Missa Pro Populo
		4:30	Ted Pawinski (Pericak-Pawinski Family)
Monday	26:	12:15	Linda DeMong (Paul Kidwell)
Tuesday	27:	12:15	Linda DeMong (Kidwell Family)
Wed'day	28:	6:00*	Pat & Howard Wilson Special Intention (Eithna Sullivan)
Thursday	1:	12:15	Shirley Crase (Patricia & Elliot Mininberg)
Friday	2:	12:15	Fred & Joe (Helen Krespach)
Saturday	3:	5:30	Mary Heasley (Karen & Jim Lansing)
Sunday	4:	9:00	JoAnn Synder Walker (Rosemary Flynn)
		11:30	Lucy & Jacob Ribero (Ribero Family)
		1:30	Missa Pro Populo
		4:30	Blaja Gomes (Mary & Joseph Ribero)



*Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament  
Thursday, 1:00 – 8:00pm*



**The Most Reverend Barry C. Knestout  
BISHOP OF RICHMOND**

*Dear Parishioners of Incarnation,*

*Thank you for the many beautiful cards congratulating me on my appointment as the 13<sup>th</sup> Bishop of Richmond. Your kind words are deeply appreciated, and are an encouragement as I settle into my new home in Richmond. Thank you for the lovely basket of gifts, too.*

*It was a pleasure to be with you in January, and I look forward to when I can come to Charlottesville again.*

*Wishing you God's blessings, I am*

*Sincerely in Christ,  
Most Reverend Barry C. Knestout*

**EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY:** Our parish is seeking a



**Coordinator of Christian Formation** to begin July 1. The Coordinator is responsible for the Christian Formation for preschool and elementary children, as well as the Formation for the Sacraments of First Reconciliation and Eucharist. Applicants should have five years experience as a Catechist or Teacher, a Bachelor's Degree (Masters Degree or Certificate in Religious Education, Theology, or related field preferred), and familiarity with diocesan policies related to Catechesis. Spanish speaking is also preferred. Finally, but most importantly, the Applicant should have a servant's heart like Jesus. Send cover letter, diocesan application, and resume to Nancy Brinkac at [mnbrinkac@comcast.net](mailto:mnbrinkac@comcast.net).

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS BOOKLETS** can be found by the door to the Meditation Garden inside the Worship Center. We ask you to **please return** the Station booklets to the Worship Center when you finish. You can pray the Stations of the Cross in the Meditation Garden or on our parish Nature Trail.



**FINANCIAL RESOURCES**

**For the weekend of February 17/18**

Weekly amount needed for budget	\$ 22,290.00
Offertory	\$ 13,376.82
EFT Donations	\$ 0.00
Other Income	\$ 3,545.70
Total	\$ 16,922.52
<b>Difference</b>	<b>- \$ 5,367.48</b>

\*Based on FY 2017-18 budget of \$1,159,102.00

**Offertory Envelopes distributed: 610 ~ Envelopes used: 152  
Parishioners using Electronic Funds Transfer EFT: 143**

<b>Mass Attendance</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Attendees</b>
	<b>February 17/18</b>	
	5:30pm	161
	9:00am	307
	11:30am	321
	1:30pm	515
	4:30pm	172
<b>Total</b>	<b>1476</b>	

**Stewardship, A Way of Life**

“All that we do reflects Christ as we go forth in love and service.”

Boxes of envelopes are available for our children and youth to take home. Each box contains 52 weekly offertory envelope, which we ask you to return in the Sunday offertory collection. We also ask you to print your name and address on the first few envelopes so we can add you to our list of stewards.

Stewardship means “becoming partners in God’s work.” It means investing your time, talent and treasure to support the mission of our Church. We invite the children and youth of Church of the Incarnation to be a part of this effort to bring the concept of stewardship to the entire community.

**FOR HEALING AFTER ABORTION**, a Rachel’s Vineyard



Retreat, sponsored by Church of the Epiphany, will be held March 9-11. This retreat

is for women and men who have known regret, sorrow, guilt, or shame from abortion. The weekend combines living scripture meditations, spiritual exercises, and discussions in a guided process that leads to the heart of God’s love and compassion. If you would like to learn more about this retreat you can contact Marty Montgomery-Jennings at 804-704-0429, or Maggie Carlson at 804-432-2589 or email: RV4hope@gmail.com. Inquiries, registration and participation are strictly confidential.

**Comment from a retreat participant:** This retreat has been incredibly powerful spiritual, emotional, mentally. Emotion provoking, spiritually awakening....and the entire time you are here you feel the presence of God and the Son and the Holy Spirit. Visit: [www.rachelsvineyard.org](http://www.rachelsvineyard.org)



“This is my beloved Son. Listen to him.” Let us learn to listen better to each other and God by participating in a **Worldwide Marriage Encounter (WWME)** weekend. The next **Worldwide Marriage Encounter (WWME)** weekend is March 2-4 in Herndon, VA. Early sign up is recommended. For more information visit our website at: <https://renewmarriage-vasouth.org/> or contact us at [applications@renewmarriage-vasouth.org](mailto:applications@renewmarriage-vasouth.org) or 757-690-1369.

**PACEM BENEFIT AT SEDONA TAPHOUSE**

Mark your calendars! Sedona Taphouse, in Charlottesville, is doing their **Steak Out for Charity** to benefit PACEM in February. Sedona Taphouse does **Steak Out for Charity** every Monday throughout the year. Here’s how it works: All day on Mondays, Sedona Taphouse has a special. You can order an 8-ounce Black Angus flat iron streak with garlic whipped potatoes for just \$6.00. This menu item is usually \$16.90. **\$1 of each steak purchase goes** to the charity of the month, which in February is **PACEM**. A *beverage purchase is also required*. The special is good all day for lunch and dinner. Sedona Taphouse opens at 11:30am for lunch and is open until midnight.



**VISIT: Charlottesville Catholic School** is now accepting applications for Pre-K through 8th grade for the 2018-19 school year. Visit the website at [www.cvillecatholic.org](http://www.cvillecatholic.org) or email [admissions@cvillecatholic.org](mailto:admissions@cvillecatholic.org) for more information.



*To everything there is a season and a time for every purpose under heaven . . .*

*“ . . . a time to be born . . . ”*

Lillian Rose Feola

Granddaughter of Aileen and Augie Feola

Bridger Francis Hanson

Grandson of Chip and Pam Grobmyer

*“ . . . a time to be healed . . . ”*

James Armstrong, Richard Balsam, Ronald Balsam, Ann-Marie Balwinski, Meg Bojarski, Shauna Rose Boone, Karen Breen, Diana Busch, Rose Byrne, Barbara Cage, Jude Campbell, Mary Glenn Carrington, Rose Colasuonno, Pat & Richard Cook, Ken Cottrell, Esther Davis, Harry Jack Delacey, Harry DeLeyer, Sue DeMong, Evans DiSantis, Melani Dinh, John Dovel, Joseph Druzba, Alice Dunbar, Teal Estrada, Deborah Fairbanks, Nancy Floyd, Joe Frisina, Chuck Gagliano, Ntegukongirwa Gasper, Joann Harrell, David Heath, Alice Hennigan, Randy Hobbs, Jean Holienka, Eli Houston, Atman Johnson, Mike Johnson, John Kowalski, Helen Krespach, Genevieve Krynitsky, Tyler Lafferty, Mary Lederman, Alan Leidecker, Carlos Lozano, Eric Magrum, Scarlett Makieski, Vito Maltese, Ivy Maupin & Family, Kathleen McManus, Levi Miller, Jeff Mahoney, Roger Mahlock, Kathy Milchus, Ron Mohr, Denis & Janice Moler, Jack & Donna Ostrowski, John Packett, Michael Palczuk, Marie Reyman, John Reynolds, Chris & Jadea Riener, Joel Rivera, James Robins, Robert Rockholt, Robert Ross, Jennifer, David & Amelia Scheer, Roger Scott, Perry Sennewald, Tom & Lynn Shepherd, Fran Slayton, Betty Smoyleak, Denise Sprous, Sr. Emmanuelle, Chuck & Jane Strauss, Sandy Stevens, Craig Stotz, Debra Strzepek, Pat Stubbs, Nicholas Surat, Tom Tolman, Cindi Tomblin, Pat Velikov, Yolanda Vlasis, Glenda Voelmeck, Kevin Ward, Linda Watson, Karen Will, John Yates, Marianne Zeigler

*“ . . . a time to love . . . ”*

*“ . . . a time to die . . . ”*

Donald Ventrudo- Father of Donna Guzman

*“ . . . and a time of peace . . . ”*

Emily A. Bessler, Peter Haught, Jessica Mullins, Joseph Musso, Joshua Ostrowski, Roberto Santamaria, David Waidelich, Joshua Wilson

## JUSTICE AND CHARITY MINISTRY

Sheila Herlihy: sheila@incarnationparish.org



**COFFEE AND CONVERSATIONS:** Today is our next gathering of Coffee and Conversations, allowing us to experience the full richness of our multi-lingual community, between 3:00 and 4:15 pm. This is a great way to get to know native Spanish speakers in our parish, and appreciate the universal nature of the Body of Christ. No language experience is needed, because interpreters will be at every table.

**FOOD MINISTRY DISTRIBUTION CHANGES!** Food distribution time is **2:30-4:00pm**, setup time is **12:30-2:30pm**. If you are interested in getting involved in our food ministry please contact Sheila (sheilah@incarnationparish.org) Also, if you know anyone in need of food, feel free to invite them to our food pantry.



**SHARE THE JOURNEY WITH CRS RICE BOWL- Encounter Cesia:** In Iraq, we encounter Majd and his family, people forced to flee violence, searching for stability. How are we called to welcome the stranger in our midst? How can you support those, worldwide, who are forced to flee their homes to find safety or better opportunities? Visit [crsricebowl.org](http://crsricebowl.org) for more. We encounter Cesia in Nicaragua, where, despite a lack of economic opportunity, young people pursue their dreams by building businesses to better their lives. How can you work to improve the lives of others this Lent? How can you support those, worldwide, who are forced to flee their homes to find safety or better opportunities? Visit [crsricebowl.org](http://crsricebowl.org) for more.



**INVITATION TO GARDENERS:** Are you interested in participating and having a plot in Incarnation's community garden this spring? We will have sign ups after all the masses next weekend, and we'll be filling in the blanks the week after that. Reach out to Sheila Herlihy (sheila@incarnationparish.org) or Muriel Grim (msgrim15@comcast.net) to get more information and join the list!



**NONVIOLENCE WORKSHOP-POWER FOR JUSTICE AND PEACE:** On Saturday, March 10 from 9:00-3:30pm at Church of the Incarnation we'll convene "Nonviolence: Power for Justice and Peace" - a workshop with expert trainers from the Catholic Nonviolence Initiative, Laurie Gagne PhD and John Reuwer MD. This will be a look at nonviolence from a Catholic perspective, and we are asking a \$10 donation to offset the cost of lunch. Check out the bulletin insert for more information. You can pre-register for this event by emailing Sheila at sheilah@incarnationparish.org

**FOOD MINISTRY INVITATION:** For our food ministry to function, we need people in a variety of roles. If you are interested in any aspect of the ministry, contact Sheila in the Parish Office. If you'd rather donate material goods, we accept all food items in the basket in the Narthex, (along with grocery bags, paper and plastic). The item of the week is an easy way to add something small to your grocery list, and donate something that is very needed by our ministry. **This week, our item of the week is 48 oz. bottles of cooking oil.**

**GREEN TEAM EnvironMINUTE:** Three important parts of Catholic Social Teaching are recognizing the dignity of work, caring for creation, and taking care of our local community (subsidiarity). All three of these are recognized in farmers' markets, which dignify local farmers, and save the earth from fossil fuel emissions transporting food.

**JUSTICE CORNER:** One of the ways our church acts on our call to do justice is through IMPACT (the Interfaith Movement Promoting Action by Congregations Together). Right now, we're doing research on what kind of change we can create to increase affordable housing, but we need your help. Come to our Justice and Peace mass and network meeting this Tuesday, February 28, at 6pm to learn more about how to get involved! Dinner will be included.

**HABITAT FOR HUMANITY BUILD DAYS:** If you want to get involved with a build day (no construction experience necessary) the parish is providing a build crew on March 3, and May 5. Please check out sign up sheets in the Narthex for details and to put your name down!



All men over 18 are invited on March 17 to Saint Bede Catholic Church in Williamsburg, VA for our 6th Annual Diocesan Men's Conference. This year's theme, "Truly Present," will explore Jesus' presence to us and our call to be present in all our relationships in the world as husband, father, brother, and friend. This year will feature a dual-track conference with keynote speakers in **English and Spanish**, breakout opportunities, Reconciliation, Adoration, and Mass. Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers will be the keynote speaker for the English-speaking track. Let all your friends know! Registration available online for \$55 until March 10. After that point, registration will only be available at the door for \$60. As always, the conference is free for priests and religious brothers. All those interested may contact the Center for Marriage, Family, and Life at [cmfl@richmonddiocese.org](mailto:cmfl@richmonddiocese.org) or 804-622-5109 for more information.



**WOMEN'S CURSILLO WEEKEND:** April 12-15, at Camp Overlook (near Harrisonburg). The purpose of the Catholic Cursillo Movement is to support people in living out their faith in their everyday lives. It is an inspiring 3-day retreat led by a dedicated team of lay adults and a Catholic priest from our area. Registered Catholic parishioners are encouraged to submit an application by March 31. You must be sponsored by a person who has made a Cursillo weekend previously. You may contact Karen and Roy Norville at [valleycursillo@gmail.com](mailto:valleycursillo@gmail.com) to arrange a sponsor for you. For info/application, visit: [www.valleycursillo.com](http://www.valleycursillo.com).

The next Men's Cursillo Weekend will be held October 18-21.

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