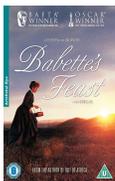


God save us from a worldly Church with superficial spiritual and pastoral trappings!

--Pope Francis, *The Joy of the Gospel* #97



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 next TNT takes place on *Friday, December 1*, 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 December feature is the 1987 Danish film *Babette's Feast*. It is an exquisite, delicately told tale of two beautiful young minister's daughters who pass up love and fame to remain in their small Danish village. They grow old ... and then take in a Parisian refugee, a woman with a very special secret. Subtle, funny, and deeply felt, with several wonderful surprises: an instant masterpiece that deservedly earned the Best Foreign Film Oscar in 1987. From an Isak Dinesen short story. Don't miss this one! Facilitated by Fr. Gregory. All are welcome. Come watch a great movie with your brothers and sisters in Christ!

October 10 Pastoral Council Meeting Summary

New Pastoral Council Member: Brent Browning has joined the council for a 3-year term

Post Retreat Evaluations: The Robinsons did a remarkable job in putting the retreat together. Most surveys indicated that we needed more time to come up with an action plan.

Small Group Discussion: Working on tangible ways we can promote our parish.

Pastoral Council Agenda

November 21, 2017

- 7:30pm Opening Prayer/Reflection
- 7:35pm Pastor Report -- Fr. Gregory
- 7:45pm Chair's Report -- Caroline Cook
 - Meeting dates
 - Donor recognition event
 - Followup re: anti-racism talk of Archbishop Gregory & the St. Anselm Institute
- 8:00pm Evangelism Team update -- Laure Taylor
- 8:10pm Refreshments
- 8:20pm Post-Retreat Momentum -- Caroline Cook
 - "Shopping Incarnation" -- Promotion
 - o Mass Guide
 - o Google Reviews
 - o Public relations/communication
- 9:00pm Closing Prayer



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 3670

COATS FOR KIDS: The Knights of Columbus are collecting money for "Coats for Kids" during the month of November. We will accept donations at the K of C table in the Narthex. Addressed envelopes are available at the table if you would like to mail in a donation. Please join us in providing "Coats for Kids". Make checks payable to Knights of Columbus Council 3670, with "Coats for Kids" in the memo line.

WORSHIP

Deacon Chris Morash: deaconchris@incarnationparish.org

MASS INTENTIONS: November 18-26

Saturday	18: 5:30	John Clem (Mary & Bill Balsam)
Sunday	19: 9:00	Dave McKay (Pat & Mike Crawford)
	11:30	Frances Strzepek (Strzepek Family)
	1:30	Missa Pro Populo
	4:30	Kathleen Jarvis (Cindy & Doug Campbell)
Monday	20: 12:15	David Lee- Special Intention (Mary Ann Lee)
Tuesday	21: 12:15	David Lee- Special Intention (Mary Ann Lee)
Wed'day	22: 7:30*	Missa Pro Populo
Thursday	23: 12:15	No Mass
Friday	24: 12:15	No Mass
Saturday	25: 5:30	Paul & Angela Mahoney (Cottrell Family)
Sunday	26: 9:00	Ethan Paladino (Mary & Bill Balsam)
	11:30	Lucy Ribero (Ribero Family)
	1:30	Owen Maher (Juanita Maher)
	4:30	Missa Pro Populo

7:30* Parish Thanksgiving Liturgy



The flowers adorning the altar this weekend were offered to the glory of God and in loving memory of

*Benedetto & Josephine Pecoraro
(Frank & Gloria D'Alessandro)*

NEXT BAPTISM WEEKEND: January 13/14. Registration deadline is December 19. Preparation Class is January 7.



Charlottesville Catholic Worker ~ Casa Alma

cvillecw@gmail.com

GOOD NEWS! We recently welcomed another new guest family to Casa Alma! Tatyana, Rueben, and their two children bring us to twelve residents onsite. Thank you for all the encouragement and support you offer so that we can provide a safe, warm, welcoming home for families in need.

SAVE THE DATE for another roundtable on race, Friday December 8 from 7:00-8:30pm.



ENTERING CANAAN - Hope and Healing after Abortion: Have you or someone you know experienced the pain of abortion? There are millions suffering silently. There is a post-abortive healing program available now in our area which offers monthly *Gatherings of Hope and Healing* and all-day retreats. These events offer continued support and healing for women and men dealing with the many negative effects of abortion in their lives including the effects of the abortions of others. For more info and confidential reservations please contact: Bobbie 540-383-1634, Dave 505-340-5891 or Pam 434-825-6013.

COME and EXPERIENCE THE MERCY and FORGIVENESS OF GOD!

FINANCIAL RESOURCES**For the weekend of November 11/12**

Weekly amount needed for budget	\$ 22,290.00
Offertory	\$ 8,724.55
EFT Donations	\$ 0.00
Other Income	\$ 4,391.50
Total	\$ 13,116.05
Difference	- \$ 9,173.95

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

Offertory Envelopes distributed: 262 ~ Envelopes used: 133
Parishioners using Electronic Funds Transfer EFT: 143

Mass Attendance	Time	Attendees
	November 11/12	
	5:30pm	170
	9:00am	433
	11:30am	376
	1:30pm	486
	4:30pm	171
	Total	1636

Stewardship, A Way of Life

"All the gifts of the earth and all the talents we possess come from God. How we use them in faith and gratitude defines our stewardship."

THIS WEEKEND (November 18/19): There will be a **Love Offering** after all Masses for **IMPACT** ("Interfaith Movement Promoting Action by Congregations Together"). The money collected will replace the Catholic Campaign for Human Development money that has gone to IMPACT in the past. It helps the organization make sure that the needs of the outcast are heard in our community, living out the preferential option for the poor."

2017 Annual Diocesan Appeal**Building Our Family of Faith**

Catholic Diocese
of Richmond

If you made a pledge to the 2017 Appeal, the Diocese has been sending reminders so you can fulfill your pledge. Please note that if you chose an auto-debit off your checking account or credit card, you will not receive a reminder. It is important for all our parishioners to complete their pledges. The assistance that is provided to the ministries and programs the Appeal supports, such as grants to our mission parishes, heating and grocery assistance to families, health insurance for our retired priests and tuition for our future priests to attend the seminary, is based on what is collected.

In addition, our parishes receive back a portion of their amounts collected. Our goal for the Annual Diocesan Appeal was \$28,910. So far \$49,082 has been pledged or collected, this is 159% of our goal. This means the more we collect, the more we can address our important parish needs.

Thank you for your continued support of the important ministries and programs that are made possible due to your generosity to the Annual Appeal.



JOIN US FOR FOOD-FUN-FELLOWSHIP:
 Incarnation Night at BAJA BEAN on Tuesday, November 21, 5:00-7:30pm, across from Sam's Club.
 A portion of the proceeds help support our Parish! *Be certain to tell your waiter you're supporting Incarnation!*

CHRISTIAN FORMATION: LC – Grade 5

Lori Brodhead: lorib@incarnationparish.org



CATECHIST NEEDED for a class during the 10:30-11:20am class time.

The children in this class are in 3rd-5th grade. Please contact Lori if you are interested in joining this Ministry.

**Charlottesville Catholic School ~ CCS**

www.cvillecatholic.org 434-964-0400

ENROLLMENT: CCS is currently taking applications for students entering pre-K through 8th grade in the 2018-19 school year. Visit www.cvillecatholic.org/admissions/ to apply or contact Katrina Kuhn (k.kuhn@cvillecatholic.org) to schedule a tour of the school. Take advantage of this wonderful opportunity to learn more about a school community rooted in its three core pillars of Christ, Community, and Scholars. **We are CCS!**

**WE CELEBRATE THE LIFE OF OUR PARISH!**

Please let us know if you are new to the parish, are moving from it, are celebrating a significant event or are in need of prayers.

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

" . . . a time to be born . . . "

Creed William Shepherd

Great Grandson of Pat & Patsy Abell

" . . . a time to be healed . . . "

James Armstrong, Ronald Balsam, Ann-Marie Balwinski, Meg Bojarski, Shauna Rose Boone, Vicki Boyle, Diana Busch, Rose Byrne, Carla Campbell, Jude Campbell, Mary Glenn Carrington, Rose Colasuonno, Pat & Richard Cook, Ken Cottrell, Becca Dameron, 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, Joann Harrell, David Heath, Alice Hennigan, Randy Hobbs, Jean Holienka, Eli Houston, Jerome Jareb, Atman Johnson, Mike Johnson, Helen Krespach, Genevieve Krynitsky, Tyler Lafferty, Mary Lederman, Alan Leidecker, Carlos Lozano, Vito Maltese, Ivy Maupin & Family, Kathleen McManus, Levi Miller, Jeff Mahoney, Mary Ann Marinchick, Kathy Milchus, Ron Mohr, Denis & Janice Moler, Jack & Donna Ostrowski, John Packett, Michael Palczuk, Vera Pohedra, 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, Maureen Spokes, Denise Sprouse, Sandy Stevens, Craig Stotz, Debra Strzepek, Pat Stubbs, Nicholas Surat, Tom Tolman, Cindi Tomblin, Pat Velikov, Glenda Voelmeck, Kevin Ward, Linda Watson, Karen Will, Kathleen Yates, Marianne Zeigler

" . . . a time to love . . . "

" . . . a time to die . . . "

Henry J. Oswald Sr.

" . . . and a time of peace . . . "

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

JUSTICE AND CHARITY MINISTRY

Sheila Herlihy: sheila@incarnationparish.org



World Day
of the Poor

WORLD DAY OF THE POOR: Pope Francis declared the 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time the World Day of the

Poor. In his proclamation, he said, "This Sunday, if there are poor people where we live who seek protection and assistance, let us draw close to them: it will be a favorable moment to encounter the God we seek. Following the teaching of Scripture (cf. Gen 18:3-5; Heb 13:2), let us welcome them as honored guests at our table; they can be teachers who help us live the faith more consistently" (no. 7).

SHARE THE JOURNEY: As Catholics, we are called to find other people who have suffered on their journey and support them, much like the Good Samaritan. Temporary Protected Status (TPS) is one way that our government does this for residents of countries dealing with disasters at home. Currently, the TPS status of Haiti, Nicaragua, and Honduras is in jeopardy. Check out what the US bishops have to say on their web site: <https://justiceformigrants.org/what-we-are-working-on/immigration/tps/>

FOOD MINISTRY-INVITATION: For our food ministry to function, we need people in a variety of roles. Currently, we are looking for help with potential **home deliveries** of food to parishioners who can no longer make it to Incarnation. If you are interested in this or any other 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 both paper and plastic bags). The item of the week is an easy way to add something small (like a can of tomatoes) to your grocery list, and donate something that is very needed by our ministry. **This week, rather than a specific item, we are just asking you remember the poor when you do your Thanksgiving shopping.**

GREEN TEAM EnvironMINUTE: As we prepare for Thanksgiving, think about all the aspects of God's creation that you're grateful for!

JUSTICE CORNER: Today, the World Day of the Poor, parishes all over the country are contributing to local campaigns that work to address the causes of poverty and provide sustainable futures through their work for justice. Please support our love offering, and contribute your energy into this work as well!

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY BUILD DAYS: Incarnation participates in the work of Habitat for Humanity, building houses for and with community members in need! No construction experience is necessary, and this is a great way to spend a Saturday living our faith and doing tangible work in the community. We also need people to photograph the event, and provide lunch. Our next build dates are January 20, March 3, and May 5. Please check out the sign-up sheets in the Narthex!

ALTERNATIVE GIVING KICK-OFF



This weekend, we're offering an alternative to traditional gift-giving. Instead of spending money on more "stuff", consider making a donation to charity in someone's name. You can

donate to Incarnation ministries at the table in the Narthex, and you will receive a card to give to the recipient. This is a great host/hostess present for Thanksgiving, a great way to recognize the World Day of the Poor, and a great way to do your holiday shopping. The full Alternative Giving Fair (with fair trade products and crafts from Haiti) will be the weekend of December 2 and 3.

PACEM FUNDRAISER: Please mark your calendars to eat at

 Jason's Deli on Thursday, November 30, and support PACEM in the process. From 5:00-10:00pm, when you purchase your meal and mention PACEM, Jason's Deli will donate 15% of the meal's price back to PACEM. Scheduled for a week after Thanksgiving, the event will be the perfect break from all the leftovers from the week before.

We look forward to seeing you for dinner at Jason's Deli (900 Shoppers World Ct) on November 30 to benefit PACEM's ongoing work to reduce homelessness in the area.

WOUNDED HEARTS-HEALING LOVE: Spiritual Retreat December 1-3 at Camp Overlook in Keezletown, VA.



Have the circumstances of life returned you to singleness, perhaps through separation, divorce, or death. Are you still searching for answers, struggling with the pain and longing for peace?

Are you dreading the holidays or know someone who is?

Plan now to join us for a special time apart with other singles as we explore the trials, the hurts, the loneliness of being single again, and search for the road that leads to healing and wholeness.

You will make some wonderful new friends, but the weekend is **not** a time to seek or start new dating relationships.

Register online: www.CampOverlook.org (call 540-269-2267)



"When one finds a worthy wife, her value is far beyond pearls." Spouses, find value in one another by living a **Worldwide Marriage Encounter (WWME)** weekend together. The next weekends are: Feb 2-4, 2018 in Clemmons, NC and Mar 2-4, 2018 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 or 757-690-1369.

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