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Growing in Christ and Living Our Faith through Relationships



May 4, 2014 – Third Sunday of Easter

Readings: Acts of the Apostles 2:14,22-23–1 Peter 1:17-21– Luke 24:13-35

OFFICE HOURS: 8:30am-2:00pm Monday

8:30am-4:30pm Tuesday–Friday
(Closed: 12:20–12:50pm daily)

LITURGY SCHEDULE:

Monday–Friday: Mass times on page 2

Saturday: 5:30pm

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

1:30pm- Español

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

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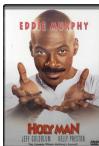
Saturday 4:30–5:00pm or by appointment

Sunday 12:45-1:15pm (Español) or by appointment

IMPACT NEHEMIAH ACTION!

MONDAY NIGHT is the Nehemiah Action, our opportunity to come together with different faith communities from all over the area to work toward taking care of those in need in our community. See the issue updates below to find out about our priorities this year. As a church, Incarnation has committed to bringing 450 people to the action, and to do that we need YOUR help. Mark your calendar now for the Nehemiah Action at 6:00pm on May 5 at the JPJ arena. Also, feel free to sign up in the Narthex to get a reminder call and a ticket from a team member.

IMPACT Issues: This year, on the issue of youth unemployment, we'll be pressing for UVA to guarantee 30 slots to young people with education vouchers as well as a job after graduation. In the field of mental health, we'll be asking Region Ten to increase the hours of child psychiatric services that they offer. These are potent issues, and ones that cry out for justice. Only with the help of many people can our voices be heard to support families and young people in need. Please join us in solidarity and action on May 5.



Our next TNT (Theater 'N' Theology) takes place on Friday, May 9, beginning promptly at 7:00pm. All are welcome to come watch a movie in our **Incarnation Movie Theater** (the "Stone Chapel") with comfortable seating and large projection. Afterwards (the "Theology" part), we discuss the movie's relevance to our life in Christ. Our Easter Season feature is the 1998 film **Holy Man**. A slick producer for a home shopping TV network stumbles onto a spiritual man named G who says he's on a pilgrimage. Before long, G has affected every part of the man's life and become a sensation on the air. Stars Eddie Murphy, Jeff Goldblum, and Robert Loggia. Rated PG. Childcare can be available for a modest fee if reserved at the Parish Office by May 5. Facilitated by Fr. Gregory. Come watch a great movie with your brothers and sisters in Christ!



It's time to plan for the 2014 Litnic season! Litnics are a venerable Incarnation summer tradition; they are *Liturgy picnics*, and here's how they work. Someone who wants to host a litnic calls the parish office and signs up for one of the posted available dates. They receive parish guidelines for hosting a litnic which must be read carefully. Litnics are particularly intended for Catholics in the host's neighborhood, but all parishioners are invited to litnics. A Mass is celebrated in the home or the yard (the *lit*) followed by a potluck supper (the *nic*). Available dates for summer 2014 follow:

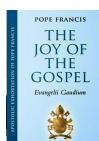
June 12, 17, 27

July 1, 17, 24

August 1, 7, 19, 26

Call the Parish Office now and sign up!

Come join your brothers & sisters in Christ to read together and discuss the Apostolic Exhortation of Pope Francis, **Evangelii Gaudium (The Gospel of Joy)**. Fr. Gregory is convinced that EVERY CATHOLIC needs to read and discuss this teaching of our Holy Father. Towards that end, there will be two reading groups facilitated by Fr. Gregory that will meet weekly. One group will meet in the Conference Room on Tuesday mornings from 10:30am-12:00pm, beginning **May 6**. The other group will meet in the PAC (Stone Chapel) Wednesday nights from 7:30-9:00pm beginning **May 7**. Participants will need a copy of the Exhortation, available for purchase at **The Sycamore Tree**, 2246 Ivy Road-left on Twin Sycamores Ln. just past **Sneak Reviews** and **Vivace**). All are welcome!



EMAIL FUNERAL NOTIFICATIONS

We will begin to notify interested parishioners via email, about deaths in our parish, including the details about visitation, the Mass and the reception. If you would like to be included in this e-mail notification, please send your e-mail address to Mary Ann Marinchick at m_marincic@comcast.net

To promote active participation, the people should be encouraged to take part by means of acclamations, responses, psalms, antiphons, hymns, as well as by actions, gestures and bodily attitudes. And at the proper time a reverent silence should be observed.

--Vatican II, Constitution on the Sacred Liturgy #30



YOUTH MENTAL HEALTH FIRST AID (FOR ADULTS)

Join us for a workshop on Sat., June 7 from 8:30am-4:30pm in the PAC to learn how we as adults can help care for the young people in our lives, specifically in terms of mental health. Participants will learn about risk factors and warning signs of problems in adolescents and how to help an adolescent in crisis. We will use simulations to assess a mental health crisis; select interventions and provide initial help; and connect young people to professional, peer, social, and self-help care. Spots are limited, so please contact Patrick (patrickkd@incarnationparish.org) ASAP to register.

Like on the journey to Emmaus we are often blind to seeing Jesus in our spouse. Learn how to see the goodness of Jesus in the one you love. Enrich your Sacrament of Marriage by attending a **Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend**, Jun 27-29 in Richmond, or Aug 8-10 in Roanoke. Early sign up is recommended. For info visit: <http://renewmarriagevasouth.org/> or applications@renewmarriage-vasouth.org or you may call 757-483-3209.



What is our Pastoral Council?

The primary role of the pastoral council is advisory, making recommendations to the pastor about the well-being of the parish. As a visionary council, it concerns itself with where the parish wants to be in three to five years.

~ **Called to Serve, Diocese of Richmond**

Pastoral Council Nominations

The next three-year term for pastoral council members will begin on July 1. We will ask for your nominations of people to serve in this ministry this weekend. You can nominate any active, registered member of the parish. And yes, you can nominate yourself!

After nominations are collected, nominees will be invited to an information session in order to learn more about the ministry. In June, nominees who wish to attend, will participate in a session of prayer, reflection, discussion and the discernment of God's will. Based on that discernment, new members will be selected for the 2014-2015 term.

Want to learn more about this ministry? Just talk with any pastoral council member.* You can also check out "Called To Serve", our diocese's guiding document for this ministry, at <http://www.richmonddiocese.org/CalledtoServe.pdf>

If you would enjoy working with a prayerful group of people to envision with our pastor what our community will be like in the future, then maybe the Lord is calling you into this ministry!

* Current Pastoral Council Members are: Mary Ellen Bambrick, Chris Burton, Tom Campbell, John Clem, Tom Craig, Gloria D'Alessandro, Yazmin Duarte, Heidi Jacobi, Donna Jordan, Richard Nootbaar, Autumn Powell, Liz Schneiders, Tom Shepherd.

WORSHIP

Deacon Chris Morash: deaconchris@incarnationparish.org

MASS INTENTIONS: May 3-11

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| Saturday | 3: | 5:30 | Anna Owen (Tom & Pat Cross) |
| Sunday | 4: | 9:00 | Frances Cecalupo (Nancy & Tom Strassburg) |
| | | 11:30 | Peter Strzepek (Strzepek Family) |
| | | 1:30 | Missa Pro Populo |
| | | 4:30 | Paul Zacharius (Pat & Bob Macionis) |
| Monday | 5: | 12:15 | Bob Stroh (COTI) |
| Tuesday | 6: | 12:15 | The Rives |
| Wed'day | 7: | 12:15 | Ellie Dumbacher (Sterbling Family) |
| Thursday | 8: | 12:15 | Mark Niehaus (Special Intention) (Bob & Joanne Niehaus) |
| Friday | 9: | 12:15 | Jim & Marlene Satira (Special Intention) |
| Saturday | 10: | 5:30 | Anthony Ricciardi (Special Intention) (Mary & Bill Balsam) |
| Sunday | 11: | 9:00 | Callie Robin Pierpont (Linda Borgo) |
| | | 11:30 | Ceyda Aguirre (Gabriella & Lilliera Family) |
| | | 1:30 | Missa Pro Populo |
| | | 4:30 | Rena Smalley (Mary & Bill Balsam) |

Missa Pro Populo (Latin: "Mass for the People,") It refers to the Mass for the people of the Parish.



Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Thursday, 1:00 – 9:00pm

LET THE THANKS BEGIN . . . As you know, Holy Week and the Easter Triduum is a very busy time at Incarnation. We are blessed to have so many talented and hard-working ministers in our faith community: our Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Proclaimers of the Word, Triduum Choir and Intrumentalists, Ushers, Breadbakers....our RCIA Coordinators and Catechists and a vibrant and celebrating Assembly. Thank you all for your wonderful participation in our Triduum Liturgies!

And thanks to our Pastor, Fr. Gregory for prayerfully and powerfully leading us through this Paschal event; to John, Jenny and Mandy Kowalski, Karen Lansing, Betsy Edgecomb and Mike Firkaly for their tireless effort in the preparing the decoration of the liturgical space and the Easter fire. Our parish is so richly blessed because of you.



COME OUT AND CHEER FOR TEAM INCARNATION!

May 9-7:00pm Field: McIntyre #1

Opponent: First United Methodist

If you are interested in joining Team Incarnation, contact parishioner, John Breen: jbrean@btlaw.com or 975-1984

JOIN US FOR FOOD-FUN-FELLOWSHIP: Incarnation Night at BAJA BEAN on Tues., May 20, 5:00-7:30pm, across from Sam's Club. Just drop your receipt in the labeled box to help support our Parish!



FINANCIAL RESOURCES

For the weekend of April 26/27

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| General Offertory | \$ 14,728 |
| Outreach | \$ 932 |
| Haiti | \$ 416 |
| Debt Reduction | \$ 618 |
| Columbian Seminarians | \$ 1,372 |

CHRISTIAN FORMATION**Nancy Brinkac:** nancyb@incarnationparish.org

"GO FORTH" Blessing: At the conclusion of our liturgies today, you are invited as a faith community to offer a blessing for the children who have received Eucharist for the first time. The celebration of the Eucharist does not end with the last words of the liturgy. The Eucharist continues as we go forth to love, celebrate, and serve God in others. We thank you for helping these children to grow in their faith through your prayers and support. Our blessing will be:

Go forth in joy and love of Jesus

See Jesus in all the people you meet.

Bring peace to the world.

Take care of others as your brothers and sisters.



SONsurf BEACH BASH VBS: After this long, cold (by C'ville standards) winter, there's only one place to go when the weather turns hot - THE BEACH! Erica Shortridge and Lynette Sanford are the head lifeguards at the coolest Beach in C'ville - SONsurf Beach at Incarnation. Rising 1st through rising 5th graders are invited to join us for fun in the SON July 14-18 from 6:00-7:30pm.

In Session 1 kids will "MEET UP" with Jesus by hearing about His birth and actions in the Temple as a 12-year old. In Session 2 kids will LOOK UP to Jesus as they hear how an official trusted Jesus to help him. In Session 3 kids will understand what it means to JOIN UP with Jesus as they hear about His death and resurrection. In Session 4 kids will OPEN UP to Jesus' forgiveness as they hear the story of the prodigal son. In session 5 kids will FIRE UP for Jesus as they listen to the story of Jesus' last encounter with His disciples.

Registration: After the 9:00am liturgies on June 8 and 15 or in person during office hours. \$20 per family payable by cash or check to "Church of the Incarnation" with VBS in the memo line. For more information: contact Erica Shortridge at erica_shortridge@yahoo.com

POOL PARTY EVITE was sent: please advise if you did not receive it! Thank you. Nancy

**Charlottesville Catholic Worker ~ Casa Alma**cvillecw@gmail.com

OPEN HOUSE: This Sunday, May 4, 2:00-4:00pm tours and conversation.

ROUNDTABLE: This Sunday, May 4, 4:00-5:30pm discussion on Aims and Means of the Catholic Worker.

COMMUNITY SUPPER: Friday May 16, 6:30pm. Bring a dish to share or a bag of beans or rice if you can.

SERVICE DAY & POTLUCK LUNCH: Sat. May 24, 9:30am-noon. Come for any length of time to work in the gardens, or join us for lunch.

EVENTS & OPPORTUNITIESoffice@incarnationparish.org**INTRODUCTION TO CENTERING PRAYER WORKSHOP:**

May 17 at St. John the Evangelist Parish in Waynesboro.. Centering Prayer is a method designed to facilitate the development of Contemplative Prayer by preparing us to receive this gift. This method is an updated form of an ancient Christian practices of meditation. Certified presenter Herb Ely will lead an interactive session from 9:00am to 3:00pm (Please bring your own lunch.) We will offer an optional six session follow-up, supporting those who wish to begin the practice of Centering Prayer. Register by contacting Lucy Pardee lpardree@comcast.net.

Centering Prayer was developed by Cistercian Monks, particularly Fr. Thomas Keating and is supported by Contemplative Outreach, an interfaith network of individuals and groups practicing this prayer. Herb Ely, a member of the Church of the Incarnation Roman Catholic Community, is certified as presenter by Contemplative Outreach. The optional follow-up sessions will consist of a period of meditation, a video by Fr. Keating and a discussion period. The schedule will be set at the end of our workshop.

**Charlottesville Catholic School ~ CCS**www.cvillecatholic.org 434-964-0400

CONGRATULATIONS to CCS staff member, Ms. Mandy Kowalski, and the following CCS students who were recognized for exemplifying the virtue of Joy to their peers: Ben Fallica, Marra Raichel, Emma Riley, and Emma Niehaus.

To everything there is a season and a time

for every purpose under heaven . . .

“ . . . a time to be born . . . ”

“ . . . a time to be healed . . . ”

Gene Albro, Dorothea Anthony, Luke Balsam, Meg Bojarski, Frank Brinkac, Elaine Bunch, Rose Byrne, Baby Mitchell Carder, Jenny (Balsam) Christensen, Rose Colasuonno, Pat Cook, Simon Cory, Harry DeLeijer, Evans DiSantis, Kay Dannals, Tom Donohue, Alice & Harold Dunbar, Nancy Floyd, Sandy France, Alice Anne Garrett, Harry Gebhardt, Muriel Grimm, Ben Guthrie, Ines Hernandez, Jim Hill, Joan & Randy Hobbs, Jean Holienka, Bob Horan, Linda & Ray Jacquin, Danielle Jones, Teresa Kabo, Paul Kane, Gert & Effie Keith, Helen Krespach, Tyler Lafferty, Alan Leidecker, Paul Lochli, MaryAnn March, Helen Miska, Vito Maltese, Amy Martin, Chris Maslyk, Susan McKeown, Msgr. Chester Micheal, Levi Miller, Ron Mohr, Ed Morris, Frank O'Leary, Paul Peck, Robert Pomeroy, Katie Prendergast, Ruth Ann Redmond, Chris & Jadea Riener, Josie & Patrick Russamano, Ernie Sardi, Jennifer & David Scheer, Roger Scott, Bill Shea, Tom & Lynn Shepherd, Naomi Sissons, Brenda Shortall, Sandy Stevens, Lauren Taddei, Grace Tonkin, Betty Vargas, Glenda Voelmeck, Heather Wetzel, Betty White, Marianne Zeigler

“ . . . a time to love . . . ”

“ . . . a time to die . . . ”

“ . . . and a time of peace . . . ”

Tom Campbell, Mike Mueller,
Joshua Ostrowski, Charles Pitt, Christopher Reynolds

JUSTICE AND CHARITY MINISTRY

Sheila Herlihy: sheilah@incarnationparish.org

FOOD MINISTRY: Our food ministry shelves are quickly emptying. Sadly, new people are continually registering with this ministry, and it's difficult for donations to keep pace. Many people from our parish community already give of their time and donate food to this ministry, and we invite you to join their inspiring example. If you are interested in offering your time to this ministry, please contact Sheila. If you prefer donating food, we accept all items in the basket in the Narthex. The item of the week is an easy thing to add to your shopping list, to reach out to those in need you can bring this item, or anything else you want to donate, to church Sunday. This week, our item is **48oz bottles of cooking oil.**



FOOD MINISTRY - FARM PICK-UP:

For the fourth year running, Bellair Farm—a CSA farm south of town off of 20—is generously donating fresh produce to our Food Ministry from May 26 through mid October. We need parishioners who are willing to pick up the donations on Saturdays (between 9:00am and 12:00pm) and bring them to Incarnation for Food Ministry distribution on Sundays. Please contact Kathleen Ashe (KMA@hscmail.mcc.virginia.edu) or Sheila in the Parish Office if you are able to help, whether once a month, once during the summer, or some other arrangement. We need your help, and it is a great chance for you to check out the farm, fields, and animals too--a fun Saturday morning family outing!

GARDEN HELPERS: Spring has arrived, and the Incarnation garden is now planted. As the weather gets warmer and our garden starts producing, we'll need more hands to help with this ministry. If you can help with planting, harvesting, weeding, and/or watering, please contact Sheila in the Parish Office to get involved. We welcome any amount of help (weekly, once a month, for one week during the summer, etc.) Families and children are encouraged to participate.

CRS RICE BOWL: LAST CHANCE - Throughout Lent, our parish community prayed, fasted, and gave alms with a special focus on the poorest members of our global community. Our lives were touched by stories from Kenya, Guatemala, the Philippines, Malawi, Haiti, and the United States. Through our Lenten prayers and donations, we have touched the lives of millions of people served by Catholic Relief Services, our representative to the poorest communities in the world. Please return your Rice Bowl to the basket in the Narthex **THIS WEEKEND**. Thank you for your generosity.



Anniversary! First Communion! Confirmation!

Have you considered honoring these special occasions by making a donation for a leaf on our **Tree of Life**. The tree is located on the south wall of the Narthex. Enrollment forms are available next to the Tree of Life or in the Parish Office. Forms can be returned in the collection basket, to the Parish Office or mailed. Please make checks payable to Church of the Incarnation with Tree of Life on the memo line.



HELP SOMEONE SAY YES TO LIFE! Do you have a special sensitivity for a woman or teen in an unplanned pregnancy situation? Every day women and men walk into The Pregnancy Centers facing one of the scariest moments of their lives. They need a caring listener who can help them sort out their situation and share the truth with love. We are beginning a spring Counselor Training class soon! Is God speaking to you to join The Pregnancy Centers ministry? You will be blessed as you serve others! The six sessions of training are held from 9:00am to 1:00pm. Classes are May 5,8,12,19, and 22. We also need ladies to answer the phones as well as Spanish speaking counselors! Call Jillian at 434-979-4516 today to sign up!

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY



Creating a world where everyone has a decent place to live.

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY Habitat for Humanity is a great opportunity for our parishioners to participate in constructing safe and decent homes for families in need. Please consider signing up for our last build day before we break for the summer, on May 17. The sign-up sheet is in the Narthex, and all are welcome! Also, if you are interested in getting more involved with this ministry, we're looking for someone to take on the logistics of build days. Talk to Martha and John Horsfall (horsfalljm@comcast.net) with questions. We will need individuals to help with construction, lunches, and photography. Help us keep building God's kingdom!



Rachel's Vineyard

Healing the pain of abortion one weekend at a time.

RACHEL'S VINEYARD RETREAT FOR HEALING AFTER ABORTION

May 16-18 at the Williamsburg Christian Retreat Center in Toano, VA sponsored by St. Joan of Arc Church.

The weekend retreat includes spiritual excercises, the sacrament of reconciliation, a Memorial Service and a Mass of Entrustment and is available to women, men and any person who may have been adversely impacted by an abortion. Participation is strictly confidential and offers a beautiful opportunity to experience God's love, forgiveness and compassion. To register contact Linda Riva at 757-887-3144, email:lindajr2@yahoo.com. Cost: \$185 for meals, room and retreat materials. Financial assistance is available!

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