



CHURCH OF THE INCARNATION

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Growing in Christ and Living Our Faith through Relationships



April 1, 2018

Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

Readings: Acts of the Apostles 10:34a,37-43—Colossians 3:1-4—John 20:1-9

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)



Dear Friends in Christ,

The name of our parish is very significant in identifying what our Christian Community is about. The mystery of the Incarnation reveals to us that the living God became fully human without surrendering His divine nature. Since then all humanity will never be the same; God has become organically united with the human race.

Therefore, all that is human is holy, and we celebrate that here in this Christian community. We consecrate our tongues to the Lord by praying and singing with enthusiasm, using our human bodies as instruments for His glory. We love to laugh and be with each other in good cheer and Christian fellowship. We become fully involved in being present to God and to others in our humanity. We cherish and honor Christ present in human beings who are needy, either materially or spiritually, by compassionately seeking to meet their needs. We are pleased that you have chosen to participate in this holy human adventure with us!

For those of you who are visiting or looking for a church home, we invite you to visit our website: www.incarnationparish.org, call us at 434-973-4381, or just stop by and visit our Parish Staff!

Wishing you the blessings and joy of the Resurrection!
Fr. Gregory



Charlottesville Catholic Worker ~ Casa Alma

cvillecw@gmail.com

FOLLOW-UP actions from our "Grappling with the Sin of Racism" event continue. Come to Casa Alma on April 7 from 3:00-4:30pm for a roundtable on St. Margaret Mary, Charlottesville's black Catholic parish (late 1950's-1968), RSVP appreciated. All are welcome!

SAVE THE DATE: Wednesday, May 9 at 7:00pm in the PAC- Attend a talk by peacemaker and activist John Dear on his new book They Will Inherit the Earth: Peace and Nonviolence in a Time of Climate Change.



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 *Easter Friday, April 6*, 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 Easter feature is the 2007 film Gone, Baby, Gone. It is a contemporary morality play about two Boston area detectives who investigate a little girl's kidnapping, which ultimately turns into a crisis both professionally and personally. Directed by Ben Affleck, and starring Casey Affleck, Morgan Freeman, Ed Harris, Amy Ryan (nominated for Best Supporting Actress), and Amy Madigan. Rated R. Facilitated by Fr. Gregory. All are welcome. Come watch a great movie with your brothers and sisters in Christ!

The Parish Office will be closed Monday, April 2

The Church of Incarnation has a slow pitch softball team that plays on Friday evenings (McIntire Park). Please join us for fellowship and an occasional win! We really could use some additional players (must be at least 14yrs.of age). If you are interested/have any questions contact John Breen (johnbreennd@gmail.com).



RETREAT ATTENTION, HIGH SCHOOL BOYS!

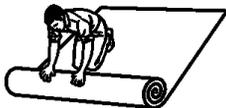
Fr. Gregory is offering a retreat called InnerLife for juniors and seniors at Our Lady of the Angels Monastery near Crozet on April 27-28. Guys who want to spend 25 hours in a beautiful, rustic setting to learn how to deepen their prayer life should attend. It begins on Friday, April 27 at 5:30pm and concludes the next day around 7:00pm. Jesus said to His friends, "Come away by yourselves with me and rest a while." If interested or needing more information, talk to Fr. Gregory after Mass or call him at 973-4381, X127. Also, Patrick Drury will have applications available.

Being a disciple means being constantly ready to bring the love of Jesus to others, and this can happen unexpectedly and in any place: on the street, in a city square, during work, on a journey.

--Pope Francis, The Joy of the Gospel #127

PASTORAL COUNCIL UPDATE

Carpet Replacement in the Worship Center



As you may have noticed, the carpet and flooring in our Worship Center is in need of replacement. A generous parishioner has stepped forward and is willing to fund this project, and a small committee is forming to present options to Father Gregory. If you have any suggestions on the carpet and flooring replacement, expertise in this area, or would like to be part of this committee, please provide your input to Rich DiMeglio at rmkdimeglio@hotmail.com before April 4.

PASTORAL COUNCIL

March 13 Meeting Summary

The Christian Formation Search Committee has received eight applications for the coordinator position. Of those, five have been invited for interviews.

Fr. Gregory is seeking one more parishioner to accompany him and two others to a training session in June on the Christlife Program, which he wants to bring to Incarnation.

Frank D'Alessandro gave an overview of the Food Ministry and the important work that is taking place each Sunday in two re-purposed classrooms at Incarnation to feed needy families. The ministry is looking for more volunteers.

A committee is being formed to help in the process of replacing the sanctuary carpeting and flooring.

(Parishioners are welcome to attend our Pastoral Council meeting on Wed., April 4, at 7:30pm in the Conference Room)

Agenda for meeting on Wednesday, April 4

- 7:30pm Opening Prayer/Reflection
- 7:35pm Pastor's Report—Fr. Gregory
- 7:50pm Vicar's Report— Fr. Jaime
- 8:00pm Incarnation in Action—Sheila Herlihy
(featuring "Promotores de Salud" /Promoters of Health)
- 8:20pm Refreshments
- Thank You's – Everyone
- 8:30pm Finance Council Update – Ed Robinson
- 8:45pm Chair's Report –Caroline Cook
- Discernment Process
- Carpet Replacement
- "New Business"
- 9:00pm Hispanic Offertory Program update—Roxana Roblero
- 9:10pm New Business
- 9:25pm Closing Prayer— Brent Browning



WINE SUNDAY: We are very low in Mass wine. A reminder that several times a year, we ask each parish household to help replenish the supply of wine used at our Masses, by donating a bottle of RED WINE. You may bring it when you come to Liturgy, or drop it off at the Parish Office through the week. We ask that you **DO NOT** bring white, rosé, or sweet wines. Thank you.

WORSHIP

Deacon Chris Morash: deaconchris@incarnationparish.org

MASS INTENTIONS: March 31-April 8

Saturday	31:	8:00	The Great Vigil of Easter Missa Pro Populo
Sunday	1:	9:00	Lillian Jabbour (Pat & Mike Crawford)
		11:30	Missa Pro Populo
		1:30	Missa Pro Populo
			* NO 4:30pm Mass
Monday	2:	12:15	No Mass
Tuesday	3:	12:15	No Mass
Wed'day	4:	12:15	The Rives
Thursday	5:	12:15	Joe Frisina (Jane Fruchnicht)
Friday	6:	12:15	Missa Pro Populo
Saturday	7:	12:15	CJ Brindmore (Karen & Jim Lansing)
Sunday	8:	9:00	Mary Nemeyer (Anne & Mike Nemeyer)
		11:30	Stanley Corraya (Riberio Family)
		1:30	Missa Pro Populo
		4:30	Ellen Hemstreet-Special Intention (Joanne Niehaus)



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

SPECIAL THANKS!

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: the Triduum Choir and Instrumentalists, our Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Proclaimers of the Word, Ushers, Greeters, Breadbakers....our RCIA Coordinator and Catechists, Confirmands and Sponsors and a vibrant and celebrating Assembly. Thank you all for your wonderful participation in our Triduum Liturgies!

Thank you to our Pastor, Fr. Gregory for prayerfully and powerfully leading us through this Paschal event; and to John, Jenny and Mandy Kowalski, Karen Lansing, Nancy Strassburg, Margaret O'Brien, Cindy Campbell, and Mike Firkaly for their tireless effort from the stripping of palms and in the preparing the decoration of the liturgical space and the Easter fire.

Thank you as well to our Spanish Community and all those involved in the preparation of the Via Crucis.

Our parish is richly blessed because of all of you!

Easter peace,

Deacon Chris Morash

Director of Worship

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. The gatherings and retreats are free of charge. For more information and confidential reservations please contact: Bobbie 540-383-1634, Pam 434-825-6013 or Dave 505-340-5891

Come and experience the mercy and forgiveness of God!

FINANCIAL RESOURCES

For the weekend of March 24/25

Weekly amount needed for budget	\$ 22,290.00
Offertory	\$ 15,397.86
EFT Donations	\$ 9,518.00
Other Income	\$ 7,316.75
Total	\$ 32,232.61
Difference	+ \$ 9,942.61

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

Offertory Envelopes distributed: 610 ~ Envelopes used: 184
Parishioners using Electronic Funds Transfer EFT: 143

Mass Attendance	Time	Attendees
	March 24/25	
	5:30pm	215
	9:00am	503
	11:30am	377
	1:30pm	817
	4:30pm	227
Total	2139	

Stewardship, A Way of Life

“During the season of Lent, we raise our prayers in praise joined with self-sacrifice and sharing our resources and talents.”

2018 Annual Diocesan Appeal

Building Our Family of Faith



Church of the Incarnation will receive 20% of all funds up to our goal, and 50% of funds above our goal. This year funds returned to our parish will be used to fund more social gatherings to build

community.

To date, we have raised \$49,051.00 on a target of \$35,470 putting us at 138.29% of our target. If you have already made your 2018 Appeal gift, please accept our gratitude for your commitment.

If you have not had the opportunity to contribute, please pick up a pledge envelope from our Parish Office. You can also donate securely online, as well as learn more about the ministries the Appeal supports, by visiting <http://richmondcatholicfoundation.org/giving/annual-appeal/>.



Get your tickets NOW

for an incredible Dynamic Catholic experience!

Great habits create great lives. How are yours helping you become the-best-version-of-yourself? How can you support your family/friends with the Great Love of Christ? Join your brothers and sisters from other parishes at The Church of the Incarnation for a life-changing evening!

When: Friday, May 18, 2018

Tickets are just \$25 each and can be purchased at www.DynamicCatholic.com/Charlottesville, or by calling 859.980.7900. Proceeds go to support Youth programs through Dynamic Catholic for parishes like yours! For questions and help registering, Please contact Kurt Elward at 434-996-6391 or kelward@me.com ; or Jacqui Cecalupo at sasse318@gmail.com.

“DAY AWAY” RETREAT: Saturday, April 21, from 8:30am to 4:00pm at Our Lady of the Angels Monastery in Crozet. The topic will be “Living Reverently in God’s Creation.” Come join us to learn more about “building a bridge between ecology and spirituality,” through the writings of Father Charles Cummings, currently Chaplain at Our Lady of the Angels. There will be periods of interaction, time for meditation, prayer, quiet, journaling, walking, etc. There is no fee for the retreat, but we do collect donations for the Sisters, who generously make this unique place available to us. Coffee and bagels provided. Bring a bag lunch, your own mug, a Bible, writing material, and comfortable walking shoes. The team includes graduates of Monsignor Chester Michael’s Spiritual Direction Institute. To register, send an e-mail to Bev Mirmelstein, bevmirm@gmail.com, or call (434) 996-9178. (Space is limited. These retreats fill up fast.) Let us know if you need directions to the retreat cabins, which are located a short distance from the monastery.



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 . . . ”

“ . . . a time to be healed . . . ”

James Armstrong, Richard Balsam, Ronald Balsam, Ann-Marie Balwinski, John Benzing, 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, Chuck Gagliano, Ntegukongirwa Gasper, Joann Harrell, David Heath, Alice Hennigan, Randy Hobbs, Jean Holienka, Eli Houston, Atman Johnson, Mike Johnson, Kevin Kirst, John Kowalski, Helen Krespach, Genevieve Krynitsky, Tyler Lafferty, Mary Lederman, Alan Leidecker, Carlos Lozano, Eric Magrum, Scarlett Makielski, Vito Maltese, Ivy Maupin & Family, Kathleen McManus, Levi Miller, Jeff Mahoney, Roger Mahlock, Kathy Milchus, Ron Mohr, Denis & Janice Moler, Dawn Orr, 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 Strzeppek, Pat Stubbs, Nicholas Surat, Tom Tolman, Cindi Tomblin, Pat Velikov, Yolanda Vlasis, Glenda Voelmeck, Kevin Ward, Linda Watson, Karen Will, Liz Winston, John Yates, Marianne Zeigler

“ . . . a time to love . . . ”

“ . . . a time to die . . . ”

“ . . . 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



HAITI TRIP: Our Haiti Twinning Committee is organizing a trip to visit the Little Brothers and Little Sisters of the Incarnation June 11-16. If you are interested in joining us, please reach out to Sheila, and plan to attend our trip-planning meeting this Tuesday, April 3 at 6:00pm. There will be a **Haitian Coffee sale** the weekend of April 7/8!

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, instead of one specific item, please take a list of needed items from the Narthex and return whatever you are able to contribute.**

SALVATION ARMY HELP NEEDED: Incarnation cooks and serves dinner at the Salvation Army several times a month. We are currently looking for someone to lead one of those teams on the first Wednesday of odd numbered months. If you are interested (or want to get involved with Salvation Army in any other way) please contact Sheila!



SHARE THE JOURNEY WITH CRS RICE BOWL- *Encounter the Risen Christ: We prayed, fasted and gave alms—and now we celebrate Easter joy!* Our Lenten journey with CRS Rice Bowl ends as we encounter our Risen Lord. We reflect on our brothers and sisters we have walked with, and we commit to bringing Easter joy to each person we meet in our daily lives. **Don't forget to turn in your CRS Rice Bowl in the Narthex next weekend!**

GREEN TEAM EnvironMINUTE: We see rebirth around us in nature at Easter, and we are called to contribute by reusing the resources God has given us. Recycling gives new birth to products and materials, and is a great way to live out care for God's creation.

JUSTICE CORNER: In this Easter season, we reflect on God's grace and generosity to us. We can share that generosity with each other through justice: working to make our society's systems ones that equally address the needs of all. We are called to work toward a society of resurrection, building the kingdom of God here and now. One way to do that is to take a stand for affordable housing and attend the Nehemiah Action on April 24!

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 May 5. Please check out sign up sheets in the Narthex for details and to put your name down!

IMPACT: One of the ways Incarnation acts on our call to do justice is through **IMPACT**. We have many updates from this time of research, as we try to effect positive change around affordable housing. We are speaking out for the elderly in our community, as well as for those who have to work multiple jobs just to afford to live in town. To find out more about our research and the work of IMPACT, please come to these upcoming events:



– **Nehemiah Action** on April 24 (Tuesdays) at 6:30pm at the MLK Performing Arts Center (at Charlottesville High School) to see 1,400 people come together to call for concrete changes to make our community a more just place.

– **Celebration** on May 15 to celebrate the work that God has empowered us to accomplish, and invest in our ministry.

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY



The shawl serves as a mantle and sign of God's healing presence to strengthen someone who is weary, to ease their suffering and to comfort them when in pain or when they feel alone. The shawls are made with love by parishioners. Prayer shawls are available in the Parish Office. There is no cost for the shawl. Donations are accepted.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY: The Pregnancy Centers of Central Virginia seeks a Client Services Coordinator to provide counseling and client services assistance to the Center Director for the efficient operation of The Pregnancy Centers (Albemarle Center). Time Commitment: 15 hours per week



Qualifying Skills & Behavior: A good listener with a passion for counseling. Warm, genuine, empathetic, dedicated, non-judgmental. Self-motivated, needing little direction with the ability to work autonomously in the absence of the Center Director. Possessing good common sense with excellent organizational and communication skills. Pays great attention to detail. Ability and willingness to have flexibility of hours. Must be strongly pro-life and a practicing Christian. Must complete The PCCV's counselor training program. Have a desire to share the gospel of Jesus Christ as well as His love and joy. For more info contact:

Jenny Basile: Interim Executive Director/Development Director: 434.979.4516 (www.virginiapregnancy.org)



Charlottesville Catholic School ~ CCS

www.cvillecatholic.org 434-964-0400

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 or email admissions@cvillecatholic.org for more information.

ARE YOU RECEIVING INCARNATION'S WEEKLY EMAIL?



The Word Made Flesh is a weekly email reminder of what's happening at Incarnation during the coming week. You may sign-up to receive the *The Word Made Flesh* on our website: www.incarnationparish.org.



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