



CHURCH OF THE INCARNATION

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Growing in Christ and Living Our Faith through Relationships

I am
the Good Shepherd
John 10:11



April 22, 2018

Fourth Sunday of Easter

Readings: Acts of the Apostles 4:8-12-1 John 3:1-2-John 10:11-18

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)



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 (Tuesday)** 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.

ADOPTION CELEBRATION

Adoption Celebration! All parishioners are invited to join us on Sunday, May 6 from 6:15-7:30pm in the PAC to celebrate adoption. We will be watching a video of a young man reuniting with his birth parents which shows the experience from his perspective as well as the perspectives of his adoptive parents, his birthmother, and his birthfather. After the video, Patrick Drury will share his experience of being adopted and reuniting with his birthmother, and parishioner, Carole Hatcher will share her experience of being a birthmother and reuniting with her daughter. All are welcome to attend!

April is National Child Abuse Prevention Month.

There is no better time than the Easter season to celebrate the protection of our most valuable gift from God—our children. For information about the Diocese of Richmond child protection policies, programs and assistance for victim survivors please visit <http://www.richmonddiocese.org/safe-environment>



ADULT FORMATION OPPORTUNITY: In this Easter season, it is good to reflect upon Jesus' promise that He is with us always. **THIS** Sunday, April 22, between the morning Masses (starting about 10:15am), Father Gregory's adult Sunday school topic will be **The Indwelling Presence** in the Parish Activity Center. Grab a cup of coffee and come on over! All are welcome. Like all good Catholics, BYOB: Bring your own Bible!

PRAYER

THE HEALING PRAYER MINISTRY of Church of the Incarnation invites you to times of prayer.

Healing prayer is offered for emotional, physical, or spiritual healing, or prayer for personal or relational concerns. You may feel you have a need but have difficulty putting your finger on it or expressing it in words. Please do not let that difficulty stop you from receiving prayer. The Lord is our intercessor and healer. Prayer is available for all.

The Team will be available after the following Mass:
Sunday, April 29 ~ 11:30am



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 second TNT of the Easter season takes place on *Friday, May 4*, 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 May Easter feature is the 2017 film The Shack. A grieving man receives a mysterious, personal invitation to meet with God at a place called "The Shack." Stars Sam Worthington, Octavia Spencer, Tim McGraw, and Graham Greene. Rated PG-13. Facilitated by Fr. Gregory. All are welcome. Come watch a great movie with your brothers and sisters in Christ!

(Regarding how we evangelize as a daily responsibility):

If it seems prudent and if the circumstances are right, this fraternal and missionary encounter could end with a brief prayer related to the concerns which the person may have expressed. In this way they will have an experience of being listened to and understood; they will know that their particular situation has been placed before God, and that God's word really speaks to their lives.

--Pope Francis, *The Joy of the Gospel* #128



Friday evening, May 18, 6:30pm

Worship Center, Incarnation

God has made each of us for greatness – to be the best version of ourselves! This is not just for special persons or type of persons. Greatness is all around us and most important, within each of us. Join us at **Find Your Greatness** - Experience dynamic speakers, fun interaction, and best of all, learn how to rediscover your spiritual greatness in new and fun and invigorating ways!

Tickets are just \$25 each and can be purchased after Mass or at <https://dynamiccatholic.com/Charlottesville>

Get your tickets now!!!

For questions and help registering, contact Kurt Elward at [ksselward@me.com](mailto:kselward@me.com) or Jacqui Cecalupo at sasse318@gmail.com



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).



A Service Project coordinated by Avery Paladino

THE CRAYON INITIATIVE (<http://thecrayoninitiative.org>) is a non-profit organization that organizes crayon collections that takes **unwanted crayons**, remanufactures them, and provides them to hospitals that are caring for our kids. Hospital arts' programs provide in-hospital entertainment and learning programs. During a hospital stay, it's important for children to continue normal childhood development and skills building and to keep life as close to "normal" as possible for them. Art helps hospitalized children by alleviating anxiety, providing psychological support, and offering creative outlets for self-expression. Childrens' arts programs also enhance problem-solving and critical thinking skills, and promote creativity and imagination. Children can escape into a world of fantasy penned by their own imagination just by using crayons. The wax from crayons is not biodegradable and will never break down, leaving a waxy sludge in our landfills for centuries to come. The Crayon Initiative supports environmental efforts by diverting crayons from the landfills. Annually, over 500,000 pounds of broken crayons are discarded in landfills throughout the country. By collecting unwanted crayons from restaurants, schools, as well as other locations, and recycling them into new ones, The Crayon Initiative is doing our part to prevent crayons from depositing in the landfill." **Look for collection boxes in the Narthex!**

WORSHIP

Deacon Chris Morash: deaconchris@incarnationparish.org

MASS INTENTIONS: April 21-29

Saturday	21:	5:30	Joseph Bock (Strassburg & O'Brien)
Sunday	22:	9:00	Don Nemeyer (Anne & Mike Nemeyer)
		11:30	Tom Kelly (Arlene Kelly Schmidt)
		1:30	Missa Pro Populo
		4:30	Special Intention (Simon & Beena Joseph)
Monday	23:	12:15	Charlotte Weisser (Frances Gorzo Byrne)
Tuesday	24:	12:15	Joe Frisina (Hamilton Family)
Wed'day	25:	12:15	The Rives
Thursday	26:	12:15	Betty Peck (COTI)
Friday	27:	12:15	No Mass
Saturday	28:	5:30	Rosemary Base (Jude & Tom Campbell)
Sunday	29:	9:00	John Sweeney (Nancy & Tom Strassburg)
		11:30	Peter Strzepek (Strzepek Family)
		1:30	Missa Pro Populo
		4:30	Preston Monaco-Special Intention (Mary Bucklen)



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



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

JOIN THE WALK FOR LIFE ON SATURDAY, April 28! Help



Women chose life for their babies! Don't miss this fun family event benefiting The Pregnancy Centers of Central Virginia. The money you raise as a fundraising walker directly supports unborn babies

and their mothers. YOU can make the difference of life by raising funds and getting your friends and families involved. Details for the event can be found on the forms in the Narthex or at iWalk4Life.org. The easy, 1.5 mile walk will start and end at First Baptist Church on Park Street, beginning with registration at 8:30am. Questions? Please contact The Pregnancy Center at 434-979-4516.



Deepen your communication, strengthen your relationship, rekindle your romance and renew your sacrament. The next **Worldwide Marriage Encounter** weekends are: Aug 3-5 in Chapel Hill, NC and Sep 21-23, 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.

ENTERING CANAAN-Have you or someone you know experienced the pain of abortion? There are millions suffering silently. There is a post-abortive healing program available in our area which offers monthly Gatherings of Hope and Healing and all-day retreats. These events offer continued support and healing for women/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 info 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 April 14/15

Weekly amount needed for budget	\$ 22,290.00
Offertory	\$ 10,223.08
EFT Donations	\$ 0.00
Other Income	\$ 4,503.00
Total	\$ 14,726.08
Difference	- \$ 7,563.92

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

Offertory Envelopes distributed: 536 ~ Envelopes used: 153
Parishioners using Electronic Funds Transfer EFT: 154

<u>Mass Attendance</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Attendees</u>
	April 14/15	
	5:30pm	138
	9:00am	337
	11:30am	267
	1:30pm	703
	4:30pm	140
Total	1585	

Stewardship, A Way of Life

The faith-filled stewardship of Mary, our Mother, guide us as stewards to give our all in service to our Church and in response to those in need in our world.



2018 Annual Diocesan Appeal

Building Our Family of Faith

Over the past couple of months, many of our parishioners have contributed their support to the 2018 Annual Diocesan Appeal. To date, we have raised \$66,380 on a target of \$35,470 putting us at 187% of our target. If you have already made your 2018 Appeal gift, please accept our gratitude for your commitment.

If you are praying about your decision, we ask you to think about the ways the Appeal is making an impact right now in our Catholic Church. For instance, did you know –

- Nearly \$11 million has been sent back to the parishes for their local priorities since 2010.
- The Fuel & Hunger Fund is 100% funded by the Appeal and over the past five years, \$1,410,000 has been distributed to parishes and Catholic organizations.
- Our retired priests receive pension, health insurance and long-term care due in part to the generosity of those who support the Appeal.

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 richmondcatholicfoundation.org/giving/annual-appeal/.



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.



Charlottesville Catholic Worker ~ Casa Alma

cvillecw@gmail.com

CATHOLIC WORKER SPRING CELEBRATION: Join us Sunday, April 29 at Casa Alma (911 Nassau Street) for a celebration of community. Food and fellowship begin at 6:00pm followed by a house concert with local musician Claire Hitchins at 6:30pm. All are welcome at this family-friendly outdoor event. Rain date is Saturday May 5. For more information, contact Laura at cvillecw@gmail.com or 434-202-2221.

MEDICAL EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE: If you or someone that



you know need medical equipment, it can be obtained for FREE from All Blessings Flow. This Christian

organization collects, refurbishes & redistributes used medical equipment to those with a need. They can be contacted at www.allblessingsflow.org or call 434-882-0135. You can also donate your unused medical equipment (wheelchairs, walkers, bedside commodes, tub benches, shower chairs, etc.) to this organization by dropping items off at any local Kroger Pharmacy.

*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, Christine Kaiser, 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 Reyma, John Reynolds, Kathy Richards, Chris & Jadea Riener, Joel Rivera, James Robins, Robert Rockholt, Robert Ross, Jennifer, David & Amelia Scheer, Roger Scott, Perry Sennewald, Tom & Lynn Shepherd, Liam Simonzad, Fran Slayton, Betty Smoyleak, Liana Spring, 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, 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

HEALTH FESTIVAL/FESTIVAL DE SALUD Y BIENESTAR: We will be hosting a bilingual festival of health and wellbeing on Saturday, April 21 here at Incarnation, sponsored by Sin Barreras/Without Barriers. Come join us for Zumba, yoga, mindfulness, and other healthy activities and learn how to take care of yourself in daily life.

MIGRANT MINISTRY: Our kickoff meeting will be Thursday, April 26 at 7:00pm. If you're interested in getting involved, contact Linda Schmelter (lischmelter@inovasolutions.com) or Peggy Anderson (peggyanderson@yahoo.com). The diocese is holding a Migrant Ministry conference on Saturday, April 28-contact Sheila for details..

VIRGINIANS FOR ALTERNATIVES TO THE DEATH PENALTY: VADP will be having their bi-annual regional gathering at Incarnation on Thursday, April 26 in the Library at 7:00pm. This is an important pro-life issue for our faith, and we'll be talking about things that have happened in the recent General Assembly.

Let my People STAY! We know that an essential part of our faith is serving those marginalized by society, including immigrants, and refugees, independent of their legal situation. Incarnation is partnering with Congregate C'ville and Sin Barreras for an interfaith prayer service in support of Immigrants. Please join us on Wednesday, May 10 at 7:00pm for the bilingual prayer service, with a reception afterwards. If you are interested in helping with the reception, please contact to Sheila.

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 spaghetti and spaghetti sauce.**



DOING
THE MOST
GOOD

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!

GREEN TEAM EnvironMINUTE: Happy Earth Day! Recycling has never been more important for our planet, even though it's currently very difficult for many in our region. Together, we can advocate for a change in public policy. Commit yourself and your family to using recyclable products, and look into signing the "St Francis/Laudato Si' Pledge" at catholicclimatecovenant.org.

JUSTICE CORNER: This Tuesday is one of the biggest opportunities to live our call to do justice, especially for one third of our community members in need of affordable housing. Please join us at the Nehemiah Action at the MLK Performing Arts Center. A justice-themed rosary will precede the Action at 5:30pm, along with pizza in the parking lot (RSVP to Janie Pudhorodsky: pudfam@gmail.com). Bring your friends, so that they too can stand up for the forgotten in our community!

SHARE THE JOURNEY: There are 5 basic principles around immigration that the US Catholic bishops write about and support, and we will be examining them over the next few weeks. The second principle is that people have a right to migrate to sustain their lives and the lives of their families. This principle helps us put a human face and a human struggle on the broad scale issue of immigration.

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, July 7, and September 1. Please check out sign up sheets in the Narthex for details and to put your name down! Also, if you want to find out about more opportunities to get involved with Habitat, such as their Kid Care team, reach out to Garret Trent (gtrent@cvillehabitat.org)



PACEM: Join us on April 29 from 2:00-5:00pm at the exquisite Barn at Pea Ridge Farm for our annual spring fundraiser. Tickets are \$75 per person or \$500 for a table of eight. Price includes food by C & O Restaurant, music by Michael Clem & Rusty Speidel, and beer from Devils Backbone Brewing Company & wine donated by the Charlottesville Cooking School. RSVP to ed@pacemshelter.org. All proceeds benefit PACEM! To tickets call 434.973.1234 x121 or mail a check to PACEM, PO Box 14, Charlottesville, VA 22902.

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITY ~ PASTORAL CARE

*Looking for a way to gain satisfaction
by making someone happy?*



Join Incarnation's Pastoral Care Ministry! Any of our Ministers will testify that they get much more out of ministry than they put into it, even though our Ministers put in a lot.

WHAT WE DO: We bring Eucharist to nursing homes and to homebound parishioners, stay a while to visit and pray with them, and try to make them a little happier. The number of homebound parishioners that we visit is increasing, and we need more help so we can minister to all those in need. We're looking for men or women, old or young, willing to give several hours monthly. If you'd like to help, please call Peggy Rush at 434-985-7169. And please pray that our Ministers can continue to serve the needs of our brothers and sisters.



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Church of the Incarnation Monthly Finance Summary

Total Yearly Budget **\$1,159,102**
Monthly Budget **\$96,592**
Expected Monthly Offertory **\$57,917**

	March 2018 Actual	FYTD Actual
Offertory	\$70,229.40	\$606,850.17
Other Income (Major Gifts, Rent, etc.)	\$4,849.30	\$214,235.79
Haiti	\$2,029.00	\$28,252.45
Maintenance Fund	\$2,140.00	\$16,471.00
Debt Reduction	\$5,185.00	\$35,154.00
Justice and Charity	\$3,797.00	\$34,441.21
Christian Formation and Youth Ministry	\$12,319.75	\$39,991.09
Catholic Virginian Income	\$90.00	\$807.00
Second Collections	\$2,910.05	\$27,138.90
Total All Receipts	\$103,549.50	\$1,003,341.61

Total Personnel Cost (Salary, Taxes, and Benefits)	\$44,401.79	\$419,896.37
Rectory Mortgage	\$1,849.09	\$16,641.81
Rectory Expenses and Utilities	\$3,827.30	\$18,581.53
Church Mortgage	\$8,168.49	\$58,295.78
Church Utilities	\$4,899.18	\$34,217.83
Worship Expenses	\$1,178.46	\$9,783.84
Repairs/Maintenance	\$8,432.14	\$94,122.24
Administration Expenses	\$2,289.37	\$26,061.11
Christian Formation and Youth Ministry	\$6,118.08	\$17,836.71
Justice and Charity	\$888.73	\$18,730.65
Haiti	\$10,030.00	\$43,310.18
Diocesan Assessments		
Cathedraticum (\$7,326.00)		
Self-Insurance (\$1,261.58)		
Catholic Virginian (\$1029.00)		
Parish Education Assessment (\$5,206.00)		
Diocesan Assessments Total	\$14,822.58	\$134,281.06
Collections Forwarded	\$131.00	\$20,308.20
Other Expenses	\$652.41	\$10,064.20
Total All Expenses	\$107,688.62	\$922,131.51

Difference	-\$4,139.12	\$81,210.10
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FYTD = Fiscal Year (July-June) to date