



CHURCH OF THE INCARNATION

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Growing in Christ and Living Our Faith through Relationships

April 8, 2018

Second Sunday of Easter

Readings: Acts of the Apostles 4:32-35–1 John 5:1-6–John 20:19-31

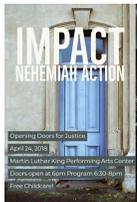
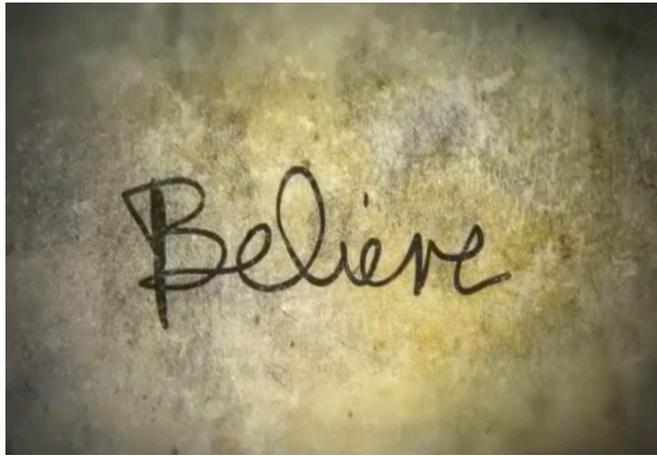
OFFICE HOURS: 8:30am–4:30pm Monday –Friday
(Closed: 12:20–12:50pm daily)

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.



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.

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.

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).



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

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](tel:540-383-1634), Pam [434-825-6013](tel:434-825-6013) or Dave [505-340-5891](tel:505-340-5891)

Come and experience the mercy and forgiveness of God!

(In the preaching which falls to each of us as a daily responsibility), which is always respectful and gentle, the first step is personal dialogue, when the other person speaks and shares his or her joys, hopes, and concerns for loved ones, or so many other heartfelt needs. Only afterward is it possible to bring up God's word, perhaps by reading a Bible verse or relating a story, but always keeping in mind the fundamental message: the personal love of God became man, who gave himself up for us, who is living, and who offers us his salvation and his friendship. This message has to be shared humbly as a testimony on the part of one who is always willing to learn, in the awareness that the message is so rich and so deep that it always exceeds our grasp.

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



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.

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/>. Please join us in supporting the 2018 Annual Appeal.

ADOPTION: If you're interested in adoption, CCC offers free, no-obligation informational meetings to talk with an experienced social worker, ask questions, and learn more about the process. Visit www.cccofva.org/adoption to learn more.



CCClient Reflection: Recent CCC adoptive parents shared their thoughts on the adoption process: "Commonwealth Catholic Charities could not have been a stronger partner in our adoption journey. Whether it was words of encouragement, an explanation of part of the process, or shared joy at the birth of our guys, they were amazing."

WANT TO BE A EUCHARISTIC BREAD BAKER?

Contact Chrislyn:
cruessamano@yahoo.com
434.823.1625

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



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: April 7-15

Saturday	7: 12:15	CJ Brindmore (Karen & Jim Lansing)
Sunday	8: 9:00	Mary Nemeyer (Anne & Mike Nemeyer)
	11:30	Stanley Corraya (Ribero Family)
	1:30	Missa Pro Populo
	4:30	Ellen Hemstreet-Special Intention (Joanne Niehaus)
Monday	9: 12:15	Pat & Howard Wilson-Special Intention (Eithna Sullivan)
Tuesday	10: 12:15	No Mass
Wed'day	11: 12:15	Ann Parker (Terese & Jamie Gibson)
Thursday	12: 12:15	Anthony Rives (COTI)
Friday	13: 12:15	Mark Sullivan-Special Intention (Eithna Sullivan)
		Robert Kandt (Fr. Gregory Kandt)
Saturday	14: 12:15	Nancy Virginia Bain (COTI)
		Shirley Krizinofski (Jones Family)
		Missa Pro Populo
		Catherine D'Costa (Ribero Family)
Sunday	15: 9:00	

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.

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION



When we imagine the disciples hovering behind locked doors on the first Easter, it is a matter of the greatest urgency that the doors get opened. They are not locked in as if in prison; rather, they have chosen to marinate in fear. Both the lock and the key stand on their side of the door, in their control. Christ breaks through this significant barrier with a message of "Peace." The risen Lord's word propels them through the door and along the path leading to the consoling image of the community living in harmony in the first reading today. What do we pray for in our tradition? More than anything else, we pray for peace. Every Mass is an earnest prayer for peace with God, with self, with neighbor, and for peace in the world. Yet, curiously, the peace Christ offers is deeper than the mere absence of conflict. Our tradition treasures the memories of saints who were remarkably open to Christ's gift of peace even in the maelstroms of history. St. Edith Stein and St. Maximillian Kolbe, martyrs of the Holocaust, are but two examples. At the eye of a fearful storm, they stand as witnesses to the power of Christ's rising in our lives.

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FINANCIAL RESOURCES

For the weekend of April 1/2
Will be reported in the April 14/15 bulletin

Stewardship Opportunity ~ Tree of Life



Parishioners can permanently memorialize or honor a loved one, family member or a friend 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 on our website 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.



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

Chesapeake Polish Festival

St. Mary's Community invites everyone to the 7th Annual Polish Festival! Food, Beer, Vendors, Music and Fun!
536 Homestead Road in Bowers Hill, Chesapeake.

Friday, April 27

Dance Social 6:00pm – 9:00pm

Saturday, April 28

Polish Festival 9:00am – 5:00pm

Sunday, April 29

KofC Council 418 Fun Run 12:00pm

www.ChesapeakePolishFest.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!**

"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



Haitian Coffee sale this weekend 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, our item of the week is 48 oz bottles of cooking oil.**



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!

SHARE THE JOURNEY WITH CRS RICE BOWL- THANK YOU! We have changed lives this Lent, thanks to YOU! Don't forget to turn in your CRS Rice Bowl this Sunday in the Narthex.



GREEN TEAM EnvironMINUTE: Earth Day is coming up on April 22! In preparation, use biodegradable detergents at home and business to keep oceans and waterways clean and safe from pollutants.

JUSTICE CORNER: We know that there are thousands of people in our area who struggle to pay for housing. As Catholics, we want to see that all people, from seniors to minimum wage workers, have their basic needs met, including safe and decent housing. To stand up for these needy populations, plan to join us at the Nehemiah Action on April 24 at the MLK Performing Arts Center at 6:30pm.



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!



Charlottesville Catholic Worker ~ Casa Alma

cvillecw@gmail.com

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.

DON'T GET RID OF IT. DONATE IT! When you and your



vehicle have come to the end of your journey together, don't get rid of it, donate it! We accept cars, boats, RVs and many other vehicles—we can even tow them away for you. Donating is easy and your gift is tax deductible. Call 804.285.5900 or visit www.ccofva.org/donate to learn more.

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.



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.

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)



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