

CATHOLIC CHURCH OF THE INCARNATION

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November 6, 2016

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Blessed are they that hear the word of God,
and *keep* it.



Luke 11:28

REV. ERNIE DEBLASIO, PASTOR

NEW E-MAIL: fr.ernie@incarnationcollierville.org

MASS SCHEDULE:

Sunday Vigil:.....5:00 PM Saturday, Main Sanctuary

Sundays: 8:00 AM, 10:30AM, 12:15 PM

Main Sanctuary

Weekdays:.....8:15 AM - St. Therese of Lisieux Chapel

NURSERY AVAILABLE:

Sat., 5:00 PM Mass and Sun., 10:30 AM Mass

PARISH OFFICE:

Monday through Friday, 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM

INCARNATION MISSION STATEMENT

“To bring Christ, The Eucharist, and the Sacraments to every parishioner so that they may become Disciples to the Collierville community”

FOSTERING STEWARDSHIP AS A WAY OF LIFE



PRAYERS NEEDED



PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR PARISHIONERS WHO ARE IN THE HOSPITAL, NURSING HOME OR RECUPERATING AT HOME:

Max Baer, Joe & Helen Behan, Mariah Bordelon, Richard Bork, Janet Bowens, Joann Buie, Terry Burton, Tom Cassidy, Helen Connors, Mary Couture, Joyce Crockett, Martha Ewing, Beverlee Feder, Joan Ford, Lou Golon, Stephen Grgas, Carolyn Harbert, GERALYN JASINA, Diana Keeven, Chris Kennedy, Yvonne Kiefer, Newman Kimbrough, Betty Kimbrough, Judee King, Angela Koenig, Suzi Luciano, Helen Mariano, Larry Mivelaz, Christopher Lester, Bettye Lucchesi, Courtney Marshall, Dee Maxted, Henry McCrerey, Charles Mitchell, George Newhart, Jane Quesnel, Lisa Rolin, Viola Rossetti, Susie Russell, Cynthia & Ron Scharf, Karen Seelig, Elly Seng, Neal Sharp, Mil Shirley, Rose Silvestri, Dorothy Sitton, Phyllis Sommer, Billy Sparrenberger, Hal Stansbury, Jean Straub, Frank Tarena, Ellen Tedford, Sandra Tice, Connie Umstad, Yvette Wakefield, Don Weis, Alice Wallace, Mary West, Marge White, Alice Wood, Nellie Yarbrough, and Rita Zerbe.

MASS SCHEDULE November 5 – November 13, 2016

SAT.	11/5	8:15 AM	TRACY DABLER - Requested by A. Green
		5:00 PM	NOAL KIEFER- Requested by D. & B. Wallin
SUN.	11/6	8:00 AM	NOAL KEIFER - Requested by B. & D. Llewellyn
		10:30 AM	ALL SOULS IN PURGATORY - Requested by C. Trevino
		12:15 PM	PARISHIONERS OF INCARNATION
MON.	11/7	8:15 AM	
TUES.	11/8	8:15 AM	FOR THE UNITED STATES AS WE ELECT OUR NEXT PRESIDENT
WED.	11/9	8:15 AM	
THUR.	11/10	8:15 AM	INTENTIONS OF BISHOP HOLLEY - Requested by ICS 2nd grade
FRI.	11/11	8:15 AM	OPAL SELMAN - Requested by A. Ferry
SAT.	11/12	8:15 AM	
		5:00 PM	STANLEY RYBCZYK- Requested by A.& A. Bradham
SUN.	11/13	8:00 AM	WILFRED A. GAGNE - Requested by L. & A. Gagne
		10:30 AM	BETTY TOWLE OHNO - Requested by B. & D. Llewellyn
		12:15 PM	PARISHIONERS OF INCARNATION

CONGRATULATIONS!
To our Newly Baptized
Jackson Levi Arthur



THIS WEEK AT INCARNATION

November 6– November 12, 2016

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 6

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME ENDS

Bld Pressure & Bld Sugar checks after ALL masses

9:00 - 10:15 AM - SCRIPTURE STUDY - ICS LLIBRARY

9:00 - 11:30 AM - PRE - HFLC & EB CLASSROOMS

6:00 - 8:00 PM - ADULT VOLLEYBALL - GYM

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 7

9:30 - 11:00 AM - 33 DAYS TO MORNING GLORY - MTG RM

10:00 - 2:00 PM - ANGEL KNITTERS - MH

3:00 - 4:00 PM - KARATE - GYM

6:30 - 8:00 PM - 33 DAYS TO MORNING GLORY - MTG RM

7:00 - 8:30 PM - BOY SCOUT TROOP #331 - FH, LIBRARY

7:00 - 8:30 PM - SCRIPTURE STUDY - MH, KIT

7:30 - 9:00 PM - MEN'S BASKETBALL - GYM

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 8

ELECTION DAY

10:00 - 12:00 PM - LADIES HEARTS ON FIRE - MH #1

10:15 - 11:45 AM - SCRIPTURE STUDY - FH, LIB, MR, NURS.

6:30 - 7:00 PM - ROSARY FOR HEALING - CHAPEL

6:30 - 7:30 PM - CUB SCOUT DEN MTG - EB 101-104

7:00 - 8:30 PM - ESL - MH, KIT.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 9

9:00 - 10:00 AM - WED MORN. PRAYER GRP - CHAPEL

11:00 - 1:00 PM - PRESCHOOL DINING W/ DAD - FH

3:00 - 4:00 PM - KARATE - GYM

6:00 - 7:15 PM - PRE-EB & HFLC CLASSROOMS

6:30 - 9:00 PM - SHINE GROUP - MEETING ROOM

6:30 - 8:30 PM - ENCOUNTER - GYM, KIT, HFLC #6-8, 10, 16-20

6:30 - 8:30 PM - HOME & SCHOOL GENERAL MTG - ICS LIBRARY

7:00 - 8:30 PM - SCRIPTURE STUDY - MH #1, KIT

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 10

8:15 - 9:00 AM - ICS MASS - CHURCH

11:00 - 1:00 PM - PRESCHOOL DINING W/ DAD - FH

6:30 - 8:30 PM - RCIA - MH, KIT

6:30 - 8:00 PM - "WHERE DID THAT COME FROM?" - MR

7:00 - 8:00 PM - MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP - FH

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 11

VETERAN'S DAY

6:30 - 8:00 AM - FISHERS OF MEN - MH, KITCHEN

7:30 - 8:00 AM - DONUTS WITH DAD - GYM

2:20 - 2:45 PM - ICS ROSARY - CHURCH

5:00 - 7:00 PM - PARISH CHILI DINNER - GYM, KIT

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 12

6:45 - 8:00 AM - MEN'S CURSILLO - MH

8:45 - 12:00 PM - RECONCILIATION RETREAT - NTHX GROUP

6:00 - 6:30 PM - BAPTISM-SAGE BIANCA WEEKS - NARTHEX

6:00 - 9:00 PM - 55+ YOUNG AT HEART DINNER - FH, KIT

Welcome To Our Parish

Mara Comaianni;
Parker & Tara Edwards and daughter,
Brie;
and
Fred & Tammie Jones

Turn Clocks
Back



INCARNATION CATHOLIC SCHOOL: 4K - 8th

(901) 853-7804; Michael Zientek, Principal
Monday - Friday; 7:30 AM - 4:00 PM

PRESCHOOL:

(901) 861-5414; Mrs. Malerie Young Director/Asst. Prin.
Monday through Friday, 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:

(901) 853-0135; Mrs. Lea Weaver, DRE
(901) 850-2696; Mrs. Rebecca Talarico, DYM
Monday - Friday; 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

RECONCILIATION:

Saturday: 3:30 - 4:30 PM or by appointment

BAPTISMS:

Baptismal Preparation Class required for parents and godparents. Call Parish Office to arrange a date and time for baptism and for the date and time of the next Baptismal Class.

WEDDINGS:

Pre-Cana required. Contact Parish Office four to six months prior to planned date.

FUNERALS:

Arranged at the convenience of the family.

NEW PARISHIONERS:

Registration forms are available in both narthexes. Please fill out and drop in the collection basket. **Welcome!**

PARISH STAFF

Pastor	Rev. Ernie DeBlasio	853-7468x305
Deacons:	Miles Merwin	596-1791
	Robert Walker	229-1218
Parish Admin.	Steve Signaigo	853-7468x301
Admin. Asst.	Geralyn Jasina	853-7468x303
Accountant	Suzi Luciano	853-7468x312
Acct. Asst.	Tara Walter	853-7468x304
Webmaster	Dani Shirley	853-7468x300
Facilities Mgr.	Vince Brocato	412-4277
Maint. Asst.	Grant Paule	828-1474
Sound Engineer	Matt Signaigo	598-7731
Security	Bobby Oelke	218-9933
Music	Kevin & Bethany Paige	615-336-0686

TIME TO UPDATE YOUR INFO
FOR THE CHURCH DIRECTORY!

Have you moved? Changed your phone #? Have your children moved out on their own or gotten married? Have you had a child? Have you been coming to Mass and not officially registered? Call the Church office, 901-853-7468, to update your information by November 18, 2016!
Ministries this applies to you as well!



**Traveling Virgin of Fatima
Statues SIGN-UPS
November 5 & 6
In the Narthex after all masses
THIS WEEKEND!**

PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
CHILDREN'S FAITH FORMATION

PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES: PRE classes are for children 3yrs-8th grade, High School Sacramental Prep, and RCIC (Rite of Christian Initiation for Children). Contact the Parish Religious Education Dept. to sign up your child. Classes meet Sunday mornings or Wednesday evenings.

DIOCESAN GUIDELINES: The Diocese of Memphis requires that all students preparing for the Sacraments of Reconciliation, Communion, and Confirmation, have two consecutive years of religious education prior to receiving the sacrament. Children in 1st & 7th grade need to be enrolled in a religious education program in order to make their sacraments in 2nd & 8th grades.

RECONCILIATION RETREAT: Students in 2nd grade and RCIC must attend the 1/2 day retreat on Saturday, November 12, from 8:45 AM-12:00 PM. Students should report to the Church Narthex.

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP

Join us each Wednesday night from 6:30-8:30 PM in the gym for Encounter. Night consists of games, food and small group discussions. All 9th -12th grade students are welcome!

MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP

Our next meeting will be Thursday, November 10th, 7:00-8:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall. All 6-8th graders are welcome to attend. Please come join in fun and faith every Thursday!

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

Are you interested in becoming Catholic? Do you have reservations about the faith? RCIA is an open, safe environment for all inquirers and those on the journey to full initiation. RCIA meets Thursday evenings. For more information, contact Andy McNutt at 901-486-5199 (call or txt), or email: RCIA@incarnationcollierville.org.

What is Social Ministry?

As we fulfill Our Lord's commandment to love our neighbor, Jesus always asks us to think of the needy first:

Amen, I say to you, whatever you did for one of the least of my brothers, you did it for me." Matthew 25: 40

The **Parish Social Ministry Office** organizes our parish efforts to do just that. Through Social Ministry, Incarnation parishioners serve:

1. **Each other** with meals, prayers, visits, cards, and comfort in times of illness, loss, and recovery.
 - Food Angels: Meals in bereavement, recovery, or emergency
 - Card Ministry, Friendly Visits, and Ministry to the Sick for those at home or in care Facilities
 - Transportation to mass, grocery store, or doctor's offices
 - Special Needs activities
 - Loaning medical items (wheelchairs, crutches, etc.)
2. **The needy in our community** with direct service, works of justice and mercy, and social action.
 - Volunteer "Care Ministers" to receive guests in need of food or bills paid.
 - Food Pantry: Open Monday-Friday 10AM - 2PM
 - Project Outreach: Feeding the poor in Fayette County
 - Room at the Inn: Housing the homeless 1-2 times each winter month
 - Catholic Charities: Helping out with Diocesan projects for the needy.

Call, email, or visit our office to get involved. Jesus needs your help: your time, talent, and donations!
850-7374, social.ministry@incarnationcollierville.org

SPECIAL NEEDS: God's Special Needs Social Ministry is for parents who want fun, fellowship, and social activities for their special needs child/adult. We welcome all of the Christian community to join us. For further information call the Social Ministry office at 850-7374 or email Charlotte Slater at wolfriver59@yahoo.com

Save the Date- *Incarnation's Christmas Extravaganza* will be December 11, from 5:00-7:00 PM. Stay tuned for further information.



COMING TO INCARNATION:

"An exciting new Ministry is beginning at Incarnation, with the goal to nourish the 20's and 30's age group to go out and be the hands and feet of Christ to the community by connecting them back to the roots of their Faith and giving them a renewed energy to live and serve as Disciples of Christ. Go to <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/MTXM7M8> to fill out a survey and be contacted about how you can be a part of this ground-breaking new endeavor!"

Advent Family Fun Day

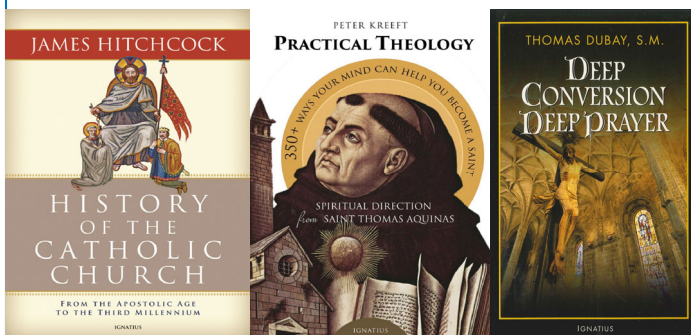
Sign up now for Advent Family Fun Day on Sat., Nov. 19 from 9:00-11:00 AM in the gym. Your family will make an Advent Wreath, Advent place mats, and edible Christmas trees plus receive a variety of resource materials for you to use during the season of Advent. The cost is only \$25. Registrations forms may be picked up in the PRE office or on line and must be turned in by Nov 11.

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THE CATHOLIC FAITH.
ON DEMAND.

Some Features for November:

Go to: www.formed.org; Our parish login code is: 61a2db



Jubilee Year of Mercy

November 6, 2016

Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time
Jubilee for Prisoners

One of the most moving images of Pope Francis' ministry comes from Holy Thursday. Slowly, deliberately, Francis kneels down before prisoners—men, women, young, old, Christian, Muslim—and washes their feet, recalling Jesus admonition to Peter: "If I, therefore, the master and teacher, have washed your feet, you ought to wash one another's feet" (John 13:14). On today's Jubilee for Prisoners, whose rights the Church bids us advocate, Jesus declares in the Gospel, "to [God] all are alive" (Luke 20:38). Have we "imprisoned" anyone figuratively, but no less painfully, passing harsh judgment, then refusing our respect, acceptance, even affection? This month of All Saints and All Souls bids us reflect on our eternal destiny and prepare for it. Respect for ourselves and others, souls and bodies, practical care for neighbors and strangers: such witness affirms that we view our present in light of our future, and believe that, even now, in our midst, stands the Lord of life, the living Jesus.

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INCARNATION PRESCHOOL

Malerie Young, Assistant Principal/
Director of Preschool
901-861-5414, office
malerie.young@incarnationcollierville.org
www.goics.org/preschool/



The 2016-2017 school year is in full progress!
Visit the Preschool website or office for more
information about our program or to schedule a
tour.

**Incarnation Voted
Best Church & Preschool
in the Collierville Independent Readers' Choice!**



TRAVELING VIRGIN OF FATIMA STATUES

The large statue will be at the home of
Elaine Ervin. Mike & Delana Lynch will
have the small statue.

If you would like to have a Traveling
Virgin Statue at your home for a week
please contact Lois Crosby at 221-8679.



RESPECT LIFE:

This weeks' rose is in Memory of
Rena Viator by Chris Newbern

If you would like to sponsor a rose, please contact:
Catherine Pfeifer at 268-4761.

ROSARY FOR HEALING: Meets on the 2nd Tuesday of
each month in the St. Therese Chapel, 6:30-7:00 PM.
All are welcome to join in.

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER/SACRISTAN/
LECTOR TRAINING:** Saturday, November
19, 2016 from 9:00 am-12:00 pm. Call the
church office to sign up. 901-853-7468.



RENT-A-TEEN FUNDRAISER

Does your yard need to be weeded or raked?
House cleaned? Incarnation Teens are here
to help! Call the Office of Youth Ministry at
(901)850-2696 to schedule a teen to help you. Donations
accepted for jobs. No job too big or small. (No power
tools or ladders, please.)



What makes us smile at
Incarnation Catholic School?



Fun times at our
7th Annual Boo Bash!

CHILDREN'S CORNER



Ministries and Contacts

Altar Servers

Fr. Ernie 853-7468

Altar Society

Mary Lou Reed 854-5539

Angel Knitters

Audrey Bradham 853-9825

Angel Quilters

Susan Brack 853-2125

Athletics

Ted Bacon 850-9242

Boy Scouts

Chuck Martin 497-0108

Breast Cancer Support

Loma Hyder 854-9790

Career Support

Bob Reilly 378-1818

Children of Mary

Sara Dockstader

512-348-9442

Co-Directors of Music

Kevin & Bethany Paige

615-336-0686

Church Nursery

Kimberly McNutt 850-1277

Coffee Bar Ministry

Cheryl Carroll 262-0625

Columbian Squires

Michael Pratt 854-0004

Cub Scouts

John Dockstader 512-592-1123

ESL

Wilson Parma 786-3220

Eucharistic Ministers

Fr. Ernie 853-7468

Fishers of Men

Peter Daunais 861-7349

Food Angels

Social Ministry 850-7374

Food Pantry

Social Ministry 850-7375

Grief Ministry

Betty Llewellyn 854-2739

Mary Beth Trouy 853-1819

God's Special Needs

Charlotte Slater 457-7770

Greeters

Deb Connors 461-3117

Cathi Mueller 221-8326

Health Ministry

Missy Feyerherm 485-5122

Hospitality Chair

Elena Ross 850-9677

Host Family

Lois Crosby 221-8679

Incarnation Girl Scouts

Maggie Myers 861-2285

LAY MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR

November 12 & 13, 2016

MINISTRY TO THE SICK: B. LLEWELLYN, J. FEHREN- BACHER, M.L. MICKLE, B. LOVE, B. HANNAH

ALTAR SERVERS:

5:00 PM	A. & M. PEPPER, C. AVERY
8:00 AM	K. & D. STRENK, M. EASTON
10:30 AM	I. LAIRD, K. & R. RUKSTAD, G. MUNDY
12:15 PM	A. DEENEY, E. COVEY, D. ROGERS

LECTORS:

5:00 PM	J. FENECH, M.B. TROUY
8:00 AM	J. STRENK, B. SLATTERY
10:30 AM	B. NUGENT, V. DIAS
12:15 PM	J. BROWNE

USHERS:

5:00 PM	R. RUSSELL, T. MARTIN, J. SCHMIDT, H. BRAUNINGER
8:00 AM	L. CABE, S. ROZANSKI, M. FLETCHER, B. MURPHY
10:30 AM	J. VAN DU VUURST, S. SCHUBERT, J. TARSI, M. LINDSEY
12:15 PM	M. KIEHN, S. KEY, A. WAGUESPACK, L. SCULLY

MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION:

5:00 PM	B	DEACON MILES, R. TROUY, L. DURFEE
	BL.	S. PEPPER, R. NOESEN, R. CLARK, L. GILMAN, B. LOVE, L. HILLS
8:00 AM	B	DEACON MILES, J. MASSERANO, A. REVES
	BL.	A. STRENK, P. SANDELL, B. LLEWELLYN, D. & V. GOODIN, J. MASSERANO
10:30 AM	B	DEACON BOB, C. NUGENT, J. & K. RUKSTAD, B. SUMMERS, L. WEAVER
	BL.	M. & R. RUKSTAD, R. & R. TALARICO, C. & C. TIEGELMANN, B. TOWNSEND, B. BERNARD
12:15 PM	B.	J. & R. SPEROFF, G. MAIDEN
	BL.	L. COVEY, M. CARRASCO

REMINDERS:

- All Lay Ministers and Altar Servers must sign-in 15 minutes before mass! Sacristans are to fill all empty spaces at that time. If you are unable to serve, it is your responsibility to get a sub.

When a Deacon (or Seminarian) is present, he replaces #1 Body.

**New Lector
Books available
in the Sacristy
this
weekend.**



**Eucharistic
Minister,
Sacristan, and
Lector Training
Nov. 19, 2016
9am-12pm**

Ministries and Contacts

ICS Home & School

Sherrie Goodwin 292-2634

Allison Waggoner 870-6835

In Mary's Arms

Kimberly McNutt 850-1277

Knights of Columbus

Robbie Atkins 517-0024

Ladies Cursillo

Noreen Ford 853-3501

Lectors

Fr. Ernie 853-7468

Men's Cursillo

Steve Signaigo 598-7739

Ministry to the Sick

Vicky Goodin 853-9107

Lee Handwerker 854-8502

Moms & Tots

Kimberly McNutt 850-1277

Parish Religious Education

Lea Weaver 853-0135

Perpetual Adoration

John & Mia Leoni 861-7189

Project Outreach

Delana Lynch 861-6358

Respect Life

Catherine Pfeifer - 268-4761

Rosary for Healing

Butch & Kathy Ryan 854-6609

Sacristans

Barbara Cornwell 853-6241

Kimberly MacFeggan 494-6810

Scripture Study

Barbara Cornwell 853-6241

Senior Citizens (55+ Young at Heart)

Lee Handwerker 854-8502

Small Faith Community

Marsha Keller 230-0654

Social Ministry

Jenny Fehrenbacher, Director
850-7374

Spring Festival, Chair

Elizabeth Romagni

954-629-2806

Stewardship Commission

Charles Sevier 850-5089

Traveling Virgin of Fatima

Lois Crosby 221-8679

Ushers

Scott Rozanski 854-9500

Wed. Morn. Prayer Group

Mary Lee Morton 853-6908

Welcome Bread

Lois Crosby 221-8679

Youth (BASIC & Teens)

Ministry

Rebecca Talarico 850-2696

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ANNUAL THANKSGIVING TURKEY SALE



It's that time of year again. Let us prepare you a delicious turkey for your family and friends to enjoy on Thanksgiving.

Please contact Alan Montbriand: alan.montbriand@gmail.com (e-mail preferred) or at 518-796-6883 to place your order. Pick up times will be available Thanksgiving morning.



Baked: \$35.00

Fried: \$50.00

**Incarnation
55+ Young-At-Heart Social
Club
November, 2016**

**INCARNATION
55+ YOUNG AT HEART
CLUB**

Come Join Us For Lots of Fun!!!

Who? YOU

All Youngsters Over 55 Are Welcome

Who? YOU

Think Young At Heart!!

Who? YOU

Why Stay At Home? You'll Miss All The Fun

Who? YOU

NOVEMBER ACTIVITIES

Saturday November 12 at 6:00pm

Dinner in the Fellowship Hall

Enjoy a Delicious Catered Dinner after Mass

The Only Thing Missing is YOU

Only \$10 What a Deal!!

Come Enjoy Fellowship-Fun-Food with Us

Phone Joyce Van Houtte at 468-8669 or

Lee Handwerker at 854-8502

before Tuesday November 8

to let us know that you're coming

Thursday November 17

St. Jude Children's Research Hospital Tour

Tour 1 Leaves Incarnation at 9:00am

Tour 2 Leaves Incarnation at Noon



The Only Thing Missing is YOU

Come Enjoy Fellowship-Fun-Food with Us

Think Young at Heart!! Join Us!!

Who? YOU

Come Enjoy Fellowship-Fun-Food with Us

Contact Lee Handwerker at 854-8502 for details



Debbie Roberts, Father Ernie

Tess Lietaert, Margie Hayden

Mary Frances Mensi, Mary Beth Trouy

Mary Grindereeng, John Jardine

Owen Amann, Andrea Doherty

Pat Keeney, Delores Irby

Marlene Erpelding, Linda Monroe

ENJOY

The presidential candidate need to show a more human side of himself so he went to visit an old age home. Walking into the room the old man there offered him some peanuts. After eating at least 3 handfuls of the peanuts the candidate asked the old man why he was not eating some of them. I have no teeth; replied the old man. Then why do you have them here, he asked.

The old man replied: "I just like the chocolate around them."

VETERANS DAY



World War I officially ended when the Treaty of Versailles was signed on June 28, 1919. However, fighting eased seven months earlier when an armistice between the Allied nations and Germany went into effect on the eleventh hour of the eleventh day of the eleventh month. For that reason, November 11, 1918, is generally regarded as the end of "the war to end all wars." In November 1919, President Wilson proclaimed November 11 as the first commemoration of Armistice Day with the following words: "To us in America, the reflections of Armistice Day will be filled with solemn pride in the heroism of those who died in the country's service and with gratitude for the victory, both because of the thing from which it has freed us and because of the opportunity it has given America to show her sympathy with peace and justice in the councils of the nations..." An Act approved May 13, 1938, made the 11th of November in each year a legal holiday. Armistice Day was primarily a day set aside to honor veterans of World War I, but in 1954, after World War II had required the greatest mobilization of soldiers, sailors, Marines and airmen in the Nation's history; after American forces had fought aggression in Korea Congress amended the Act of 1938 by striking out the word "Armistice" and inserting in its place the word "Veterans." Veterans Day honors all members of the Armed Forces who served this country valiantly. They served and fought to protect us, to keep our country safe, and to preserve our way of life. Veterans gave their time, and risked their lives for us. In some cases, they made the ultimate sacrifice.

Source: www.va.gov



Thanksgiving Facts

1. While most Americans think of the Pilgrims as celebrating the first Thanksgiving in America, there are some claims that others in the New World should be recognized as first. For example, in Texas there is a marker that says, "Feast of the First Thanksgiving-1541."
2. The date of what is typically recognized as the first Thanksgiving is not precisely known though it occurred between September 21 and November 9, 1621. The Plymouth Pilgrims dined with the Wampanoag Indians for the first Thanksgiving.
3. Fifty-two Pilgrims attended the first Thanksgiving in 1621 including John Alden, William Bradford, Priscilla Mullins, and Miles Standish.
4. Approximately 50 Native Americans attended the first Thanksgiving including Massasoit and Squanto-the Pilgrim's translator.
5. In 1863, two national days of Thanksgiving were declared: One celebrated the Union victory at the Battle of Gettysburg. The other began the Thanksgiving holiday we still celebrate today.
6. The author of "Mary Had a Little Lamb," Sarah Josepha Hale, was key in getting Thanksgiving officially recognized as a national holiday.
7. Since Harry Truman, every president has pardoned a turkey for Thanksgiving.

Source: americanhistory.about.com

THANKSGIVING PRAYER

For each new morning with its light, For rest and shelter of the night,
For health and food, For love and friends,
For everything Thy goodness sends.

—Ralph Waldo Emerson





**ROOM
IN THE INN
MEMPHIS**



ROOM IN THE INN MEMPHIS:

Runs November - March. Incarnation will partner with Germantown United Methodist for the 2nd & 5th Thursdays each month. GUMC will house clients; Incarnation members will do the rest. **MANY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED.** Contact Social Ministry at 850-7374 for more information. Scan the QR code for the areas where volunteers are needed!

PERPETUAL ADORATION: All are welcome to adore our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel for as long (or short time) as they like. The *Blessed Sacrament Chapel* is off of the old Narthex and the door is marked and closed to help keep the noise out. Just come in!

In order to ensure that Jesus is attended 24/7 we have weekly scheduled adorers who attend to our Lord. If you would like to become a weekly adorer or a substitute please call us. There are plenty of daytime hours as well as late night hours where we could use a second weekly adorer.

There are 3 hours in need of a scheduled weekly adorer: 12 AM Midnight Tuesdays (every other week), Tuesdays at 12:00 PM and 3:00 PM. *Would you consider keeping the Lord company for one of the holy hours?* ...even if you can commit short term, that's okay. Please contact John or Mia Leoni at 861-7189.



FLOCKNOTES

Did you miss out on our Flocknote Network? Just Text-to-Join!

- Text: **INCARNATION**
- To: **84576**
- Hit Send
- Follow Prompts



"WHERE DID THAT COME FROM?" Come and hear how our Parish started and how we got to be where we are today. Incarnation started in humble beginnings, meeting in several buildings in Collierville. We have grown in many ways as a Parish. Learn about our Sanctuary Beautification Project, and other ministries that enhance how we are seen in our community.

Come and learn on 11/10 from 6:30-8:00 PM.

DIOCESAN NEWS

GIFT OF LIFE: is collaborating with the Catholic Charities of West Tennessee to recruit people who would be willing to take a meal to the FedEx House at LeBonheur for one or two persons, a few times each year. For more information, contact Lucie Johnson at Catholic Charities, lucie.johnson@acc.cdom.org or 901-722-4797

CATHOLIC CEMETERIES FALL SALE: For each grave purchased receive your second grave at half price. Special offer on Mausoleum Crypts, Columbarium Niches and Family Estate Lots, receive a 10% discount when paid in full on the day of purchase. Offers end 12/21/16. Call 901-948-1529 for more information.

Catholic Diocese of Memphis in Tennessee encourages all victims or parents of minors who are victims of sexual abuse by a priest, deacon, diocesan employee or agent to report such abuse by phoning any of the following:

TN Child Abuse Hot Line
1-877-237-0004

Memphis Victim Assistance Coordinator
Shari Lee - 652-4066

Office of Child & Youth Protection
Dr. Jim Latta - 359-2027

Diocesan H.R. Director
Sandra Goldstein, 373-1257
All reports will be treated confidentially.

AVE MARIA HOME'S ANNUAL WINE TASTING AND ART SHOW on Sun., November 13, 3:00-6:00 PM at Ave Maria Home, 2805 Charles Bryan Road, Memphis. Proceeds for this year's wine tasting and art show will benefit programs and services for Ave Maria residents. Cost is \$30/person. For Reservations and more information call Lisa Bell at 405-3791, or register online at www.avemariahome.org

OPERATION BARE NECESSITIES is a Diocesan wide collection of new underwear, heavy socks, hoodies and more. Sat., November 12, Bishop Holley will join with Catholic Charities of West TN, members of The Order of Malta & St. Mary's Soup Kitchen to distribute clothing to the homeless of downtown Memphis. You can order from the wish list at Amazon.com and it will be delivered to Catholic Charities. https://www.amazon.com/gp/register/wishlist/1DUFLVQKLEB5S/ref=cm_wl_huc_title

CAREER SUPPORT MINISTRY

Networking assistance, emphasizing effective tools and techniques for a job search, led by Bob Reilly of our parish. Weekly roundtable meets every *Wednesday, 6:30-8:30 AM at Holy Spirit Church.* Contact Bob at 378-1818.

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