

EASTER Sunday



April 17th 2022



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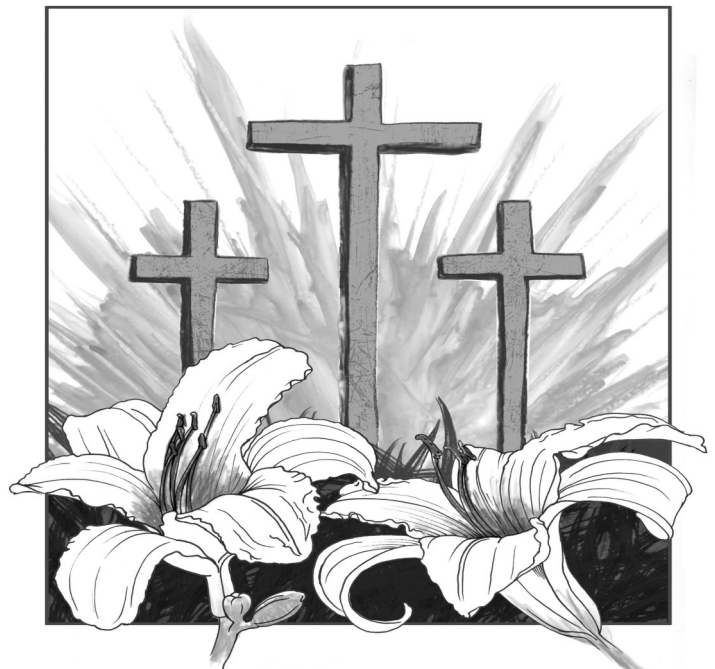
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“Many Pasts, ONE United Future”

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FROM THE DESK OF Fr. Dave

My dear friends and parishioners!

Christ is Risen! Alleluia! Truly He is Risen! This ancient greeting, used among Christians for centuries, is my prayer for you. Jesus truly presents as Victor over sin and death is our only hope and salvation. The world really needs this announcement of new life. It is up to us to carry the message to all. In our personal lives there is a need for new life. In families our relationships need renewal for our mutual ties of love and respect. In our parish, a renewed commitment to being an active and hardworking member of the Body of Christ is needed. Our nation needs the grace of the Risen Jesus to overcome division and animosity. The world needs peace and justice, which can only come as a gift from Him. We see the need for the reality of a God who dies and rises to help us out of our human problems. How many of us realize that He is here! In the sacraments, in Scripture, in our daily prayers we come into contact with the Risen Jesus. The greeting that I mentioned that proclaims the Risen Lord comes from the Gospel of Luke. Two disciples who have met Jesus on the road to Emmaus bring the news to their community back in Jerusalem. "He is Risen", they proclaim. The response TRULY RISEN comes. They add "and He has appeared to Simon". Let us add our names to the list of witnesses to the power of the Resurrection by meeting Him in prayer and worship. May you be filled with joy in this holy season.

Sincerely in Christ, our Risen Savior,

Your friend and pastor,

Fr. David J. Kozak

✠ **ALLELUIA** ✠

Pray that Christ's victory over death, overcomes violence against the weak, sick, elderly and the unborn.



DO YOU ATTEND MASS HERE—BUT HAVENT REGISTERED YET?

ITS VERY EASY.....WELCOME!

We encourage all Catholics to become an active participant in the life of our Parish Families. Please call either Rectory for more information.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

**S.C.S. Members Assembly #78, Bethlehem, PA Anniversary Mass & Reunion Sunday, June 5, 2022 Incarnation of Our Lord Church (Formerly Sts. Cyril & Methodius) Mass at 2pm Reception to follow at LaBuda Hall
For Info / Reservations Call President Fran Blonar (610) 509-8059
Deadline April 17, 2022**

(INC) Pierogi Sale – Sat., 5/21/22. Homemade pierogies by the Polish American Citizens Society. Cost \$8.00 per dozen. Pick up is May 21st 3-6 pm in Labuda Hall. Cash or checks payable to "Incarnation PAG". Payment must accompany order. Deadline to order is May 8th Any questions, call Rosemarie Csaszar at (610) 866-7927 or Sandy Bosak at (610) 866-1576 after 6 pm. Only 375 dozen will be made. Order forms are in the church vestibule.

(HG) Garage Sale

Time to clean out your attics, basement & garages. Our Annual Garage Sale will be Sat., May 28th, 9am-1pm. This past year our garage sales exceeded \$2,500.00 in profit for the church. Please call the Rectory before you bring items over (610) 867-9382. for someone to accept them! Please DO NOT leave items outside the Garages unattended!

Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator

Ms. Wendy S. Krisak, M.A., NCC, LPC,
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To learn more about the Diocese of Allentown's Youth Protection Programs, Sexual Abuse Policy, and Code of Conduct, visit www.allentowndiocese.org and click on "Youth Protection" in the upper right-hand corner.

COURAGE – Diocesan Help Line: 610-217-5557

CATHOLIC BISHOP ABUSE REPORTING SERVICE

If you have an allegation of abuse against a bishop, please contact the Catholic Bishop Abuse Reporting Service at www.ReportBishopAbuse.org or by calling (800) 276-1562.

HG Prime Time Seniors Group

PRIME TIME SENIORS meet on the first and third Monday of each month. Anyone age 55 and older is eligible to join. Dues are \$10 per year. The 2022 officers are: Jean Blaukovitch, President; Carol Barron, Vice President; Maureen Dresen, Secretary and Sue Grady, Treasurer.

Refreshments are served at each meeting.

NEXT MEETING THIS Mon., April 18th

May 2 BINGO

May 16 Program

May 18 Bus Trip to Sight & Sound (sold out)

Payment for bus trip is due by April 20th

Large Waiting List.

June 6 BINGO

June 20 Prime Time Anniversary Luncheon

Atlantic City Casino Trip – June 30, 2022

Tropicana Casino Hotel. \$88 per person.

2 SEATS LEFT Payment due ASAP.

Includes transportation, \$25 casino rebate; \$15 food voucher; show ticket to Music of Midler & Manilow; driver's tip; snacks and games on the bus. Please note that bus company may add surcharge if gas prices continue to go up. Call Boots (610-867-4839) or Maureen (610-866-8351) for reservations.

Incarnation Parish Senior Group

New members are invited to join our group. Meetings are held on the 1st Wednesday of the month at 12 noon. Finger foods are served and bingo is played. Next meeting is Wednesday, May 4, 2022.
President —Justine Yuhas,
Vice-President —Irene Vidumsky,
Secretary —Anne Pecsek,
Treasurer —Mike Vidumsky.
Any questions contact any officer.

(HG) LITURGY COMMITTEE

The Liturgy Committee is grateful this Easter for the volunteers who prepared and served the Poor Man's Supper on April 6th (Sis Corvino, Jean Blaukovitch and Maureen Dresen). We congratulate Becky Pfley who coordinated Mary's Stations held the same evening, and who recruited excellent readers, Lori Bauer, Carol Barron Jean Blaukovitch, Marilyn Harbon, Phyllis Hageter, Cindy Surovi, Mary Frances Shurtz-Leon, Lisa Benedek, Kathleen Horwath, Maureen Dresen and Becky Pfley. Thank you to Deacon Steve for leading the service and to Dominic Behe and his guitar for the beautiful music.

(HG) THANK YOU to the parishioners and friends of Holy Ghost for their purchases of home-made Easter rolls and candy. We would also like to thank the ladies who baked the various rolls and the candy makers who produced hundreds of coconut and peanut butter eggs as well as coconut, peanut, raisin and fruit and nut clusters. The Easter Bunny had lots of help this year to make delicious baskets !!

HG SENIORS TRIPS CONTINUED.....

Also planning a ONE DAY TRIP to LANCASTER It will be a mystery trip including meal and etc... Details to come in the near future..... Call Boots (610-867-4839) or Maureen (610-866-8351) for

(INC) P.A.G. NEWS.....

Pierogi Sale – Saturday, 5/21/22. Order forms are available in the church vestibules.

Monthly 50/50 Drawing – Reminder – \$5 per entry, and since this drawing takes place electronically, just make your donation in multiples of \$5. Donation envelopes must be received by the last day of the month. Thank you for your support. Congratulations to our March winners – Mr. & Mrs. Adam & Janina Kus (\$91.25), Sandra Bosak (\$54.75), Barbara Raykos (\$36.50).

Save the date and stay tuned for more information about these other upcoming PAG activities/events (all dates tentative):

- Parish Breakfast – Sunday, 5/15/22
- PAG Meeting – Monday, 6/6/22
- Iron Pigs Group Outing – Sunday, 6/26/22
- Bingo Buffet – Saturday, 7/23/22

Incarnation Financials

Weekly Collection for 4 / 10 = \$ N/A
 Online Giving = \$ PRINT
Total = \$ THANK YOU! DEADLINE
CAN YOU DO MORE FOR YOUR PARISH?

April is Volunteer Appreciation Month! Catholic Charities is looking for volunteers available to serve at the Chew Street Soup Kitchen on either Monday or Friday from 10:00 AM -1:00 PM. Join a great team of volunteers helping those in need. All volunteers must complete background checks and trainings. To learn more visit <https://www.catholiccharitiesad.org/volunteer/> or call Bob Olney at 610-435-1541 ext 327 or rolney@allentowndiocese.org

“GRAB N GO ONLY” (HG) DINNER SERIES

**MUST BE PRE ORDERED PAYMENT MUST ACCOMPANY ORDER DINNERS \$12-
Order DEADLINE Monday, May 2nd pick up May 7th SATURDAY “GRAB N GO” Sat. May 7th—Ron’s Chicken Paprikas, over Egg Noodles, Veg. Rye Bread.
Last one for the season.**

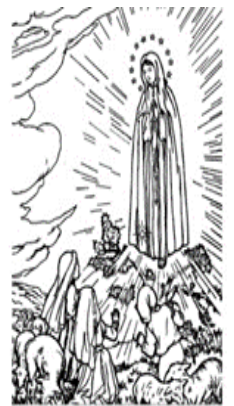
Order Forms are around the Church, call the Rectory 610-867-9382 #3 for Ron or Lisa If you would like to place an order or volunteer. Dinners will resume hopefully in the Fall.

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THE MESSAGE OF CHRIST’S LOVE

From the proclamation of the Gospel at the beginning of the liturgy, we know that today is different, not only because we hear two Gospel passages, or because we hold palms and move in procession. Today begins Holy Week, a time set apart, a week in which to listen, pray, reflect, and take to heart the truth of Christ’s passion, crucifixion, death, and ultimately, resurrection. It takes a week, and a lifetime, to truly hear the message of Christ’s love. It is difficult for us to comprehend that Jesus willingly sacrificed himself, so we must hear the story again and again. Let this week be for us a new moment of faith in which we, together with the criminal who was crucified with Christ, cry out, “Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.”



‘I am from Heaven.’

SUNDAY April 17th 2022

EASTER SUNDAY

(INC) 9am ✕ Solemn Mass of Easter
Living & Deceased Parishioners

(HG) 10am Solemn Mass of Easter
✕ Living & Deceased Parishioners
(INC) 11am –POLISH Mass ✕

(HG) 12 NOON Solemn Mass in the Ordinariate Form

Solemn Easter Mass 12:10pm in Packer Church—
Lehigh Univ.—NO 9:10pm Mass Today

Mon. Apr. 18th—EASTER MONDAY

(HG) 8:00am ✕Sixta Gonzalez by Josephine Zavec

Tues. Apr. 19th— EASTER TUESDAY

(HG) 8:00am ✕Mary Stofanak by John & Mary Majewski

Wed. Apr. 20th—EASTER WEDNESDAY

(HG) 8:00am ✕Leonard Ortwein by Ailene Turner

Thurs., Apr. 21st—EASTER THURSDAY

(HG) 8:00am Antoinette LaTassa
by Mike & Celeste Behe

Fri., April 22nd—EASTER FRIDAY

(HG) 8:00am Joseph Horwath by Thomas Hoof

SAT. APRIL 23rd Sunday VIGIL

(HG)4:00 pm Dr. Robert L. Stull
by Wife Debbie & Family

(INC) 4:00 pm ✕ Joseph LaBuda
by Son Raymond & Family

SUNDAY April 24th 2022

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

(INC) 9am ✕ Agnes & Henry Lipsky by the Family

(HG) 10am ✕ George & Lucy Kervin by The Family

(INC) 11am –POLISH Mass In Thanksgiving for 58 years
Maria & Wladyslaw Sojdera by the Family

(HG) 1:30pm Mass in the Ordinariate Form

12:10pm in Packer Church—Lehigh Univ
9:10pm Mass in Packer Church—Lehigh Univ

✕ **DEVOTIONAL LAMPS** ✕

\$10 PER WEEK PLEASE CALL EITHER RECTORY

Devotional Lamps @ Holy Ghost Church

Sanctuary

In Memory of ✕ Joseph & Anna Rich
by Bob & Eleanor Rich

Tabernacle (2)

In Memory of ✕Pasquale & Carmela D'Onofrio
by Bob & Eleanor Rich

St. Joseph

In Memory of ✕Andrew Spevak by Wife Mariann

B.V.M

Health & Blessings on Connie Berry
by Bob & Eleanor Rich

Sacred Heart

Health & Blessings on Fred Schuster

St. Theresa

Health & Blessings on Lucille "KIKI" Rich
by Eleanor & Bob Rich

St. John the Hermit

In Memory of ✕ Buragino, Corroda & Shunk Families

St. (Padre) Pio - Our Lady of Pompeii

Health & Blessings on Catherine Sterlein

Infant of Prague - St. John Capistrano

Deceased Members Bechdolt / Boccardi Fams

Our Lady of Fatima

Health & Blessings on Jerry Berger

Pieta

In Memory of ✕Alexander & Elizabeth Trotsky

St. Vincent DePaul Chapel / Tabernacle Lamp

In Memory of ✕George & Concetta Petito,
Rosemarie Petito Hare & Joanne Petito

✕ **Devotional Lamps** ✕

Incarnation of Our Lord

Sanctuary Lamp

In Memory of

✕ Francis J. & Anna Blonar by Grandchildren

Blessed Virgin Mary Lamp

In Memory of

✕Deceased members of Kropinicki Family
by Sandy Bosak

St. Joseph Lamp

In Memory of

✕Deceased Members of Bosak Family
by Sandy Bosak

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