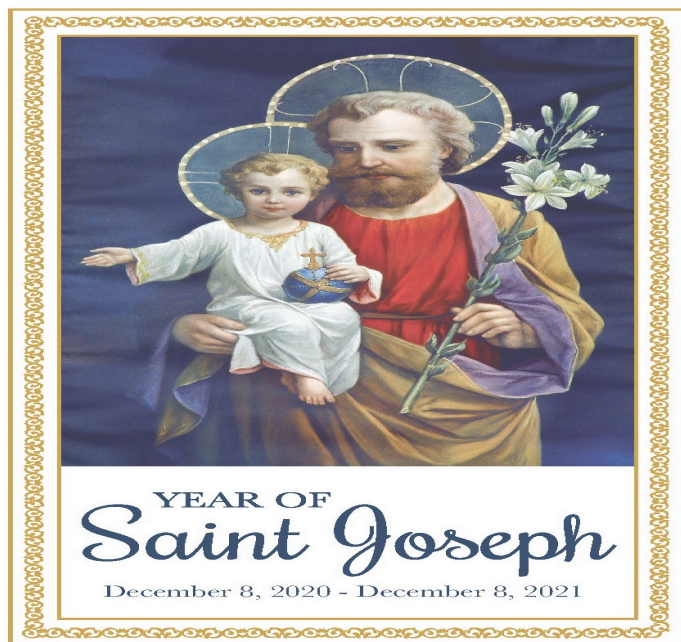


25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 19th



## Holy Ghost Church

A Roman Catholic Parish of the  
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*Founded in 1871 as a*

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—150th Anniversary—

—1871—2021—

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## Incarnation of Our Lord

A Roman Catholic Parish of the  
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*Founded in 2008 as a merger of Slovak,  
Hungarian, Windish, Polish and  
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*“Many Pasts, ONE United Future.”*

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Year of Real  
**PRESENCE**  
CENTERED IN THE HOLY EUCHARIST



## **FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK**

*My dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,*

Jesus says in today's holy Gospel, "If anyone wishes to be first, they must become as a little child." Most of us do not suffer physical death or torture because we are followers of Jesus. Our sacrifice is much more common and widespread. The law of "servant leadership" that Jesus imposes on us is the only road to salvation. In order to be an "essential worker" in the field of God, we must die to ourselves and take the last place. For those of us who are intent at having our way, that is a HUGE SACRIFICE. We will be tempted to fight to impose our will in every situation, but that is not the style of a disciple of Jesus Christ. He was willing to face opposition and persecution for the sake of the Kingdom of God. So, we must imitate the Master and follow in childlike humility. In a society that is increasingly hostile and belligerent toward our Faith and its teachings, we must learn to inwardly acknowledge our dignity as Children of God. We must hold our heads high and learn that "to reign is to SERVE!"

Asking His blessings for you and your families,  
Yours in Christ,

**Father David J. Kozak**

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### **Incarnation of Our Lord Fall Bazaar**

**Sat., Oct. 9th — 12noon to 7 pm.**

There will be a bake sale, tricky tray baskets, 50/50 raffle and fantastic food. If you would like to donate to the tricky tray we are accepting new items, gift cards, monetary donations. Items can be dropped off at the church before or after mass. You can put gift cards and monetary donations in a envelope and put in collection baskets by Sept., 30th. Or call Pat Krycia (610) 703-0857 if you have any questions or leave message and I will get back to you. 2021 FALL BAKE SALE: w/our Annual Fall Bazaar, which will be held on SAT., OCT. 9th, from Noon – 7PM in Labuda Hall. If you are interested in donating homemade baked goods, jams, jellies, candy, or homemade canned items of any kind for our event, please call Rosemarie Csaszar @ 610-866-7927! All items can be brought to Labuda Hall on Fri., Oct. 8th, or on Sat., Oct. 9th, before 10:00AM! Many volunteers are needed to make this bake sale/bazaar a success and your cooperation and assistance would be greatly appreciated!



## **Incarnation Parish Senior Group**

New members are invited to join our group. Meetings are held on the 1st Wed. of the month at 12 noon. Finger foods are served and bingo is played. Next meeting on Wed., OCT. 6th. Any questions contact any officer. Pres. Rosemarie Csaszar 610-866-7927. Vice Pres. Barbara Raykos 610-867-0774. Sec. Jo Zavec 610-867-0260. Tres. Mike Vidumsky 610-530-1528.

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### **(INC) Our Incarnation Parish Senior's Group**

will once again be participating in this year's "Friends Helping Friends Discount Event" to be held @ all Boscov's Department Stores in our area. This year's event will take place Wed., Oct. 20th 8am—11pm You will be given a 25% discount shopping pass to be used for all of your purchases made on that day, however, no other discounts or promotions can be used in conjunction with this event! The Senior Group will receive 100% of your donation. When you pay for your purchases, mention to the cashier that you are a member of "Incarnation of Our Lord Seniors Group, Bethlehem, PA". Registers will have code #s to represent each participating group and will aid in proper credit for each group. Come on out and support our Seniors! More Info call Barbara Raykos 610-867-0774 Thank you!

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### **ALL ARE WELCOME!!!**

We the people of Holy Ghost and Incarnation of Our Lord Churches, are Catholic communities that worship God, spreads the Good News of Christ, and serves those in need. Come into the house. Bring all you are, no need to check your failures at the door. There are no perfect people here. You are all invited: come, Come in seeking, come in wondering, and come in hurting. Come into the house of companionship and compassion. Come in. You are welcome here. Holy Ghost / Incarnation of Our Lord Churches opens their doors to you.

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### **Holy Ghost / SS. Cyril & Methodius Cemetery Clean-up Reminder**

If anyone has any summer gravesite decorations that are still in our parish cemeteries, please make an effort to remove anything you don't want thrown away by November 8th. Fr. Dave wants to make sure our cemeteries are prepared for the winter. Thank you for your kind attention to this matter.

**WELCOME BACK TO CHURCH:**

**MASKS** Fully vaccinated people are no longer required to wear a face mask or stay six (6) feet away from others in most settings, whether outdoors or indoors. The change only applies to fully vaccinated people (those who have received BOTH vaccinations and two weeks have passed since the time of the second vaccination).

**ALL OTHERS SHOULD WEAR A MASK!**

**Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator Ms. Wendy S. Krisak, M.A., NCC, LPC, Direct Telephone Number: 1-800-791-9209**

**Secretary for Youth Protection Pamela J. Russo, MSW, MS Telephone Number: 610-871-5200, Ext. 2204 prusso@allentowndiocese.org**

To learn more about the Diocese of Allentown's Youth Protection Programs, Sexual Abuse Policy, and Code of Conduct, visit [www.allentowndiocese.org](http://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](http://www.ReportBishopAbuse.org) or by calling 800-276-1562.

**(HG) 2021 FINAL Garage Sale**  
**Saturday, OCTOBER 9th—9am—1pm**  
**(rain date 10/16)**

**Items can be dropped off ANYTIME until October. 4th.**

**Please NOTE!** call the rectory before coming to drop off items to make sure someone is here to receive them.

**Do NOT leave items outside of the garage.**

**YEAR OF THE REAL PRESENCE**

**2021—2022 Added times of Adoration of Blessed Sacrament at Holy Ghost Parish**  
Saturdays 3:00pm—3:55pm preceding the Saturday 4pm Mass during Confessions and First Fridays, from the end of the 8am Mass to 12 noon.  
And at Incarnation of Our Lord Parish  
Saturdays 3:00pm—3:55pm  
preceding the Saturday 4pm Mass during Confessions  
**ADORATION TIMES are In EFFECT now UNTIL Solemnity of Corpus Christi 2022**

**HOLY GHOST KITCHEN**

**SOUR CHERRY** **PIE SALE**

**THIS WEEKEND**

**Pick-up: Sat., 9/18, and Sun., 9/19**  
\$12 per pie ordered at pick-up

**Mark your calendars for the HOLIDAY FOOD MARKET on December 12th & 11th.**

Everything homemade: Jams, Jellies, Chow Chow, Apple Butter, Spaghetti Sauce, Kiffles, Rolls, Pierogi Casserole, Cabbage & Noodles & Candy

**(HG) Monthly Coffee & Donuts**

**Next one is Sun., Oct. 10th**



**Nov. 21st w Turkey Drawing**  
**Dec. 19th w Ham Drawing**  
all after 10am Mass

**Monocacy Manor Farm's**  
**6th Annual Food Festival**

**Sat., Oct. 16, '21 from 11-4 pm.**

An exciting day of fun/safe activities, local food & artisan vendors, live music, crafts & activities, Bob Swain's Bikes & Toys, Raffles, and more...

**1st 100 Families - Free Goodie Bag**

**Suggested Donation:**

**\$5 Per Person, \$10 per family**  
**Free Parking**

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

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 August winners - Stephanie Turek (\$93.75), Michele Anderko (\$56.25), Mr. & Mrs. Leonard Toth (\$37.50).

Dan Schantz “Monthly Madness” Fundraiser Cards are back! For \$20, you get a different floral item each month for one year, to be picked up at the Greenhouse & Flower Outlet on Lehigh Street, and they don’t expire. Please contact Bonnie Zsilavec (484-892-0464; mobile) to purchase or for more information.

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

- Halupki Sale – Saturday, 10/30/21
- Parish Breakfast – Sunday, 11/14/21
- Church Christmas Decorating – Saturday, 11/27/21

### **Incarnation Financials**

Weekly collection for 9 / 12= \$ 2,199.00

Online Giving = \$ 238.00

**Total = \$ 2,437.00 THANK YOU!**

**Can you do more for your Parish?**



**Respect  
Life**

#### **Pennsylvania March for Life**

Monday, September 27, 2021

PA State Capitol. Harrisburg

Bus leaves at 8:30am from

Our Lady of Perpetual Help

\$10.00. Bring drinks and lunch.

Send the message to our legislators:

Vote to protect life. Act now before  
it is too late!

### **(HG) “Using your noodle”**

After a long absence have resumed making “Oodles of Noodles” on Mondays.

Since we lost several of our beloved dedicated noodlers and we need to rebuild. **WE NEED VOLUNTEERS BADLY.** No experience needed. Any assistance will be greatly appreciated. Any questions contact Steph Lee 610-248-5303. Donations of Flour and Eggs are ALWAYS welcome!!!

### **Holy Ghost “ GRAB N GO ONLY” DINNER SERIES**

On Saturday night after 4pm Mass til 6:00 ONLY  
MUST BE PRE ORDERED

PAYMENT MUST ACCOMPANY ORDER  
MOST DINNERS \$12-

**Order DEADLINE MON. Oct. 25th**

**SAT., OCTOBER 30th—Pasta W Meatballs OR Sausage with Bread & Salad \$12**

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.

### **Future SATURDAY “GRAB N GO”**

Sat. November 13th— Stuffed Flounder W Crab Meat \$15.00 or 2 Crab Patties \$12.00

Sat. January 1st—Pork N Kraut Dinner \$12.00

### **Holy Ghost Financials**

Weekly collection for 9 / 12= \$ 2,090.00

plus Online Giving = \$ 210.00

**Total = \$ 2,300.00 THANK YOU!**

**Can you do more for your Parish?**

### **R.C.I.A.**

R.C.I.A. classes will be starting in October for both Incarnation and Holy Ghost parishes. They are intended for anyone who would like to be received into the Catholic Faith, whether baptized or not, a Catholic who needs to be confirmed, or is just interested in learning more about Catholicism. If interested, please call Ron at Holy Ghost Rectory at 610-867-9382 #3.

(HG) ✘ 4pm—Helen & Louis Sule by Sandy Sule  
(INC) 4pm ✘ Mahaletz & Ezar Families by Francis Ezar

**SUN. September 19th**

**25th Sunday on Ordinary Time**

(INC) 9am ✘ Living & Deceased Members of the  
Parish Seniors Group

(HG) 10am ✘ 65th Wedding Anniv. of Al & Rosemarie  
Schadle Congratulations and Best Wishes.!!!

(INC) 11am— POLISH Mass ✘

(HG) 4:00pm—Mass in the ANGLICAN Rite

12:10pm (LU) Packer Memorial Church

✘ Fr. Cliff Bishop by the Behe Family

9:10pm Packer Memorial Church

MON. Sept. 20th — Sts. Andrew Kim Tae-gon &  
Paul Chong Ha- sang and Companions

(HG) 8:00am ✘ John Zavec by Wife JoJo

TUES. Sept 21st — St. Matthew, Evangelist

(HG) 8:00am ✘ Elizabeth Wiley by Dee & Coy Teague

WED. Sept 22nd— Ordinary Time Weekday

(HG) 8:00am ✘ Vicki Nicoletta by Family

THURS. Sept. 23rd — St. Pius Of Pietrelcina (Padre Pio)

(HG) 8:00am ✘ Andrew Schneider by Maureen Dresen

FRI. Sept. 24th —Ordinary Time Weekday

(HG) 8:00am ✘ Thomas B. Rock

Adoration follows Mass til 12 noon

SAT. Sept. 25th Anticipated Sunday Mass

(INC) (HG) Adoration 3-3:55pm Confessions (3-3:45pm)

(HG) 3:35pm Rosary

(HG) ✘ 4pm—✘ Joseph & Helen Alfonso  
by the Grandchildren

(INC) 4pm ✘ Michael Stephan, Jr. by the Family

**SUN. September 26th**

**26th Sunday on Ordinary Time**

(INC) 9am ✘ Mary Stofanak by Paul Szabo .Jr.

(HG) 10am ✘ Robert Thompson by Maureen Dresen

(INC) 11am— POLISH Mass ✘

(HG) 4:00pm—Mass in the ANGLICAN Rite

12:10pm (LU) Packer Memorial Church

✘ Living & Deceased Members of the LaTassa Family  
by the Behe Family

9:10pm Packer Memorial Church

✘ **DEVOTIONAL LAMPS** ✘

**\$10 PER WEEK**

**PLEASE CALL EITHER RECTORY**

Devotional Lamps @ Holy Ghost Church

Sanctuary

In Memory of ✘ Roseann Ruth

by Dan & Helen Bobeck

Tabernacle (2)

In Memory of ✘ In Memory of ✘ Matthew J. Ragusa

St. Joseph

In Memory of ✘ Andrew Spevak by Wife Mariann

B.V.M

In Memory of ✘ Rose Konkolics by the Family

Sacred Heart

In Memory of ✘ Joseph R. Murphy, Jr. by Wife Jane

St. Theresa

Health & Blessings on Boots Horwath

St. John the Hermit

In Memory of ✘ Buragino, Corroda & Shunk Fams.

St. (Padre) Pio - Our Lady of Pompeii

Health & Blessings on Andrew Surovi

Infant of Prague - St. John Capistrano

✘ Deceased Members Bechdolt / Boccardi Fams

Our Lady of Fatima

In Memory of ✘ Mark Kuronya by Marge Kusler

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 Church

Sanctuary Lamp

Living & deceased Members of Slovak  
Catholic Sokols #78

BVM Lamp

In Memory of ✘ John Zavec

by Granddaughter Brenna

St. Joseph Lamp—

In Memory of ✘ Harry & Anna M.

Herman by Grandsons Matthew &

Michael Blanar



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