

# INCARNATION CATHOLIC CHURCH



DOMVS MEA DOMVS ORATIONIS VOCABITVR

*My house shall be called a house of prayer (Mt 21:13)*

Msgr. Steven Zak, Pastor; Rev. John O'Brien, Associate Pastor

Deacons: Dominic Pontrelli, Serj Harutunian

*Other Pastoral Staff and Parish Contacts listed inside (p. 3).*

**TWENTY SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**SEPTEMBER 2, 2018**

Sunday Mass Readings can be found in our hymnals at no. 1156

**MASS SCHEDULE:**

Monday through Saturday: 8:30 AM and 5:30 PM

Sunday: 7:30, 9:00, 10:30 AM, 12:00 PM and 5:30 PM

**OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP DEVOTION & BENEDICTION:**

Wednesdays: 6:00 PM

**BLESSED SACRAMENT CHAPEL (SE wing of Parish Center)**

Silent prayer & meditation, Monday - Friday, 9:15 AM to 5:00 PM

*Exposition and Adoration every Friday.*

**BAPTISMS:** Contact parish office.

**CONFESSIONS:** Saturdays 3:30 to 4:30 PM

**MARRIAGES:** Contact parish office to set an appointment at least six months before desired date.

**INCARNATION PARISH  
MISSION STATEMENT**

*Incarnation Catholic Church is a house of prayer welcoming people of all backgrounds to be nourished by the Eucharist and the Word.*

*As a family of faith we strive*

*to grow ever closer to God*

*and to one another in Christ Jesus*

*so that we may be*

*a beacon of light and grace and hope*

*for our local community and for the world.*

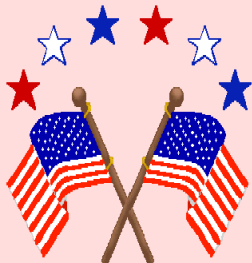
**LABOR DAY MASS**

**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 3**

**10:00 AM**

This will be the only Mass on Labor Day.

There will be no Mass at 8:30 AM or 5:30 PM



*We invite everyone*

*for fellowship and refreshments*

*on the patio*

*immediately following Mass.*

**Please Note:** Parish Offices

will be closed Monday,

September 3, for the holiday.



**Young in Spirit!**

Incarnation's Seniors

**JOIN US FOR OUR FIRST**

**MEETING OF THE YEAR!**

**Wed., September 5, 12 NOON, School Auditorium**

**See article on page 2 for more information.**

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

**&**

**CONFIRMATION 2018 - 2019**

**Opening Day is Next Sunday,**

**September 9!**

For registration information, please see pages 2 & 3.



## Incarnation Youth Ministry

Teens Reflect & Share their Experience  
From the City of Saints Teen Conference

### KAYLEE CONTRERAS

**What was your experience at the City of Saints Conference?** It was unforgettable one and really opened my relationship with God and helped come back to my faith. It was quite an emotional rollercoaster.

**What part of the City of Saints Conference impacted you?** Confession. It gave me such a deeper relationship with my faith. It allowed me to release my burdens and feel like a new person.

**What would you tell other teens who are considering attending City of Saints next year?** I would tell them to definitely go because it gives you a deeper and relationship with God. You learn that you're not alone, no matter how bad your situation is.

**What did you gain from this weekend and how will you use it in your life and in your parish?** The most important information I gained was that I'm never alone. Sometimes in life you feel so alone that you don't even know what to do with yourself and your thoughts. But I learned that you have to give it all up to God, no matter how much it hurts. Leave all up to him.



### JASMINE GOC

**What was your experience at the City of Saints Conference?** It was unforgettable. From the intriguing testimonies, to the bonding time among our group, City of Saints 2018 was an experience that one might find hard to achieve. Something about being in the same environment with people who share the same faith is unique and honestly kind of stress relieving. You can put down your act and not be judged. You can build your relationships with people you already know and make new, supportive friendships within the three days.

**What part of the City of Saints Conference impacted you?** Adoration and Confession! In one part of my life, I felt lost and confused. Through prayer, lots of reflecting, and confession, I felt renewed and felt that my questions were answered. It felt so relieving for my issues to be solved.

**What would you tell other teens who are considering attending City of Saints next year?** Do it! Especially if you're in need of that "Jesus High" hehehehe.

**What did you gain from this weekend and how will you use it in your life and in your parish?** I gained many friendships and much confidence from being able to share my faith freely. I also grew in my faith, and hope to keep improving on this. I will use my experience and what I've gained from City of Saints during Confirmation as a part of the Core Team. I want to assist others to better their relationship with God, and the weekend experience will definitely help me do so.

## Celebrant Schedule for Sunday Mass

SAT., SEP. 1, 5:30 PM: FR. O'BRIEN  
SUN., SEP. 2, 7:30 AM: MSGR. HEFNER  
9:00 AM: FR. O'BRIEN  
10:30 AM: MSGR. HEFNER  
12:00 PM: FR. O'BRIEN  
5:30 PM: FR. O'BRIEN

SAT., SEP. 8, 5:30 PM: FR. O'BRIEN  
SUN., SEP. 9, 7:30 AM: FR. O'BRIEN  
9:00 AM: MSGR. HEFNER  
10:30 AM: MSGR. ZAK  
12:00 PM: FR. O'BRIEN  
5:30 PM: MSGR. ZAK



*Msgr. Zak will be away from Incarnation through Sep. 8.*

## Readings for the Week ~ Sep. 3 - 9

Mon: 1 Cor 2:1-5; Ps 119:97-102; Lk 4:16-30, or, for Labor Day, any readings from the Mass "For the Blessings of Human Labor," nos. 907-911  
Tue: 1 Cor 2:10-16; Ps 145:8-14; Lk 4:31-37  
Wed: 1 Cor 3:1-9; Ps 33:12-15, 20-21; Lk 4:38-44  
Thur: 1 Cor 3:18-23; Ps 24:1-6; Lk 5:1-11  
Fri: 1 Cor 4:1-5; Ps 37:3-6, 27-28, 39-40; Lk 5:33-39  
Sat: Mi 5:1-4 or Rom 8:28-30; Ps 13:6; Mt 1:1-16, 18-23  
**23<sup>RD</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time:**  
Is 35:4-7; Ps 146: 6-10; Jas 2:1-5; Mk 7:31-37

## MASS INTENTIONS

Sat., Sep. 1 5:30 JOSEPHINE SADIO (RIP)  
Sun., Sep. 2 7:30 JOSEPHINE MENEZES (RIP)  
9:00 JEANNIE DEOCAMPO (RIP)  
10:30 JAMES BODAMI (RIP)  
12:00 PEOPLE OF INCARNATION (INT)  
5:30 MANUEL R. DEGUZMAN (RIP)  
Mon., Sep. 3 10:00 MASS  
Tue., Sep. 4 8:30 DECEASED RAYLON FAMILY & FRIENDS (RIP)  
5:30 SANDRA EMNACE (INT)  
Wed., Sep. 5 8:30 VITO LARICCHIA (RIP)  
5:30 ANTONY PAYNE (INT)  
Thur., Sep. 6 8:30 RESTIE NORIEGA (INT)  
5:30 MARINA DE LEON (INT)  
Fri., Sep. 7 8:30 DANNY & MARILOU DECASTRO (INT)  
5:30 COLLECTIVE INTENTION  
(Arnold Baltazar, RIP; Carmelita Reyes, RIP; Rafael Elarmo Torres, INT)  
Sat., Sep. 8 8:30 COLLECTIVE INTENTION  
(Antonio Coyoca, RIP; Adriano Bartolome, RIP; Florentina D. De Mesa, RIP; Abby Comes, INT)

## 22<sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME September 2, 2018



*"Humbly welcome the word  
that has been planted in you  
and is able to save your souls."*

— James 1:21

### Special Prayer Requests

**For the Sick:** Rufina Guinto, Arial & Lorna Hilario.

**For the Deceased:** Rosemarie Campbell, Donna Ioppini.

### Religious Education / Fall 2018 - 2019 Opening Day is Sunday, September 9

To register Kindergarten -8th grade students and for other information, please call **Gloria Figueroa**, Director of Religious Education, 818-242-2579 x 131.

### Children's Choir Recruiting

We are looking to add 19 new members to this choir that leads the assembly's singing at the 9 AM Mass. *Requirements:* A 2<sup>ND</sup> grader who has already received his/her *First Communion* up to the 6<sup>TH</sup> grade from the parish or public school—children of registered families at Incarnation. The Children's Choir has sung at the Cathedral of Our Lady of the Angels, the Summer Concert Series, among other parish-wide Masses at Incarnation. The choir has great support, including a consultative Board, a corporate donor in New York Life, and super-awesome parent support. For more information and an application packet, please stop by our display at the Parish Center Patio this weekend!

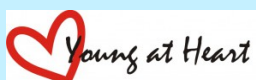
### Incarnation's Seniors ~ Young in Spirit!

***JOIN US FOR OUR FIRST MEETING OF THE YEAR!***

**Wednesday, September 5**  
**School Auditorium, 12 NOON.**  
Membership renewal of \$15.00 will be due. Please bring a bag lunch and we'll provide coffee and enjoy an ice cream social!



We meet the first Wednesday of the month from Sept. through June. Our meetings are informative, fun and occasionally include entertainment. We also take fun trips throughout the year and **all ages are welcome on trips!**



For questions, please phone Dolores at 818-247-2878!

### Mission Coop Appeal Results

Last weekend we welcomed *Fr. Rico Villareal*, a visiting missionary priest from the Archdiocese of San Pablo in the Philippines. Your donations totaled \$11,662. Thank you very much for your generosity in supporting this missionary activity in the Philippines.

### Want to Learn More About Your Faith?

Are you an active Catholic who would like to learn more about your faith? Or maybe you haven't received your First Communion and/or Confirmation. Join our Adult Ed Sacrament Preparation Class. This is an 8-session class that will begin October 4<sup>th</sup> through January 24<sup>th</sup>. The class will be limited to only 10 people, so sign up now. For more information, contact Dcn. Dominic at [dcn.dominic@outlook.com](mailto:dcn.dominic@outlook.com) or call 818/627-5595.

### Thank You! Thank You! Thank You!

The Women's Guild would like to thank everyone who worked and/or donated items to this year's rummage sale. **We raised over \$3,200** from the two day sale and look forward to getting the lighting installed soon. We very much appreciate your generosity of time and talent!

### Naturalization Application Assistance Workshop

**Saturday, September 8<sup>th</sup>, 9am-3pm**

Incarnation Community Center, 214 W Fairview Ave., Room G001(Basement). Appointment recommended, but not required. Walk-ins are welcome! To register, please call 818-409-0057.

### Families with Young Children Are Welcome at Incarnation

Jesus said "Let the little children come to me" and we are happy that you bring your little children to Mass with you. When they make a little noise, that simply means they are making joyful sounds to the Lord, and that is fine! If you ever feel that they need to be taken outside for a moment, that too is fine, but make sure to bring them back — families and small children are important parts of our community here at Incarnation! We are making plans to renovate the Children's Chapel (Cry Room) to make it more appealing for families and children to use, so if you have any suggestions, please get them to our Pastoral Council. It's not easy bringing toddlers and small children to Mass, dealing with their strollers and other necessary items, and we want to do whatever we can do to help with this. So, let the little children come to Jesus, and feel free to bring them to Mass at Incarnation!



**High School Confirmation 2018  
is ready to**



**Next Sunday, September 9<sup>th</sup>  
from 3pm to 5pm (TEENS ONLY)**

**This Kick-Off Event is for both  
New and Returning Candidates!**

**Check the parish website  
for our calendar for the year!**

**STILL HAVE NOT REGISTERED?  
IT IS NOT TOO LATE!**



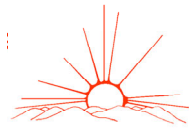
**THIS SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 2<sup>ND</sup>  
FROM 10AM TO 2PM  
AND EVERY WEEK DAY  
FROM 3PM-7PM  
AT THE COMMUNITY CENTER  
(214 W. Fairview Ave. – Room G101)**

**RETURNING CANDIDATES  
MUST REGISTER TOO!**

For additional information, please contact  
Ruben Castorena, Director of Confirmation and  
Youth Ministry at 818-731-7389 or email him at  
[confirmyouth@incaglendale.org](mailto:confirmyouth@incaglendale.org)

**Get Away for a *Weekend Retreat***

Don't miss out on an opportunity for  
spiritual renewal with fellow parishioners.  
Come for a peaceful, spiritual retreat.



Both the men's and women's retreats will be at the  
beautiful Mater Dolorosa Passionist Retreat Center in  
Sierra Madre. Each weekend begins with a buffet supper  
at 6 PM on Friday and ends with a buffet lunch and blessing  
at 1:15 PM on Sunday.

**Men's Retreat: September 21 - 23**

Please call Jim Trinity at **818-241-9087** or Jim Dyrness at  
**818-800-2504** for information and reservations.

**Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults**

RCIA welcomes adults wanting to become Catholic and  
Catholics who want to learn more about their faith!

*The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)* is a  
process involving various steps (rites) and stages that lead  
adults into full communion with the Catholic Church. This  
process is for: 1) Adults, unbaptized, who want to become  
Catholic; 2) Adults, baptized non-Catholic, who want to  
become Catholic; 3) Adults, baptized Catholic, who want  
to receive 1<sup>ST</sup> Communion and/or Confirmation and  
Catholics who want to learn more about their faith. Any-  
one interested should contact Dcn. Dominic (818-627-  
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**Parish Contacts**

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