

Immaculate Conception Church

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OFFICE HOURS:

Monday - Friday after Holy Mass or by appointment



THE SACRAMENT OF THE EUCHARIST:

Saturday Mass of Anticipation: 4:00 P.M.
Sunday 9:00 A.M., 12:00 P.M. and 6:00 P.M.
Holy Days: Please check bulletin.
Weekdays and Saturdays: 8:00 A.M.
Except Thursday at 7:00 P.M. with Novena

DIVINE MERCY PERPETUAL ADORATION CHAPEL

THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Saturday at 3:30 P.M. or upon request.

THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

Sunday upon request. Prior arrangements must be made at the rectory for instruction for parents and godparents.

THE SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY:

Arrangements should begin at least six months before the proposed date of the wedding to allow sufficient time for the marriage preparation program.

NEW PARISHIONERS:

If you are new in the parish, please introduce yourself after Mass and register at the Parish office. Kindly notify us if you change your address.

PARISH SECRETARY:

Bulletin - Lynn Dunham - 845-338-1333 (cell-914-388-2643)

ORGANIST/MUSIC DIRECTOR:

Lauren Ingrassia - 845 - 419-5254
David Kwiecinski - 845 - 430-6022
Practice/rehearsal Tuesday 6:30 PM

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:

Karen Wereszynski - 845-331-7352
Wednesday Classes from 6:00 - 7:30 P.M.

PARISH COUNCIL:

As announced

ROSARY SOCIETY:

Meets first Sunday after 9:00 AM Mass

MT. CALVARY CEMETERY

410 Flatbush Road, Route 32, Kingston, NY

Our church is accessible to those who are physically challenged

Dear Padre

April 14, 2024

What is a "covenant," and how are marriage and covenant related?

"Covenant" is the word the Church employs to define and describe the sacrament of matrimony. It is clearly based on the idea of "covenant" contained in Scripture. In contrast, society uses the related word "contract," as in the "marriage contract." However, these two words do not mean the same thing.

The meaning of "contract" is too limited to contain the full commitment of Christian marriage. When you sign a contract, you are legally bound only to its terms. You need not do more or less than what is stipulated in its wording. Warmth and concern for the well-being of one party for the other are not stipulated in a contract.

A covenant, on the other hand, is different. Although it may contain some aspects of contract, it establishes a personal relationship of closeness, affection, and warmth, and it locks the couple into a mutual commitment to each other's well-being.

As God freely chose Israel from all the nations possible, so do two people choose each other from all other people. As God declared, "I will take you as my people, and I will be your God" (Exodus 6:7). In the same way, a husband and wife pledge total commitment to each other.

Christian marriage bears the same characteristics of covenant commitment—the personal relationship of caring, loyalty, intimacy, exclusivity, permanency, and, above all, love; hence the use of "covenant" to define Christian marriage. ●

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We are the Immaculate Conception Parish in Kingston, New York. Our Baptismal vows commit us to know, love, and serve God. We are challenged by our present times to build a community of faith and love in the Holy Spirit. Our mission is to proclaim the word of God and serve His people.

APRIL 14, 2024

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

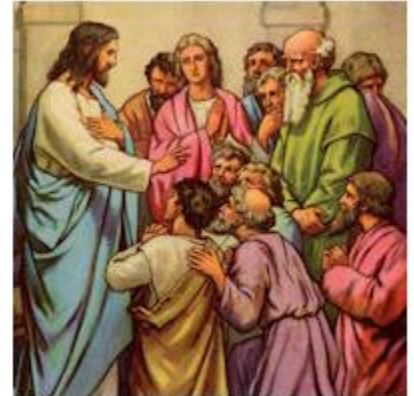
Saturday, April 13, 2024

4 PM – (Vigil) – The Certoma Family by Kathy VanDine

Sunday, April 14, 2024

9 AM – Michael Stabile by Carl & Kathie Janasiewicz
 12 PM – Mr. & Mrs. Raymond F. Prusak by Family
 6 PM - Marie Prusack Gallagher by Rosanne & Roger Yetzer

Mon. 8 AM – C. Joseph Styles by Sister, Lillian
 Tues. 8 AM – Phyllis Sharples by Tony & Kim Turck
 Wed. 8 AM – Theresa Barnett by Lorraine Krasinski
 Thurs. 7 PM - Health & Blessings for Robert Carra by Grazyna
 Fri. 8 AM - In Thanksgiving to St. Anthony for a Special Intention
 Sat. 8 AM - Souls in Purgatory in Thanksgiving for favors received by Joan Saehloff



Saturday, April 20, 2024

4 PM – (Vigil) – Deceased Cwill Family by Mary Ann Cwill

Sunday, April 21, 2024

9 AM – Marianna Kulesza by Zygmunt Family
 12 PM – Peggy Gorman (7th Ann.) by Family
 6 PM – Eleanor & Anthony Urciuoli by Fran & Jerry Gretzinger

<u>DATES</u>	<u>LECTORS</u>	<u>EXTRAOR. MINISTERS</u>	<u>ALTAR SERVERS</u>
Sat., April 20	4 PM Frank Jablonski	Kathy VanDine	J. Kwiecinski
Sun., April 21	9 AM Lynn Dunham	Tom Glaser	M. Engracia
	12 PM Margaret Cahill	Richard Cahill, Jr.	D. Bujak
	6 PM Jerry Gretzinger	Francine Gretzinger	T. Jones
Sat., April 27	4 PM Michael Janasiewicz	Kathy VanDine	J. Kwiecinski
Sun., April 28	9 AM Jerry Gretzinger	Francine Gretzinger	M. Engracia
	12 PM Margaret Cahill	Richard Cahill, Jr.	D. Bujak, M. Dominowski
	6 PM Marie Anderson		T Jones
Sat., May 4	4 PM Frank Jablonski	Mary Ann Cwill	J. Kwiecinski
Sun., May 5	9 AM Bruce McLean	Richard Cahill, Jr.	M. Engracia
	12 PM Margaret Cahill		D. Bujak
	6 PM Glenn Podgurski		T. Jones

SACRAMENTALS



Chapel: 1) June Griggs, Richard W. Griggs II, Richard W. Griggs III by Nancy Brucker
 2) Thanking God for His many blessings by the Minter Family

Tabernacle: Available

O. L. Czestochowa: Available

Divine Mercy: Available

HERE COMES THE SPIRIT!

Sr. Carol Perry makes the Bible come alive! Sat., April 27 at 1 PM, St. Joseph's Church, Wall St., Kingston. Doors open at 12 Noon.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND

Pray for Kayla Nickerson, Mary Scafidi, Frances Scafidi, Margie Santiago, Mimi & Louis DeGaetano, Carol Hanyak., Pinley Soote, Janet Talbot, Deb DeAngelis, Joseph Petramale, Ray Simonetty, Gabriel Romero, Mark Wangstad, Josephine Naccarato, Maryanna Bittner, Nicholas Turck, Elizabeth Peterson, Diane Demskie, Urszula Marut, James Brown, Carolina Martinez-Brown, Dawn Kearney, Carol Tubby, Baby Allison Marie, Joan Houghtaling, John Bechtold, Wanda Grochowski, Gerard R. Williams, David Argust, James Mateo, Bill Henry, Mary May, Jim Rioux, Kathleen Houghtaling, Carol Kelder, Carol Gregory, Diann Lindberg Keyser, Richard Shultis, Josh Katz, Mary Darlene Snyder, Lillian Adams, Waldemar Kulesza, Angela Houghtaling, Eileen Reis, Sarah Davis, Vince Kelder, Przemyslaw Tierling, Grazyna & Ryszard Bajerski..

CHOIR MASS SCHEDULE

April 21 at 12 Noon and April 14 & 28 at 9 AM.

ENROLLMENT MASS

The Enrollment Mass for the Sacrament classes will be held today at the 9 AM Mass. Parishioners will be asked to spiritually “adopt” one of the candidates and to pray for her/him during their preparation time.

CONFIRMATION MEETING FOR PARENTS/SPONSORS

A meeting for the sponsors and parents of the Confirmation candidates from St. Catherine Laboure and our parish program will take place in the Parish Center on *Tues., April 16 at 6:30 PM.*



CARDINAL'S ANNUAL STEWARDSHIP APPEAL

Our prayerful thanks and gratitude to those who have donated to the Appeal. *We have reached and exceeded our parish goal of \$19,400 thanks to your continued support and generosity to our parish and the Appeal!*

BAZAAR 2024 MEETING



A meeting for our annual bazaar will be held on *Saturday, April 27th at 9 AM* in the Parish Center. The meeting is open to all who would like to volunteer. All chairpersons are encouraged to attend. Our Bazaar is a very important event for both our parish and community.

DOMINICAN UNIVERSITY NEW YORK

Open House for high school juniors, seniors, transfer students and their families on Sat., April 27. Information will be provided on the admissions process and generous scholarship programs. For more info.: admissions@duny.edu or call 845-848-7901.

SACRAMENTAL CANDLES

There are available dates for our Sacramental candles. Cost is \$10.00 per candle for the week. You can submit requested date(s), and place in the offertory basket with the candle intention and your contact information.

SCAM ALERT !!!!!

Parishioners have been receiving emails and texts from scammers posing as their Parish priests asking for help and trying to get money and gift cards. **Do not** believe these communications or reply to any of them. **Our priests would not and never have contacted parishioners for help in such a manner.**

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

Bulletin submissions must be submitted by email by 5 PM on Mondays to be included in that week's bulletin. Thank you.

*Thank you for celebrating the Eucharist with us. Please do not leave the Church before the final blessing.
Please take the bulletin with you and patronize the advertisers listed on the back of the bulletin.
A very Happy Birthday, Name's Day or Anniversary to those celebrating during the month of April!
Please consider your parish in your will. Thank you to everyone for the on-going support of our parish.*

VACATION SCHEDULES

Lectors, Extraordinary Ministers and Altar Servers, please submit vacation schedules to Lynn Dunham (914-388-2643) at least two weeks in advance. Thank you!

EUCCHARISTIC MIRACLES OF THE WORLD INTERNATIONAL VATICAN EXHIBITION

Panels depicting the Eucharistic Miracles of the world have been placed in the church. The International Vatican Exhibit is an extensive assortment of photographs and historical descriptions of some of the Eucharistic Miracles that took place throughout the ages in various countries of the world which have been recognized by the Church. *The full exhibit is available on our website. Our church will be open (handicapped entrance only) on Wednesday's, Friday's & Saturday's after 8 AM mass and Sundays until 7 PM to spend time visiting and viewing these fascinating events.*

MAY EUCCHARISTIC HOLY HOUR

The monthly Eucharistic Holy Hour will be held *on First Friday, May 3 at Immaculate Conception.* Confessions will be heard from 6-6:30 PM; followed by Exposition, Adoration and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament with guided meditations followed by vespers and other prayers.

BIBLE STUDY

Location: Immaculate Conception School

Tuesday's – 10 AM to 12N OR 6:30-8:30 PM

Program 2: Jesus: The Way, The Truth & The Life – 4/2-6/4/24. Study Guide plus online access \$27.95

Friday's – 10 AM to 12 Noon

Program 5: Lectio: Peter - Dr. Timothy Gray – Augustine Institute – Study Guide & Online access \$10. 4/19-6/10/24. *Any questions, call Lorraine Krasinski at 845-834-6030 or Val or Ron Kinter at 845-339-0475.*

DIVINE MERCY CHAPEL



The Divine Mercy Perpetual Adoration Chapel of Ulster County is open and welcoming new adorers to help worship, accompany and adore Jesus. **Please commit to a weekly hour and become a registered adorer to receive a key fob.** You may obtain more information by visiting immaculateconceptionkingston.com and clicking on the Adoration Chapel link; emailing dmac.iccny@gmail.com; or by calling Fr. Mirek at 845-331-0846.

ROAST PORK DINNER

Sat. April 20, Drive-thru Pickup only~4-6 PM at the White Eagle Hall. RSVP by April 16. Call Ellen at 845-339-3023. Adults: 16; Seniors: 15. Roast Pork w/applesauce, potato, veggie & dessert.

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