

# The Church of the Incarnation

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**Cantors**

Toni Munoz  
**Sacristan**

## Mass Schedule

Confessions on Saturdays from 3:45 - 4:30p.m.

Vigil Mass: Saturday at 5:00p.m.

Sunday Masses: 8:00, 9:30 & 11:00 a.m.

Daily Mass: (Mon. - Fri.) 9:00 a.m.

Recitation of the Rosary before  
9:00 a.m. daily Mass

## Sacrament of Baptism

By previous appointment

Sundays at 1:00 p.m. in the Baptistry of the Chapel.

## Weddings

Please contact a priest 6-10 months prior.

## New Parishioners and Faith Formation Registration

The Church of the Incarnation welcomes new parishioners. All forms are available at the main entrance of the church. Please mail or place in the collection basket.

You may also visit our website for printable forms at:  
[www.thechurchoftheincarnation.com](http://www.thechurchoftheincarnation.com)

## Rectory Hours

9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

**Rectory**  
(860) 529-2533

**Church Fax**  
(860) 721-6595

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(860) 529-6765 [gotellit@aol.com](mailto:gotellit@aol.com)

**Website address:** [www.thechurchoftheincarnation.com](http://www.thechurchoftheincarnation.com)

**SATURDAY, JUNE 19TH**

5:00pm - Edward Plona

**SUNDAY, JUNE 20TH**

8:00am - Joaquim Santos,  
Miguel Gaspar and  
Manuel Loura

9:30am - Delia, John & Frank O'Brien  
and Josephine & Raymond McMullen

11:00am -Fred, Alex & Frank Lepore

**MONDAY, JUNE 21ST**

9:00am- Raffaele Crocitti

**TUESDAY, JUNE 22ND**

9:00am- For all our parishioners

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 23RD**

9:00am—Giustino Mariani

**THURSDAY, JUNE 24TH**

9:00am—Myles Connolly Sr.

**FRIDAY, JUNE 25TH**

9:00 am – Raffaele & Angela Carmela  
Truilli

**SATURDAY, JUNE 26TH**

5:00 pm – Robert Fulham

**SUNDAY, JUNE 27TH**

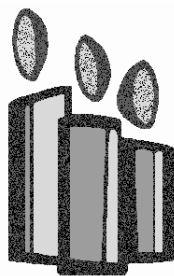
8:00 am – Nina & Carmen Montanile

9:30 am—Dennis, Mary, John, Joseph &  
George Setzko

11:00 am—Jack Cannarella

**The Sanctuary Candle**

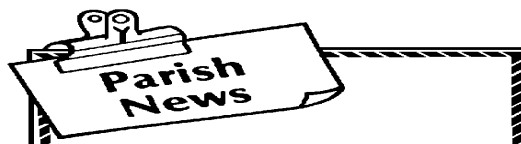
will burn from 6/21/2010 –  
6/27/2010 in memory of  
Joseph & Angeline  
Santomenno.



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**The Blessed Virgin Mary**

**Candle** will burn from  
6/21/2010—6/27/2010 in memory of The  
Living & Deceased Members of the Shea  
Families.



**There is a House of Bread collection this weekend.** Coffee & sugar are needed.



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**FATHER'S DAY BLESSING**

God our Father,  
in your wisdom and love  
you made all things.

Bless all men,  
that they may be strengthened  
as Christian fathers.

Let the example of their faith and love shine  
forth.

Grant that we, their sons and daughters,  
may honor them always  
with a spirit of profound respect.

**Happy Father's Day to all Fathers both  
living and deceased.**

**The Immaculate Conception Shelter and  
Housing Corp. will be selling raffle tickets  
at Incarnation next weekend, 6/26 & 27 to  
help support their Emergency Shelter and  
Supportive Housing Programs.** There will  
be seven generous prizes awarded in total.  
Please see the bulletin boards for a complete  
listing.



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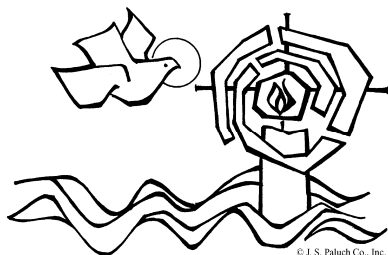


**(2010-2011) Registration for the Faith Formation Program for returning students is now closed.** Parish Family Home Communities have been arranged for grades 2-6. New students must include a copy of their Baptismal certificate unless your child was baptized at the Church of the Incarnation. Extra registration forms/welcome letter may be downloaded from our website address: [www.thechurchoftheincarnation.com](http://www.thechurchoftheincarnation.com).

**Those entering Gr. 9 (Sept. 2010) will receive a special invitation in Oct. for the Sacrament of Confirmation.**

**The Confirmation 2010 Retreat scheduled for September 19th has been changed to Sunday, October 17th from 1-5pm in Fr. Crawford Hall.** Sean Forrest, a national retreat director and an incredibly talented musician will direct this retreat.

**Faith Formation (Religious Education) formally begins in First Grade.** First Communion preparation begins in First Grade. The Kindergarten program entitled "Little Lambs" begins in October and is offered as an optional program.



**Message from The Archdiocese of Hartford.....**On April 30, 2009, and subsequently on September 8, 2009, you were asked by Archbishop Mansell to implement special guidelines in the face of the H1N1 flu epidemic. The Connecticut Department of Public Health has recently informed us that there is now little or no flu activity in the State of Connecticut. Therefore, we are withdrawing those special guidelines and ask that you resume normal practices. You may return to the traditional way of giving the sign of peace. Thank you for cooperating.

**Website Update:** Our parish website is being updated weekly. If you are a chairperson of a parish committee and have pictures of your events, please e-mail them to:

**[cincarnation@sbcglobal.net](mailto:cincarnation@sbcglobal.net).** We would love to place them on the parish website. Also, if you are sending e-mails to:

**[cincarnation@sbcglobal.net](mailto:cincarnation@sbcglobal.net),** please reference each message with "A question or comment from" (and place your name).

**SAVE THE DATES:** We are looking forward to two future 2010 Incarnation Women's Club and Men's Association events!! Join us for the Parish Pasta Night Blue Plate Special on October 25th and The West Side Holiday Shops on December 4th from 9-3:30pm.....both in Fr. Crawford Hall. More details to follow.....

## BAPTISMS

**Sebastian Vincent Diana**



*Stewardship Message.... "Who do you say that I am?" Jesus asks Peter in today's Gospel. Does my use of the gifts and talents entrusted to me accurately reflect my answer to that same question? How willing am I to deny myself, take up my cross, and follow in His steps?*

***Congratulations to all graduates from all of us at Incarnation!***

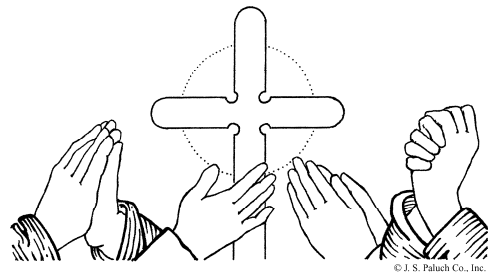
***The Catholic Book Store of the Archdiocese of Hartford has relocated to the Archdiocesan Center at St. Thomas Seminary, 467 Bloomfield Avenue, Bloomfield, CT 06002. Call (860) 246-5628 for more information or visit their web site at [www.catholicbkstore.org](http://www.catholicbkstore.org).***

***The House of Bread Thrift Store, located at 27 Chestnut St. in Hartford is seeking donations of household items that are sold at minimal cost to neighborhood people living in Hartford. Call (860) 549-4188 for a complete list of items that are requested.***

### **Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time June 20, 2010**

There is neither Jew nor Greek,  
there is neither slave nor free person,  
there is not male and female;  
for you are all one in Christ Jesus.

— *Galatians 3:28*



**Due to the recent Privacy Acts it has become increasingly difficult for priests to locate and visit parishioners in the hospital. If you are going to be admitted into the hospital, please inform the hospital that you are a member of Incarnation or call the rectory prior to your entry into the hospital. Thank you.**

**The Incarnation Men's Association Third Annual Golf Tournament Sunday, August 8, 2010 at 1pm at the Wethersfield Country Club. We will have a scramble format.** The Club has held it's prices of last year for golf. \$115.00 p.p. We are asking for non-player volunteers to help at the tournament, such as measuring closest to a pin on a par 3, raffle or monitoring play. We would also appreciate sponsors like we did last year. To help call Earle Munroe at (860) 563-0848 or Don Peterson at (860) 529-8482, leave msg.

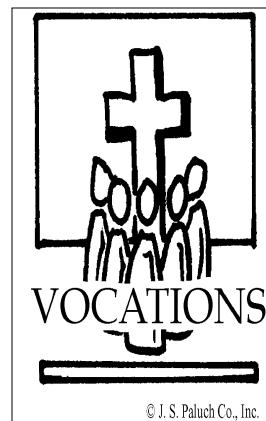
**Free Rosary Repair Service...**Send your broken rosaries in a padded envelope to: Betty and Dick Holden - November-April, 7930 Estero Blvd. #502, Fort Myers Beach, Florida 33931...May-October., 7 Crane Place, Simsbury, CT 06070. They will be repaired and returned to you within the week of receipt. Donations of old and broken rosaries are also accepted which will be repaired and sent on to the missions. Include a note indicating repair and return to me or note if you are donating your rosary. Call Florida (239) 463-3993 or CT (860) 658-6330 for info. or email HoldenBnD@comcast.net



**Would you like to be a model for the Incarnation Women's Club "Extreme Makeover" October 21st General Meeting?** For more information please call Rita Sulick at (860) 563-7639.

**Those who wish to be my followers must deny themselves and take up my cross each day in my footsteps. Losing life for the sake of Jesus is saving life indeed! Are you being called to spend your life as a priest or religious? If so, call Fr.**

**Michael Dolan, The Director of Vocations, Archdiocesan Center at St. Thomas Seminary, (860) 761-7456** or e-mail vocations@stseminary.org, or visit the web at [www.vocationshartford.org](http://www.vocationshartford.org).



**Corpus Christi Women's Club is sponsoring a bus trip to see the Red Sox vs. Texas Rangers baseball game at Fenway Park on Friday night July 16th.** \$105 p.p. For more information call Natalie at (860) 529-2545. This trip is not a fundraiser but a way to build community amongst our parishes.

**St. Mary's Bus Trip to be held on Tuesday, August 10th at Cornerstone Playhouse in Mystic Village, Mystic, Ct.** The trip will depart St. Mary's School parking lot, Willard Ave. in Newington at 8:30am and return at 7pm. The bus will first head to Mohegan Sun for four hours including a buffet and casino visit. The bus will then head to Mystic to enjoy the play entitled "Ben Dover and the American Dream" a musical comedy. \$63.00 p.p. which includes a \$15 food voucher for casino and a \$15 Casino Bonus. Call Patty (860) 563-5676.

**FOLLOW IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF CHRIST**

The great fifty-day celebration of Easter has concluded, as have the feasts honoring the Holy Trinity and the Body and Blood of Christ. Last week we began a long stretch of Ordinary Time that will bring us to late November. Saint Paul tells us today that those who are baptized “have clothed yourselves with Christ” (Galatians 3:27). This scripture is echoed in the Church’s baptism ritual when we sing, “You have put on Christ, in him you have been baptized.” This message is inspiring and sobering at the same time, for in today’s Gospel, we get to the heart of what it means to be clothed in Christ. The Lord tells us, “If anyone wishes to come after me, he must deny himself and take up his cross daily and follow me” (Luke 9:23). For the next twenty-two weeks we are called to take up the cross and, with Saint Luke as our guide, follow in the footsteps of Christ.

**TODAY’S READINGS**

**First Reading** — Zechariah foretells the Messiah (Zechariah 12:10-11; 13:1).  
**Psalm** — My soul is thirsting for you, O Lord my God (Psalm 63).  
**Second Reading** — There are no distinctions or divisions; we all belong to Christ (Galatians 3:26-29).  
**Gospel** — Peter proclaims Jesus as the Christ; Jesus speaks of his great suffering to come (Luke 9:18-24).

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Monday: 2 Kgs 17:5-8, 13-15a, 18; Mt 7:1-5  
 Tuesday: 2 Kgs 19:9b-11, 14-21, 31-35a, 36; Mt 7:6, 12-14  
 Wednesday: 2 Kgs 22:8-13; 23:1-3; Mt 7:15-20  
 Thursday: Vigil: Jer 1:4-10; 1 Pt 1:8-12; Lk 1:5-17 Day: Is 49:1-6; Acts 13:22-26; Lk 1:57-66, 80  
 Friday: 2 Kgs 25:1-12; Mt 8:1-4  
 Saturday: Lam 2:2, 10-14, 18-19; Mt 8:5-17  
 Sunday: 1 Kgs 19:16b, 19-21; Ps 16; Gal 5:1, 13-18; Lk 9:51-62

**SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES**

Sunday: Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time; Father’s Day  
 Monday: St. Aloysius Gonzaga; Summer begins  
 Tuesday: St. Paulinus of Nola; Ss. John Fisher and Thomas More  
 Thursday: The Nativity of St. John the Baptist  
 Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary

**SAINT JOHN FISHER (1469-1535)  
 AND  
 SAINT THOMAS MORE (1477-1535)  
 June 22**

From Robert Bolt’s classic *A Man For All Seasons* to *Showtime*’s edgy *The Tudors*, Thomas More endears himself still: lawyer-statesman of impeccable integrity, remarried widower and affectionate father delighting in a lively household—four children, a pet monkey, even a paid jester! And challenges still: humanist-reformer, yet champion of Catholic faith and papal primacy. John Paul II named him “Patron of Statesmen and Politicians,” citing More’s generous work, both as a lawyer and in government service, on behalf of the poorest and most marginalized people of his time, as well as his promotion of education for all sectors of society. More’s decision for principle over politics, conscience over convenience prompted his final words: “I die the King’s good servant, but God’s first.” Alone among England’s bishops, John Fisher dared challenge Henry VIII’s divorce and repudiation of the papacy. When the Pope named the imprisoned Fisher a cardinal, Henry thundered: “Don’t bother sending Fisher’s red hat here; I’ll send Fisher’s head to Rome!” Whose “good servants” are we first? Isn’t a right conscience worth the pain of standing alone?



Nativity of St. John the Baptist