

THE PARISH OF IMMACULATE CONCEPTION & ASSUMPTION OF OUR LADY

53 Winter Hill Road, Tuckahoe, New York 10707

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Pastoral Staff

Rev. Anthony Sorgie, Pastor
Rev. Paul Waddell, Parochial Vicar
Rev. Seán Connolly
Deacon Anthony Viola
Deacon Carl Degenhardt

Parish Staff

Sr. Cora Lombardo, Director - Adult Faith Formation
Miss Katy Feeney, Director - Religious Ed
Ms. Maureen Harten, Principal - ICS Regional School

Offices Hours:

Monday-Friday: 8:30 AM - 8:00 PM
Saturday-Sunday: 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Weekend Masses:

Saturday Evening

4:00 PM at Assumption
5:00 PM at Immaculate Conception

Sunday at Immaculate Conception:

8:00 AM • 10:00 AM • 12:00 PM • 5:00 PM

Sunday at Assumption:

9:00 AM

Spanish Mass/Misa en Español:

12:00 PM at Assumption
todos los Domingos

Bilingual Italian/English Mass/Messa in Italiano:

9:00 AM at Assumption
on the first Sunday of the month

Weekday Masses:

(recitation of the Rosary before Mass)

Monday - Friday:

7:30 AM at Assumption
8:30 AM • 12:00 PM at Immaculate Conception

Saturday:

8:30 AM at Immaculate Conception

Holy Day Masses:

Vigil: 7:30 PM at Immaculate Conception
Solemnity: 8:30 AM, 12:00 Noon, 4:30 and 7:30 PM
at Immaculate Conception
7:30 AM at Assumption (Monday-Friday only)

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confessions)

Assumption on Saturday: 3:30 - 3:55 PM
Immaculate Conception on Saturday: 4:00 - 5:00 PM
or by appointment with priest on duty

Miraculous Medal Novena:

Mondays after 12:00 PM Mass
with 7:00 PM Benediction

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:

Mondays and First Fridays after the 12:00 PM Mass
at Immaculate Conception
Reposition and Benediction is at 7:00 PM



Divine Mercy by Eugeniusz Kazimirowski in 1934

**WHAT ARE
YOU LIVING FOR?**

Live your faith every day. **JOIN US.**

Immaculate Conception Church
7:30 PM
Monday, May 1 - Wednesday, May 3

REVIVE
FAITH EVERY DAY

April 23, 2017
Divine Mercy Sunday

MISSION STATEMENT

With the Eucharist as our source, Mary as our patroness and the Holy Spirit as our guide, we the Roman Catholic Parish of Immaculate Conception and Assumption of Our Lady, Tuckahoe, seek to give meaning to our faith by following Christ's command to care for His people, by fostering actions that nourish both the spiritual and social needs of our people and build community within and without our parish.



From the Desk of Father Paul

April 23, 2017

O Marvelous Wonder!

Christ is truly Risen, dear brothers and sisters! Those of us who followed Jesus through His Passion and Death and wept over Him, were filled with awe and wonder and great joy last Sunday as we beheld His Holy Resurrection! We continue to bask in the light of Christ's Resurrection, which brings joy to the whole world! Those who have experienced the Risen Lord, realize that no one can ever rob them of that great joy! How good the Lord has been to each of us in His mercy! Once sinners have approached the Lord in repentance, He floods their souls with His Mercy! "Though our sins may be like scarlet, we become as white as snow." On the Divine Mercy Sunday, our Lord wishes us to recall and give Him praise for what He has done for us in His mercy. He also wishes to save those, who now in the eleventh hour, have still not come to Him in the Sacrament of Confession, especially on this day when the floodgates of His mercy, emanating from His Sacred Heart, are wide open. Even the worst of sinners can be saved, if they but come to the Risen Lord in repentance and humility and confess their sins. Those who come to Him will meet Him as a Merciful Savior on the last day; but woe to those who persist in refusing the Savior's love; for He will not grant them what they don't want; and they risk His terrible justice when they die. His mercy or His justice: the choice is ours to make!

Our Lord's mercy is so evident in the way He treated His disciples after He rose from the dead. He forgave all their unbelief, most notably, that of Thomas. Think about it; our Lord was not put off by his disbelief and the rash words that he spoke, having refused to believe that the disciples and the women had seen the Lord on Easter. Out of compassion, He appeared to Thomas along with the others one week later, so that He might put an end to his disbelief and bring him to rejoice in the Resurrection, like the others. The Lord was not going to leave him out! Here we see the compassion of our Savior and His Divine Mercy manifest in an extraordinary way! It means there is hope for all the rest of us, because He does not want anyone to perish!

"After Your wondrous Resurrection, O Lord, Source of all life, You entered the doors though they were locked. You filled Your disciples with joy, and in Your goodness, you gave them the Spirit of Truth. When You appeared to them, Thomas, who was called 'Twin', was not with them. Thus he did not believe in Your Resurrection and said to those who saw You: 'Unless I place a finger in the mark of the nails, I will not believe that He is risen.' In Your great mercy, You said to him, 'Explore My wounds and doubt no longer; examine them and proclaim that I am the Living God!' O marvelous wonder! For grass touches fire and is not consumed! Thomas places his hand into the fiery side of the Savior, and was not burned by touching Him. Your side was examined and touched by a mortal man and not consumed by Your Divinity, O Lover of mankind! 'Stop your unbelief and proclaim My Resurrection to the whole world!'" (Pentecostarion)

And that is what Thomas did for the rest of His life; the doubter become believer, who touched the Heart of Christ, that Burning Furnace of Charity! May we too, who have experienced His mercy, proclaim Him to the whole world!

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

FIRST READING: ACTS 2:42-47

Early Christians, elated by the Resurrection, lived as a community, devoting themselves to communal life, celebrating the Eucharist, sharing with each other and evangelizing, so that many joined them. At this point, the early Christians maintained themselves as a group within the Jewish community – they were not considered a separate religion.

SECOND READING: 1 PETER 1:3-9

The initial verses serve as a prayer of thanksgiving and praise. From there, St. Peter reminded the community that Christ's Resurrection only came *after* His passion and death. Similarly, the faithful will suffer their share of trials in order to achieve the resurrection.

GOSPEL: JOHN 20:19-31

Jesus appeared to ten of the twelve original apostles (Judas Iscariot, the betrayer, would later be replaced, and Thomas was missing). The ten recognized Jesus and immediately believed. When told of the encounter, Thomas, who did not have the benefit of seeing Jesus appear in the locked room, expressed his doubt (*Doubting Thomas*). On the re-appearance of Jesus, when Thomas was with the others in the locked room, Jesus reminded him of his prior disbelief. Thomas' disbelief vanished and he acknowledged Jesus as Lord and God! Jesus remarked, "Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed." That should serve as a reminder to all of us to keep our faith in Jesus.

NEXT WEEK: THE THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

1st Reading: Acts 2:14, 22-33 • 2nd Reading: 1 Peter 1:17-21 • Gospel: Luke 24:13-35

Immaculate Conception Church

Saturday, April 22 *Vigil: Divine Mercy Sunday*

5:00 PM Deceased Members of the Colaio Family Mem.

Sunday, April 23 *Divine Mercy Sunday*

8:00 AM Joseph Cristini and Mario Cristini Mem.

10:00 AM Armando Frusciante Mem.

12:00 PM Dec'd of Cavallaro & Trombetta Families Mem.

5:00 PM Michele Scarpa Mem.

Monday, April 24 *St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen*

8:30 AM Santino & Maria Mignardi and Vincent Debitetto Mem.

12:00 PM Peter Madonia Mem.

Tuesday, April 25 *St. Mark*

8:30 AM Olympia Spidalieri Mem.

12:00 PM Rocco Ciciretto Mem.

Wednesday, April 26 *Easter Weekday*

8:30 AM Edvige D'Aloisio Mem.

12:00 PM Mario Cestone Mem.

Thursday, April 27 *Easter Weekday*

8:30 AM Anthony Reino and Maria Reino Mem.

12:00 PM Mario Cestone Mem.

Friday, April 28 *St. Peter Chanel and*

St. Louis Grignon de Montfort

8:30 AM Robert Reisman Mem.

12:00 PM Mario Cestone Mem.

Saturday, April 29 *St. Catherine of Sienna*

8:30 AM John Rodriguez Mem.

Saturday, April 29 *Vigil: Third Sunday of Easter*

5:00 PM Intentions of John & Barbara LoFrumento

Living - 5th Wedding Ann.

Sunday, April 30 *Third Sunday of Easter*

8:00 AM Assunta Renzo Mem.

10:00 AM Gerardina & Agostino Sarni Mem.

12:00 PM Henry Rodina Mem.

5:00 PM Francisco Antonio Goncalves & Maria Alfonso Mem.

Assumption Church

Sat 4/22 4:00 PM Peter & Daniel Kelleher Mem.

Sun 4/23 9:00 AM Loreto Mignardi Mem.

12:00 PM Margaret & Charles Gotsch Mem.

Mon 4/24 7:30 AM Josephine Villa Mem.

Tues 4/25 7:30 AM Carole Spinelli Mem.

Wed 4/26 7:30 AM Loreto & Mary Cristini Mem.

Thurs 4/27 7:30 AM Giuseppe Marcoccia Mem.

Fri 4/28 7:30 AM Martin Keefe &

Dec'd of Keefe & Sullivan Families Mem.

Sat 4/29 4:00 PM Michael & Rosaria Grasso Mem.

Sun 4/30 9:00 AM Luigi, Filomena & Rico Marcoccia Mem.

12:00 PM Parishioners and Their Families

NEXT WEEKEND'S

CELEBRANTS:

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION:

Vigil: 3rd Sunday of Easter - Saturday, April 29

5:00 PM: Fr. Sorgie

3rd Sunday of Easter - Sunday, April 30

8:00 AM: Fr. Connolly

10:00 AM: Fr. Cassian Folsom, OSB

12:00 PM: Fr. Tierney

5:00 PM: Fr. DiLuzio

ASSUMPTION

Vigil: 3rd Sunday of Easter - Saturday, April 29

4:00 PM: Fr. Collins

3rd Sunday of Easter - Sunday, April 30

9:00 AM: Fr. André

12:00 PM: Fr. Anthony Baetzold
(Spanish)

THIS IS DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

After the Noon Mass, Fr. Sorgie will solemnly bless the image of the Divine Mercy, based on the apparitions to Sr. Faustina Kowalska.

From 2:00 PM until 3:00 PM, Fr. Paul will lead a Holy Hour for Mercy which will include Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Scriptural Rosary, the recitation of the Divine Mercy Chaplet, and Benediction. All are welcome to join us!

The Sacrament of Baptism: Baptisms are scheduled at 1:30 PM on select Sundays at Immaculate Conception or Assumption. Call the rectory as soon as possible to make arrangements. Baptismal catechesis (instruction) is offered on one Thursday of each month.

The Sacrament of Matrimony: Please call Fr. Sorgie, our pastor, to arrange for the date and church of your wedding at least six months in advance, prior to any other plans for your expected wedding date. Wedding arrangements will be handled by our Wedding Coordinator, Mrs. Marge Russo: (914) 629-1691.

Note: there are no weddings on Sundays.

Godparent/Sponsor: Eligibility forms to be a godparent or sponsor can only be given to active and participating members of the parish who have been registered for 6 months or more.

Communion Calls for the Home Bound: Weekly or monthly. Please call the rectory to arrange visitations.

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick: Anytime day or night. Call 961-3643.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Anytime - call the priest on duty: 961-3643. Also on Saturdays: 3:30-3:55 PM at Assumption, 4:00-5:00 at Immaculate Conception.

Registration: New Parishioners may register by visiting one of the priests or by calling the rectory: 961-3643.



Wedding Banns

Michael Savan & Nicole Campana

Please Remember to Pray for the Sick:

Joseph Bracchitta • Norma Canal • Maria Rose D'Onofrio
 Rose De Benedictis • Pamela Sacchinelli DeMaio
 Marie Di Donato • Angie DiGioia • Elena DiLeo
 Maria Faber • Donna Fleming • Maddy Gordon
 Marge Gotsch • Ana Herrera • Jennifer Johnson
 Joseph T. Lagana • Michele Laverdi • Lucy Lo Murno
 Ian Manzares • James McGarry • William McQuade
 Barbara Mechling • Richard Natoli, Sr. • Angelo Nurzia
 William Ranieri • John Risi • Margaret Scott
 Lawrence Smith • Mary Patricia Spruck

Please Remember to Pray for the Departed:

Digno Alvarez • Marie Astarita • Marie Nannariello
 Marilyn Palmiere
 and for those in the military who have died
 in the service of our country

SCHEDULE

Sunday, April 23 Divine Mercy Sunday

Hospitality after 10 AM and Noon Masses Lower Church

Monday, April 24

Exposition & Benediction 12:30 - 7:00 PM Immaculate Conception
 Altar Rosary Society 7:30 PM Fr. Fata Hall

Tuesday, April 25

Morning Out 9:45 AM Fr. Fata
 RCIA 7:00 PM Lower Rectory
 Choir 7:30 PM Immaculate Conception
 Legion of Mary 7:30 PM ICS Teachers' Room

Wednesday, April 26

Cenacles of Life 6:00 PM Immaculate Conception
 Bible Study 7:30 PM Lower Rectory

Saturday, April 29

Confirmations A 10:00 AM Immaculate Conception

Sunday, April 30

Fr. Cassian Presentation 1:30 PM Lower Church
 CYO 6:00 PM Youth Room in school

Monday, May 1

Exposition & Benediction 12:30 - 7:00 PM Immaculate Conception
 Recitation of the Rosary 7:10 PM Immaculate Conception
 Revive Mission 7:30 PM Immaculate Conception

Tuesday, May 2

Recitation of the Rosary 7:10 PM Immaculate Conception
 Revive Mission 7:30 PM Immaculate Conception

Wednesday, May 3

Recitation of the Rosary 7:10 PM Immaculate Conception
 Revive Mission 7:30 PM Immaculate Conception



FR. CASSIAN VISIT - SUNDAY, APRIL 30

Please join us and welcome Fr. Cassian Folsom, OSB, who will be coming to Immaculate Conception Church from Norcia to offer a Mass of Thanksgiving at 10:00 AM for the donations from our parish and to give us a presentation on *Rebuilding Norcia, Rebuilding Europe: The Gospel and the Rule*. The presentation will be at 1:30 PM in the Lower Church.

Refreshments will be served.

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Immaculate Conception Church

7:30 PM

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REVIVE
FAITH EVERY DAY

REVIVE WITH US

MONDAY, MAY 1 – WEDNESDAY, MAY 1-3

AT 7:30 PM

Revive is a three-night event coming to Immaculate Conception Church and other locations throughout the Archdiocese. We will explore the fundamental questions, "What are we living for? What is God's purpose for our lives?" Join us and others in our Catholic community to reflect and listen to diverse voices discuss their faith journeys – and go home refreshed and ready to put your faith into action.

On nights one and two, we will enjoy music, listen to a special reflection from one of the inspiring priests of our religious orders, and hear from members of our own communities about overcoming life's challenges through faith and perseverance; you also will be invited to participate in the Sacrament of Reconciliation. On night three, we will celebrate a community Mass – and for those in need, offer the Sacrament of the Anointing (Anointing of the Sick).

To learn more or sign up, visit FaithEveryDay.com.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

CCD AT A GLANCE:

- April 25: 1st Communion Rehearsal Group C:
4:15 PM
- April 25-30: Regular class sessions Grades 4-8
(2nd Grade rehearsal only)
- April 26: 8th Grade Group A (April 29 10 AM) only
rehearsal 7 PM in Church
- May 1-3 Archdiocesan Mission at Immaculate Con-
ception: No classes for families can attend
the mission at least one night.
- May 3 8th Grade Group B (May 6 10 AM) only re-
hearsal 4 PM in Church
- May 4 8th Grade Group C (May 6 1:30 PM) only
rehearsal 4 PM in Church



If you think you might be able to help in the CCD program and would be interested in observing the classes one afternoon or evening, please give the office a call at 961-1076.

ICS NEWS

SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE – MONDAY, MAY 8

Immaculate Conception School is holding an Open House on Monday, May 8th: 6:00 – 8:00 PM. ICS is a Catholic elementary school offering an exceptional, faith-based education for all students from Pre-K 3 through 8th grade. Learn about our blended learning program and our many sports and extracurricular activities. Please come for a tour and see all ICS has to offer.

TOURING TUESDAYS

ICS participates in Touring Tuesdays, offering tours every Tuesday that the school is open: 9:00 – 11:00 AM. This is an opportunity for prospective families to see our school in action and gain a personal snapshot from an ICS insider: one of our dedicated parents. Call Mrs. Ranallo in our Admissions Office to schedule a tour: 961-3785 option 2.

FAITH BASED, VALUES ORIENTED,

ACADEMICALLY EXCELLENT EDUCATION

Searching for a faith based, values oriented, academically excellent education for your child? Consider Catholic School; visit ApplyCatholicSchoolsNY.org - Financial Assistance Scholarships are available for qualifying families of new applicants.

To apply for Immaculate Conception School, Tuckahoe, select school number 8549. Call to schedule a tour of our school: 961-3785 option 2

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

MORNING OUT! - TUESDAY, APRIL 25TH

Our next session of *Morning Out!* is on Tuesday, April 25th from 9:45 AM to 11:15 AM in the Lower Level of Father Fata Hall. This program is for parents or grandparents of infant, toddler and preschool children. Our topics focus on behavior, social and discipline with archdiocesan-trained facilitators.

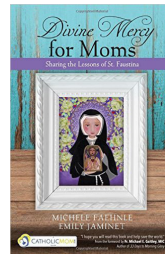
Our topic for April 25th will be: *I, My, Mine: How Children Learn the Concept of Owning*. Join us to learn simple techniques that can be used immediately. Register with Michelle at chorvers@optonline.net or 787-0005.

PARENTS CONNECT MEETING

THURSDAY, MAY 11

Join us on Thursday, May 11th at 10:00 AM in the Lower Level of Father Fata Hall. The *Parents Connect* mission is to provide an opportunity for parents to connect and learn from each other in a welcoming, open and faith filled environment.

We will discuss *Divine Mercy for Moms - Sharing the Lessons of St. Faustina* by Michele Faehnle and Emily Jaminet. If you don't have time to read the chapters, please join us anyway; we use the book to initiate conversation. Child care is provided. Please contact Michelle at chorvers@optonline.net or 787-0005 to RSVP and let us know how many children will be joining you.



TRENDING ON THE FORMED WEB SITE

Visit the Formed web site (formed.org). If you are not already registered, you can register using the Parish Code: W8YK28 and create your account for Books, videos and more!

VIDEOS

The Necessity of Divine Mercy - Fr. Chris Alar, MIC, reveals the urgency to live and share the powerful message of Divine Mercy. He explains the basics of the Divine Mercy feast, image, novena, chaplet, and hour of mercy, and how to incorporate them into your spiritual life. Discover God's transformative message of Divine Mercy.

E-BOOKS

A Tale of Two Cities - Charles Dickens (514 pages)
7 Secrets of Divine Mercy - Vinny Flynn (247 pages)

MAINTENANCE & CUSTODIAL CARE OF OUR BUILDINGS & GROUNDS

Ongoing projects are Stewardship in Action. We would like to keep you informed and will use space in the bulletin to do that. (For a complete list, including older completed projects, visit: www.assumption-immaculate.org/info/stewardship.php)

RECENT PROJECTS COMPLETED

- New Tile Floor at Entrance into Immaculate Conception Church Completed 11.21.2016
- Designed and Installed Real Votive Candles for our People to Light Completed 11.23.2016
- Upgraded and Painted Bathroom at Immaculate Conception Church Completed 11.25.2016
- Replaced Windows in the Rectory Garage Completed 12.09.2016
- Upgraded Sound System at Assumption Church Completed 12.21.2016
- Bathroom Renovation at Immaculate Conception Church Completed 1.18.2017
- Replacement of Air Conditioning System at Immaculate Conception Church Completed 4.11.2017
- Refurbishment of the Softball Field Completed 4.11.2017

PROJECTS IN PROCESS

- Replace Windows in the Meeting House Almost Completed (3 windows remain)
- Repair Stairwells to the Lower Church at Immaculate Conception In Process
- Replace Boiler in Immaculate Conception School Building In Process
- Repair Garden Sign at Assumption Scheduled for the Spring
- Install Air Conditioning in the Parish Gym Contract Signed



If you have questions about any aspect of our Catholic Church and Faith, just drop us a note or call and we will answer them to the best of our ability.

86. How does the Church decide who is a saint?

There are many people in Heaven who are saints, some whose names we may never know. They are *uncanonized* saints. Canonization is the formal process by which the Church determines whether someone has become a saint. In its simplest form, official Church procedures detail three steps to recognizing a saint:

First, the bishop of the diocese where the person died begins an extensive investigation. The results are passed to the *Congregation of the Causes of Saints* in the Vatican Curia. If the Congregation approves, the prefect presents the cause to the Pope. With the Pope's approval, the petitioner becomes "venerable" and is called "Servant of God". At the time I am writing this, Terence Cardinal Cooke of NY and Archbishop Fulton J. Sheen of Peoria IL, who worked and died in NY, are Venerable Servants of God.

Second, "beatification" may come after further investigation and a miracle has proven to be attributed to the Servant of God's intercession after his or her death. Then the person can be called, "Blessed". Saint Theresa of Calcutta was proclaimed Blessed in 2003 and canonized last September.

Third, canonization may follow additional investigation and a second miracle, also proven to have occurred after the beatification and as a result of the candidate's intercession. After canonization, the "Blessed" is called "Saint." Examples in our lifetime have been St. Katharine Drexel, St. Maximillian Kolbe, St. Faustina Kowalska (formerly Sr. Faustina of the Divine Mercy), St. Giuseppe Moscati, St. Pio of Pietrelcina (formerly Padre Pio), St. Junipero Serra, St. Kateri Tekakwitha, Pope John XXIII, and Pope John Paul II.

To date, Pope Francis has canonized 36 saints. Pope Benedict XVI canonized 45 saints. Pope John Paul II canonized 111 saints. Pope Paul VI canonized 21 saints. Pope John XXIII canonized 10 saints.

2017 BONANZA

And the Winners Are



LOTTERY WINNERS FOR APRIL 18

**Claudette D'Arco
Mr. & Mrs. Anthony
Perrotti**



We will continue to draw two tickets per week for \$200 each from now through Thanksgiving. In addition to the weekly drawings, there are three drawings for \$2,000 prizes. The final \$2,000 drawing will occur after our special Mass on the Eve of Thanksgiving. *Winning tickets will be re-entered for subsequent drawings - so it is possible to win multiple prizes with the same ticket.*

Although you may have missed this drawing, there is still time to buy a ticket and be included in *all of the upcoming drawings*. Tickets are available at the rectory and in the school offices.

Thank you, as always, for your generosity and stewardship. Please continue to pray for our Parish, our clergy, and the staff members who serve you.

RAFFLE TICKET SALES AS OF APRIL 6 \$50,650

There are 2,000 tickets.
Our sales goal is \$100,000

COLLECTION FOR THE CHURCH IN CENTRAL & EASTERN EUROPE

Our special collection on April 30 provides vital funding for our brothers and sisters living in countries that were once under communist rule. Restoring the Church, in both its structures and its spiritual life, has been difficult; but with your support we can help build a brighter future for this region.

Your generous donations will make the difference for those who are still struggling in the aftermath of communist rule. Please prayerfully consider how you can help. For more information, visit www.usccb.org/ccee.

Stewardship for Palm Sunday, April 9

Sunday Collection:

Church	\$20,204
ParishPay	\$2,943
Total:	\$23,147

Gold Envelope Donations for Gym Debt and Extraordinary Maintenance:

Church	\$1,657
ParishPay	\$97
Total:	\$1,754

Pontifical Good Friday Collection - April 14

Church	\$3,251
ParishPay	\$94
Total:	\$3,345

Stewardship for Easter Sunday, April 16

Gold Envelope Donations for Gym Debt and Extraordinary Maintenance:

Church	\$1,643
ParishPay	\$97
Total:	\$1,740

TREE OF LIFE MEMORIALS AVAILABLE FOR EACH CHURCH

There are many opportunities to remember, honor, or memorialize an occasion or a person on the *Tree of Life*. If you have a special love for our churches, consider having a leaf engraved and placed on the *Tree of Life*. The cost for each of the remaining leaves is \$1,500 per leaf.



MITE BOXES & LENTEN COIN FOLDERS

If you haven't done so already, please return the mite boxes and coin folders as soon as possible. If you did not get them, or if your contributions overflow the box, an envelope, plastic baggie, or other container will be fine. All of the money we raise will be sent to the Parish and School of Cristo del Rosario in Old Managua, Nicaragua in Central America, where our friend, Fr. Aurelian O'Dowd, is pastor and principal.





OASIS 2017

DAY OF PRAYER FOR WOMEN

The Assumption Altar Rosary Society is planning a trip to Morristown, NJ on **Saturday, April 29**, to attend Oasis 2017 - A Day of Prayer for Women, hosted by the Religious Teachers Filippini at Villa Walsh.

Spend a day of spiritual reflection and renewal with women from the tri-state area. The day includes presentations, Eucharistic Adoration, Mass, the opportunity for Reconciliation, Rosary, and quiet time for prayer and worship. The site offers 125 acres of peace, 2 chapels, Outdoor Stations of the Cross, and a Religious Gift Shop.

There is a \$10 registration fee. The bus will leave Immaculate Conception at 8:00 AM (returning around 5:15 PM). Please park in the far lot. For questions or reservations, please call Lucretia: 793-6613.

MAY CROWNING - SUNDAY, MAY 7

The Assumption Altar Rosary Society will be having a May Crowning during the 9:00 AM Mass on Sunday, May 7. All are invited to join us. Come at 8:30 AM and pray the Rosary with us!

BAKE SALE - SUNDAY, MAY 7

The Rosary Society will host a Bake Sale in the Lower Church on Sunday, May 7 after the 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM and Noon Masses. Be sure to stop by and enjoy a sweet treat!

FATIMA FILM SHOWING - MONDAY, MAY 8

Come celebrate the 100th Anniversary of the apparition of Our Lady of Fatima. All are welcome to a showing of a documentary on Our Lady's apparition to three shepherd children which culminated in the famous Miracle of the Sun witnessed by 70,000 people. Her apparitions hold profound significance for our world today.

Please join the Altar Rosary Society and Fr. Paul at Fr. Fata Hall on Monday, May 8 at 7:00 PM. Light refreshments will be served afterwards. All are welcome.

GOLDEN JUBILEE MASS - SUNDAY, JUNE 11

REGISTER BY MONDAY, MAY 8

Couples celebrating their 50th Wedding Anniversary anytime during 2017 are invited to attend the Annual Golden Wedding Jubilee Mass with Cardinal Dolan at the Cathedral of St. Patrick, Sunday, June 11th at 2:00 PM. Pre-registration is required. Please call the rectory by Monday, May 8 to register. This event is sponsored by the Family Life † Respect Life Office of the Archdiocese of New York.

CYO CHARITY DINNER AND TALENT SHOW

SATURDAY, MAY 13

The CYO is holding a Charity Dinner and Talent Show on Saturday, May 13 at 6:00 PM in the Lower Church. All proceeds will be donated to *The Theatre Development Fund*, a not-for-profit organization for the Performing Arts. The evening includes dinner (main course, dessert, coffee and soft drinks) and entertainment, featuring local student performers and artists. The entrance fee is \$10 for students and \$15 for adults.

There will also be raffles. Please let us know if you or your company/organization would like to donate a raffle prize.

Please RSVP by Sunday, May 7: CYOtuckahoe@gmail.com

20TH ANNUAL MOTHER'S DAY BREAKFAST



Happy
Mother's Day!

On Sunday, **May 14**, after the 9:00 AM Mass at Assumption, all mothers, grandmothers, godmothers and women of the parish will be honored with a breakfast in Father Fata Memorial Hall. A group of men from the parish will be arranging, preparing and serving the food. All are welcome!

PARISH JUBILEE MASS - SUNDAY, MAY 21

REGISTER BY MONDAY, MAY 8

Couples celebrating 25 or 50 years of marriage will be honored at the 10:00 AM Mass at Immaculate Conception on **Sunday, May 21st**. Please call the rectory by Monday, May 8th to register: 961-3643.

Pregnant? Need Help? 914-235-0505 or 1-800-640-0767.
Absolutely Confidential - Total Services Free.

**NEW TO THE PARISH? VISIT THE RECTORY
OR REGISTER ONLINE:**

www.assumption-immaculate.org/icc/icc_regform.php

LOS SACRAMENTOS

Sacramento de Reconciliación o Confesión: A cualquier hora. Llame al sacerdote del turno al 961-3643. Además, los días sábados de 3:30 a 3:55 PM en la Iglesia de la Asunción, y de 4:00 a 5:00 PM en la Iglesia de la Inmaculada Concepción.

El Sacramento del Bautismo: Los Bautismos deberán ser programados para efectuarse durante domingos seleccionados, en la iglesia de la Inmaculada Concepción. Por favor llamar a la rectoría a la brevedad posible para hacer los arreglos pertinentes. La Catequesis o Instrucción Bautismal se ofrece durante, un jueves seleccionado una vez al mes.

Primera Comunión y Confirmación: La Catequesis para prepararse a recibir estos Sacramentos se ofrece en las Clases de Religión de la Escuela Parroquial de la Inmaculada Concepción y deben registrarse en la oficina de la Escuela Parroquial de Formación Religiosa (*Parish School of Religion*): 961-1076.

El Sacramento del Matrimonio: Por favor llamar al Padre Sorgie, para acordar la fecha y la iglesia en la que se quiera efectuar el matrimonio. Se debe acordar fecha e iglesia con seis (6) meses de anticipación, previo a cualquier otro plan del matrimonial. Es importante saber que no se efectúan matrimonios durante los días domingos.

Sacramento de Extremaunción (Unción) de los enfermos: A cualquier hora del día o de la noche. Por favor llame al (914) 961-3643

Llamadas para la Comunión a los enfermos y confinados en casa: Semanal o mensualmente. Por favor llame a la rectoría para acordar las fechas de visita.

Registro de nuevos parroquianos: Se pueden registrar visitando uno de los sacerdotes de las iglesias o llamando al (914) 961-3643

Requisitos: Para poder recibir todos los Sacramentos en nuestra parroquia, los interesados deben registrarse en la oficina parroquial de la Inmaculada Concepción para certificar que son católicos practicantes en nuestra Parroquia, y que asisten a Misa todos los domingos. Una vez registrados en la parroquia se les enviarán a su dirección postal unos sobres para poner la ofrenda dominical.

Si alguna persona desea celebrar alguno de los sacramentos en nuestra comunidad pero pertenecen a otra Parroquia, deberán presentar un permiso del párroco de la parroquia donde estén registrados. De igual modo, si están registrados en la Inmaculada Concepción y desean celebrar alguno de los sacramentos en otra parroquia, nuestro Párroco extenderá la constancia necesaria.

LA COMUNIDAD HISPANA

Misa en Español: La Misa se celebra **todos** los domingos a las 12:00 del mediodía en la Iglesia de la Asunción:
125 Wallace St • Tuckahoe, NY 10707
100 Pleasant Ave • Tuckahoe, NY 10707

Hospitalidad: Compartimos en una Convivencia el primer domingo de cada mes después de la Misa del mediodía en el Salón Parroquial de Father Fata Hall, ubicado al lado de la Iglesia de la Asunción.

CASA ABIERTA

La Escuela de la Inmaculada Concepción llevará a cabo su Casa Abierta el día lunes, 8 de mayo del año en curso de 6:00 a 8:00 PM.

La Escuela de la Inmaculada Concepción (ISC) es una institución educacional, católica mixta; la cual ofrece una educación excepcional basada en la fe, la educación se da desde el pre-Jardín de Infantes hasta el 8vo. Grado. Por favor visítenos y aprecie cuanto ISC tiene para ofrecerle. Visítenos y entérese del programa aprendizaje, los deportes y las actividades extracurriculares. Venga participe del tour.

MISA DE ANIVERSARIO - DOMINGO, 21 DE MAYO

FECHA DE REGISTRATION

HASTA EL LUNES, 8 DE MAYO

Las parejas que están celebrando 25 y 50 años de matrimonio, serán honradas durante la Santa Misa en la Iglesia de la Inmaculada Concepción el domingo, 21 de mayo. Para registrarse por favor llamar a la rectoría de la parroquia hasta el domingo, 8 de mayo al teléfono 961-3643.

MISA DE JUBILEO

PARA MATRIMONIOS EN LA CATEDRAL

Todas las parejas que celebran sus 50 años de casados durante este año 2017 están invitados a la Misa Anual de los Cincuenta años de Aniversario de Bodas. La Santa Misa será celebrada por el Cardenal Dolan el sábado 11 de junio a las 2:00 pm en la Catedral de San Patricio. Se requiere inscribirse de antemano en su parroquia. El último día para inscribirse es el lunes 8 de mayo, 2017. Este evento está patrocinado por la Oficina de Vida Familiar † Respeto a la Vida de la Arquidiócesis de Nueva York.

¿POR QUÉ,

PASCUA FLORIDA ES UNA OBLIGACIÓN?

Durante la Pascua Florida es obligación de los miembros de la Iglesia Católica el acercarse al Sacramento de Confesión, Penitencia, o Reconciliación y el de recibir la Sagrada Eucaristía una vez al año. El tiempo prescrito para completar la obligación de Pascua Florida es: desde el primer domingo de Cuaresma hasta el domingo de la Santísima Trinidad, aquí en los Estados Unidos.