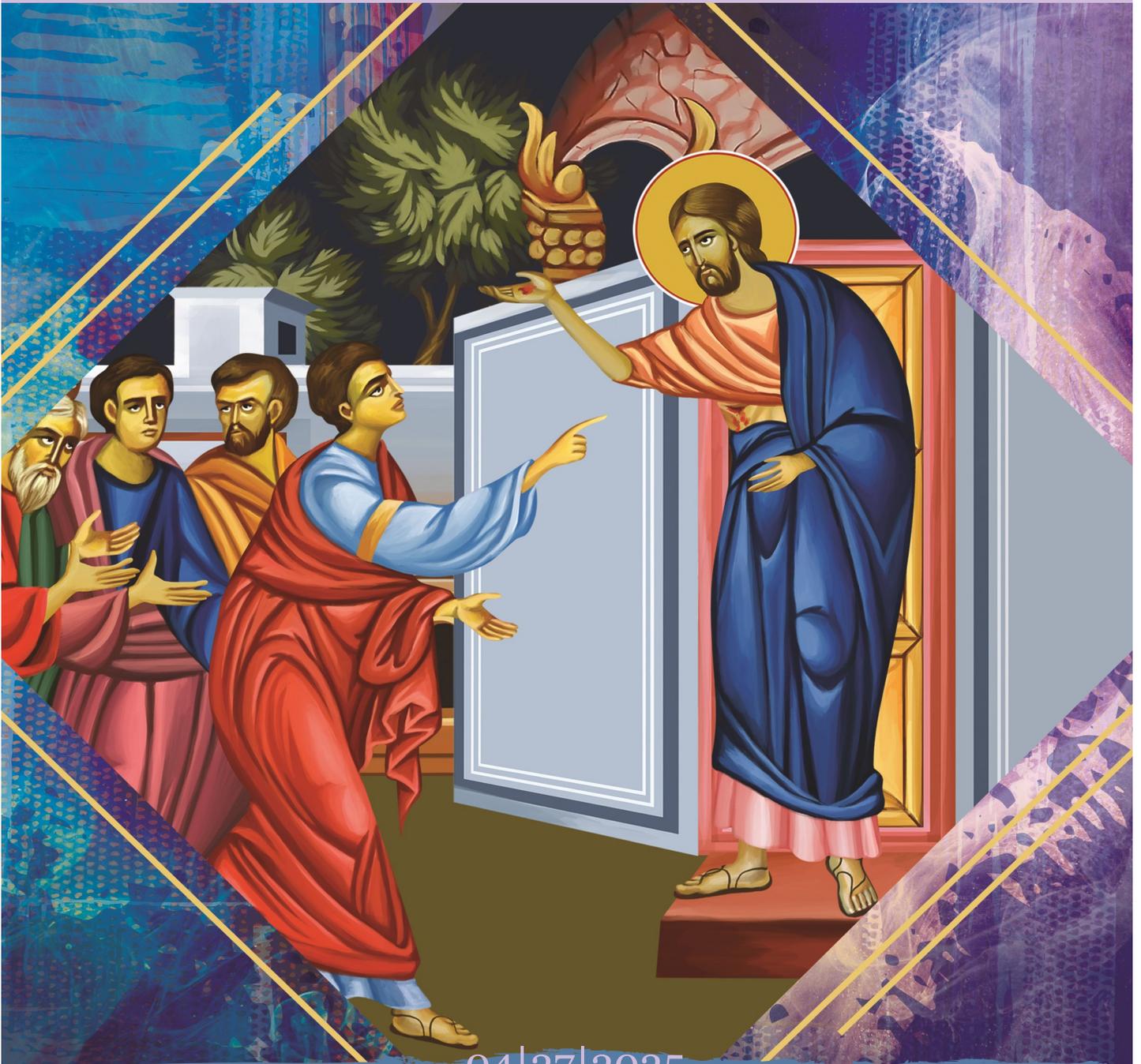


CHURCH OF THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY



04|27|2025

2ND SUNDAY OF EASTER
(SUNDAY OF DIVINE MERCY)

“Blessed are those who have not seen
and have believed.” - Jn 20:29

Our Parish



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PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

MONDAY - FRIDAY 9:00 A.M. - 2:00 P.M

MASS TIMES

SATURDAY: 8:30 AM

5:30 PM Sunday Vigil Mass

SUNDAY: 8:00 AM

10:00 AM

11:45 AM

WEEKDAYS: 12:05 PM

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Wednesdays 9 AM – 2 PM

Please maintain a reverent silence.

Confession is also available.

SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION

Saturdays 4 PM - 5 PM

THE 2025 MASS BOOK IS STILL OPEN



To allow more people the chance to reserve Sunday Masses, please limit your requests to three.

Masses are \$20.00 each.

For any information contact the Parish Office

Parish Contacts

Rev. Ricardo Ortega, Jr., Pastor

Ms. Wynne S. Garcia, Parish Secretary/Local Youth Protection/Safe Environment Coordinator

Ms. Niurka Mendoza, Parish Accountant

Mr. Brian Langan, Finance Committee Chairperson

Mr. Alex Birchwale, Music Ministry

Mrs. Carmela Enriquez, CRE

Mr. Matt Fava, Youth Ministry

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Mass Intentions

† = Deceased

Saturday, April 26th

8:30 a.m.– † Inocencia Estrella Ortega.

5:30 p.m.– † Frank Elleo.
† Robert Kauer by ABVM.

Sunday, April 27th — Second Sunday of Easter

8:00 a.m.– Robert Helmrich by Joey Helmrich.

10:00 a.m.– † Dorothy Cipollone.

11:45 a.m.– † Mary & Anthony Garzieri by daughter Janet.

Monday, April 28th

12:05 p.m.– † Eva May.

Tuesday, April 29th

12:05 p.m.– † David Marrocco.

Wednesday, April 30th

12:05 p.m.– † Father Stan 'Birthday' by Scharf Family.

Thursday, May 1st

12:05 p.m.– † Steve Bedoe 'Birthday' by your loving family.

Friday, May 2nd

12:05 p.m.– † Frances T. Dollbaum '10 yr anniversary' by Edvie Canavan.

Saturday, May 3rd

8:30 a.m.– Mass for the People of the Parish.

5:30 p.m.– † Angelica Ormeno by Felix Garcia.

Sunday, May 4th — Third Sunday of Easter

8:00 a.m.– Mass for the People of the Parish.

10:00 a.m.– † Vivian V. Costanzo by Chuck & Judy Donovan.

11:45 a.m.– † George Schmitt by Kiraly Family.

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

SATURDAY, May 3rd – 5:30 P.M.

LECTOR: Tama DeBoer

SERVER: Richard, Rohan & Rithika Chittilapilly

EMHC: Dave Martineau | Jackie Pisatowski | Lorraine Buczek

GREETER: Paul Veltri | Dave Martineau

SUNDAY, May 4th – 8:00 A.M.

LECTOR: Brandon Lau

SERVER: Agnel Kannamkulathel

EMHC: Natalie & Kathy Lau & Diana Guirales

GREETER: Diana & Dayron Guirales

SUNDAY, May 4th – 10:00 A.M.

LECTOR: Lorelane Tindoc

SERVER: Rachelleen & Raphaella Tindoc

EMHC: Michelle Vargas | Lizy Nirappil | Mike DeBenedetto

GREETER: Aileen & Reggie Tindoc

SUNDAY, May 4th – 11:45 P.M.

LECTOR: Maria DeGrazia

SERVER: Melissa Ziemba

EMHC: Lori Fen | Sal & Lorraine Seminerio

GREETER: Frank DeGrazia | George Fen

Office Schedule

Memorial Day	Monday, May 26
Independence Day	Friday, July 4
Assumption of the BVM	Friday, August 15
Labor Day	Monday, September 1
Columbus Day	Monday, October 13

The Parish Office will be closed on the above dates.

2025

WEEKLY OFFERING REPORT

April 20, 2025

Holy Thursday	\$286.00
Good Friday/Holy Land	\$866.00
Easter Collection 107 Envelopes	\$5,740.00
Easter Loose Collection	\$2,139.00
Easter Online Giving	\$1,642.00
Net Amt. of Parish Collection	\$10,673.00

“Honor the Lord with your wealth, with the first fruits of your produce.” (Prov 3:9)

Thank you for your continued generosity!

My Lord and My God



When someone we love dies, we may feel betrayed because when we love we share our heart and mind with that person. There is an ease, as if this state of things will continue forever. But the day comes when we have to continue alone, when we realize that the things we shared are now painful memories.

The apostle, Thomas, feels this. To the cruelty of knowing that Jesus is dead, the other apostles seem to be adding a new cruelty. So, Thomas reminds the other apostles of the terrible death Jesus had undergone. Unless I see the mark of nails in his hands and put my fingers into the nail marks and put my hand into his side, I will not believe. For Thomas, the pain of Jesus' death and the pain of his own loss seem insurmountable.

The same Risen Jesus, who told Mary Magdalene not to cling to Him, forces Thomas to touch his wounds. The philosopher, Blaise Pascal, remarked, The Risen Christ does not want to be touched except in His wounds. Why? Because it is from His wounds that His saving powers stream forth upon us. His wounds show us the truth that there is a healing for all sorrows - a healing that does not pretend that the sorrow has never happened. His healing draws us through and beyond all sorrows.

Because Jesus has risen, we are not left alone. Because Christ has overcome death, our grief will be broken.

Fr. Ricardo Ortega.

Please Pray for the Sick

Dear Father of love and mercy, hear our prayers for the sick members of our community and for all who are in need:

Adam Lytle	Frances Iczkowski	Mario Ziemba
Ann McKiernan	Francesca Inzani	Msgr. Herbert Tillyer
Barbara Kohan	Garry Bielous	Olga Ojeda
Bernadette Jaros	Jack Teng	Peggy Favocci
Bernice Green	Joanna Antinora	Rosemary Petro
Brian A. David Perri	Jaclyn Salta Machia	Silvio Peroni
Bill Meyers	Maria Rodriguez	Thomas DeLorenzo
Carmelo Luvera	Marienna Silva	
Chuck De Meola	Michael Lacatena	
Cynthia Dollbaum	Michelle Colucci	
Daniel Destefano		
Dave Murphy		
Eleanor Redfearn		

AMEN.



MANY HANDS MAKE LIGHT WORK!

Over and over, we have proved that we are not an ordinary group of people. We have accomplished so much over the years because we function as a team of many hands with one mind lightening our work. By donating just \$3 more, you can make a huge impact and help us continue to grow and serve our community. Every contribution, no matter the size makes a difference.

We can do this!

Many thanks for all your generous support. If it were not for God's mercy and you, this Parish would not exist.



SERVING IN OUR MILITARY

WE HONOR OUR VETERANS AND PRAY FOR THE SAFE RETURN OF LOVED ONES SERVING HERE AND ABROAD. A PRAYER LIST OF THOSE ACTIVELY SERVING WILL BE PUBLISHED IN THE BULLETIN. TO INCLUDE A FAMILY MEMBER, CALL 973-694-5700 OR EMAIL ABVMPARISHSECRETARY@GMAIL.COM. PLEASE KEEP THEM IN YOUR PRAYERS.

- **Matthew J. Agrusti**, Second Lieutenant, US Marines
- **CPL Axsel Consten**, Marine
- **Chastity Consten**, Air Force
- **Staff Sgt. Ross Devine**, Special Forces
- **Matt Doss**, US Army
- **Lilliana Gemma**, USNA
- **Matthew Gemma**, USMA
- **Justin Greenberg**, Second Lieutenant, US Marines
- **Ensign Morgan La Sala**, Navy Flight School
- **Sam Oswald**, Air Force
- **Master Sgt Rick Van Eycke**, Marines
- **Nick McNerney**, US Army



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Family Registration

First and Last Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Cellphone: _____

Email Address: _____

Welcome to the Church of the Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary.
Please complete the new family registration. If you have any questions, please call the Parish Office at 973-694-5700.



PANCAKES FOR THE PANTRY

The Knights of Columbus will hold a special “Your Choice” breakfast after all Masses on May 4, 2025.

Admission to the breakfast will be one bag of groceries, valued between \$10-\$20 per family, to be donated to our food pantry. Preferred items for donation include: canned goods, cereal, rice, prepared foods, tuna, peanut butter, crackers, cookies, coffee, tea, condiments, and toiletries.

Please help us fill our food pantry for the Fr. English Center!

Monetary donations will be accepted at the door in lieu of groceries.



THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

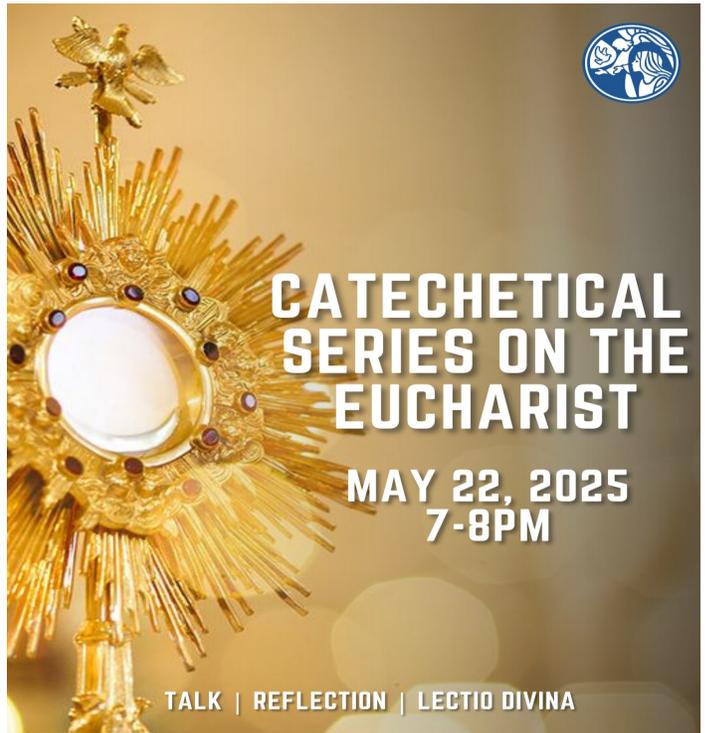


Swaddled with Love



May Crowning

Join our Religious Education students in honoring the Blessed Virgin Mary during the 10:00 AM Mass on Saturday, May 11th.



CATECHETICAL SERIES ON THE EUCHARIST

MAY 22, 2025
7-8PM

TALK | REFLECTION | LECTIO DIVINA

Join us for the Renovation and Renaming of the Original Several Sources' Shelters to

Kathy's House

Homily by Bishop Kevin J. Sweeney

Thursday, May 8 2025

Mass - St. Teresa of Avila, Summit NJ - 5:00pm

Cocktail Reception - The Albion Summit, Summit NJ - 6:00pm

RSVP Required - Monday, April 21 2025:

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