

HOLY INFANT CHURCH, 450 RACEBROOK RD, Orange



Third Sunday of Easter May 1, 2022

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Mass Schedule

Monday - Thursday: 9:00 a.m.
Saturday Vigil: 4:00 p.m.
Sunday: 7:30, 9:30 a.m.

Sacraments

Reconciliation: Saturday
2:45-3:15 p.m.

and by appointment.

Baptisms: By Appointment

Low Gluten Hosts are available at each Mass. Go to a priest's line for Communion and ask for a low gluten host.

Website www.holysinforangect.com

You may find a video of the 7:30 a.m. Sunday Mass on our website. The Mass is videoed and posted by Jeff Cap after 10 a.m. on Sundays.

Faith Formation Office Hours
Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday 9:30-3:30
203-799-2417

Please go to main office for all information. We follow the Public School calendar, so if there is a day off from school, the office is usually closed.

Baptism Instruction:

Call Father Norman to set up an appointment. Parents and Godparents must attend a Baptismal class with their first child. When registering, please inform the secretary if this is an additional child so as not to attend another session.

Weddings: Make arrangements at least 1 year in advance.

Anointing of the Sick and Communion for the home bound: Call the Rectory: (203) 799-2379.

For those parishioners who are in the hospital, please let the parish office know so that Father Norman can visit them. Due to the HIPAA laws we only know if you are hospitalized if you inform us. Hospitals can no longer inform us.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is held on Thursdays from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. after 9 a.m. mass.

Bulletin notices must be in the rectory office at least 1 week in advance of the publication date.

Census forms are available for you to register with Holy Infant Parish. You may pick one up after mass or call the parish office. One must be registered in order to be a sponsor for Baptism, Confirmation or a witness at a Wedding. Please introduce yourself to Father Norman as he can put a name and face together in learning more of our parishioners.

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday, April 30

4:00 Salvatore Semmonella by Family

4:00 Carl Giordano by Wife and Family

Sunday, May 1

7:30 Deceased members of the Janeczek Family by Mary Janeczek

9:30 Ida Cuzzocreo by Marianne Miller & Ken Lenz

Monday, May 2

No Morning Mass

Tuesday, May 3

No Morning Mass

Wednesday, May 4

No Morning Mass

Thursday, May 5

No Morning Mass

Saturday, May 7

4:00 Ralph & Ann Terranova by Family

4:00 Gil Cunha by Family

Sunday, May 8

7:30 Stanley & Wanda Biga
by Biga & Burns Families

9:30 Bette Paone by Family

9:30 Carmela Zanes
by Daughter & Grandchildren

During the time when Fr. Norman is to be away from now on, daily masses will not be celebrated due to no retired priest able to be present. Masses will be at the following parishes for people to attend: Assumption at the mother church in Woodbridge is Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday at 9 a.m. St Louis in West Haven is Monday and Wednesday 12:00 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday 7:30 a.m. St Mary in Milford is weekdays at 8:00 a.m. Check other parishes for their mass times if these are not acceptable for you.

**This week's second collection is for Energy
Next week's second collection is Monthly**

NOTE FROM THE PASTOR

This weekend we welcome three priests to celebrate mass with our parish community in my absence. Fr. Cyriac will be at the 4:00 pm mass; Fr. Kelly will be at the 7:30 am mass; and Fr. Jose will be at the 9:30 am mass. Please welcome them as they bring Christ to us in this Easter season.

We are in the process of having the three bids for the School Roof project coming in at this time. Once all three are in, the Finance Council and myself will choose the company to do the job. We then will submit these bids to the Archbishop who will then grant us permission to move forward with this second project from the Hartford Bishop's Foundation asking some time ago.

WEEKLY SCRIPTURE REFLECTIONS
Peter tells the other disciples that he is going fishing. That is his trade in life. His life is being on the water each day. Easter began a new life for him. He continued to preach and teach the gospel message to all he came in contact with. Remember he denied Jesus three times, and now he is bringing the message of Jesus to others. What a change for him. This change could be for us as well in our lives.

**Financial Report
April 17 & 24, 2022
Weekly: \$ 9,028 & 8,240**

Thank you for your generous support!

Third Sunday of Easter

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS those who are ill, the home bound, the dying, and their caregivers. Lucas McHale, Lisa Boynton, Marra Smith, Ginny Kelly, Josefa Tamayo, Gina Raffone, Lucille Insalaco, Jody Poisson, Ann Rapini, Lorraine D'Attoma, Jay Petrucelli, Robert Boucher, John Parker, Marie McCarthy, Beth Wall, Maria Griagnano, Gabriella Murillo, Angela Gurczynski, Marion Drobish, Joe Lembo, Irene Natrillo, Carol McLaughlin, Laura Luzzi, Anne Bonci, Jackie Willard Moye, Tanya Gilbert, Michele Schioppo, Philomena LaViola, Gene Contardi, Frank Mona, Peggy Brinsmade, Mary Howard, Elena Audie

Faith Formation Corner

I grew up on a small dairy farm in Kilgarvan, Co. Kerry. Today May 1st would be known as the day we decorated our May altar for our Blessed Mother. Every home had a statue of our blessed Mother and fresh flowers a blessed lit candle would be placed in a prominent spot in every kitchen. The month of May was always dedicated to our blessed Mother. The rosary would be prayed more frequently during this month. The Church statues of our blessed Mother would be decorated with extra fresh flowers and Mother Mary would have a beautiful crown of flowers on her head. There was always a great increase in visits to pray the rosary at our Lady's holy well. May crowning is a lovely tradition in most parishes. I have my own statue of our Lady of Grace in my kitchen window. I place fresh flowers in front of the statue on May 1st each year. I also remember My brother Mort in a special way who was born on May 1st. He passed away from cancer six years ago may he Rest in Peace.

For the month of May, I am going to do my best to light a candle every evening to our blessed Mother and I am also going to try and increase how often I pray the rosary each week.

I hope you can join me in my challenge and pray the rosary more often too.

I find the Rosary Center and Confraternity has an easy-to-follow website to pray the rosary. You can also download their app to your phone. <https://rosarycenter.org> If you prefer to listen to the rosary and follow along as you walk or drive in your car. The Rosary by Mother Angelica is a great option. I have it downloaded to my amazon music; you can also buy it on CD.

God Bless Miss Patsy



May 1, 2022

LOOKING AHEAD

Roses for Birthright On Mother's Day weekend May 7th and 8th, the Holy Infant Knights of Columbus will have roses available after all Masses. A donation of \$3 per rose is requested with all proceeds going to Birthright. Thank you for your generous support of Birthright and the Holy Infant Knights of Columbus.

(if needed) Due to restrictions Exact change will be required as we are not allowed to make change.

The Womens Guild of Holy Infant Church welcomes all to participate in an outdoor rosary on Sunday, May 15th at 10:30 am. Location will be on the church lawn in front of the Blessed Virgin's statue. Please bring your own lawn chair!

Red Cross Blood Drive

Wednesday, May 11, 2022 1:00 PM - 06:00 PM
Holy Infant Church Guild Hall

To schedule an appointment go to redcross.org

Roche Scholarship Application Forms for high school boys are located on the entrance bulletin boards in our church as well as on our website. Deadline is June 1st.

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS for the Father Killeen Scholarships, sponsored by the **Holy Infant Knights of Columbus**, are now available in the rectory office. **The deadline for completed applications is Tuesday, May 31.** All application items must be **received** by the Scholarship Committee by this date. All completed application materials must be sent to the address on the application, NOT to the rectory office. A minimum of two scholarships will be offered: the **Brian T. D'Orso Memorial Scholarship** and a scholarship named in honor of a parishioner who has contributed greatly to the life of our parish over a considerable period of time. **This year's honoree is Val Loureiro.** Congratulations to Val for this well-deserved honor! Scholarship applicants (**boys & girls**) may attend either a **two-year college OR a four-year college/university.**

The Archbishop's Annual Appeal: Thank you to the parish families who have made a gift or pledge commitment to the 2022 Archbishop's Annual Appeal. If you have not yet had the opportunity, please consider prayerfully supporting the many "Good Works" of the Archdiocese. Every gift will be gratefully received and sincerely appreciated. All funds contributed to the Archbishop's Annual Appeal are used exclusively for the purposes outlined in the Appeal literature, which can be found at <https://archdioceseofhartford.org/appeal/>. No Appeal funds are ever used for legal fees or settlements.

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