HOLY INFANT CHURCH, 450 RACEBROOK RD, Orange



Fourth Sunday of Easter May 8, 2022

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> <u>Mass Schedule</u> Monday - Thursday: 9:00 a.m. Saturday Vigil: 4:00 p.m. Sunday: 7:30, 9:30 a.m.

<u>Sacraments</u> 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 <u>www.holyinfantorangect.com</u> 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.

<u>Bulletin notices</u> must be in the rectory office <u>at least 1 week in advance</u> 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, May 7

4:00 Ralph & Ann Terranova by Family4:00 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 Clotilde, Ron, Chloe & Brandon

Monday, May 9

9:00 Jean Anastasio by Diane Sette9:00 Ethel Bitzer by Marie Morazzini

Tuesday, May 10

9:00 Gabe Schiavello by Muttitt Family9:00 Ethel Bitzer by Holy Infant Parish

Wednesday, May 11

9:00 Dr. Richard Lena by Dr. & Mrs. Norman Marieb

Thursday, May 12

- 9:00 Rita & Bernard Moule by Family
- 9:00 Bohan & Morey Families by Sheila Bohan

Saturday, May 14

- 4:00 Margaret & Willian Girasuolo by Family
- 4:00 Donald Conte by wife & Family

Sunday, May 15

- 7:30 Lena & Dominick Ciarlone by Family
- 9:30 Ida Cuzzocreo by Holy Infant Choir
- 9:30 Tina Balboni by Elizabeth Roeck

This week's second collection is the Monthly

NOTE FROM THE PASTOR

We are moving faster in this Easter Season, it seems, as we journey through the fourth week now. What have we accomplished in our journey so far? How have we demonstrated to others that we are people who are following the Risen Christ? One way is to consider offering up your time and talents as a Faith Formation teacher for this coming school year. We are looking for more catechists to follow the call of Jesus and to say "Yes" when asked. This will allow our young people to follow in your footsteps, just like those of long ago who followed Jesus while being here on this earth. Am I willing to say yes today?

WEEKLY SCRIPTURE REFLECTIONS

Last weekend we heard the phrase "feed my lambs." This weekend we hear Jesus saying "My sheep hear my voice, I know them, and they follow me." We are the ones who follow the voice of Jesus in our daily lives. We are challenged to become like Him in our words, deeds, and actions. Are we doing just that each day? Are we one with Jesus and the Father?

Financial Report May 1, 2022 Weekly: \$ 5194 Energy: \$ 1356 Thank you for your generous support! **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

Sister Irene asked me, if I would be willing to teach catechism to the first-grade class that my son would be in. I said YES!!

At the time my Eddie was going into first grade and my Shannon was in the four-year-old program at the Sacred Heart of Jesus Preschool. The sisters were kind and loving to the children. They led a beautiful life that was a wonderful example to all that knew them. That started my love for teaching catechism. At first, I was a bit nervous. I didn't have any experience as a teacher. It didn't take long for me to understand the importance of teaching the children that our Lord wants us to be filled with his love and kindness. Here at Holy Infant parish, the students have finished gathering in the afternoons and evenings for classes. Soon, it will be time to start registering for the coming year. My prayer is that you think about joining our faith formation team. If you feel the call to be a catechist, please feel free to call me at our faith formation office.

In August there will be an opportunity for you to attend a short workshop. At the workshop we will go over the guidelines and teaching materials that we use. As your DRE I am here to support and help you in anyway. I hope you say YES!! God bless, Miss Patsy

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LOOKING AHEAD

Roses for Birthright This 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 Women's 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 The deadline for completed applications is office. 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 fouryear college/university.

The Archbishop's Annual Appeal: The Archbishop's Annual Appeal provides help to those in need! Together, we can and do make a profound difference in the lives of many individuals and families, in a way that exceeds anything we could hope to achieve on our own. Please consider supporting this important initiative. Every gift makes a difference. Organizations such as Orange Food 2 Kids, F.I.S.H. of Greater New Haven, and The Community Soup Kitchen right here in our own town received funding from the Appeal's Vicariate Outreach Program which serves our local neighbors. 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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