

Third Sunday of Easter April 18, 2010

In today's gospel, the risen lord, one who was dead and in the tomb and yet who lives again, appears to the disciples as they are out fishing. Do you know what he says to them? He says, "Come have breakfast." Come have breakfast?! Sometimes faith is pretty simple. Jesus says to us today, "Break your fast. Don't starve yourselves. I am here to feed you."

Masses of the Week

Beginning April 19, 2010

8:00 am Daily Mass

MON: Herbert J. Hand, Jr.

TUES: Ruth Snyder

WED: Martin Simon

THURS. Murray Carmody

FRI. Terry Moan

SAT. Michael Carmody Melvin Cunningham

Saturday, April 24, 2010

4:30 PM. Walter Walls

6:00 PM Mass of the People

Sunday, April 25, 2010

7:30 AM Ethel and Roland Burns

9:00 AM Giovanni Noto

10:30 AM (h) Madeline Dell'Uomo

Noon Pierina Castrianni Geltruda Cascio

Antonia M. de Garcia

N.H. – indicates Nursing Home

S.I. – indicates Special Intention

SCRIPTURE READINGS for April 25, 2010.

First: Acts: 13:14, 43-52 Paul and Barnabas preach to the Jews and then the gentiles.

Second: Rev. 7:9, 14b-17 The Lamb will shepherd those from every race and nation.

Gospel: John 10:27-30 My sheep hear my voice.

IHM Travel Group – Upcoming Trips:

April 21 Ocean City MD Jamboree \$77.00

May 25 Wildwood NJ Charlie Prose \$109.00

For more info contact Dot Raab at (410) 668-7760

PRAYER CHAIN If you have a PRAYER REQUEST call any member of the IHM Prayer Chain: Call Ann Connolly 410-661-6947, Mary Ann Thaler 410-668-7738. Corrine Kelly 410-252-2009; Anne Morgan – 410-668-7554

Please remember the Poor Box as you leave mass each weekend.

PRAY FOR VOCATIONS

Collections for the Weekend of April 11, 2010

Envelope Donations	\$	9231.00
Second Collection	\$	2645.10
Loose	\$	1758.02
Children	\$	40.46
Total	\$	13674.58
Less Cathedralium	\$	2051.18
Available for Parish	\$	11623.40
Poor Box	\$	429.48

Contributions for Resounding in Praise Campaign for March: \$13,239.27

RESPECT LIFE - The Gabriel Network provides pregnant women with a supportive Christian environment and help with basic needs to enable them to embrace motherhood and choose life. Please consider attending the Gabriel Network's 4th Annual Benefit Gala premiere event at The Great Room at Historic Savage Mill on Friday, April 30. There will be live music, amazing food, silent auction and much, much more! This is a great opportunity to have some fun while raising money for pregnant women facing poverty and homelessness and introducing new people to the work of the Gabriel Network. General admission tickets are \$55. For further information go to www.projectgabriel.net To join the parish Respect Life Committee call Betty Steinbacher at 410 665-8645.

ALTAR FLOWERS

If you would like to contribute to the church altar flowers on a particular weekend please call the parish office at 410-668-7935 and speak with Donna.

The Flowers in the Hall for the 10:30 Mass

This weekend were donated by:

Genevieve Herbst

In Memory of Earl Herbst

ELECTRONIC GIVING. –is a direct payment program whereby your contribution is debited automatically from either your checking or saving account, or it can be charged to your credit card. Sign-up forms are available in the pamphlet rack at the doors of the Church or by calling the parish office at 410-668-7935. Ext. 209

PARISH MINISTRY RECRUITMENT WEEKEND

Do you have a hunger for a greater understanding and knowledge of scripture and the word? Do you hunger for a greater understanding of the Eucharist? Do you sing, play an instrument, have musical talents or teach music? Do you have artistic talent, do you like to arrange flowers, decorate? Would you like to share your faith with others? Are you perhaps a bit shy and feel that you are not able to fulfill a public role as a minister? Would you like to assist in a ministry, but you cannot make an additional commitment of time? If you answered "YES" to any of these questions, we would ask you to consider joining one of our many ministries here at IHM. Each week over 200 volunteers enable us to worship together and many more volunteers assist behind the scenes in the parish offices and in other ways. On the weekend of May 1/2 we will be presenting information on how you can answer the Baptismal call to service. We hope that you will consider joining one of our many ministries here at IHM

SODALITY MEMBERSHIP - Looking for somewhere to go and something to do? Why not join the IHM Our Lady's Sodality? All are welcome. Call Gloria Dayhoff at 410-665-2902 for more information.

SPRING CLEAN-UP DAY A WONERFUL SUCCESS

Thank you! Thank You to all those who turned out for our Spring Clean Up Day. The grounds look amazing thanks to the care and time so many gave last Sunday. We are scheduling another day in the near future. Watch the bulletin for details.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Thanks to all the parishioners for their donation of food to our pantry this past weekend. We collected 48 bags of food. If you are away the week of the drive you can bring your food on another Sunday.

The **HOLY NAME** is selling 5-Car Raffle tickets Please call Don Ward at 410-882-6644. Members of the Holy Name will be selling tickets after Masses on May 1st and 2nd.

The next **BAPTISM PARENT PREPARATION CLASS** will be held on Thursday May 6th at 7:30 p.m. in the Parish Center. Parents are encouraged to attend even before the birth of their child. The Parish Office at 410-668-7935 for more information or to pre-register for the class.

MARRIAGE, DIVORCE, AND ANNULMENTS:

The Metropolitan Tribunal of the Archdiocese of Baltimore will offer a presentation on *Marriage, Divorce, and Annulments from a Catholic Perspective* on Tuesday, **April 20** Sacred Heart In Glyndon and Thursday, **May 13**, at St. Joseph, Fullerton. Both sessions are from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. This presentation will help those who are hurt by the tragedy of divorce and will bring new hope through the Healing Grace of Jesus Christ. For more information, directions, or to request a private appointment, call the tribunal at (410) 547-5533

PARISH COUNCIL ELECTIONS

The Parish Pastoral Council serves as an advisory body to the Pastor on all aspects of Parish Life. Each year we seek interested parishioners who would like to serve on the Council as nominees for election to the Council by their fellow parishioners. Elections will be held in May with the slate of nominees being published several weeks in advance. If you would like to serve your fellow parishioners on the Council, please contact Fr. Mike, including a short personal biography and your specific interests in serving the Parish. E-mail response is preferred or submit in writing. If you would like to nominate someone else, please submit their name, e-mail address and phone number.

Thank You

Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish

All Alumni Mass and Luncheon

May 16, 2010

Noon Mass Luncheon in the Gym 1 PM - 3 PM

\$8 per person

Send check and names of those attending to:

IHM School Attention: Alumni Event

8501 Loch Raven Blvd.

Baltimore, Md. 21286

CLUSTER PARISH LITURGICAL AND MUSICAL EVENT: Sunday May 2, 7:30pm at St. Isaac Jogues. The combined choirs of IHM, St. Isaac Jogues and St. Joseph Fullerton along with Brass Quartet, Timpani, Handbells and Organ present: "THE STATIONS OF THE RESURRECTION" The choirs will perform three anthems including the "HALLELUJAH CHORUS"

IHM CONCERT SERIES: Final event of the season! Sunday April 25, 4:00pm, Organist Carolyn Lamb Booth performs works of J.S. Bach, Debussy, Guilman, Mulet and Stover and Guest Artist Jennifer Jellings, Soprano who will perform "Pie Jesu" (Lili Boulanger) and "Les Angelus" (The Angelus) [Three hymns to the Blessed Virgin Mary] - (Louis Vierne) Please join us for a spectacular event to conclude the season, by two of the areas top artists (Biographical Information may be found on the flyers at the entrances to the church)

THE LITTLE SISTERS OF THE POOR are seeking single college-age women to become involved in their mission of serving the elderly poor. Positions are available on both a volunteer and paid basis in their homes throughout the United States. Participants will volunteer/work in the direct service of the elderly, according to the needs of the home and the interests of the volunteer/worker. For a list of positions available and for more information, contact Sr. Constance at serenity@littlesistersofthepoor.org.