

CHURCH OF THE INCARNATION  
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**Mass Intentions**

**Saturday, July 24**  
 No Mass  
**Sunday, July 25**  
 For: Ericka Boston - Intentions  
 By: Melanie Holland  
**Monday, July 25**  
 For: Essie Irene Bringier Williams  
 Deceased  
 By: Creavery Lloyd  
**Tuesday, July 27**  
 For: Grandchildren - Intentions  
 By: Curtis & Sheila Williams  
**Wednesday, July 28**  
 For: Dcn. Larry Miles -  
 Happy Birthday  
 By: Curtis & Sheila Williams  
**Thursday, July 29**  
 For: Joyce Williams - Intentions  
 By: Mary Arnett  
**Friday, July 30**  
 For: Adrienne Williams Smith -  
 Happy Birthday  
 By: Curtis & Sheila Williams

**MINISTRY SCHEDULE**  
**Sunday August 01, 10:00am**

**Musician:** Greg Wright  
**Lector:** Barbara Luther  
**Cantor:** Yvette Greene  
**Altar:** Patrick Barnes  
**MOH:**

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY!**

07/17 - Elsie Williams, Kimberly Broden, Priya Ali, Jerrico Blake  
 07/18 - Xavier Bullock  
 07/19 - Aiden Barnes  
 07/21 - Edith Ford

**HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!**

07/17 - Fr. John Ekeocha – Celebrating 28 years in the priesthood

**PRAYER REQUESTS**

**Twanda Harrison**, Prayers for recent admission to the hospital.  
**Joyce Williams**, cousin of Mary Arnett: Prayers for her health  
**Khadijah Harden**, Prayers for increased spirituality and wellness for family.  
 Please continue to pray for the parish and surrounding communities Sick and Shut-In. Especially pray for peace and strength for every person who suffered a loss and will be facing time without their loved ones.

**FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK**

**WELCOME**

A warm welcome is extended to **Fr. Thomas Frank SSJ** to Incarnation, until the new pastor is approved.  
**Fr. Thomas Frank, SSJ**, will be on vacation from July 21 - August 11, 2021.

**AROUND THE PARISH**

**UPDATED COVID-19 LITURGICAL GUIDELINES**

The Archdiocese of Washington recently released updated Covid-19 liturgical guidelines. Liturgical celebrations no longer need to abide by capacity restrictions, which allows us to use all pews.  
 -Social distancing of 3 feet is still required between individuals from separate households.  
 -The use of masks while gathered indoors is not required for fully vaccinated individuals. Because unvaccinated children may be present at Mass, we strongly recommend that non-vaccinated individuals continue to wear masks.  
 -The use of masks by ordinary and extraordinary ministers of Holy Communion is still required during distribution of the precious body. Distribution of the precious blood is still prohibited.  
 -Holy Water stoups may be used, and hard copy printed liturgical materials may be used.  
 -The opening procession, the offertory procession, and the closing recession can be resumed.  
 -We will continue to avoid physical contact during the Lord's prayer and the sign of peace.  
 -We will continue to have hand sanitizer and face masks available at the entrances to the church, and we will continue to clean and disinfect the church weekly.

**Mass will continue to be celebrated on Sundays at 10:00 AM until further notice.**

**AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE**

**UPDATE ON CARDINAL GREGORY**

Cardinal Gregory's procedure on 6/24 was successful, and he is feeling well, His Eminence will have a reduced schedule, including his already scheduled vacation time, through the end of July 2021. Messages of prayers and well wishes may be sent to Cardinal Gregory at his archbishop@adw.org email address.

**CATHOLIC CHARITIES DC** is helping DC and Maryland residents apply for food stamps. Eligibility is based on household size, household income, and household expenses. Applications are submitted online and processed within a 30 day period. An experienced Catholic Charities team member can help. Call the automated hotline at 301-453-5560 and someone will return the call within 24 hours.

**FREE TAX PREPARATION & HELP** – Catholic Charities Financial Stability Network (FSN) is providing free tax preparation. Those who need assistance to claim these benefits can email the Catholic Charities VITA program [ccvirtualvita@gmail.com](mailto:ccvirtualvita@gmail.com). This program will assist families to file their taxes and receive this year's and last year's stimulus benefit checks.

**HVAC Replacement at the Pastoral Center**

The Pastoral Center is beginning a project that will require all staff to vacate the building while the heating, ventilation and air conditioning (HVAC) system is replaced. All staff will be out of the Pastoral Center beginning July 2. We expect to be back to full in-person staff operations at the Pastoral Center in the 1st quarter of 2022. All offices will be fully functioning in support of our parishes, schools and clergy throughout the duration of the HVAC project. All of our office phone numbers, e-mail and computer systems of the Pastoral Center will be fully functional during this time frame, with the exception of a few days when the HVAC project is working in particular areas of the Pastoral Center that require a full system outage. This includes the phone system to be not functioning fully from July 16 – July 26.