



APRIL 24, 2011



IMMACULATE CONCEPTION/ST. BRIDGET'S CHURCH

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SUNDAY MASS – 10:00 A.M.

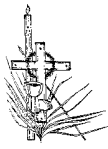
HOLY DAYS: CONSULT BULLETIN — CALL OFFICE

SACRAMENTS OF RECONCILIATION — BY APPOINTMENT

SACRAMENTS OF MARRIAGE: PRE-CANA IS A DIOCESAN REQUIREMENT. ARRANGEMENTS SHOULD BE MADE AT LEAST SIX (6) MONTHS IN ADVANCE.

BAPTISM: PLEASE CALL FR. PAUL AT THE CHURCH OFFICE TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS.

NEW MEMBERS OF THE PARISH COMMUNITY ARE MOST WELCOME. REGISTRATION CARDS ARE AVAILABLE AT THE CHURCH OFFICE.



MASS INTENTION

EASTER SUNDAY

APRIL 24, 2011

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION/ST. BRIDGET'S CHURCH

10:00 AM — MARIO SILVA (R.I.P.)

REQUESTED BY GREGORIA SILVA

<u>SUNDAY, APRIL 17, 2011</u>	
IMMACULATE CONCEPTION/ST. BRIDGET'S CHURCH	
OFFERING: \$1,653	ATTENDANCE: 129
<u>STEWARDSHIP</u>	
"Give to the Most High as he has given to you, generously, according to your means. For the Lord is one who always repays and he will give back to you sevenfold" (Sirach 35:9-10)	

SUNDAY, APRIL 24, 2011

Acts 10:34a, 37-43 (pg. 122/Missalette)
Colossians 3:1-4 (pg. 123/Missalette)
John 20:1-9 (pg. 124/Missalette)

SUNDAY, MAY 1, 2011

Acts 2:42-47 (pg. 21/Missalette)
1 Peter 1:3-9 (pg. 22/Missalette)
John 20:19-31 (pg. 22-23/Missalette)



Immaculate Conception/St. Bridget's Church

Please pray for the sick of the parish and for family and friends of parishioners: Anthony Frank Key Sr., Greg Bartus, Oliver Harper, Pat Nguti, Claire Mooza, Sarah Gordon, Chris Brass, Mary Ann Coley, Ludie Smith, Clint Strickland, Marilyn Bellamy, Alice Walters, Jané Cooper, Tréshon Alexander and Norma Thom.

MINISTRY SCHEDULES

SUNDAY, APRIL 24, 2011

ALTAR SERVERS

JULIAN BARTHELEMY — KOBE BARTHELEMY

READERS

READER I — AMARI LESESNE

READER II — WILLIAM CASTLE

MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

GEORGE FONTENETTE — RAMONA MOORE

USHERS

VICTORIAN DOUCETTE — TIM SULLIVAN

WAYNE UTER — JOE CATALLI

SUNDAY, MAY 1, 2011

ALTAR SERVERS

KYLE JOHNSON — JONATHAN DINGWALL

READERS

READER I — MARCIA FUGATE

READER II — WALTER DeROUEN

MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

JAMES WALKER — LISA TIBERIO

USHERS

GEORGE FONTENETTE — MORRIS DOUCETTE

MICHAEL NWOKELO — LEONARD WOODS

ALTAR & SACRISTY DUTIES

FIRST SUNDAY — DENISE McGOWAN..... SECOND SUNDAY — CLARA BRAY

THIRD SUNDAY — DENISE McGOWAN FOURTH SUNDAY — CLARA BRAY

**FIFTH SUNDAY — DENISE McGOWAN/CLARA BRAY
(Alternate on 5th Sundays)**

STEWARDSHIP PRAYER

O Lord our God, in Your goodness You called us into being and You blessed us with many gifts. Indeed, You made us stewards of Your creation. Teach me to be generous as You have been generous with me. Teach me that all that I am and have are gifts from You, and that these gifts are meant to be shared. I offer my gifts of time, talent and treasure to You as a true act of faith, to reflect my love for You and my neighbor. We thank You for the trust You place in us as stewards of our personal gifts. May the Holy Spirit guide us in placing our time, talent and treasure at the service of each other so that together we may faithfully witness to the Christian message and thus become Your holy people, through Christ our Lord. Amen.

CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL

As of April 13th here is the progress of the Catholic Ministries Appeal for Immaculate Conception & St. Bridget's Church. Immaculate: 25 donations resulting in pledges of \$5,255 against a goal of \$5,598 (93.87% of goal). Actual Paid To Date — is \$4,785. St. Bridget's: 8 donations resulting in pledges of \$501 against a goal of \$2,969 (16.87% of goal). Actual Paid To Date — is \$501.

S.P.A.R.C

SPIRITUS CHRISTI ANTI-RACISM COALITION

On Friday, April 29, 2011 the National YWCA is sponsoring the Stand Against Racism. They are calling for people from all walks of life to join forces on this day to take a stand against this hurtful issue and focus on the importance of racial justice. Here in Rochester the Spiritus Christi Anti-Racism Coalition is inviting all faith communities and social justice organizations to participate in our Walk for Racial Justice on April 29. We will gather in front of the Downtown United Presbyterian Church at 121 Fitzhugh Street North at 5:15 p.m. and begin walking with brief stops at important community locations: the County Building, the Central Office for Rochester City School District, Monroe County jail and Hall of Justice and City Hall. At each location we will invite a leader from that institution to share how they are taking a stand against racism. The walk should take approximately an hour and will conclude back at DUPC. Light refreshments will be served. For more information please call Myra Brown at 325-1180 ext. 102.



Deadline: Sunday, May 8, 2011

What: Saturday, May 21, 2011, Immaculate Conception/St. Bridget's pilgrimage to the Basilica of the National Shrine of Our Lady of Fatima, Lewiston, New York

How: A car caravan will be leaving the church parking lot at 9:00 a.m. The group activities should be completed by 1:00 p.m.

Reminder: The cost is \$20 per person to cover a donation to and lunch at the shrine. Space is restricted to the first 40 people.

Contacts: Colleen Brade, Myrtle Fontenette, Joanne Gordon or Vincent Stroud.

SECOND COLLECTIONS

Just a reminder, that there will be a second collection on May 1st for Catholic Home Missions Appeal.

BISHOP CLARK TO RECEIVE

NATIONAL AWARD IN CHICAGO

Bishop of Rochester Matthew H. Clark will receive the Lumen Gentium Award from the national Conference for Pastoral Planning and Council Development during the group's 38th Annual Conference in Chicago this week. The award was presented to Bishop Clark at a special awards banquet on Tuesday, April 12, 2011. The Lumen Gentium Award is given in recognition of distinguished pastoral leadership in utilizing planning and broad consultation processes; initiative and creativity in responding to parish or diocesan changing needs, and significant contributions to raising awareness of the principles of the Vatican II document Lumen Gentium, which greatly influenced the role of laity in the Catholic Church.



THE DELAWARE STATE UNIVERSITY CHOIR

Dr. Curtis Everett Powell, Music Director

IN CONCERT

Thursday, May 12, 2011—7:00 pm

SACRED HEART CATHEDRAL

FREE ADMISSION



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Immaculate Conception/St. Bridget's Church

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<p><i>PLEASE REMEMBER</i> <i>IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH</i> <i>IN YOUR WILL!</i></p>	<p><i>IN LOVING MEMORY OF TITUS J. SCOTT</i> <i>LOVE ALWAYS,</i> <i>YOUR WIFE & DAUGHTERS</i></p>	<p><i>PLEASE REMEMBER</i> <i>ST. BRIDGET'S CHURCH</i> <i>IN YOUR WILL!</i></p>
<p><i>IN LOVING MEMORY OF PEDRO RUIZ</i> <i>THE SCOTT FAMILY</i></p>	<p><i>IN LOVING MEMORY OF MY PARENTS</i> <i>RAYMOND & ROSA COOPER</i> <i>RAMONA MOORE</i></p>	<p><i>IN LOVING MEMORY OF</i> <i>FREIDA McCRAY</i> <i>FONTENETTE FAMILY</i></p>
<p><i>IN LOVING MEMORY OF BENNIE BRASS</i> <i>LOVE CHRIS & ASHLEY BRASS</i></p>	<p><i>IN LOVING MEMORY OF MY WIFE</i> <i>ILONA WHITE</i> <i>ALPHONSE WHITE</i></p>	<p><i>IN LOVING MEMORY OF</i> <i>BENNIE BRASS, DAVID MILES & TITUS SCOTT</i> <i>IMMACULATE CONCEPTION LITURGICAL DANCERS</i></p>
<p><i>IN LOVING MEMORY OF RAFAELA ORTEGA</i> <i>SCOTT FAMILY</i></p>	<p>H&R BLOCK <i>MARCIA FUGATE, SENIOR TAX ADVISOR</i> <i>1000 Hylan Drive, Rochester, NY 14623</i> <i>Tel 585-424-2320/Fax 585 424 2216 - hrblock.com</i></p>	<p><i>IN LOVING MEMORY OF</i> <i>JAMES STOKES</i> <i>STOKES FAMILY</i></p>
<p><i>IN LOVING MEMORY OF GERARD MARTIN</i> <i>PIERRE-PHILIPPE FAMILY</i></p>	<p>GOD BLESS! MARGARET J. DOUD</p>	<p><i>IN LOVING MEMORY OF BENNIE BRASS</i> <i>PIERRE-PHILIPPE FAMILY</i></p>
<p><i>IN LOVING MEMORY OF THE DECEASED MEMBERS</i> <i>OF IMMACULATE CONCEPTION & ST. BRIDGET'S CHURCH</i> <i>TOM & NELLIE BOSTICK</i></p>	<p><i>IN LOVING MEMORY OF</i> VERONICA KURIA <i>IMMACULATE CONCEPTION/ST. BRIDGET'S CHURCH</i></p>	<p>GOD BLESS MARY DWELLEY</p>
<p><i>IN LOVING MEMORY OF</i> DR. NATHANIEL HURST <i>LEE & MARY WINGO</i></p>	<p>SPACE FOR RENT</p>	<p>SPACE FOR RENT</p>

Business Ads & Memorials — \$10.00 a month

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