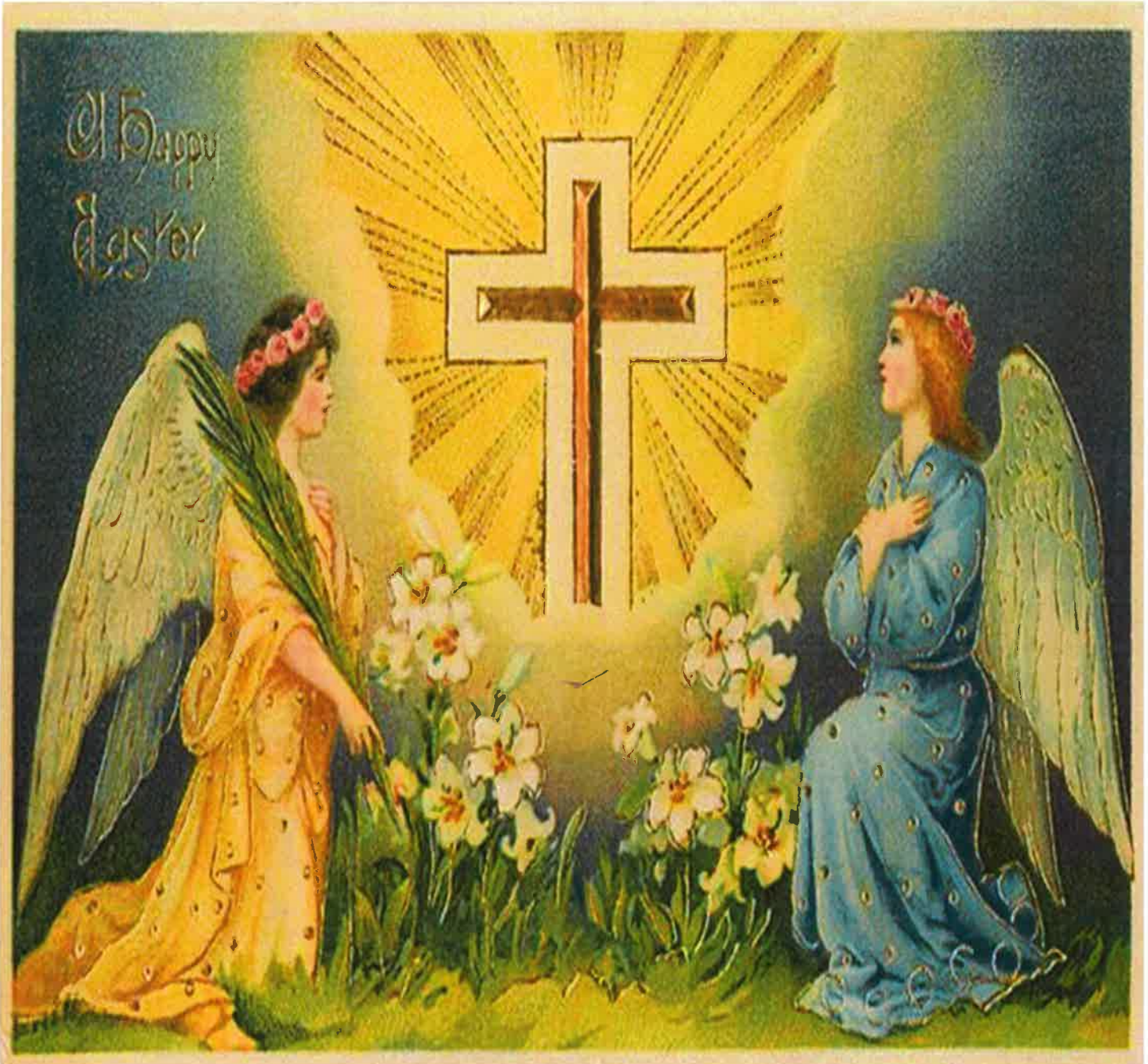


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## FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Monday May 8, 8:30am Mass, ICC Arlington  
 Tuesday May 9, 8:30am Mass, ICC Arlington  
 Wednesday May 10, 6:30pm Communion Service, ICC Arlington  
 Thursday May 11, 8:30am Mass, ICC Arlington  
 Friday May 12, 8:30am Mass, ICC Arlington  
 Saturday May 13, 4:00pm Reconciliation, 5:00pm Mass, ICC Arlington  
 Sunday May 14, 9:00am Mass, ICC Arlington & 12noon Mass, SJV Darrington



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### Stewardship Offering

Collection April 29 & 30	Weekly Amount Budgeted	Balance so far This Fiscal Year
ICC: \$5,450.27	\$6,923.00	+\$39,049.69
SJV: \$153.10	\$325.00	+\$4,105.49



### THE WEEK AHEAD

**Tuesday:** 10:00am Shawl Group ICC  
 7:00pm AA Meeting ICC  
 7:00pm AlAnon Meeting ICC

**Wednesday:** 6:30pm Communion Service ICC

**Thursday:** 9:10am Oblates Meeting ICC  
 5:00pm VlgComServices Dance ICC

**Saturday:** 7:00am Ordinary Men ICC  
 8:30am Cursillo ICC  
 4:00pm Confessions ICC  
 5:00pm Mass ICC Followed by  
 Mother's Day Reception ICC

**Sunday:** 9:00am Mass ICC  
 10:20am Mother's Day Breakfast ICC  
 12:00noon Mass SJV  
 Followed by Lunch

**THANK YOU** to all who made their pledge this weekend to the Annual Catholic Appeal, or who have already pledged at the parish, online or to the archdiocese. If you have not yet filled out your pledge card we hope you will do so and bring it to church next weekend. We are hoping—and praying—for 100% participation of our households in this important annual pledge drive.

### NEXT WEEKEND WE CELEBRATE



**MOTHER'S DAY** in the midst of the Easter Season. There will be a reception with refreshments after the 5:00 pm Mass at ICC, breakfast after the 9:00am Mass at ICC, and hopefully the men will do some of the preparation for the lunch after the noon Mass at SJV.

**SINGLES** —our dinner is coming up on May 18!!!  
 See the enclosed flyer and get your rsvp in soon!



**HIGH SCHOOLERS AND YOUNG ADULTS**—those who will be juniors in High School this Fall and older are reminded of the Confirmation session this Sunday afternoon, May 7, beginning at 4:00pm in the rectory at ICC (Fr. Tim's house). Plan to attend to learn about Confirmation, the schedule and the expectations.

**SJV** —the next **"Bible Bits"** bible study program will be Sunday **afternoon, May 21, after our Noon Mass and lunch. Get it on your calendar**



The Arlington Food Bank **thanks us** for our donations to help restock their depleted shelves. Last weekend we doubled the amount given from the previous week. **Please consider volunteering?** Contact Barb in the parish office for a Food Bank volunteer application by email or in person.

**Mary's Guild** would like to thank all of you who volunteered to help with the International Food Fair this past weekend. A grand time was had by all and the food was fabulous. Many thanks also to the chefs who donated their time and money to prepare the cultural dishes. We took in \$929 minus a few expenses to be subtracted.

May 6 & 7, IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD, 2017



We **WELCOME** these infants newly baptized the weekend of April 22/23.

**CONGRATULATIONS!**

*Wade Louis Walther,*

*Son of Chris and Melissa Walther*

*Daniel Gonzales Williams,*

*Son of David and Kathleen Williams*

### End-of-the-Year-Celebration

The last day of Faith Formation is Sunday, May 21<sup>st</sup> and we will be going out in style with a celebration. All Faith Formation children will come to the 9 am Mass with their families and sing a song after Communion. They have invited special guests to join them—Godparents, Grandparents, and other Faith Friends. After Mass, they will take their guests to the classrooms to show them what they have been learning and introduce them to their teachers. Afterward, there will be an Ice Cream Social on the lawn (weather permitting). Please welcome our students and special guests!



### COMING UP NEXT -

**Vacation Bible School. July 10 – 14, 9am to noon.** Registration forms are available for pick up in the vestibule.

### SACRAMENTS –

#### **Celebrating Our Life in Christ**

Children of our parish have been preparing for two years and will celebrate their **FIRST COMMUNION Saturday, May 20<sup>th</sup> at the 5 pm Mass.** Practice for First Communion is Wednesday, May 17<sup>th</sup> at 5 pm.

**BOOKKEEPER POSITION:** Our bookkeeper, Jeanne Knott, is retiring at the end of June after a number of years of faithful service to our churches. Before we advertise for the position diocese-wide, we are giving a head start to anyone in our two parishes who might be interested in applying for the position (which begins in early June.) The position is approximately 25 hours a week. For details and a position description and application, please see Fr. Tim. The position will be opened diocese-wide in mid May.



+YOUTH NEWS+

To join the Youth email group contact Janice Duffell at: [jduffellym@comcast.net](mailto:jduffellym@comcast.net)

**Junior High Youth Night—**  
All 6<sup>th</sup>—8<sup>th</sup> Graders Welcome  
Wednesday May 10<sup>th</sup>, 6:30-8:30pm

**High School Movie night—**  
Short movie and discussion (with snacks!)  
Wednesday May 17<sup>th</sup>, 6:30-8:30pm

**Confirmation information session—This Sunday**  
Sunday May 7<sup>th</sup> at 4:00pm (includes dinner).

### WE CONTINUE TO CELEBRATE EASTER JOY IN THE MONTH OF MAY:

We celebrate the Resurrection of Jesus, the most important event in human history, for four more weeks—culminating in the Solemnity of Pentecost on June 3/4. Along the way, we honor Mary, the Mother of God, during May, we honor our mothers on Mothers' Day, we celebrate First Eucharist with some of our parish children May 20 at ICC, and we celebrate the Feast of Jesus' Ascension into Heaven on May 27/28. It's a busy but blessed and holy time!



**NOTICE TO ALL: There will NOT be a Back-2-School Rally this year.** Many other organizations are providing assistance to meet this need (school supplies and backpacks). We are exploring other opportunities to be of service, more on that at a later date.

**NOVENA OF MASSES FOR MOTHER'S DAY**  
Fr. Christopher is again offering a Novena of Masses for Mothers at our sister parish in "Bungoma, Kenya this year. If you would like to include the mother(s) in your life, a novena sign up will be available in the vestibule May 6/7 and May 13/14. Novena and Mother's Day cards will be available.

**LET US ADD TO OUR PRAYERS OUR NEW PASTOR COMING IN JULY—**praying that God will bless him as he assumes a new ministry, that our parish families will welcome him with joy, and that together we might continue to further God's Kingdom in the Stilly Valley.

# SINGLES DINNER CELEBRATION



FOR ALL OF THE SINGLES  
OF OUR TWO CHURCHES, ICC & SJV

Non Widows or Widowers

THURSDAY, MAY 18, 2017

6:30PM—DINNER

**There is no cost to you . . . however, it IS necessary to rsvp so we can adequately plan for food and seating.** Please drop the registration slip in the collection basket the next two weekends, or just call the parish office to rsvp. **Deadline to register/RSVP is: May 14th.**

RSVP CLIP OFF & PUT IN THE COLLECTION BASKET OR CALL THE PARISH OFFICE 360-435-8565

YES I WILL ATTEND, NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_