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ST. BENEDICT

FEAST DAY

July 11

**“Do not be
daunted
immediately
by fear and
run away
from the road
that leads to
salvation.”**

~Rule of St. Benedict

PARISH INFORMATION

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SUNDAY & WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

SUNDAY MASSES

Sunday: 7:00am, 9:00am & 11:00am

Saturday (Vigil): 4:00pm

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday: 6:30am

Monday–Friday: 8:30am & Wednesday: 6:30pm

LIVESTREAMED MASSES

9:00am Sunday • 8:30am Weekday

SACRAMENTAL LIFE

ADORATION

Thursdays 9:00am–7:00pm; First Fridays 9:00am–1:00pm

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Please call the Parish Office.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Scheduled on Saturdays: 2:30pm–3:15pm &

7:00pm–7:30pm; Thursdays 6:00–7:00pm

Also available by appointment.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

Call the Parish Office at least six months prior to intended wedding date. Do not schedule a venue before securing the wedding date.

SACRAMENT OF THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK

To request the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick please contact the parish office.

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY

In case of emergency or if you have experienced the death of a family member, please call the Parish Office number at any time. If the office is closed, use menu option #2.

PRAYER CHAIN: 417-887-0600

Prompt #3 will connect you to request mailbox.
Please leave contact information with the request.

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

President: Mrs. Cyndi Clark

Vice-President: Mr. Jacob Ham

Secretary: Mrs. Emily Johnson



PARISH COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC WOMEN (PCCW)

President: Mrs. Dianne Hendley

SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

President: Mr. David Moffis

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PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We the people of Immaculate Conception Parish are a community of caring Christians. It is our desire to deepen our faith by freely giving our time, talents, and treasures as willing servants of Jesus Christ.

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR

Fifteen Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 16, 2023

Isaiah 55:10-11

Psalms 65:10, 11, 12-13, 14 (Luke 8:8)

Romans 8:18-23

Matthew 13:1-23 or 13:1-9

PARISHIONERS WHO NEED SPECIAL PRAYERS

Carl Allison	Janice Hill	Sandy Murphy
Amiah Armstrong	Catherine Jolivet	Tom Van Nguyen
Gerlie Belde	Cade Kornegay	Susan Oakley
Carolyn Bostic	Joan Krueger	Margaret Pickett
Richard Bowen	Paula Kulbicki	Louise Pumphrey
Suzane Bustos	Kay Maloney	Angelina Ramirez
Keith Currie	Rhea Marcum	Kathy Sunnenberg
Susan Craig	Alejandro Marquez	Carlos Tomelleri
Gloria D'Alessandro	Virginia Martin	Elizabeth Tomelleri
Mary Dobard	Mary Jane McNamee	Mike Wilkinson
Sophia Griesbaum	Mary Kay Meek	& those not listed who
Norma Herrera	Joana Michael	are in need.

People are listed for 4 weeks, then transferred to the Prayer Intention book, unless family notifies us otherwise.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Mon. 7/10 6:30pm RCIA Inquiry

Tues. 7/11 7:00pm Boy Scouts Meeting

Thurs. 7/13 9:00am Adoration

6:00pm Confession

7:00pm Benediction

7:00pm Fontis

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MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

Saturday, July 8th—Thirteenth Saturday in Ordinary Time

4:00PM Vigil Mass + Tome Geodde

Sunday, July 9th—Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00AM Sunday Mass Parish Family

9:00AM Sunday Mass + Msgr. Harry Schlitt

11:00AM Sunday Mass + Danny Robnett

Monday, July 10th—Fourteenth Monday in Ordinary Time

6:30AM Mass + Kathleen Anne Daily

8:30AM Mass Nora Katherine

Tuesday, July 11th—St. Benedict, Abbot

6:30AM Mass + Milton Bare

8:30AM Mass + Erma Sansone

Wednesday, July 12th—Fourteenth Wednesday in Ordinary Time

8:30AM Mass + Anna Joseph

6:30PM Mass + Robert Harrington

Thursday, July 13th—St. Henry

6:30AM Mass Vocations to the Priesthood

8:30AM Mass + Ann Cashel

Friday, July 14th—St. Kateri Tekakwitha, Virgin

6:30AM Mass Nic Gilardi

8:30AM Mass + Anthony S. Sansone

Saturday, July 15th—St. Bonaventure, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

4:00PM Vigil Mass + Tom Goedde

Sunday, July 16th—Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00AM Sunday Mass Parish family

9:00AM Sunday Mass + Lavenrna Henscheid

11:00AM Sunday Mass + Nancy Ellman

YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED FOR THE WEEK OF JULY 2, 2023

Envelopes:	\$ 15,163.77	St. Vincent de Paul	\$ 524.00	Peter's Pence	\$ 1,742.00
Plate:	\$ 1,526.74	Votives	\$ 135.00	Organ Total Raised	\$ 69,868.00
Weekly total:	\$ 16,690.51	Maintenance and Repair	\$ 1,403.00		
Annual Budget:	\$ 1,090,000.00	IC Home Missions	\$ 115.00		
Year-to-Date Collection:	\$ 16,690.51	Masses	\$ 40.00		
Year-to-Date Budget:	\$ 20,961.54	Sponsor -A -Child	\$ 95.00		

20.38% below budget



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St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry items requested for July:

- Hot or Dry cereals
- Egg Noodles
- Canned Fruits
- Laundry Detergent
- Pancake Mix
- Peanut Butter
- Jelly

Bring **unopened & recently dated** items, and place in the deck box at the South entry to Church.

Thank you!

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Springfield Pro-Life Dinner August 25, 2023

Featuring Keynote

Melissa Ohden

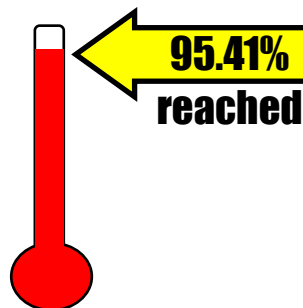
To register for the dinner event visit vitaefoundation.org

2023 DDF REPORT

To date our parish has reached **\$181,475.77** toward our goal of **\$190,202.94 (95.41%)**. Thank you! If you have not yet made your pledge, please add your gift, whatever the amount, in unity with those who have already given by returning a pledge card. The diocese and Church in southern Missouri needs your participation.

Number of Donors – 339

Number of Donors Goal – 369



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UPCOMING RCIA INQUIRY

What is RCIA? The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is the process established for the universal Church for individuals to become Catholic and receive the sacraments of initiation—Baptism, Confirmation, and the Eucharist. This initiation process also involves a parish community experiencing a renewal in faith as it prepares and welcomes new members into the Church. The Rite speaks of conversion as a "spiritual journey." Centered on fostering a deep relationship with Jesus and the Church he founded, this journey takes place through distinct stages over a period of time suitable to bring about a thorough catechesis, significant experience of the parish community, and commitment to the liturgical and moral life of the Catholic faithful.

RCIA is for those who wish to enter into full communion with the Catholic faith. Instruction for RCIA begins on the 2nd Monday of September, meets once a week and continues through the year until the Easter Vigil. Our 2nd inquiry meeting will be Monday, July 10th at 6:30pm. General information about the program will be given that evening.

Anyone interested in coming into the Catholic Church or knows someone who is interested, please contact the parish office 417-887-0600 or you can speak to me directly after Mass on the weekends.

Deacon Kevin



IMMACULATE CONCEPTION PARISH

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June 23, 2023

Dear Parishioners of Immaculate Conception Parish,

As we come to the end of June, the month dedicated to the Sacred Heart, Fr. Peirano and I are grateful for our first year of walking with you on this journey of faith. As we look to the future, we both are eager to grow our relationship with each of you. To make this a reality, we are embarking on a mission to visit each of your homes!

We realize that the size of this mission is great, but we are each personally committed to carrying it out. It is our hope that you would welcome us into your home for a short visit to share in a moment of prayer and to bless and dedicate your home to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. We have picked a special image of the Sacred Heart that we will leave with you to be placed in a prominent area of your home.

These visits will be somewhat brief, and thus, we expect no food or snacks. This will allow us to visit several homes at a time. We would like to start with families with school children during these final days of summer and then move to other members following the beginning of school.

Our new administrative assistant, Heather Hayes, will be available to schedule these visits. Please know that Fr. Peirano and I will keep all of you in our prayers. To become true people of prayer it is important to knowingly embrace our fellow parishioners. We are looking forward to enshrining your home to the Sacred Heart. I am,

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Reverend Thomas E. Reidy
Pastor

IC Children's & Youth Ministry

Youth Table

See the youth table under the stained glass in the gathering area for more information on youth events and the kid's bulletin!



Kid's bulletin: July 9

Youth Prayer Request

Please join us in prayer for all of our youth, especially those attending the Steubenville Conference this weekend (July 7-9):

may the Holy Spirit draw them closer to God and may they come back spiritually renewed and on fire to be disciples of Jesus Christ!



Come, Holy Spirit!

Please pray for our confirmands

Tristan	Ralph	Izzy	Logan
Brayden	Edie	Gabe	Rusty
Parker	Matthew	Bryson	Nicolas
Cooper	Cale	Paige	Layla
Torey	Kyle	Matisse	Sasha
Jacob	Michael	Lily	

Confirmation Date: August 26, 2023

Confirmation Preparation



All 8th grade students for the 2023-2024 school year (or older) are eligible to begin preparation for the

sacrament of Confirmation

starting this fall. More information to come. If you know you are interested, please contact Mani Brockmeyer to be put on the list!

Youth Ministry Contact

For more details on IC Youth Ministries, please contact Mani Brockmeyer.
mbrockmeyer@ic-parish.org or 887-0600

IC Youth Ministries Reaching Out

Our IC Youth will be putting together to-go food packs to donate to our unsheltered brothers & sisters here in Springfield.

It's not too late to join us!

If you would like to contribute to our project, bring non-perishable, pre-packaged snacks/protein bars to the Church office by Monday, July 10.



BISHOP RICE'S JULY PRAYER INTENTION



Let us pray for our country, for life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness for all, through the intercession of Our Lady of Mount Carmel. Let us also pray for the protection of all travelers during the summer holiday season.



SEAS GOLF CLASSIC

The SEAS Golf Classic IS BACK! The event takes place on Saturday, July 15th at Rivercut Golf Course. Contests, gifts, lunch and tons of prizes and awards.

For information, please contact Jim Bach at 417-848-9657 or email ninerjim@hotmail.com or go to SeasGolfClassic.com for details and registration.

DIOCESAN DIRECTOR OF DEVELOPMENT AND PROPERTIES



The Diocese of Springfield-Cape Girardeau seeks qualified applicants to fill the position of Director of Development and Properties. Applicant must be a practicing Catholic in good standing with the Church. Qualified individuals need a demonstrated understanding of the theology of stewardship and experience in the administration of major capital campaigns as this position includes responsibility for the annual diocesan fundraising appeal. Additionally, the ideal applicant would have experience in a field related to property management or construction as well as experience with the legal duties related to property acquisition. Administrative and management experience is required. A college degree is preferred and the ability to work collaboratively is critical. This is a full-time, exempt position. Some evening and weekend hours, as well as periodic travel, driving across the diocese will be required to accomplish the work. Compensation includes competitive salary, excellent health benefits and retirement plan based on diocesan guidelines.

To request an application packet, including a detailed job description, please contact Jan Smith at The Catholic Center, jansmith@dioscg.org, or call 417-866-0841.

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- **Instructional Aide**
 - Elementary Instructional Aide part-time or full-time at St Agnes 417-866-5038
 - Preschool Aide part-time or full-time at St Agnes 417-866-5038

To submit an application or to get additional information, go to SpringfieldCatholicSchools.org click "About" and "Employment Opportunities" and then select the applicable position.

DIOCESE SEEKS DIRECTOR OF YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY



The Diocese of Springfield-Cape Girardeau seeks qualified applicants to fill the position of Diocesan Director of Youth and Young Adult Ministry. Applicant must be a practicing Catholic in good standing with the Church. Recent employment or volunteer experience as a ministry leader with high school youth and/or young adults in parishes, schools, universities, or diocese is required. Minimum of a Bachelor Degree in Pastoral Ministry, Theology, Catholic Education, or Catechesis is required. This is a full-time, exempt position. Some evening and weekend hours, as well as periodic travel, driving across the diocese will be required to accomplish the work. Compensation includes competitive salary, excellent health benefits and retirement plan based on diocesan guidelines.

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