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THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY TUESDAY, AUGUST 15TH

Holy Day Mass Times: Monday, August 14th—Vigil Mass 5:30pm Tuesday, August 15th—Masses at 6:30am, 8:30am & 5:30pm

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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: 6:30_{am} Monday-Friday: 8:30_{am} & Wednesday: 6:30_{pm}

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 #3.

PRAYER CHAIN: 417-887-0600

Ext. 510 will connect you to Heather Hayes. 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



Grand Knight: Dr. Ralph Duda



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

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time August 20, 2023

Is 56:1, 6-7 Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8 (4) Rom 11:13-15, 29-32 Mt 15:21-28

PARISHIONERS WHO NEED SPECIAL PRAYERS

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

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

UPCOMING EVENTS

Mon. 8/14 5:30pm Assumption Vigil Mass

6:00pm K of C Business Meeting

Tues. 8/15 Holy Day Assumption Masses:

6:30am Mass

8:30am Mass

5:30pm Mass

Tues. 8/15 7:00pm Boy Scouts Meeting

Thurs. 8/17 9:00am Adoration

6:00pm Confession

7:00pm Benediction

MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

Saturday, August 12th—St. Jane Frances de Chantal, Religious

4:00PM Vigil Mass Parish Family

Sunday, August 13th—19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00AM Sunday Mass Young adults of the parish

9:00AM Sunday Mass + Msgr. Harry Schlitt

11:00AM Sunday Mass + Ron Siever

Monday, August 14th—St. Maximillian Kolbe, Priest and Martyr

6:30AM Mass + James Skahan 8:30AM Mass + Raymond Heible 5:30PM Vigil Mass Amiah Armstrong

Tuesday, August 15th—The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

6:30AM Mass Sr. Evangeline 8:30AM Mass + Martha Harris

5:30PM Mass IC School Faculty, Staff, Students & families

Wednesday, August 16th—St. Stephen of Hungary

8:30AM Mass + Bernadette Graas

6:30PM Mass + Mary Joseph

Thursday, August 17th—19th Thursday in Ordinary Time

6:30AM Mass + Donni Stengel 8:30AM Mass + Erma Sansone

Friday, August 18th—19th Friday in Ordinary Time

6:30AM Mass + George Joseph 8:30AM Mass Mike Johnson

Saturday, August 19th-St. John Eudes, Priest

4:00PM Vigil Mass + John McKearney

Sunday, August 20th—20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00AM Sunday Mass Parish Family 9:00AM Sunday Mass + Bobby Miller

11:00AM Sunday Mass + Robert Harrington

YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 6, 2023

Envelopes:	\$ 27,455.60	St. Vincent de Paul	\$ 553.00	Masses	\$ 61.00
Plate:	\$ 1,677.30	Maintenance and Repair	\$ 2,077.00	Organ Total Raised	\$ 70,184.00
Weekly total:	\$ 29,132.99	IC Home Missions	\$ 15.00		
Annual Budget:	\$ 1,090,000.00	Assumption	\$ 132.00		
Year-to-Date Collection:	\$ 108,750.41	Sponsor –A –Child	\$ 175.00		
Year-to-Date Budget:	\$ 125,769.24	Votives	\$ 52.00		

13.54% below budget



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SPECIAL NEEDS CLASS FOR FAITH FORMATION

St. Agnes Cathedral Parish invites any families who may need a special needs class for Faith Formation for their children to contact Iris Bounds at ibounds@sta-cathedral.org or to call the parish office at 417-831-3565. We have a certified teacher of special needs who works with students in faith formation and in particular will also help to prepare them for the reception of the sacraments. We do not require that your family join our parish, we just hope to welcome you and help your child to learn how they can be a part of our Catholic faith. Our classes are held on Sunday mornings from 10:00-11:00 AM in our school & the curriculum used is approved by the diocese. Please call or email and we will try to be as flexible as possible to meet your family's special needs.

SACRED HEART HOUSE BLESSING



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.

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.

Please call Heather Hayes at 417-887-0600 to schedule your visit.

~Fr. Tom and Fr. Peirano

SAVE THE DATE

Parish Mission
Sunday, Monday & Tuesday
October 1st, 2nd & 3rd



Request Cards for Mass Intentions and for Memorial Remembrances are available in the Gathering Area

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 next inquiry meeting will be Monday, August 21 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

NEW PARISHIONERS AT IC

We wish to welcome our newest families!

Chris & Christie Landwehr

Ms. Corina Keefe

Peter & Maria Genaris Family

May God bless each of you abundantly!

SIGN UP FOR FLOCKNOTE

If you haven't already, sign up for our parish news with Flocknote! This messaging system features texts and emails from the parish, which contain news, events, as well as bulletins and reflections!

To get started, either scan the QR code, or text "IC-PARISH" to 84576, and when asked, select the Parish





REQUESTS FOR THOSE IN NEED ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

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

- Canned Tuna/Chicken
- Egg Noodles
- Canned Soup
- Laundry Detergent
- Pancake Mix/Syrup
- Peanut Butter/Jelly
- Hot & Cold Cereal
- Shampoo

Bring <u>unopened & recently dated</u> items, and place in the deck box at the South entry to Church.

Thank you!

FESTIVAL OF NATIONS

Sacred Heart Church 1609 N Summit Ave

Sacred Heart Church will be holding their Festival of Nations on **Saturday, August 26, 4:30PM to 9:30PM**. There will be international foods, music, live entertainment, a bounce house, kid's games, vendors, raffles, dunk tank and a beer garden. Admission is free, but there is a charge for food, drinks and some activities. Please join us for a fun-filled evening of delicious foods and entertainment from different nations.





Featuring Keynote

Melissa Ohden

To register for the dinner event visit vitaefoundation.org

Vitae Foundation is hosting its annual Springfield Pro-life Dinner on Friday, August 25, 2023, at the White River Conference Center at 600 W. Sunshine Street in Springfield. The keynote speaker is Melissa Ohden, survivor of a failed saline infusion abortion and the Founder and Director of The Abortion Survivors Network. The dinner event begins at 7:00pm with doors at 6:00pm for \$75/person. Reservations may be made online at vitaefoundation.org or by calling 573-634-4316.

For questions, or to become a sponsor, please contact Sharon Weidelman by calling 417.234.2017 or emailing her at Sharon.Weidelman@vitaefoundation.org.



STRUGGLING WITH LIFE SINCE BEING WIDOWED, DIVORCED OR SEPARATED?

Beginning Experience of Springfield is offering an eight-week support program, Coping With Life Alone, designed to help individuals work through the trauma of losing a spouse through death or divorce. The program will begin Thursday September 14, 2023, at 6:30pm at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church, 2200 W Republic Rd, Springfield, MO. Beginning Experience programs offer strength and growth through a community of friendship, support and prayer. The program's trained facilitators have themselves experienced divorce or the death of a spouse.

The cost of the program is \$30, but financial assistance is available for those in need.

To pre-register: Call Diane at 417-859-0175 or cell 870-688-8829, Barb at 417-827-3641, or Donna at 417-529-1085

IC Children's & Youth Ministry

Youth Group Kick off!

Any school - grades 6-12 Thursday, August 31 6:00-7:30pm

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Meet us in the youth room downstairs at 6:00pm, followed by hot dogs & s'mores in the Grotto & water games!







Give us a quick RSVP so we can get a food estimate! Thanks!

Youth Grades 6-12

Would you like to...

-connect with God?
-grow in your relationship with
Jesus Christ?
-eat pizza?
-be a part of a
Catholic youth community?
-have fun?

-learn how to boost your prayer life?
-dive deeper into our Catholic

faith & what it means for your daily life?



You are invited to join us this fall on Wed evenings 6:15-7:30pm in the youth room!

Please pray for our confirmands

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

Confirmation Date: August 26, 2023

Sacrament of Confirmation Preparation starting soon!

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!

There will be more info to come. Contact Mani Brockmeyer to be put on the list!





Our youth need you!

We believe in the power of prayer! We are calling on fellow parishioners who would be willing to pray for our IC youth (grades 6-12) more intentionally during these important years of their life, and in turn, they will pray for you!

By joining the House of Prayer, you will:

- be added to the House of Prayer flocknote.
 be assigned a specific youth to pray for by
- receive prayer requests directly pertaining to our youth (as requested by them).
- be invited to share prayer requests of your own so the youth can pray for you too!

To Sign Up:

-fill out the form in the gathering area (youth table)



-use the QR code to sign up

-call the church office (887-0600)



Youth Ministry Contact

Mani Brockmeyer

mbrockmeyer@ic-parish.org or 887-0600

HEAVENLY DUSTERS

Are you looking for a volunteer opportunity to support our parish? We are in need of "Heavenly Dusters," who clean the parish on Saturday mornings, just five to six times per year! Please contact Dianne Hendley at 208-400-0762!

HOLY TRINITY PCCW FALL BAZAAR **SEEKS VENDORS**

It may be hot outside, but the ladies of Holy Trinity's Parish Council of Catholic Women are planning our annual Fall Bazaar on Saturday and Sunday, November 11 and 12, 2023. Currently we have spaces available for crafters and direct marketers.

Vendors interested in participating should contact Tina Kile, Bazaar Chair, by August 30. For more information or a vendor application, please contact Tina at 417-827-3165, or tkile5401@gmail.com.



SAVE THE DATE!

Catholic Women's Conference Saturday, October 14, 2023

- Doors open at 8 am and the conference begins promptly at 9 am
- Conference fee of \$25 includes lunch, tshirt, and bag.

Use this link to register NOW to ensure your spot: https://form.jotform.com/222586941597976

More details coming soon...



Springfield Catholic Schools



Springfield Catholic Schools system is hiring. Come and be a part of the Irish Tradition! Accepting applications for the 2023-2024 school year, positions available include:

- **Substitute teachers**—need 60+ college credit hours
- **Instructional Aide Substitutes**
- Substitute nurse—must be certified
- Cafeteria Substitutes

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

CHORAL SCHOLAR SPONSORSHIP



Immaculate Conception Church has a N well-deserved reputation for its outstanding parish choir. We are now blessed with the addition of choral scholars, college music students who sing in the renowned Missouri State University Chorale. Their presence is a two-fold blessing: (1) Their beautiful, professionally trained voices enrich our wonderful choir; and (2) This is an opportunity for our church to help the choral scholars with the expense of their musical education. We invite parishioners who would like to become choral scholar sponsors. information about sponsoring a choral scholar and the level of donation you'd like to contribute please contact John, our Director of Sacred Music.

CHILDREN'S CHOIR

Children's Choir practice will begin when school resumes and the parish choir also resumes singing. The first practice for the children's choir will be at 10:20 am, Sunday, October 1 followed by singing at 11:00 am Mass. Upper elementary and middle school kids are welcome to sing the Lord's praise in a youth choir!



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.

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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