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Afterwards the other virgins came and said, 'Lord, Lord, open the door for us!'

But he said in reply, 'Amen, I say to you, I do not know you.'

Therefore, stay awake, for you know neither the day nor the hour.

Matthew 25:11-13

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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<sub>am</sub> Monday-Friday: 8:30<sub>am</sub> & Wednesday: 6:30<sub>pm</sub>

### **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

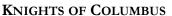


### PARISH COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC WOMEN (PCCW)

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**

### Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time November 19, 2023

Prv 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31 1 Thes 5:1-6 Mt 25:14-30 or 25:14-15, 19-21

### 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	Stan Lassen	Ron Rathbun
Richard Bowen	Kay Maloney	Glenda Savard
Suzanne Bustos	Rhea Marcum	Tom Savard
Bill Cologna	Alejandro Marquez	Kathy Sunnenberg
Susan Craig	Virginia Martin	Carlos Tomelleri
Gloria D'Alessandro	Mary Jane McNamee	Elizabeth Tomelleri
Mary Dobard	Joanna 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	

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

Sat. 11/11	7:00am	Men's Breakfast				
	8:00am	Holiday Sale (8am-6pm)				
Sun. 11/12	8:00am	Holiday Sale (8am-1pm)				
Mon. 11/13	6:00pm	KofC Business Meeting				
	6:30pm	RCIA				
Tues. 11/14	12:00pm	PCCW Meeting				
Wed. 11/15	6:15pm	PSR				
	6:15pm	Youth (6-8 & high school)				
	7:00pm	Faith, Film & Fellowship				
	7:00pm	Choir Practice				
Thurs. 11/16	9:00am	Adoration				
	6:00pm	Confession				
	7:00pm	Benediction				
Fri. 11/17	9:00am	Contemplative Prayer Group				
Sat. 11/18	8:00am	SVdP Food Drive Distribution				
Sun. 11/19	After all Masses	KofC Parish Breakfast				
	8:45am	Confirmation Sponsor Session				

### MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

Saturday, November 11th-St. Martin of Tours, Bishop; Veterans Day

4:00PM Vigil Mass Parish Family

Sunday, November 12th—32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00AM Sunday Mass Dale & Julie Sisco & family

9:00AM Sunday Mass + James F. Welter
11:00AM Sunday Mass + Margurite H. Ewing

Monday, November 13th—St. Frances Xavier Cabrini, Virgin

6:30AM Mass + Fr. Frederick Lutz 8:30AM Mass + Denise Hooker

Tuesday, November 14th—32nd Tuesday in Ordinary Time

6:30AM Mass + Charlotte Rinkoski 8:30AM Mass Jamie Davis

Wednesday, November 15th—St. Albert the Great, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

8:30AM Mass + Charles H. Tigges

6:30PM Mass + John McKearney

Thursday, November 16th—St. Margaret of Scotland; St. Gertrude,

Virgin

6:30AM Mass + Bill Krueger 8:30AM Mass Diana Bohm

Friday, November 17th—St. Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious

6:30AM Mass + Lizy Jose

8:30AM Mass + Lawrence Welle

Saturday, November 18th—The Dedication of the Basilicas of Sts. Peter and Paul Apostles: St. Rose Philippine Ducheste. Virgin

and Paul, Apostles; St. Rose Philippine Duchesne, Virgin

4:00PM Vigil Mass + John McKearney

Sunday, November 19th—33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00AM Sunday Mass Parish Family 9:00AM Sunday Mass Donni Stengel

11:00AM Sunday Mass + Gene & Martha Harris

### **KOFC PARISH BREAKFAST**



Please join us for breakfast after all Masses on Sunday, November 19th.

Knights of Columbus, Council 13681, makes the BEST breakfast casseroles and you don't want to miss out!

Donations gladly accepted!

PARISH ROSARY ON SUNDAYS AT 8:30AM



Start your Christmas shopping at our Holiday Sale (huge White Elephant & Bake Sale) in Community Rooms A&B. There will also be breakfast items and lunch sandwiches, soup & dessert served. For more information, call Sandie DeFrank at 417-300-1930.

### **ADOPT A TURKEY**



St. Vincent de Paul will once again be helping close to 300 families with the groceries needed to prepare a family meal for Thanksgiving.

The families we assist include those who visit our pantry or call the church for help. We also include LifeHouse, Pregnancy Care Center and some families from Sacred Heart Parish.

With the price of groceries going up daily, we are planning to spend \$75 to \$100 per family. As in the past, the success of this is all made possible by your generous donations to our Immaculate Conception St. Vincent de Paul Adopt a Turkey Drive.

You can find Adopt a Turkey envelopes on the round table in the Gathering Area for your donations. We need your help this year more than ever......Thank you!!



#### #iGiveCatholic

**Advance Giving Starts** November 13-27 Giving Day, November 28

#iGive Catholic serves as the official Catholic giving platform for Giving Tuesday. Our objective is to raise \$5,000 for Parish Maintenance & Repair (School Heating & Air.) To contribute, please visit iGiveCatholic.org, search for your parish, and make your donation.

Thank you!



**DONATE ONLINE AT** 

www.ic-parish.org





YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED FOR THE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 5, 2023								
Envelopes:	\$	12,595.50	St. Vincent de Paul	\$	408.00	Mission Sunday	\$	70.00
Plate:	\$	1,424.21	Maintenance and Repair	\$	2,050.00	Home Missions	\$	230.00
Weekly total:	\$	14,019.71	Sponsor –A –Child	\$	135.00	All Souls	\$	617.00
Annual Budget:	\$	1,090,000.00	Catholic Charities	\$	40.00	SCS Annual Fund	\$	10.00
Year-to-Date Collection:	\$	327,437.98	Masses	\$	220.00	Christmas Flowers	\$	240.00
Year-to-Date Budget:	\$	398,269.26	Votives	\$	265.00	Organ Total Raised	\$	70,184.00
17.78% below budget								

### **PCCW MEETING**

Our November 14th PCCW meeting starts at Noon. Please bring a brown bag lunch and we will socialize and play bingo. We are collecting items for veterans so if you would like to bring any of the following items, we would appreciate it, gloves, socks, handwarmers, scarves, or hats.

### **COLD-WEATHER ITEMS FOR VETERANS**

Our PCCW at Immaculate Conception Church will be collecting items for veterans the rest of November. If you would like to donate any of the following items, please place them in the box located at the entrance of the church: adult gloves, socks, hats, scarves, or handwarmers. Thank you very much.



### BISHOP'S COLLECTION FOR CATHOLIC CHARITIES OF SOUTHERN MISSOURI

Next Sunday, November 19, is the annual Bishop's Collection to support the work of Catholic Charities of Southern Missouri (CCSOMO). Thousands of individuals and families turn to CCSOMO every year for help. CCSOMO responds to all with Christ-like compassion in the name of our entire Catholic community. Please be a partner this year by making a generous donation to the Bishop's Collection supporting CCSOMO. This offering is an opportunity for Catholics throughout our Diocese to unite in *Reaching Out, Providing Hope, and Changing Lives!* 



Make plans now to join us every Wednesday evening for 6:30pm Mass followed immediately by Faith, Film, and Fellowship, a new program designed to help achieve our parish goals of growing in holiness, becoming intentional disciples and sharing the Good News of the Gospel along with the added benefit of forming a more meaningful faith community with our brothers and sisters in Christ.

Refreshments will be served.

To register, scan the QR code or go to the following link: https://tinyurl.com/mdxp6pu3



### SVDP THANKSGIVING BASKET FOOD DISTRIBUTION

St. Vincent de Paul will be sponsoring our Parish distribution of Thanksgiving baskets again this year in the south parking lot.

WE WILL NEED YOUR HELP on Friday, November 17th to unload cases of food starting at 2:15pm. (Bring your 2 wheeler!) Volunteers will also be needed Saturday morning, November 18th, beginning at 6:30am to set up tables and move cases of food from CRB to the school front for bagging. Bagging should begin around 7:00am. Once the bagging is complete the families will drive through in a car line to pick up their food. Following the distribution, we will need help with the trash, cardboard, and returning leftover food to CRB. Dress warm and come join us in this Parish event!

### SCHS PLAY

Tickets for "Anything Goes", being performed at SCHS on November 17 and 18 at 7:00pm and on November 19 at 2:00pm. For tickets or more information, contact St. Agnes Parish at 417-831-3565 or SCHS at 417-887-8817.



# C Youth Ministries

### **Upcoming Events**

### 6-8 & HS Youth

Wed, Nov 15, 6:15-7:30pm Youth Room

### **Confirmation: Sponsor Session**

Sun, Nov 19, 8:45-10:45am Cafeteria

Happy Thanksgiving! No Youth Gatherings

Wed, Nov 22



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 name.
receive prayer requests from our youth.
be invited to share prayer requests of your own so the youth can pray for you too!



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

OR

-use the QR code to sign up

OR

-call the church office (887-0600)



### Please pray for our confirmands

Jack, Lupe, Selena, Yohann, Maria, Alivia, George, Norah, Isabel, Claire, Connor, Mason, Ana, Hayden, Zach, Gillian, Annaliese, Charlie, Seville, Peter, Mary, Logan, Drew, Troy

Confirmation Date: August 24, 2024



IC Youth

Gatherings

Weds 6:15-7:30
Youth Room

HS YOUTH

Weds 6:15-7:30 John Paul II Room

### ATTENTION HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH!

### DO YOU NEED A SPIRITUAL PICK-ME-UP?

IC HS Youth are going on a mid-year retreat!

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9am-6:30pm at SEAS-\$20

Fill out the interest form for more info/signup or contact Mani.



### ★ Challenge! ★

IC youth & confirmands receive various spiritual challenges to try between meetings.

### Would you like to join us? Recent challenge:

Spend at least 10 minutes per day with Jesus in personal prayer.

NOTE: Do you need to go to confession? Scan the QR Code for Springfield area confession times.



## Attention Young Adults! Seek '24 Conference

The conference will be held at the America's Center Convention Complex in St. Louis on

Jan. 1-5, 2024. While specifically targeted toward young adults ages 18-25, this conference is open to all adults.

Registration is now open! —



# Youth Ministry Contact:

Mani Brockmeyer

mbrockmeyer@ ic-parish.org or 887-0600

### REQUESTS FOR THOSE IN NEED ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

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

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

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

Thank you!

### MONASTIC EXPERIENCE

"Come, let us Adore! The Benedictine Sisters of Perpetual Adoration in Clyde, Missouri, will host an in-person Monastic Experience **Nov. 13-18, 2023**. It's an opportunity to experience the daily rhythm of our life where you can join us in singing the divine office, attend daily Mass, spend time in personal prayer, and open your heart to God's call by learning about discernment and prayer. There is no cost to attend.

For more information, please contact Sister Maria Victoria at <u>vocation@benedictinesisters.org</u>, call (660) 944-2221 ext. 127, or visit <u>www.BenedictineSisters.org</u> and click on Vocations/Walk With Us."



### DIOCESAN 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.

To request an application packet, including a detailed job description, please contact Doug Kissinger at The Catholic Center, <a href="mailto:dkissinger@dioscg.org">dkissinger@dioscg.org</a> or call 417-866-0841.

### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED AT LIFEHOUSE CRISIS MATERNITY HOME

LifeHouse is bursting at the seams with 15 residents, ten babies, and four toddlers! Ladies, if you have a heart for holding babies and the occasional three-year-old, we have daytime, evening, and weekend hours available. Also, with so many residents who need to go to various appointments, we urgently need transportation volunteers. If you have a few hours per week or month to help our mothers and babies, please contact Jill Guise at 417-720-4213 or <u>iguise@ccsomo.org</u>. Thank you!

### www.feedthepoorhungryhomeless.com

### SPRINGFIELD CATHOLIC SCHOOLS ANNUAL FUND



Please prayerfully consider supporting the Springfield Catholic Schools Annual Fund. The money raised directly benefits families seeking a Catholic education. 27% of SCS students receive

tuition assistance. The actual cost to educate is 22-31% higher than the tuition collected. Thank you for supporting Springfield Catholic Schools!

springfieldcatholic.org/ways-to-give

### ANNUAL DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

Saturday, February 10, 2024, at 1:00 pm St. Agnes Cathedral, Springfield



The Diocesan Office of Family Life is excited to celebrate the Annual Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass. Preparations are

underway for this celebration, including a special Mass with Bishop Edward M. Rice, followed by a reception with appetizers, cake, and punch. Couples who will or have celebrated their 1st, 5th, 10th, 15th, 20th, 25th, 30th, 35th, 40th, 45th, 50th, or 50+ anniversary anytime during 2024 are cordially invited to attend with their family and friends. These occasions enable us to celebrate and affirm the great gift of married love within our families and communities. Please make plans to attend!

Couples are requested to pre-register for this event so that food and gifts may be ordered in advance. Please register no later than January 19, 2024, by calling the Parish Office at 417-887-0600 to request a form and mailing it to Kim Brayman in the Office of Family Life, 601 S. Jefferson, Springfield, MO 65806-3143, or email the information to kbrayman@dioscg.org.



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