

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH

Immaculate Conception Church Is a Catholic Community Whose Spiritual, Educational, Charitable and Social Programs Strive to Bring All People Closer to God

February 28, 2021

Sunday Holy Mass Schedule: Saturday 5:00 pm Sunday 7:00, 8:30, and 10:00 am



2nd Sunday OF LENT

Then a cloud came, casting a shadow over them; from the cloud came a voice, "This is my beloved Son. Listen to him." - Mk 9:7

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

Pastoral Staff

Pastor

Father Randolph Tochtrop
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Deacons

Deacon Walt Biri/DRE
Deacon Al Stoverink

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School Principal

Michele Campbell

Music Director

Jerry Ganiel

Youth & Family Director

Meg Garner

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8:30-4:30 Mon - Fri

***Bulletin deadline is
Tuesday @ 3pm!***

Reconciliation

Saturday 4:00 - 4:30

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To Request Prayers

243-5188 or email:
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***To schedule Baptisms,
Marriages & Anointing
of the Sick, contact the
Parish Office***

Visits to the Sick

Due to changes in hospital admitting policies, it is necessary to inform us when hospitalized parishioners would like a visit from Fr. Randy, Deacon Walt or Al.

Confirmation Coordinator

Meg Garner

RCIA Coordinator

Deacon Walt Biri

Sunday School Coordinator

Stephanie Starke

Parish Prayers

Remembrances in Eucharist

Monday, March 1

8:00 am † Veronica Azarraga

Tuesday, March 2

8:00 am † Carlos Casal
6:30 pm † Arvella Steimle

Wednesday, March 3

8:00 am Ralph Ronald Cunada

Thursday, March 4

8:00 am † Sonia Perez Florentino

Friday, March 5

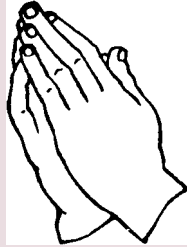
8:00 am † Andy Perrin

Saturday, March 6

5:00 pm Parish Family

Sunday, March 7

7:00 am † Berniece Beussink
8:30 am † Sherri Pourney
10:00 am † Betty Jo Morrow Spiker



Spiritual Reflection

Sunday: Gn 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18/Ps 116:10, 15, 16-17, 18-19/Rom 8:31b-34/Mk 9:2-10
Monday: Dn 9:4b-10/Ps 79:8, 9 11 and 13/Lk 6:36-38
Tuesday: Is 1:10, 16-20/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23/Mt 23:1-12
Wednesday: Jer 18:18-20/Ps 31:5-6, 14, 15-16/Mt 20:17-28
Thursday: Jer 17:5-10/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6/Lk 16:19-31
Friday: Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a/Ps 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21/Mt 21:33-43, 45-46
Saturday: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12/Lk 15:1-3, 11-32
Next Sunday: Ex 20:1-17 or 20:1-3, 7-8, 12-17/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11/1 Cor 1:22-25/Jn 2:13-25 or Ex 17:3-7/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9/Rom 5:1-2, 5-8/Jn 4:5-42 or 4:5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42

This Week at Immaculate Conception

PO=Parish Office FR=Fellowship Room
CR=Conference Room PC=Parish Center
MR=Multi-purpose Room RB=Rectory Basement

Sunday, February 28

11:00 am SRE (ICS classrooms)
6:30 pm Youth Spirit

Monday, March 1

7:30 am Rosary
3:45 pm Sound Attraction/Choristers
6:00 - 8:00 pm Mom's Group
6:30 pm Adult Choir (MR)
7:00 pm Concert rehearsal (MR)

Tuesday, March 2

7:20 am Mother of Perpetual Help
7:30 am Rosary
9:00 am - 3:00 pm Quilting Session (RB)
6:00 pm Rosary (Church)
6:00 - 6:20 pm Confessions
6:20 pm Mother of Perpetual Help
7:15 pm RCIA (PO)

Wednesday, March 3

7:30 am Rosary
3:00 - 4:30 pm Girls Discussion Group (FR)
6:30 pm Confessions
6:30 - 8:00 pm Bible Study (FR)

Thursday, March 4

7:30 am Rosary
8:45 am Women's Bible Study (FR)

Friday, March 5

7:30 am Rosary
2:00 pm Stations of the Cross
6:30 pm Stations, Benediction & Confession

Saturday, March 6

4:30 pm Rosary

Sunday, March 7

11:00 am SRE (ICS classrooms)
12:00 noon KABOOM planning (FR)
5:30 pm Praise Team practice
6:30 pm Youth Spirit

Birthday Greetings

Monday, March 1st - Kim Baker, Irene Comstock, Carolyn Davis, Ashley Hanners, Scott Mangels, Kinsley Martin, Meghan Polley, Nancy Strange, Gary Zweigart
Tuesday, March 2nd - Amy Banda, Cameron Kiser, Ella Mangels, Adrianna Mastropiero, Jeremy Ruch
Wednesday, March 3rd - Jackson Batchelor, Brent Beussink, Dillon Cahill, Amy Essner, Mary Harrell, John Hendricks, Tyler Macke, Joe Randol, Grace Vangilder
Thursday, March 4th - Tammy Birk, Jason Bruns, Leannah Foltz, Hailey Kilhafner, Vicki Moore, Ramona Nenninger, Jeffery Renner, Marilyn Retherford, Lucy Staniszewski, Lilly Watkins
Friday, March 5th - Emma Barnes, Matthew Barnes, John Chanley, Manning Cortez, Alex Diebold, John Martin, Michael Martin, James Vangilder
Saturday, March 6th - Russell Beussink, Alexis Burnett, Michael Grunloh, Joann Spooler, Shirley Weith, Tyson White, Penelope Zepeda
Sunday, March 7th - Blake Cain, Victoria Kight, Thomas Kohm, Liza McBryde, Sandy Newell, Wyatt Newell

[VIRTUAL] GRIEF SHARE SESSIONS FOR BEREAVED PARENTS—Thursdays from 6-8 pm starting March 4 (via ZOOM)

All bereaved parents are welcome regardless of your child's age at death, infant to adult child. Others who have lost a close loved one are also welcome to join. Sessions are open to the community. Together we will walk the journey of grief with the love and presence of Jesus Christ. To get signed up, call Molly at 275-3744. (We currently have a ZOOM series that meets on Tuesday evenings from 6-8 pm for any close loss of a loved one. Each session stands on its own. Joining at any point is welcomed.)

St. Joseph Parish in Advance will have All-Day Adoration each Friday during Lent after the 9 am Mass.

Carol Crawford and Becky Kirby



From Father Randy

Last week we had a water pipe burst in the boiler room off the Fellowship Room and the main water valve in the school froze causing the pipes to freeze, the salt containers to crack, and the sprinkler system to freeze. We are waiting for the insurance determination of the reimbursement, which will be in the thousands of dollars plus the high water bill.



Monday - teach in school
 Tuesday - Notre Dame confessions; RCIA
 Wednesday - 6:30 confessions
 Friday - 6:30 stations followed by confessions

2020 Annual donor substantiation tax reports are available by calling or emailing Kelly (secretary@icjacksonmo.com) at the parish office. Tax reports may be emailed, mailed or picked up.

Stewardship, a Way of Life

Sunday/Operational	\$11,851.00
Plate	\$70.00
Children	\$2.25
E-tithing	\$5,241.00
Total Collection	\$17,164.25
Budgeted Amount	\$17,648.00
Year-to-Date Difference	-\$29,928.96
Second Collections:	
Capital Campaign	\$6,218.33
Church in Eastern & Central Europe	\$977.00
The Mirror	\$457.00
Catholic Home Missions	\$10.00

Thank you for your generous contributions last week to the Collection for the Church in Central and Eastern Europe! As a parish we collected \$1,102.00 to help restore the Church and build the future in more than 25 countries. If you missed the Collection, it's not too late to give. Visit www.usccb.org/cee.

Bulletin Announcement from the Diocese: to report child abuse call the Missouri Child Abuse Hotline: 1-800-392-3738 or call the police. To report violations of the *Code of Conduct for Clergy, Employees and Adult Volunteers Working with Minors* to the Chancellor at 417-866-0841 or treidy@dioscrg.org or a Victim Assistance Coordinator: Judy St. John, LPC, NCC at 573-587-3139 or vac1@dioscrg.org or William J. Holtmeyer, Jr., MS, NCC, LPC, CEAP, Q-SAP at 417-860-3858 or vac2@dioscrg.org. Concerns may be discussed with your supervisor, a Victim Assistance Coordinator, the Office of Child and Youth Protection or the Chancellor. The TIPS online reporting system may also be used, and is available on the diocesan website. Go to www.dioscrg.org to view the *Code of Conduct for Clergy, Employees and Adult Volunteers Working with Minors* and for other important information, including a link to the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops document, *Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People*. If you are unable to access the website and desire printed information, contact the diocesan Office of Child and Youth Protection at 417-866-0841.

YOUTH:

Feb 28 - Youth Spirit: "You."
 March 7 - Kaboom planning; Youth Spirit - YOU
 March 10 - deadline to sign up for DYC
 March 13 - Kaboom
 March 14 - Youth Mass; Youth Spirit - YOU
 March 15 - deadline to sign up for Steuby and Life Teen
 March 21 - Youth Spirit - DTS
 March 26 - DYC
 March 28 - Youth Spirit - YOU
 July 9-11 - Steubenville Youth Conference
 Aug 1-7 - Life Teen Summer Camp

- Current 8th graders planning to get confirmed in the fall: you MUST make a retreat as part of your preparation process. Currently we have 3 options for you: Diocesan Youth Conference (March 26), Steubenville Youth conference (July 9-11), and Life Teen Summer Camp (Aug 1-7, limited spots). Registration for each of these conferences is happening NOW. Info for DYC, Steuby, and Life Teen Summer Camp is on the IC Church website under the Youth & Family tab, or contact Meg.
- **Retreat opportunities for teens:** Info for DYC, Steuby, and Life Teen Summer Camp is on the IC Church website under the Youth & Family tab, or contact Meg.
- Thank you to Prayer Warriors for lifting us up in prayer every day! You are the backbone of our ministry. God bless you!

LIFE TEEN

Connect with us!

IC Youth Spirit on Facebook, Instagram, and Snapchat for *all* youth events

Youth Spirit = High school

Text @icyouth to 81010 for Youth Spirit text updates

Junior Apostles = Junior high

Text @icjunior to 81010 for Junior Apostles text updates

IC Church on Facebook

IC Family Night on Facebook

FAMILY: Monday evenings 6:00pm Moms Group in FR

- Starting in Exodus, the Lord has asked His people to keep holy His day. He commands us to set it apart from all other days to honor Him, but also for our own good! God will never ask us to do something that is not good for us, and He COMMANDS us to do things essential for our health and well-being. How does your family set this day apart? Have you been influenced by the culture, especially with the restrictions put upon us by the pandemic? How are you setting this day apart from all other days in your home? Listen to the Messy Family Parenting podcast "Reclaiming the Lord's Day" for encouragement and ideas on how to reclaim the Lord's Day.
- Looking for more this Lent? Formed.org has LOTS to choose from! Videos include: "Whole 40: Making a Plan for Lent"; "Living Lent as a Family" series; "A Lent to Remember"; Brother Francis "Let's Learn about Lent" for kids; audio options include: "Stations of the Cross"; "My Beloved Son" and more! Go to formed.org.
- The National Catholic Women's Conference is a FREE virtual event for Catholic women of all ages. This year, we will be exploring all the ways that we as women can open ourselves to receive Christ's peace. Despite the pressures that we feel in life, peace is possible! Let's explore it together. The FREE event goes March 12-14. Register today at go.virtualcatholicconference.com/NCWC2021

Parish Community Activities & News

- **Mar. 8th - Adoration Club...**from 2:00—4:00pm in the church.
- **Mar. 8th - St. Ann's Sodality Meeting...**at 6:30 in the Fellowship Room.
- **Mar. 10th & 24th - Jackson KC Council #6405 Meeting...**at 7:00pm in the clubroom.
- **Mar. 13th - Emanuel UCC Donation Station...**free clothing available from 9am-12pm.
- **Mar. 13th thru 20th - St. Augustine Home and School's 28th Annual Dinner Auction ...**be virtual with item and carryout meal pick up from 5-7pm on March 20th. This year's theme is "St. Augustine STAcation." Menu: Ribs, Chicken Breast, Pork Loin, Baked Beans, Potato Casserole and Salad. Deadline to purchase a meal is March 11, 2021. Contact Becky Collier, 573-587-2305 and an order form will be emailed to you.
- **Mar. 15th - Catholic Man Night...**from 6:30-9:00pm at Guardian Angel in Oran.
- **Mar. 17th thru 20th - ICS Online Spring Fling Dinner Auction...**purchase tickets at springfling.lovehwatic.com for \$15 each for auction and/or dinner ticket. Carryout dinner from 4:30-7pm on March 20th. Item pick-up between 8am-1pm on March 21.
- **Mar. 26th - Diocesan Youth Conference...**from 5:00pm-9:30pm in St. Vincent de Paul Parish in Cape Girardeau.
- **Mar. 27th - St. Augustine Parish CCW Frozen Dressing Fundraiser...**Just in time for Easter!! Bag of Raw, Frozen Dressing to fit a 9x13 Pan. Orders will be available for pick up at St. Augustine School after the 6 pm Mass & March 28th after the 7 & 8:30 AM Masses; \$25 per bag. Email your order to the Parish Office at parishoffice4106@gmail.com, or call 573-264-4106. Order Deadline in Friday, March 12, 2021. Proceeds benefit St. Anne's Ladies Sodality.

Dear Fr. Randy and parishioners of IC,
 Thank you so much for generously donating to the Jackson Food Pantry. We appreciated your support in serving the needs of our community. We want you to see what so many volunteers have worked hard together to make a respectable place for the needy to get help.
 Sincerely, Rev. Sam Roethemeyer, President JMA Food Pantry

Pre-School Teacher Aide opening: St. Augustine School is seeking applications for a pre-school teacher aide. A qualified applicant would be a practicing Catholic with experience and love for children. Hours would be approximately 9 am to 1 pm daily. Pay is \$10.30 per hour. **Math/ Science Teacher and 5th Grade Teacher:** St. Augustine School is seeking a full time Middle School (Grades 6-8) Math and Science teacher and 5th Grade Teacher for the 2021-2022 School year. The teacher candidates must have or be eligible for the appropriate teaching certificate with preference given to active Catholics. The candidates must complete a VIRTUS class and background screening. **Apply at dioscg.org>Ministries and Offices>Education>Employment>Application** and email to scato@stakelso.eduk12.net. Call Sarah Cato, Principal at 573-264-4644 ext 202 with questions or for a paper copy.

Principal opening: St. Augustine Catholic School is seeking a Principal for the 2021-2022 School Year. The unique role of the Catholic School principal is defined by the primary responsibilities of Leadership in the Community of Faith, Instructional Leadership, Managerial Leadership, Interpersonal Relationships, and Professional Growth. Candidates should have a minimum of a Master's degree in Educational Administration, or a Catholic School Administration Certification or a plan to pursue principalship certification approved by the Diocesan Superintendent of Schools. The Candidate should have prior teaching experience. The Candidate must be a practicing Catholic and possess a teaching certificate on the level of principalship, elementary or secondary. **Applications can be found online at dioscg.org>Ministries and Offices>Schools/Education>Employment** or from St. Augustine School's office. **Submit applications by email to Fr. Michael at parishoffice4106@gmail.com or in person to the Parish Office. Call Fr. Michael, 264-4106 for information.**

Hello IC Parishioners, 2/22/2021
 Thank you again so much for hosting a HUGE blood drive yesterday. Our goal was 30 and we collected 56 units. We had to turn a few people away because we just didn't have the bags. Job well done! That is a possible 168 lives saved!
 Thank you again,
Michelle Johnson
Blood Services Donor Recruitment
American Red Cross
 20 South Mount Auburn
 Cape Girardeau, MO 63701



A BIG THANK YOU to everyone who helped us in any way after I fell near church on December 7, 2020. You know who you are. There are too many to name here. Whether it was with prayers, bringing us Holy Communion, food, rides to the doctors, getting groceries, cleaning house, laundry, etc., you all have been a real blessing... We have thanked our Lord and prayed for each and every one of you.
Thanks again, Ed & Rose Mary Beussink

Camp Re-NEW-All registration opens Monday, February 22nd!

Camp Re-NEW-All, the summer camp program for the Diocese of Springfield-Cape Girardeau has begun taking applications for this summer. Camp is open to campers going into 5th—9th grade in the Fall, high school staff going into 10th—12th grade, and adult staff. Parents and grandparents are invited to volunteer too! Campers are placed on a first-come, first-serve basis. At this time, we plan to fill the cabins by 50% capacity to comply with CDC recommendations. Brochures are available near the credenza in the vestibule area. Apply online at <https://dioscg.org/camp-re-new-all>, or contact Katie at the Catholic Center at 417-866-0841 or knewton@dioscg.org with questions.

Liturgical Ministers (March 6th & 7th)

IC BUCKS	Lectors	Usher/Greeters	Eucharistic Ministers	Mass Servers
5:00 pm Mansfield	Joyce Loos Betty Jones	Jack & Mary Anne Martin John Martin Brayden Martin	Janay Berry Kelly Mansfield (one of these is for FR overflow)	SERVERS NO
7:00 am Gosche	Mona Nenninger	Keith & Angie Holt James & Susie Stoverink	David Coe Clarita Weith (one of these is for FR overflow)	
8:30 am Peters	Brandon Hahs John Litzelfelner	Miriam Ganiel Mark Heisserer James Trankler	James Watkins Landon Watkins (one of these is for FR overflow)	
10:00 am Mirgeaux	Michele Campbell Lynda Seabaugh	Kyle Garvey Margie Schwent Joe & Betty Starke	Dolores Bohnsack Rhet Liley (one of these is for FR overflow)	

CANCELED