

# 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*

## August 15, 2021

**Sunday Holy Mass Schedule:**

**Saturday 5:00 pm**

**Sunday 7:00, 8:30, 10:00 am**



## THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY



"From this day all generations will call me blessed: the Almighty has done great things for me and holy is his Name. He has cast down the mighty from their thrones, and has lifted up the lowly."

- Lk 1:48b-49, 52

### **Pastoral Staff**

#### **Pastor**

Father Randolph Tochtrop  
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#### **Deacons**

Deacon Walt Biri/DRE  
Deacon Al Stoverink

### **Parish Office**

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8:30-4:30 Mon - Fri

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#### ***To Request Prayers***

243-5188

***To schedule Baptisms, Marriages & Anointing of the Sick, contact the Parish Office***

#### ***Reconciliation***

Saturday 4:00 - 4:45

#### ***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.

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

# Parish Prayers

## Remembrances in Eucharist

- Monday, August 16**  
8:00 am Vocations
- Tuesday, August 17**  
8:00 am Julie Winkler  
6:30 pm † Msgr. Ed Eftink
- Wednesday, August 18**  
8:00 am Anne Metzger
- Thursday, August 19**  
8:00 am Carolyn Malish
- Friday, August 20**  
8:00 am † Diane Scully
- Saturday, August 21**  
5:00 pm Parish Family
- Sunday, August 22**  
7:00 am † Frances Dirnberger  
8:30 am † Don Niederkorn  
10:00 am † Christopher Scharenborg



## Spiritual Reflection

- Sunday:** Vigil: 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2/Ps 132:6-7, 9-10, 13-14/1 Cor 15:54b-57/Lk 11:27-28  
Day: Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab/Ps 45:10, 11, 12, 16 /1 Cor 15:20-27/Lk 1:39-56
- Monday:** Jgs 2:11-19/Ps 106:34-35, 36-37, 39-40, 43ab and 44/Mt 19:16-22
- Tuesday:** Jgs 6:11-24a/Ps 85:9, 11-12, 13-14/Mt 19:23-30
- Wednesday:** Jgs 9:6-15/Ps 21:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Mt 20:1-16
- Thursday:** Jgs 11:29-39a/Ps 40:5, 7-8a, 8b-9, 10/Mt 22:1-14
- Friday:** Ru 1:1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22/Ps 146:5-6ab, 6c-7, 8-9a, 9bc-10/Mt 22:34-40
- Saturday:** Ru 2:1-3, 8-11; 4:13-17/Ps 128:1b-2, 3, 4, 5/Mt 23: 1-12
- Next Sunday:** Jos 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b/Ps 34:2-3, 16-17, 18-19, 20 -21, 22-23/Eph 5:21-32 or 5:2a, 25-32/Jn 6:60-69

## 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, August 15**  
6:30 am Rosary
- Monday, August 16**  
7:30 am Rosary  
5:30 - 6:30 pm ICS Open House  
6:00 - 8:00 pm Mom's group (FR)
- Tuesday, August 17**  
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
- Wednesday, August 18**  
7:30 am Rosary  
7:50 am First Day of School at ICS  
1:00 - 6:00 pm Red Cross Blood Drive (FR)
- Thursday, August 19**  
7:30 am Rosary  
8:45 am Bible Study (FR)
- Friday, August 20**  
7:30 am Rosary
- Saturday, August 21**  
4:30 pm Rosary
- Sunday, August 22**  
6:30 am Rosary



Chris Freeman, grandson of David & Marilyn Retherford  
and  
Bebe Bahr, sister-in-law of David & Marilyn Retherford  
Please keep the families in your prayers.

Jack Busse, Troy Wilson, Bob Ulrich (son of Joann Ulrich), Tom Schulte, Mike Bubulka, Stanley Clippard, Ed Beussink & Bill Benefield (father of Tim Benefield)



## Birthdays Greetings

- Monday, August 16th** - Wendy Bubulka, Lily Coy, Mark Guilliams, Jordan Hadden, Duncan Loesel, Richel Pingkian, Susan Sachse, Sheryl Schloss, Adriana Sladek
- Tuesday, August 17th** - Brady Blackman, Jon Buchheit, Mike Carney, Michael Elfrink, Brynnlee Featherston, Clare Garner, Casey Hart, Bill Humpnrey, Roger Jones, Todd Lentz, Lauren Wikel
- Wednesday, August 18th** - Jordan Bass, Kaye Brands, Milissa Eggimann, Jeremy Essner, Shelly Essner, Dorothy Holzum, Kaitlyn Keller, Tim Lappe, Titus Ruch, Lee Smith, Susan Smith, Kambree Statler, Jayse VonNida, Hunter Williams
- Thursday, August 19th** - Addison Carter, Georgia Clifton, Abigail Glastetter, Noel Keran, Audrey Koetting, Donna Schafer, Billy Upchurch
- Friday, August 20th** - Michael Croyle, Ava Featherston, Hannah Ford, Richard Jenkins, Christopher Koch, Jacqueline Larson, Steven Lee, Annika Welker, Elijah Woods
- Saturday, August 21st** - Judy Carlton, James Cooper, Kaden Essner, Jeffrey Hotop, Karl Karleskint, Riley Kluesner, Charlie McCall, Reagan McGuire, Michael Poston, James Unterreiner
- Sunday, August 22nd** - Thomas Dickerson, Steven Felter, Betty Longman, Lori Mouser, David Seabaugh, Amy Upchurch

**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**—Coming soon, we will offer Adoration all day every Tuesday, from 8:30 am until 6:30 pm. While everyone is invited and encouraged to participate for whatever times you can, we need a number of people to commit to certain hours so we are sure that Jesus is not left alone in exposition. We will have a sign-up sheet in the back of church for the next two weeks. Please sign up to commit for one hour each week if you can.

# From Father Randy

Monday - Teacher & Parent meeting

Wednesday - 1st day of school @ ICS;  
6pm Parish Council meeting

Saturday - 6:30pm Mass @ the KC Hall



## Stewardship, a Way of Life

|                              |                    |
|------------------------------|--------------------|
| Sunday/Operational .....     | \$12,493.00        |
| Plate.....                   | \$110.60           |
| Children.....                | \$0.75             |
| E-tithing.....               | \$2,215.00         |
| PushPay .....                | \$4,545.00         |
| <b>Total Collection.....</b> | <b>\$19,363.75</b> |
| Budgeted Amount .....        | \$17,648.00        |
| Year-to-Date Difference..... | \$18,326.79        |
| <b>Second Collections:</b>   |                    |
| Capital Campaign .....       | \$3,985.33         |
| Peter's Pence .....          | \$5.00             |

## Welcome, Guests and Visitors!

We extend a warm welcome to you & hope your worship with us was prayerful & uplifting! If you are new to the Parish & would like to register or have someone contact you, please complete the form below & return it to the Parish Office.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Special Needs: \_\_\_\_\_

## Building our Church Sharing our Faith Growing our Community



**“My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord.” (Lk 1:47)**

The Building Committee Kicked off the design process with our architect, Steve Baker, reviewing the program of spaces desired in the project. The architect completed the scanning of all existing buildings and shared with the Committee some preliminary ideas about possible options with re-using the current church building. As these options are developed, we will present them to the parish and seek feedback from everyone. Anyone who has specific questions or ideas they want to share at any point in the process, please contact Deacon Al at [icedeaconal@gmail.com](mailto:icedeaconal@gmail.com) or call 573-579-5948; contact Fr. Randy in the parish office; or talk to one of the committee members personally.

**“The Almighty has done great things for me and holy is His name.” (Lk 1:49)**

**YOUTH:** Aug 29 Confirmation Orientation  
Sept 12 Confirmation session begin  
Nov 4 Confirmation Mass

More details on Youth Spirit social media and Remind.

\*\*JA = Junior Apostles events (6-8th gr)

\*\*YS = Youth Spirit events (high school)

- **Confirmation sessions begin August 29 with Orientation at 4:30 in the Fellowship Room. If you are a current 9th grader or high schooler not yet confirmed and have not yet registered, contact Meg ASAP! Teens and parents currently signed up - just a reminder that LOTS of paperwork was due August 1 and August 29! Please join the Remind group (@icspirit) and/or Facebook (IC Confirmation 2021) for important updates and reminders!**
- Thank you to Prayer Warriors for lifting us up in prayer every day! You are the backbone of our ministry. God bless you!

## 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

- Moms Group meets every Monday evening from 6-8pm in the Fellowship Room. Dinner and babysitting provided. No commitment required - come when you can! Contact Meg with questions.
- A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience is like the end of a summer holiday - it's full of freshness, new beginnings, hope, and the start of another season. We are excited to announce that our next **IN-PERSON** Encounter in the St. Louis, Missouri metropolitan area will be held the weekend of September 24-26, 2021, at the Courtyard Marriott Hotel in St. Peters, Missouri. We will have in place all the needed precautions to provide a safe environment for participants.

**RCIA will begin Tuesday, August 31st at 7:15pm in church. If you know of someone interested in the church or you would like to refresh your faith, all are welcome. Please call the parish office to register.**

**St. Joseph – Apple Creek Parish Picnic** will be held on Saturday, September 4<sup>th</sup>. Join us for Kettle Cooked Beef & Fried Chicken served buffet style in our air-conditioned Hall from 3:00pm - 7:30pm. Adults: \$12.00; Children ages 6-11: \$5.00; Children under 6: Free. Carry Outs available. Bingo, Games, Country Store, Raffle, Live Music by *Nuff Said*. Take I-55 to Biehle Exit 123, South on Hwy “B”, go 1 mile, turn left on Hwy “F”, 5 miles to church on left.

# Parish Community Activities & News

- **Aug. 15th - Secular Franciscan Order...**at St. Vincent de Paul in Cape from 1-3pm.
- **Aug. 15th - Holy Rosary at Old St. Vincent's Chapel of Ease...**at 1:30pm in downtown Cape Girardeau.
- **Aug. 18th - ICS First Day of School**
- **Aug. 18th - Red Cross Blood Drive...**from 1-6pm in the Fellowship Room. Pre-register at [redcrossblood.org](http://redcrossblood.org) or **800-RED-CROS**.
- **Aug. 20th, 21st, 22nd - 40th Annual MO Knights of Columbus State Horseshoe Tournament...**in Jackson. Come join the fun!
- **Aug. 20th & 21st - Strengthening & Healing Souls...**at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton in Springfield; see flyer on bulletin board in the vestibule for details if interested in attending.
- **Aug. 25th - Jackson KC #6405 Meetings...**at 7pm in the clubroom.
- **Sep. 4th - Apple Creek Picnic...**see flyer on bulletin board for more details.
- **Sep. 8th & 22nd - Jackson KC #6405 Meetings...**at 7pm in the clubroom.
- **Sep. 11th - Senior Citizen Bus Trip to Cedar Hurst Craft Fair...**in Mt. Vernon, IL. Cost is \$20 for bus and entrance fee with lunch on your own at the fair. Meet at 9am at lower parking lot of IC School.
- **Sep. 13th - St. Ann's Welcome Back Meeting & Officer Installation...**at 6:30pm in the Fellowship Room.
- **Sep. 15th - SEMO Fair Catholic "Truth Booth"...** Sign up on bulletin board or contact Deacon Al Stoverink.



**Baby Bottle Campaign 2021...**Jackson Knights of Columbus collected \$4,901.92 in this effort; \$2,450.96 each will go to Birthright of Cape Girardeau (and Marble Hill) and to Options for Women in Cape Girardeau. Since 2012, when the MO State K of C Ultra Sound Initiative began, the Jackson council has collected and distributed \$30,710.71 to Options for Women of Cape and \$16,935.91 to Birthright of Cape (and Marble Hill). Of that, 83% (\$39,709.12) was collected in the eight Baby Bottle Campaigns since 2013 at IC Parish. Thank you for your faithful participation!

**SCHOLARSHIPS** – Have you wanted to send your children to I.C. School, but felt the cost was an issue? Well, now is the time! We have been given two generous scholarships to help new families who wish to enroll. If you are interested, please contact Michele Campbell at [mcampbell@icsjackson.eduk12.net](mailto:mcampbell@icsjackson.eduk12.net) or call 243-5013. All applications are kept confidential.

**At this time IC wishes to thank you but also to update you!** In an effort to make your consistent giving easier, faster and more secure we are transitioning to a new online giving platform called Pushpay. It is our goal to complete this process soon. If you wish to move your online giving to the new platform it is a simple, two-part process that will take no more than ten minutes.

**Part One:** Setting up a new recurring gift using Pushpay. Visit <https://pushpay.com/pay/g/icjacksonmo> and set up your automatic gift using Pushpay. The recurring gift option should already be selected, and you can simply set up your automatic gift. After you set up your recurring gift, you will be prompted to complete the setup of your new account!

**Part Two:** Cancel scheduled gifts in WeShare. Log into your account; click the "payments & schedules" tab; delete each payment, or if you would like us to cancel your recurring gift on our old platform please call Kelly at the parish office.

As always, if you have any questions, please call 573-243-3182 or email us at [secretary@icjacksonmo.com](mailto:secretary@icjacksonmo.com). We are so blessed that you have made the commitment to give in this way and are honored that you have decided to help us continue to expand God's family.

**VIRTUS 2021-2022 Safe Environment Instruction** - In-person "Protecting God's Children" adult awareness training sessions are now available. New registrants are encouraged to take the in-person training, but the online training will remain available as an alternative for the remainder of 2021.

Pre-registration is necessary: If you are a new registrant please go to [www.virtus.org](http://www.virtus.org) and click on "first time registrant" on the left, and follow the prompts to register for Live or Online training. Instructions for the registration process can be found on the Child and Youth Protection Page of the diocesan website. <https://dioscg.org/wp-content/uploads/How-to-Register-for-a-VIRTUS-withOnline-Option.pdf>

Those attending an in-person session must be present for the entire training. Training sessions are for adults only. The link to updated schedules may be found at [www.dioscg.org](http://www.dioscg.org) just above events calendar.

Along with the VIRTUS "Protecting God's Children" training for adults, before regularly engaging in activities involving minors and/or vulnerable adults, new volunteer or employees are also required to submit a current Background Disclosure and Authorization Form and the annual Code of Conduct, which are available on the VIRTUS website and the Diocese of Springfield-Cape Girardeau Child and Youth Protection webpage: <https://dioscg.org/child-youth-protection/>.

For more info, contact the Office of Child and Youth; Protection, [childandyouthprotection@dioscg.org](mailto:childandyouthprotection@dioscg.org) or Bill Holtmeyer, [billholtmeyer@dioscg.org](mailto:billholtmeyer@dioscg.org); or Rosie Francka [rfrancka@dioscg.org](mailto:rfrancka@dioscg.org), (417) 866-0841.

| <b>Liturgical Ministers (August 21st &amp; 22nd)</b> |                                  |                                                       |                                                                                                          |                                                 |
|------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|
|                                                      | <b>Lectors</b>                   | <b>Usher/Greeters</b>                                 | <b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>                                                                             | <b>Mass Servers</b>                             |
| 5:00 pm                                              | Rick Horrell<br>Mike Jinkerson   | Gary & Nancy Seyer<br><b>VOLUNTEERS NEEDED</b>        | Janay Berry, Steve Brands, Donna McLain<br><b>VOLUNTEERS NEEDED</b><br>(one of these is for FR overflow) | Gabe Jones<br><b>VOLUNTEERS NEEDED</b>          |
| 7:00 am                                              | Deb Beussink                     | Tom & Ruth Ann Dickerson<br>Rich & Kathleen Hartmann  | Pat Hill, Susan Stoverink<br><br>(one of these is for FR overflow)                                       | <b>VOLUNTEERS NEEDED</b>                        |
| 8:30 am                                              | Lucas Green<br>Terri Kahle       | Brian & Monica Nugent<br>Cliff & Marlene Strieker     | Mark Baker, Kim Baker, Phillip Bess<br><b>VOLUNTEERS NEEDED</b><br>(one of these is for FR overflow)     | Joseph Green<br>Clara Sells<br>Tessa Tornetto   |
| 10:00 am                                             | Mary Jane Fieser<br>Carol Morrow | Braden Spies<br>Ritchie & Kelly Spies<br>Kolton Spies | Ken Hotop, Debbie James, Tyler Robinson<br><b>VOLUNTEERS NEEDED</b><br>(one of these is for FR overflow) | Kynna Johnson<br>Kadence Turner<br>Ozzie Turner |