



Immaculate Conception Parish Family



158th YEAR OF SERVICE

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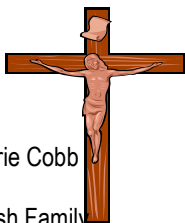
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Parish Council Members: Michael Auchly, President; Julie Beck, Vice-President; Dianne Talley, Secretary; Bob Reiter, Laura Yelton, Beth Cobb

JUNE 30, 2019 - THIRTHEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Mass Intentions

Monday, July 1st **No Mass** Mont. City
Tuesday, July 2nd **5:30 PM Mass** - Martinsburg
Wednesday, July 3rd 8:30 AM Mass - Jonesburg
5:30 PM Mass - Wellsville
Thursday, July 4th **8:00 AM Mass** - Mont. City+Anna Marie Cobb
Friday, July 5th 7:45 AM Mass - Martinsburg
Saturday, July 6th **5:00 PM Mass** - Mont. City - Our Parish Family
Sunday, July 7th 7:00 AM Mass - Jonesburg
9:00 AM Mass - Martinsburg
11:00 AM Mass - Mont. City +Marian Farrar



July 1, 2018 - June 30, 2019

Church/School Financial Report:			
	Income	Expenses	Difference
May 2019	\$ 36,111.80	\$ 51,137.65	(\$15,025.85)
Fiscal Year July 18-19	\$526,783.99	\$508,161.19	\$18,622.80
Needed Weekly =	\$ 11,158.21		
June 2 -	\$ 8,902.38		
June 9 -	\$ 4,906.17		
June 16 -	\$ 10,448.15		
June 22 -	\$ 4,631.75		
June 30 -	\$		

(No Mass if there is a funeral or school has been cancelled.)

Last Week's Envelopes: 66 of 179

Parish Membership: Call the parish office to register.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: 4:30 to 4:50 PM Saturday or call for an appointment.

Sacrament of Baptism: Celebrated during Mass or at another arranged time. Call the parish office to set up an appointment to meet with Fr. Austin.

Sacrament of Marriage: Call the office at least six months prior to the date you would like to get married to make arrangements and set a date.

To Become a Catholic: Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults begins in the Fall and sacramental initiation normally occurs at the Easter Vigil. Call for details.

Immaculate Conception Parish Mission

To proclaim the good news of the Gospel; to build community among the parishioners that we may journey in our faith together, giving witness to love and unity; to serve the needs of others in whatever form they may exist in our midst and to celebrate the realities of our faith together.

Who is an Active Parishioner?

- Registered in the parish
- Regularly participates in Mass and the sacraments
- Supports the parish financially
- Annually completes a stewardship of Time, Talent, and Treasure form and fulfills that commitment

Liturgical Ministers for July 6th and July 7th

Ministries	Saturday, 5:00 PM	Sunday, 11:00 AM
Lector	Larry Brueggemann	Amanda Arens
Children's Liturgy		Will resume in August.
Communion Ministers	Deacon Wayne Korte Ruth Ann O'Keefe Mary Pottebaum	Acolyte Dennis Cobb Londa Swoboda Jenidean Ready
Ministers of Hospitality	Sharon Pottebaum, Bonnie Walker, Daryl & Nancy Cobb	Cynthia Newman, Ruth Schneider Charlie & Pat Korman
Servers	Beckham Cothren Weston See	Malorie Schulte Elizabeth Schierhoff
Gift Bearers	Bill & Margie Cobb	Pat & Janet Stumbaugh
Money Counters	Raymond & Chris Welker Don & Sandy Oakes	Gayle Adams Ruth Schneider

Bishop McKnight's July prayer intention for our Local Church is:

For the people of the United States of America; that we may hold fast to the Christian principles which guided the shaping of our country as one nation, under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

Upcoming Events & Announcements

Monday, July 1st	No Mass 7:00 PM - Society of St. Vincent DePaul
Tuesday, July 2nd	5:30 PM Mass - Martinsburg
Wednesday, July 3rd	8:30 AM - Mass - Jonesburg 5:30 PM - Mass - Wellsville 7:30 PM - Knights of Columbus
Thursday, July 4th 	8:00AM - Mass - Montgomery City Independence Day
Friday, July 5th	7:45 AM - Mass - Martinsburg
Saturday, July 6th	5:00 PM - Mass - Montgomery City
Sunday, July 7th	7:00 AM - Mass - Jonesburg 9:00 AM - Mass - Martinsburg 11:00 AM - Mass - Montgomery City

Wedding Anniversary



Congratulations to the following couples as they celebrate their special day!

Todd & Carl Oden - 30 years of marriage on June 30th
Richard & Carole Bainbridge - 54 years of marriage on July 3rd

Father Austin's Ordination

Father Austin will be celebrating his 18th year Ordination on July 14, 2019. Our parish is so blessed to have such a loving and caring Pastor. His leadership has brought an excitement into our Parish by working diligently to lead us into a future of growth, involvement, and over all true happiness through God's love.

CONGRATULATIONS FATHER AUSTIN!!!!



HAPPY FOURTH OF JULY!!!

As families and friends come together to celebrate our country's independence, let us remember to reflect on why we celebrate this fantastic day. Remember that our fore fathers fought and gave their lives so we may have the freedom of religion, freedom to elect our government, freedom of speech, and so much more. But, it does not end there: our men and women still give their lives so that we may continue to have our freedoms. Be proud of your county and cherish it as it was gained through those who loved it.

GOD BLESS AMERICA!!!!

Mass Offerings Decree

Our Parish currently receives a \$5.00 offering for a Mass Intention in honor of a family member or friend. This contribution supports Priestly "ministers and works".

Father Austin's Weekly Calendar

Monday, July 1st	Father's Day Off 6:00 PM - School Board Meeting - Martinsburg
Tuesday, July 2nd	5:30 PM - Mass - Montgomery City
Wednesday, July 3rd	8:30 AM - Mass - Jonesburg 5:30 PM - Mass - Wellsville
Thursday, July 4th	8:00AM - Mass - Montgomery City
Friday, July 5th	7:45 AM - Mass - Martinsburg 10:30 AM - Mass - Gamma Nursing Home
Saturday, July 6th	
Sunday, July 7th	

Town Hall Meeting Overview

A Parish Town Hall meeting was held on June 13, 2019, Those who attended listened to what is currently happening in the Parish and School as well as the anticipated future endeavors. The following are some of the key issues presented and discussed with those in attendance.

- An overview of next year's 2019-2020 budget for both the Parish and School.
- Setting up ACH (Automated Clearing House) automatic withdrawal for tithing. For those of you who do not want to worry about issuing a weekly or monthly tithing check, you would have the ability to have it automatically withdrawn from your account.
- Future plans for both the Parish and School. An Example: The purchased land behind the school could be used for building a new Rectory and parking lot and turning the current Rectory location into a multi-purpose facility such as an office and meeting rooms. Another project is to provide easier and safer access to the church by making improvements on the church entry steps and ramp.
- Endowment Fund, Capital Improvements - Endowment funds are for the parish use and a committee will be set up to monitor and decide how the funds should be used. Capital Improvements are major improvements such as replacing the church carpet, repaving the school parking lot, replacing A/C units, adding a new church roof, etc.
- Open Discussion - Concerns, questions or ideas: Only having K-6th grades, PSR and our teenager's participation, sponsoring more sports such as soccer and soft ball teams, more parish BBQ's, and much more.



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Vacation Bible School - Regis-

Immaculate Conception School News



Please see Principal Newman's enclosed letter with an update on the happenings at the school.

ECLC Happenings

ECLC Summer Program - The children are just enjoying being outside running and playing.



IC Scrip Program - Whenever you purchase a gift card from the IC School Scrip Program, the school receives a percentage of the purchase price. The percentage will vary from one company to another. There are a few ways to obtain the cards. **You may go on line to www.ShopWithScrip.com Enrollment code: 676419AC74L7, purchase them at the school office or after Masses on the first full weekend of the month. If you have any questions, you may call Gina Smith, coordinator, 573-289-8635.**

Prayers & Condolences

Karen Stenger is the secretary at St. Patrick's church in Jonesburg. It is with deep sadness that her husband, Ed, passed away on Sunday, June 23, 2019. Please pray for her family in this time of profound sadness.

KNIGHTS NEWS

The following is a list of activities that the local Knights of Columbus Council 2044 are working on and or completed.

- 1) The bathrooms in the hall have been remodeled. A big thank you to Gary Hoette for overseeing the project.
- 2) Soon we will begin replacing windows in the hall. Some are not in the best shape.
- 3) We continue to fundraise, so we can meet our commitment to the Special Olympics.
- 4) We took part in distributing DVD's to the community working with the ministerial alliance.
- 5) Knights are volunteering and taking turns mowing the schoolyard and the new property. The term for each volunteer is one month for the grass-growing season. If any one would like to help out mowing please contact a Knight member.
- 6) Knights help Zach Shierhoff complete his Eagle Scout project. Zach built a large recycling container for use at Grahams Cave State Park.

CHRISTpower Catholic Retreat

CHRISTpower is an authentically Catholic service retreat for high school students to grow in relationship with Jesus Christ and his Church where a safe environment is created for each retreatant to ask the question, "Who is God the Father creating me to become?" Retreatants are divided into teams. In the course of a week, each team goes to five different service sites. In the evening, everyone is brought back together where spectacular life nights filled with uplifting Christian music and ac-

Events Around the Community (See Flyers if available in the church vestibule.)

NCYC Brown Bag Lunch - Sunday, June 30th, 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM, at St. Joseph Church Parking Lot, Martinsburg

Blood Drive - Tuesday, July 9th, 1:00-6:00 PM at the United Methodist Presbyterian Church Activities Room, 300 N. Columbus, Montgomery City

Rummage Sale - Thursday thru Friday, July 11th & 12th - 8:30AM-6:30 PM - 13th-8:30AM - Noon at Holy Rosary School, Warrenton - Proceeds go to St. Vincent DePaul Society.

Director of Stewardship

The Diocese of Jefferson City is seeking a practicing Catholic with a knowledge of Catholic teaching and a personal commitment to a life of grateful giving to serve as the diocesan Director of Stewardship, a new position for the Diocese. This person will be responsible for implementing the Bishop's vision of the spirituality of stewardship...If you are interested in seeing their listing, please go to the Diocese website.

Faith Formation Director

Accountable To: Directors of the Faith Formation Department
Job Purpose Under the supervision of the directors, the administrative assistant provides clerical and office support to the Faith Formation Department. Duties and Responsibilities Consistent with the vision and mission of the Diocese of Jefferson City, contributes to a positive and healthy work environment for the staff and...If you are interested in seeing their listing, please go to the Diocese website.

Disaster Case Manager

Catholic Charities is hiring disaster case managers to work with survivors of the spring floods and tornados that have impacted our 38-county service area. Background: Disaster Case Management is a time-limited process by which a skilled Disaster Case Manager partners with a disaster-affected individual or family (Client) in order to plan for and achieve realistic goals...If you are interested in seeing their listing, please go to the Diocese website.

Please keep in your prayers the following people:



Residents of New Florence Nursing & Care Center, Hwy 19 & Picnic Road, New Florence, MO 63363 - Ignatius Busken, Marian Busken, Doris Grillion, Susan Ryan.

Contact the parish office to have someone added!



Please pray for: Angela Witthaus Keller, Sheryll Schierhoff, Pat Richard, Karen Clark, Gina Smith, Virginia Cochran, Jack Scott, Jo Scott, Bobby Cochran, Mary Hertel, Joshua Cochran, Anita Jones, Jim Cochran, Jr., Jim Cochran, Sr., and Lynn Cunningham Duncan.



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of them:
for it is
the Lord
your God
who goes
with you;
he will
not fail
you or
forsake
you."**

Deuteronomy 31:6

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