



Immaculate Conception Parish Family



157th YEAR OF SERVICE

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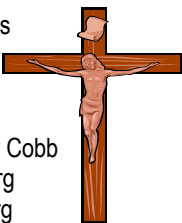
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Parish Council Members: Michael Auchly, President; Julie Beck, Vice-President; Dianne Talley, Secretary; Bob Reiter, Laura Yelton, Beth Cobb

SEPTEMBER 16, 2018 THE TWENTY- FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Mass Intentions

Monday, September 17th	No Mass
Tuesday, September 18th	5:30 PM + Vincent & Dolores Schimweg
Wednesday, September 19	8:30 AM Mass in Jonesburg 5:30 PM Mass in Wellsville
Thursday, September 20th	8:00 AM Mass in MC + Jerry Cobb 5:30 PM Mass in Martinsburg
Friday, September 21st	7:45 AM Mass in Martinsburg
Saturday, September 22nd	5:30 PM + Phil Kratzert
Sunday, September 23rd	7:00 AM Mass in Jonesburg 9:00 AM Mass in Martinsburg 11:00 AM Our Parish Family



July 1, 2018 - June 30, 2019

Church/School Financial Report:	Income	Expenses	Difference
July 2018	\$41,561.84	\$50,099.55	(\$ 8,537.71)
Fiscal Year July 18-19	\$41,561.84	\$50,099.55	(\$8,537.71)

Needed Weekly = \$ 11,158.21

September 2 --	\$ 6,325.25
September 9 --	\$ 16,743.46
September 16 --	\$
September 23 --	\$
September 30 --	\$

Last Week's Envelopes: 73 of 186

With God all things are possible

Parish Membership: Call the parish office to register.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: 5:00 to 5:20 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.

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



SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

HARVEST PICNIC

For information call Diane Talley at 573-590-3158 or the Parish Office.

Liturgical Ministers for September 22nd and September 23rd

Ministries

Saturday, 5:30 PM

Sunday, 11:00 AM

Lector	Shirley Henke	Michael Readey
Children's Liturgy		Judy Topel
Communion Ministers	Acolyte Dennis Cobb Vicki Oden Gary Hoette	Deacon Wayne Korte Tudie Simpson Richard Bainbridge
Ministers of Hospitality	Kasey & Mary Pottebaum Bill & Margie Cobb	Ruth Schneider, Cindy Newman Charlie & Pat Korman
Servers	Jacob Hogue, Wesley Cobb	Malia Rodgers, Noah Beck
Gift Bearers	Shirley Henke, Bob Dryden	Jeff & Amanda Arens
Money Counters	Dottie Brueggen Debbie Heidelberger	Ruth Schneider Mila & Jenidean Readey

UPCOMING EVENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Monday, September 17th	No Events Scheduled
Tuesday, September 18th	6:00 AM - 5:00 PM - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 5:30 PM - Mass - Montgomery City
Wednesday, September 19th	8:30 AM - Mass - Jonesburg 1:00 PM - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, Rosary, Perpetual Help Devotions 5:30 PM - Mass - Wellsville 7:30 PM - Knights of Columbus Meeting
Thursday, September 20th	8:00 AM - Mass - Montgomery City 5:30 PM - Mass - Martinsburg
Friday, September 21st	7:45 AM - Mass - Martinsburg
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Bishop McKnight's September prayer intention for our Local Church is **“For those serving as first responders; may God protect them as they face danger with courage and provide healing assis-**

tance to those in need.”

Harvest Picnic

The time has finally arrived!! We have been waiting with great excitement and wonderment for the Annual Harvest Picnic. Hooray! It is here! Come join in the fun this Sunday, September 16th from 11:00 AM - 4:00 PM.



Thank you

The Society of St. Vincent DePaul thanks our parish family for their generous donation of \$373.15 in the September collection. We appreciate your willingness to help those in need in our community.



Frankenstein Fall Festival

Our Lady of Help Parish Frankenstein is holding their Fall Festival on Sunday, September 23rd from 11:00 AM - 6:00 PM. They will be serving whole turkey and country sausage dinners. Additionally, there will be music, and

Wedding Anniversary



Congratulations to the following couples as they celebrate many years of happiness!

Matt & Sarah Speno as they celebrate 13 years of marriage on September 17th.

Robert * Kimberly Dyden as they celebrate 31 years of marriage on September 19th.

Lowell & Katherine Owen as they celebrate 3 years of marriage on September 19th.

Jy & Courtney Colhren as they celebrate 15 years of marriage on September 20th.

Gina Smith

As many of you know, Gina Smith is undergoing additional treatments for cancer. She would love to hear from you. You may send her information as follows until September 21st, then she should be home.



Gina Smith - Barnes-Jewish Hospital, Rm #10802, One Barnes-Jewish Hospital Plaza - St. Louis, MO 63110 or go to barnesjewish.org - Patient & Visitor Info - send an egreating.

Immaculate Conception School News



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. So with the Holiday Season fast approaching, you may want to consider purchasing some gift cards. There are a few ways to obtain the cards. **You may go on line to www.ShopWithScrip.com Enrollment code: 676419AC74L7, purchase them through 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.**

Annual Assembly of the Missouri Catholic Conference

Pope Francis calls Catholics to go to the peripheries. We invite you to attend the Missouri Catholic Conference's 2018 Annual assembly on Saturday, October 6th at Helias Catholic High School in Jefferson City to find out how. This event is sponsored by the Missouri bishops and is free to all who attend. The keynote speaker will be Bishop Perry of the Chicago Archdiocese. Workshops will be offered on several issues, including pro-life, immigration law, the death penalty, the opioid epidemic, and a Catholic response to the LGBTQ community. Lunch is provided and the day will end with a Mass co-celebrated by the bishops. Please register for the event by going to MOCatholic.org or calling 800-456-1679.



Protecting God's Children

Studies show that one in four females, and one in six males, will be a victim of sexual abuse by the time they reach the age of 18. You can help prevent this from happening. The Diocese of Jefferson City will hold a *Virtus Protecting God's Children* class on Wednesday, September 26, 2018 at St. George Parish, Hermann. Class will begin at 7:00 p.m. in the school. Participants must register in advance at www.virtus.org. Please arrive early so that the class may begin on time. Due to the nature of the subject, children are discouraged from attending.

This program is one component of the overall effort to protect God's children and vulnerable adults. **All employees and volunteers with ongoing and unsupervised contact with children and youth are required to attend a *Protecting God's Children* session. In addition, Immaculate Conception School requires all parents, grandparents, and guardians to take this class.**

Stop Human Trafficking

Catholic Charities of Central and Northern Missouri is hosting a **Stop Human Trafficking Conference** on September 21st and 22nd, 2018 at the Chancery in Jefferson City. The Friday afternoon conference time is for school administrators and educators, social service and mental health providers, first responders and faith community leaders. Human Trafficking is occurring in our state and is a topic about which we all need to be educated. We encourage high schools in particular to consider participating. See the flyer in the church vestibule for more information.



Please pray for: Ed Torbeck, Harry Pottebaum, Rose Bethel, Virginia Cochran, Judy Cunningham, Millie Crocker, Ashton, Matt Brower, Fr. Ed Doyle, Jack Scott, Charles Lockhart, Blake Yelton, Dolores Schmidt, Ignatius and Marian Busken, Gina Smith, Lori Sollberger, Kermit Schnitker, Bobby Cochran, Angie Schaffrin, Piper Clark, Daniel Leonatti, Timothy Cochran, Corey Rees, Angela Witthaus Keller, Donna Bell, Anita Jones, Mary Hertel, and Joshua Cochran.



Please pray for all our men and women serving in the armed forces....Corey Stulce, Aaron Henke, Tanner Cobb, Travis Thebeau, Jacob Merz, Daniel Lohmann, Jared Korman, Tom Kraust, Tim O'Fallon, Brandon Benney, Gary Frey, John Burce, Chris Burce, Jacob Jones, Matt Veder, Michael James, Michael Adams, and John Martin. **Steve "Hipp" Hill and Brent Arnold have safely returned to the United States after being deployed overseas.**



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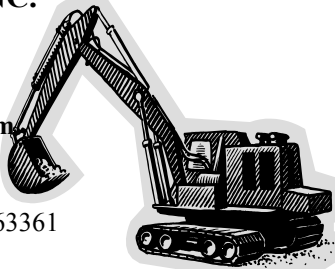


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Deuteronomy 31:6

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