

Immaculate Conception Parish Family



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JANUARY 19, 2020 - SECOND SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

Mass Intentions

Monday, January 20th
Tuesday, January 21st
Wednesday, January 22nd
Wednesday, January 22nd
No Mass - Martinsburg
No Mass - Jonesburg
No Mass - Wellsville

Thursday, January 23rd 10:00 AM - Prayer Partner Com-

munion Service-Montgomery City

Friday, January 24th

No Mass - Martinsburg

Saturday, January 25th

Saturday, January 25th 5:00 PM Mass - Mont. City +Sheryll Schierhoff

Sunday, January 26th 7:00 AM Mass - Jonesburg 9:00 AM Mass - Martinsburg

11:00 AM Mass - Mont. City - Our Parish Family

July 1, 2019 - June 30, 2020

 Church/School Financial Report: Income
 Expenses
 Difference

 October 2019
 \$ 50,654.57
 \$ 44,125.49
 \$ 6,529.08

 Fiscal Year July 19-20
 \$199,336.39
 \$ 190,942.49
 \$ 8,393.90

Needed Weekly \$ 11,775.43 January 5 - \$ 12,831.85 January 12 - \$ 8,701.85

January 19 - \$ January 26 - \$

Last Week's Envelopes: 69 of 179

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

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 exit 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 January 25th and January 26th			
Ministries	Saturday, 5:00 PM	Sunday, 11:00 AM	
Lector	IC Students	2020 High School Seniors	
Children's Liturgy		Sue Beck	
Communion Ministers	Deacon Wayne Korte IC Staff	Eileen Lotton Tudie Simpson Richard Bainbridge	
Ministers of Hospitality	IC Students	2020 High School Students	
Servers	IC Students	Malorie Schulte Owen Merz	
Gift Bearers	IC Students	2020 High School Students	
Money Counters	Raymond & Chris Welker Dottie Brueggen	Steve Williams David & Janet Cobb	

Liturgical Ministers for January 25th and January 26th

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

For an increase in Christian unity, racial harmony, and respect for the dignity of all human life; that Christians everywhere may work together to promote peace in our homes and communities throughout the world.

Upcoming Events & Announcements

Father Austin's Weekly Calendar

Monday, January 20th	No Mass 7:00 PM - RCIA @ IC School 7:00 PM - Society of St. Vincent DePaul	Monday, January 20th	Father is on vacation - December 26th - February 6th
		Tuesday, January 21st	
Tuesday, January 21st	No Mass - Martinsburg		
Wednesday, January 22nd	No Mass - Jonesburg No Mass - Wellsville	Wed., January 22nd	
Thursday, January 23rd	10:00 AM - Prayer Partner Communion Service - followed by a Pro-Life Rosary - Montgomery City		
		Thursday, January 23rd	
Friday, January 24th	No Mass - Martinsburg	Friday, January 24th	
Saturday, January 25th	5:00 PM - Mass - Montgomery City - Catholic School's Week Mass		
		Saturday, January 25th	
Sunday, January 26th	7:00 AM - Mass - Jonesburg 9:00 AM - Mass - Martinsburg 11:00 AM - Mass - Montgomery City	Sunday, January 26th	

Wedding Anniversary



Congratulations to the following couple(s) as they celebrate their special day!

There are no anniversaries to celebrate this weekend.

Knights News General Information

The KOC will be selling sausage on Friday, January 24, 2020, from 8-5 p.m. and on Saturday, January 25 from 8:00 AM-Noon at the KOC hall.

The KOC-sausage dinner will be held on Sunday, January 26, 2020, from 10:30 AM - 2:00 PM. We will need cakes for this event so please mark your calendars. We will be happy to receive them all day on January 24th, and the day of the sausage dinner. We appreciate all the wonderful help we receive from those of you that support us in our fundraising!



Mission Breakfast

Social Concerns is holding their Annual Mission Breakfast on:

February 2, 2020 from 9:00AM - 12:00 PM Knights of Columbus Hall - Montgomery City. Children \$4.00 - Adults \$8:00

There will also be a bake sale. They are requesting that anyone who can donate a baked item to please drop it off at the Hall the morning of the breakfast.

The proceeds from this event will be going to Helen Reagan Foundation. This is a local cancer foundation that helps in many ways such as giving rides to patients who need assis-



"As each one has received a gift, use it to SERVE ONE ANOTHER as good stewards.

1 Peter 4:10

CSA Petition: For our Diocesan Catholic Stewardship Appeal, that we will prayerfully consider our donation. We Pray to the Lord: Lord hear our Prayer.

2020 - \$12,000.00 Parish Goal

\$ Received	% of Goal	Over(Under)
\$18,670.00	155.58%	\$6,670.00

Society of St. Vincent DePaul

The Society of St. Vincent DePaul is in need of two volunteers to handle pickup and deliveries of furniture type items. The hours are flexible with an average of 5-10 hours monthly. No sleeper sofas are required to be moved. If you are interested, please call Aggie Baldetti at (573) 835-2630.

The Society of St. Vincent DePaul thanks all the parishioners for generously donation \$423.000 in the January collection.

Knights of Columbus

Ladies Auxiliary

The KOC Ladies Auxiliary will be holding their Annual Spaghetti Scholarship fundraiser on Friday, January 24, 2020 from 11:00AM - 3:00 PM at the KOC Hall.

To help make this event a success, we are in need of lots of "yummy" home-made cookies. If may take your cookies to the KOC Hall on January 24th, the morning of the event.

"You Set the Price-Free Will Offering" for all you can eat. Meal includes Spaghetti with meat sauce, Garlic Bread, Salad with choice of dressing Ranch or Italian, homemade cookies for desert and tea or lemonade to drink. Please mark your calendar for this fun event.

You can preorder Spaghetti lunch orders by calling Kim Dryden at 564-2515 or email her at bdryden1@sbcglobal.net. She will return your call or email to verify your order, what time you would like to pick up the order or when you

Immaculate Conception School News



Our school will open National Catholic School's week on Saturday, January 25, 2020, with the 5:00 PM School Mass. National Catholic School week is an annual celebration of Catholic education in the United States. The theme this year is "Catholic Schools: Learn.

Here is the schedule for the week:

Monday - Wear crazy outfits
Wednesday - Open House/Wax Museum and Science Fair
Thursday - Wear bright shirts
Friday - Wear Favorite Sports
Team shirt/Jersey

You are cordially invited to attend the School's Open House on Wednesday, January 29th starting at 6:00 PM.

ECLC Happenings

It is with sadness that we send our condolences to Ms. Peggy as her Mother-in-law, Margaret (Lorraine) Brower passed away on January 11, 2020. Her funeral was held on Friday, January 17, 2020 at IC Church.

ECLC has openings for children two (2) years and older. If you are interested or know someone who might be interested, please have them call (573) 564-2679 and ask for Peggy.

IC Scrip Program - 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.



Capital Campaign

Committee

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Hopefully everyone has received letters and pledge cards for our campaign. We are anxious

to get the fundraising started as that will allow us to begin our projects. Last week people from the architect's office made a site visit to begin a plan for the outside entrance to the church. We will soon have a chart in the vestibule that will keep you updated on our fundraising efforts. We will begin to share updates with you not only here in the bulletin but also in the form of email. If you would like to receive email updates, please email us at: ICCapitalCampaign@gmail.com. We will add you to the list of contacts.

We are contemplating offering another Townhall Meeting that is a repeat of the first one for anyone who was unable to attend. That meeting would allow you to hear the work that went into making the list of projects. We will announce the date of that Townhall within the next two weeks if we decide for certain to have one.

Scholarships Available

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

KOC Ladies Auxiliary Spaghetti Luncheon - Friday, January 24, 2020 - 11:00 - 3:00 PM - KOC Hall, Montgomery City

KOC Annual Sausage Dinner - Sunday, January 26, 2020 - 10:30 AM - 2:00 PM - KOC Hall, Montgomery City

Pro-Life Rosary Thursday, January 23, 2020

A Rosary for Pro-Life will be said immediately after the 10:00 AM Prayer Partner Communion Service held on January 23, 2020. Everyone is invited to attend.

St. Nicholas Academy Relief Parents Needed

St. Nicholas Academy is a supportive living experience for boys from families that are under-resourced who want to give their sons every opportunity to succeed in school and life. St. Nick's partners with families and St. Peter Interparish School to provide this opportunity. St. Nick's is seeking Christian, married couples or single individuals who are willing to be part of a pool of relief parents. The role of relief parents is to care for the boys and home when the full-time house parents are off duty or away.

Typically, the full-time house parents are off duty every fourth weekend from 9:00 AM Friday through 7:00 PM Sunday. Relief parents, on a rotational schedule, fill in during this time. They may also be asked to be on a call list to help fill in when the house parents are on vacation and/or sick.

Relief parents receive an hourly wage, all legally mandated benefits and a compensation package that includes a private suite and all meals for the days on duty.

Contact Sister Susan Renner, SSND at 573-635-7719 or director@stnick.org

E-Mail Scams

The Diocese of Jefferson City warns the public of what appears to be an ongoing phishing scam involving emails and texts purportedly from priests or parish/Chancery staff. The email or text purports to be from a person the target knows, such as one's pastor, a parish staff member, the bishop or someone else from the Church. If you respond, the sender will follow up with a request for some sort of monetary assistance. Sending emails or texts asking for cash or gifts cards is not how priests, parishes or the Diocese of Jefferson City seeks financial assistance for our work. Do NOT respond. Call that person to verify if they sent the email.

Please keep in your prayers the following people:

Residents of St. Andrews New Florence Nursing & Care Center, Hwy 19 & Picnic Road, New Florence, MO 63363 - Ken Devlin, Doris Grillion, Susan Ryan.

Contact the parish office to have someone added!

Donald Nation Sr., Don Benney, Susan Schipper, Valerie Readey Neudecker, Angela Witthaus Keller, 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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Deuteronomy 31:6

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