



Immaculate Conception Parish Family



157th YEAR OF SERVICE

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

SEPTEMBER 9, 2018 THE TWENTY- THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Mass Intentions

Monday, September 10th	No Mass
Tuesday, September 11th	5:30 PM + Kenny Cunningham
Wednesday, September 12th	8:30 AM Mass in Jonesburg 5:30 PM Mass in Wellsville
Thursday, September 13th	8:00 AM Mass in MC + Howard & Madline Benney
Friday, September 14th	5:30 PM Mass in Martinsburg
Saturday, September 15th	7:45 AM Mass in Martinsburg
Sunday, September 16th	5:30 PM Our Parish Family 7:00 AM Mass in Jonesburg 9:00 AM Mass in Martinsburg 11:00 AM + Wayne Pool



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 --	\$
September 9 --	\$
September 16 --	\$
September 23 --	\$
September 30 --	\$

Last Week's Envelopes: 68 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 15th and September 16th

Ministries	Saturday, 5:30 PM	Sunday, 11:00 AM
Lector	Vicki Oden	Shane Lotton & Confirmation
Children's Liturgy		Judy Topel
Communion Ministers	Acolyte Dennis Cobb Larry Brueggemann Ruth Ann O'Keefe	Deacon Wayne Korte Eileen Lotton, Sheryll Schierhoff
Ministers of Hospitality	Ben Chreech & HSRE/Confirmation	Steve Williams & HSRE/Confirmation
Servers	Beckham Crothren, Weston See	Malorie Schulte, Elizabeth Schierhoff
Gift Bearers	Steve Cobb Family	Michael Smith Family
Money Counters	Jamie Hemeyer Francis & Diane Happe	Pam Schwartz, Cathy McCormack

UPCOMING EVENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Monday, September 10th	7:00 PM - Society of Saint Vincent DePaul Meeting
Tuesday, September 11th	6:00 AM - 5:00 PM - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 5:30 PM - Mass - Montgomery City 7:00 PM - Worship & Spiritual Development Meeting
Wednesday, September 12th	8:30 AM - Mass - Jonesburg 1:00 PM - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, Rosary, Perpetual Help Devotions 5:30 PM - Mass - Wellsville
Thursday, September 13th	8:00 AM - Mass - Montgomery City 5:30 PM - Mass - Martinsburg 7:00 PM - Parish Council Meeting
Friday, September 14th	7:45 AM - Mass - Martinsburg
Saturday, September 15th	5:30 PM - Mass - Montgomery City
Sunday, September 16th	7:00 AM - Mass - Jonesburg 9:00 AM - Mass - Martinsburg 11:00 AM Mass - Montgomery City 11:00 - 4:00 PM - Harvest Picnic - Montgomery City

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

Hear ye! Hear ye! One and all! The Annual Harvest Picnic is fast approaching! We are so excited that our community will be brought together for a day of fun and socializing.

Spread the word and bring your family and friends as there will be lots of exciting events from kids rides, games, yummy food, auctions and much more!

Please remember to bring your assigned food to the school as noted on the letter you received. If you have any questions regarding the picnic, please call Dianne Talley at 573-564-2359.

See you there!

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



Wedding Anniversary

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

Jim & Bonnie Walker as they celebrate 42 years of marriage on September 11th.

Wayne & Pamela Korte as they celebrate 49 years of marriage on September 13th.

Mike & Marilyn Peveler As they celebrate 43 years of marriage on September 13th.

Hospice Volunteers

Kindred at Home Hospice is in need of volunteers for individuals who are in their final stages of life. They are looking for people who are able to provide companionship, spiritual support and many more areas of need. For more information, please call 636-528-2816 or on line at www.kindredathome.com. Please see the flyer posted in the vestibule.

Thought for the Day

The spiritual path in life we decide to take will ultimately sustain us through our faith.

Immaculate Conception School News



Quilt Raffle - School Challenge - Update - The students are so excited about the quilt raffle! This project is in full swing! The students anticipation of raising \$1,000.00 for the quilt raffle is a healthy way of showing students how to participate, have good sportsmanship, use math as a factor of learning, be supportive of each other and in general have fun.



Mommy Muffin Day - September 12th - 7:15-7:45 AM - School Cafeteria - Mommy Muffin Day is an annual event where in the student's invite their mother to enjoy a morning at school sharing some quality time relaxing while having a muffin and juice. The students treasure this special time with their mothers.



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.**

School Grounds - Thank you! - The Knights of Columbus have graciously volunteered to mow the grounds around the school on a regular bases. Thank you from the staff, students and parents for your dedication to our school.

Promise to Protect-Pledge to Heal

If you or someone you know has been abused or victimized by someone representing the Catholic Church, believe in the possibility for Hope, Help and Healing. Please contact: Victim assistance coordinator: Nancy Hoey at 573-694-3199 - Missouri Attorney General's office: <https://ago.mo.gov/other-resources/clergy-abuse-resources> - The Missouri Child Abuse & Neglect Hotline: 1-800-392-3738 - The Missouri Adult Abuse and Neglect Hotline 1-800-392-0210 - or Your local civil authorities. For information from the State of Missouri regarding reporting Child Abuse and Neglect, please visit <http://dss.mo.gov/cd/can.htm>.

Vocational Youth Retreat

What is God leading you to do with your life? How is God calling you to love him? Who is God calling you to be? All youth 14 years and older are invited to attend Saturday, September 29th, 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM at Sacred Heart Church in Columbia. There is no cost for event and lunch will be provided.

NO PARKING

Please do not park in the street facing the MFA gravel lot during the week. Trucks hauling grain need room to maneuver on and off the scales.



Please pray for: Meghan Sachs, 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.

In
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membrance



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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forsake
you."**

Deuteronomy 31:6

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