



Immaculate Conception Parish Family



157th YEAR OF SERVICE

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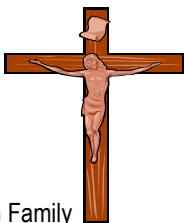
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Parish Council Members: Michael Auchly, President; Julie Beck, Vice-President; Dianne Talley, Secretary; Bob Reiter, Laura Yelton, Beth Cobb

JANUARY 6, 2019 - THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

Mass Intentions

Monday, January 7th No Mass
Tuesday, January 8th **No Mass - Montgomery City**
Wednesday, January 9th **No Mass** in Jonesburg
No Mass in Wellsville
Thursday, January 10th **No Mass - MC**
No Mass - Martinsburg
Friday, January 11th **No Mass** in Martinsburg
Saturday, January 12th **5:30 PM** Mass in MC - Our Parish Family
Sunday, January 13th **7:00 AM** Mass in Jonesburg
9:00 AM Mass in Martinsburg
11:00 AM Mass in MC - +Roger Richard



July 1, 2018 - June 30, 2019

Church/School Financial Report:	Income	Expenses	Difference
November 2018	\$43,969.57	\$50,767.01	(\$6,797.44)
Fiscal Year July 18-19	\$238,286.29	\$237,550.60	\$735.69
Needed Weekly = \$	11,158.21		
December 2 -- \$	10,360.94		
December 9 -- \$	11,277.71		
December 16 -- \$	25,335.48		
December 23 -- \$	11,964.28		
December 30 -- \$	13,247.36		

Last Week's Envelopes: 64 of 185

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 PARISHONER?

- 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

Liturgical Ministers for January 12th and January 13th

Ministries

Saturday, 5:30 PM

Sunday, 11:00 AM

Lector	Shirley Henke	Richard Schierhoff
Children's Liturgy		Pam Korte
Communion Ministers	Deacon Wayne Korte Shirley Henke, Margie Cobb	Deacon Wayne Korte Jenidean Readey, Pat Richard
Ministers of Hospitality	Kasey & Mary Pottebaum Steve & Beth Cobb	Ruth Schneider, Cindy Newman Ron & Dianne Talley
Servers	Hudson & Emersyn Schroeder	Malorie Schulte, Elizabeth Schierhoff
Gift Bearers	Kasey & Mary Pottebaum	David & Janet Cobb
Money Counters	Rae Jean Rhoads Francis & Diane Happe	Mike & Jane Dorlac Mike & Jenidean Readey

Upcoming Events & Announcements

Father Austin's Weekly Calendar

Monday, January 7th	No Mass 7:00 PM - Society of St. Vincent DePaul
Tuesday, January 8th	No Mass - MC 12:30 PM - KOC Ladies Auxiliary 6:00 PM - Social Concerns
Wednesday, January 9th	No Mass - Jonesburg No Mass - Wellsville
Thursday, January 10th	No Mass - MC No Mass - Martinsburg 9:00 AM - Ministerial Alliance 7:00 PM - Parish Council
Friday, January 11th	No Mass - Martinsburg
Saturday, January 12th	5:30 PM - Mass - Montgomery City
Sunday, January 13th	7:00 AM - Mass - Jonesburg 9:00 AM - Mass - Martinsburg 11:00 AM Mass - Montgomery City

Monday, January 7th	Father's Vacation - December 28th - February 7, 2019
Tuesday, January 8th	
Wednesday, January 9th	
Thursday, January 10th	
Friday, January 11th	
Saturday, January 12th	
Sunday, January 13th	

Bishop McKnight's January prayer intention for our Local Church is **"For the gift of peace within families, our community and the world: that violence shall cease and the destruction of human life from conception until natural death will be no**

more."

Mission Appeal

Sisters Rosanne and Antoinette are School Sisters of Notre Dame who have served many years in the African missions. The Sisters will speak at the January 12/13 liturgies at Immaculate Conception Parish St. Patrick Parish and St. Joseph Parish. The SSND Province of Africa is composed of 79 Sisters serving in 5 countries in Africa. Of the 79 members, 65 are African women who have joined the Congregation of the School Sisters of Notre Dame.

The contributions received will be used for the School Sisters of Notre Dame's missions in African countries where the Sisters serve: The Gambia, Sierra Leone, Ghana, Nigeria, and Kenya. A great need is support for the education and professional training of their African Sisters, as well as the formation of young women joining the Congregation. General support helps the Sisters continue the great work they are doing. If you are writing a check to make your contribution, the check should be made to the Parish with a notation of "SSND or Missions".

Worship & Spiritual Meeting

The Worship & Spiritual Meeting has been moved from January 8th to January 15th at 7:00PM.



Children's Liturgy Team

We are in need of someone who is available to help with the children's Liturgy on the third (3rd) Sunday monthly. We are in need of someone to lead children over to the rectory to read and discuss the scripture for the day. If you are able to help, please call the rectory or Bonnie Walker at 564-2108. She will be happy to explain what your duties will entail.

New Mass Times Beginning February 9th-10th, 2019

Saturday - 5:00 PM - IC - Montgomery City (MC) - Confession
4:30 PM-4:50 PM

Sunday - 7:00 AM - St. Patrick - Jonesburg
9:00 AM - St. Joseph - Martinsburg
11:00 AM - IC - Montgomery City

Monday - No Mass

Tuesday - 5:30 PM - St. Joseph - Martinsburg (1st & 3rd Tuesdays)
5:30 PM - IC - Montgomery City (2nd & 4th Tuesdays)

Wednesday - 8:30 AM - St. Patrick - Jonesburg
5:30 PM - Church of Resurrection - Wellsville

Thursday - 8:00 AM - IC - Montgomery City

Friday - 7:45 AM - St. Joseph - Martinsburg



Catholic Stewardship Appeal 2019

Stewardship Parish contributions as of December 31, 2018.

2019 - \$15,000.00 Parish Goal

<u>Donors</u>	<u>\$ Received</u>	<u>% of Goal</u>	<u>Over(Under)</u>
51	\$9,611.00	64.07%	(\$5,389.00)



Tax Statement

Some parishioners are already inquiring about receiving a tax statement. If you **DO NOT** want a tax statement, please call the parish office at (573) 564-2375 and let Judy know.

Wedding Anniversary

There are no anniversaries to celebrate this weekend.

Immaculate Conception School News



School will resume on January third (3rd). The students should be ready to start the new year with much excitement since they have had time to rest and regroup.

ECLC Happenings

ECLC started the new year with eager little faces ready to learn all about the world around them.



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 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.**



Epiphany Party

Most people are hungry after the 11:00 AM Mass on Sundays so mark your calendar as the Austin's Angels will be hosting the Epiphany party after the 11:00 AM Mass on January 6, 2019, at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 318 N. Sturgeon, Montgomery City. Soup will be provided by Austin's Angels. They are requesting that the parishioners bring a salad or dessert.

They want to add to the celebration by playing board or card games. If you are interested in joining in the fun, you are invited to bring a board or card game and share in the excitement.

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

American Red Cross Blood Drive - January 8, 2019 - 1:00-6:00PM - United Methodist Presbyterian Church, 300 N. Columbus, Montgomery City

Sausage Dinner - January 27, 2019 - 10:30 AM - 2:00 PM - Knights of Columbus Hall, 318 N. Sturgeon, Montgomery City

Tom Krause Motivational Speaker - February 8, 2019 - 7:00 PM - Knights of Columbus Hall, 318 N. Sturgeon, Montgomery City

Sausage Dinner

The Annual Knights of Columbus Council #2044 sausage dinner will be held on January 27, 2019, from 10:30 AM - 2:00 PM at the hall. We are asking for help from the ladies in supplying desserts. Advance sausage sales will be on Friday, January 25, 2019 and Saturday, January 26, 2019 at the hall. The sausage for advance sales will be frozen and vacuum sealed in one (1) pound packages this year.

KOC Ladies Auxiliary

KOC Ladies Auxiliary wants to acknowledge the 2018 scholarship winners that were recognize at the December Christmas party. The winners were Aubreigh Allen and Sydney Queathem. Congratulations ladies!



Please pray for: Allen & Patricia Laramore, Heather Benney, Seth Schrum, Jo Scott, Paul Dimond, Jacob Lotton, Harry Pottebaum, Rose Bethel, Virginia Cochran, Judy Cunningham, Millie Crocker, Ashton, Matt Brower, Fr. Ed Doyle, Jack Scott, Charles Lockhart, Blake Yelton, 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.



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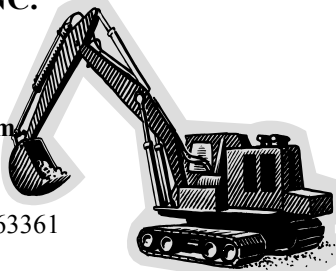


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your God
who goes
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he will
not fail
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forsake
you."**

Deuteronomy 31:6

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