## June 18, 2017 Immaculate Conception Church, Millhousen, IN

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION PARISH COMMUNITY STRIVES TO LIVE THE GOSPEL BY WORSHIPPING GOD,
LEARNING AND SHARING THE CATHOLIC FAITH AND SERVING THE NEEDS OF OTHERS

Bulletin information is due by Tuesday at 9:00 a.m.

Send information to sisterdianne@millhousenchurch.com

### **Mass Intentions:**

June 18, 2017, Feast of Corpus Christi, Intention: Marjorie Johannigman June 25, 2017, 12<sup>th</sup> Week of Ordinary Time: Witkemper Family

#### **PLC Notes:**

**Happy Father's Day!** To all who have sheltered and protected us in emotional, spiritual, or material ways, we say Thank you! May God bless you!! There will be a special blessing for all fathers after the opening prayer.

The big news of the week is that we, at last, have a new "Father," on the Archdiocesan level! The Vatican announced this week the appointment of Archbishop-designate Charles C. Thompson, currently serving in Evansville, IN, who will be officially installed on July 28<sup>th</sup>. Pope Francis appointed this "shepherd of the flock," the seventh archbishop of Indianapolis. He is 56 years old, a native of Kentucky, has been a priest for 34 years, and has served as Bishop of Evansville since 2011. While he is a small man, he has big shoes to fill and readily admits that, but is eager to begin doing so. Let us join in welcoming him, and pray for his leadership and transition! Please see the recent "Criterion" for more of the details.

Nominations have been accepted for the **Pastoral Council** and for the **Faith Formation Commission**. Ballots will be distributed this morning just prior to Mass, and will be collected again by the ushers. The names listed are those who have graciously accepted the nomination. Please prayerfully cast your ballots for Pastoral Council, and please affirm the nominee for Faith Formation Commission. A sincere thank you to all parishioners who have prayerfully discerned, and are willing to move into this role if elected. Election results will be shared next Sunday.

Thank you too, for all who have volunteered their considerable time and effort to the formation of our youth! The list of Catechists and aides will be shared with you at a future date, but it appears all positions have been filled. This speaks highly of the generosity and willingness of this parish to invest in our youth, to passing on our faith to the next generation! Our class sizes are getting smaller, which probably reflects the trend in our society of smaller family size. Many parishes are seeing this decline in numbers. It especially impacts us because of our overall size, and one day soon we may need to combine classes to continue the program. But for now, at least, we are saved by the

number of volunteer catechists.

On Sunday morning last week we received word of the death of Marie Stier. At Mass time we had no arrangements. She was buried from Immaculate Conception on Wednesday of this past week. Please keep her and the family in your prayers. A big Thank you to Eileen Moorman and all of her helpers, the ladies of the parish who so generously donated food and time. Both the Stier family and the Herbert family are very grateful for your support!

### A few words about our parish **Auction**:

The Committee met last Sunday, to kick off the Immaculate Conception Auction of 2017. This year we would like to broaden the participation base and invite all parishioners to get involved. While there are many ways to contribute time and energy, the kitchen has already been identified as one area in need of support. Please call if you have an hour or two to contribute. Look for more information soon from Jeff Chandler and Brian Huff or Melea Gault. Please pick up a flyer from the rear of the church for yourself, and distribute to others that you may work with, neighbours, family members etc. We are off!

<b>Education of Future Priests</b> - \$20.00	Adult Envelopes	\$ 2164.00
Grateful Budgeted: \$ 3075.00/week	Loose cash, checks	\$ 184.00
	Youth	\$ 2.00
	Total	\$ 2350.00

## **Remember in Prayer**

**Remembered in Prayer:** Bill Picker, Bernard Huff, David Bedel, Gerald Hermesch, Tony Scheidler, Dale Helms, Jim Nobbe, Bernice Diekhoff. Please call the parish office with any request for home visits.

## **Liturgical Ministers**

Sunday, June 18th Feast of Corpus Christi

**Sacristan:** LaDonna Hoeing **Musicians**: Combined Choir

**Greeters/Ushers**: Joe & Donna Johannigman,

Bill and Niki Johannigman

Lectors: Jeanne Fry, LaDonna Hoeing

**Eucharistic Ministers**: Cindy Hermesch, Julie Diekhoff

Cindy Johannigman, Leanna Johannigman

Servers: Ben Stier, Jessica Diekhoff

Counters: Marilyn Horan, Kate Bedel, Cindy Hermesch

Sunday, June 25<sup>th</sup> 12<sup>th</sup> Sunday, Ordinary Time

Jo Fledderman

Donna & Sarah Schwering Kyle and Anna Johannigman

Evan & Claire Wullenweber

Melea Gault, Mary Jo Wenning

Ann Stier, Norbert Hoeing,

Mark Stier, Steve AmRhein Tony Schwering, Evan Wullenweber Cindy Johannigman, Emery Mapes, Patricia Klene

**Church Cleaning Committee- June:** Lois Johannigman (chairperson), Niki Johannigman, Carrie Stier, Jeanne Harrison, Tina Hoeing, Kate Bedel, Nancy Vanderpohl, Mary Ann Fry. Please call the parish office (812-591-2362) with day and time you plan to clean, so that the Church can be unlocked.



#### **Dates To Remember**

June 18	Special Collection	<b>Education of Future Priests</b>
		Father's Day
June 25	Special Collection	Pop for Auction
July 1	6:00  pm - 8:30  pm	Eucharistic night of worship for Youth
		St. Nicholas Parish,
July 2	Special Collection	Peter's Pence

#### **Upcoming Events**

Auction: There will be a second collection on Sunday, June 25<sup>th</sup>, to purchase all of the pop for this year's auction. This worked out great last year, as we were able to find and purchase it on sale and keep better track of the inventory. We will not be asking for individual cases of pop to be donated.

**Education of Future Priests:** The Vocations Office receives funds each year from a collection taken up throughout the Archdiocese to cover the expenses of educating our future priests. The Archdiocese anticipates having more than 20 seminarians in formation this fall. Thank you for your spiritual and financial support which provides the necessary education and formation for our priests. Please be generous in support of this collection and please continue to pray for vocations! If you know of a young man or woman you believe would serve well in priesthood or religious life, please call 317-236-1496 and leave the individual's name and contact information with the vocation director, Fr. Eric Augenstein.

**34**<sup>th</sup> **Annual Golden Wedding Jubilee** – **August 27, 2017** – The Office of Pro-Life and Family Life invites all married couples of the Archdiocese of Indianapolis who will celebrate 50 years of marriage in 2017 to the 34<sup>th</sup> Annual Golden Wedding Jubilee on Aug. 27, 2017 at 2:00 pm at Ss. Peter and Paul Cathedral. Mass will be celebrated and will be followed by a reception across the street at the Catholic Center in Assembly Hall. Registration is required. For more information or to register, please visit <a href="https://www.archindy.org/weddingcelebrations">www.archindy.org/weddingcelebrations</a>. Registration deadline is August 14, 2017. Registration blanks may be picked up in the back of Church.

#### **Cohort & Deanery News:**

Our Lady of Fatima 100 Year Anniversary will be celebrated at St. Louis Church in Batesville on the 13<sup>th</sup> of the next four months. On July 13, August 13, September 13, and October 13 there will be a Prayer Service at 7:00 pm. All are welcome.

**St. Catherine of Siena Parish Festival** – June 25, 2017, St. Maurice IN, 10:30 -4:00. Join us for Mass at 10:00 am. For more information, check out facebook page @STCATHERINEOFSIENAIN.



# Batesville Deanery Resource Center News Members needed for this important and new council!

**WHO ME?**Yes you, the innovative thinker. The Batesville Deanery Resource Center (BDRC) is looking for individuals to represent their parish in helping the BDRC to address the learning needs of the 19 parishes in the deanery. During the two year commitment, you can anticipate an hour or two of your time per quarter. Contact the BDRC for more

details. Meetings will begin in September. If you are interested or want more info, please contact Kara or Eva at the BDRC at 812-932-0789 or email Kara at: ktsuleff@etczone.com.