

August 13, 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@millhousechurch.com

Mass Intentions:

August 13, 2017, 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time: Alma Schwering

August 15, 2017, The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary (6:00 PM): Bill Hardebeck

August 20, 2017, 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time: Jerry Jacobs

PLC Notes:

The Auction Thank you to all who have worked so hard in the past few weeks to prepare for this event! At the time of this printing the event has not yet taken place, but we will keep you updated!

Save-the-date: The next big event is the annual **Harvest Party!** Saturday, October 7th, beginning with 4:00 pm Mass. Again, we are hoping for everyone to be present! More details coming soon.


A decision was made last fall, but put on hold, to **replace the bushes** in the front of the church building. The current greenery has outgrown its space and has become quite cumbersome to trim and maintain. In the next several weeks you may see the bushes disappear (all except the crosses), and a stone bed will appear, similar to what you now see in front of the Office building. As time goes on and donations come in, vegetation will appear in both places. We may wait until spring and a new growing season before we invest in a lot. Jessie Hamilton is working on a plan.

The **pipe organ** has been cleaned and tuned this week. The gentleman doing the work has asked us to remind everyone not to move the boxes or place anything on top of the boxes in the west sacristy. The vibrator had been accidentally disconnected. And please no pens, paperclips, etc. on organ or bench. A large collection of this material was removed from the base where it was obstructing pedal movement.

While we have not yet received a frameable **picture of the new Archbishop**, individual pictures on a prayer card are available for all this morning. The ushers will distribute them, or you may take one from the entryway. Please use it to remember our shepherd in prayer!

Immaculate Conception is compiling a **Parish Calendar** to assist us in scheduling. The calendar will post all parish meetings, all committee dates, for adults and youth, fundraisers, sporting events, parish fall festival, Religious Ed. classes, speakers, missions, celebrations and activities, so that all are informed, and all can see the opportunities and make choices. We are asking for everyone to submit dates for the coming year, July 2017 through July of 2018, with a **deadline of August 15th**. If you coordinate a group, are part of a planning team, intend to coach or coordinate an event, practice, rehearsal, game, or any kind of ministry or outreach, please let us know! The calendar will reflect how many and varied are the opportunities we engage in, and will assist in preventing those schedule conflicts before they happen. We need to be inclusive of not only our parish, but the cohort, the deanery and the Archdiocese as well. Please submit, dates, times and places.

FREE SMOKE ALARMS! The American Red Cross is offering free smoke alarms and free installation to all households regardless of age or financial situation. They just want everyone to be protected! Smoke alarms are only guaranteed to work for ten years. So please test your smoke alarms monthly, and change batteries every six months. Any alarm older than 2007 should be replaced! To schedule an appointment for installation please call the Greensburg Fire Department at 812-663-8671.

Youth Group DQ Sponsor Night \$160.72	Adult Envelopes	\$ 2196.00
	Loose cash, checks	\$ 127.00
	Youth Envelopes	\$ 20.00
	Maintenance Fund	\$ 900.00
	Budgeted: \$ 3075.00/week	Total:

Remember in Prayer

Remembered in Prayer: David Bedel, Bernard Huff, Bernard Pfeifer, Gerald Hermes, Tony Scheidler, Dale Helms, Jim Nobbe, Paul & Marjorie Herbert. Please call the parish office with any request for home visits, Communion, or anointing.

Liturgical Ministers

Sunday, August 13th

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sacristan: Ann Stier

Musicians: Youth Choir

Greeters/Ushers: Evan Wullenweber, Kallie Fry

Ushers: Ben Stier, Alli Nobbe, Trent Nobbe,
Colton Johannigman

Lectors: Anna Johannigman, Kenny Stier

Eucharistic Ministers: Dan Fledderman, Jo Fledderman,
Sharon Mapes, Emery Mapes

Servers: Rhett Martin, Tony Schwering, Mary Schwering

Counters: Marilyn Horan, Kate Bedel, Cindy Hermes

Sunday, August 20th

20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

LaDonna Hoeing

Combined Choir

Mike & Kathy Kohrman, Don & Jeanne Fry

Jerry Fry, Jeanne Fry

Leanna Johannigman, Steve AmRhein,
Brian Huff, Lisa Huff

Hunter Collins, Evan Wullenweber

Cindy Johannigman, Emery Mapes, Patricia Klene

Tuesday, August 15th, 6:00 pm

Feast of the Assumption of Mary

Sacristan: Dana Fledderman, **Musicians:** Donna & Sarah Schwering, **Ushers/Greeters:** Mark & Anita Fry, Mark & Cindy Hermes, **Lectors:** LaDonna Hoeing, Mary Jo Wenning, **Eucharistic Ministers:** Kathy Kohrman, Norb Hoeing, Cindy Johannigman, Marilyn Horan, **Servers:** Anna Johannigman, Trent Nobbe, Campbell Johannigman

Church Cleaning Committee- August: Barb Mattox (Chairperson), Alice Chandler, Donna Johannigman, Melanie Stone, Deidra Stier, Melissa Stier, Bev Maggard. 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



August 13	After Mass	Faith Formation Commission Meeting
August 15	6:00 pm	Holy Day, evening Mass of obligation
August 20	After Mass	Annual Incorporation Meeting
August 20	4-6 pm	NCYC Fundraiser – Chicken Dinner at Stone’s Restaurant
October 7	Sat. 4:00 pm	Mass and Harvest Festival!!

Upcoming Events

Faith Formation: Religious Education class for grades **Pre-k – 5** will begin on Wednesday, **August 30**, 6:45 – 8:00 p.m. Class for **grades 6-12** will begin on Sunday, **August 27**, 9:00 – 11:00 a.m. If you missed registration, please email Kathy Westrick at kathy@millhousechurch.com with the name of your children, address, and how to reach you (cell phone number or land line). We need all families to register this year.

New Servers for Mass: We are beginning the process of training new servers. Please contact Emery Mapes, 812-591-4194, if you are interested. (Michael, Mary and Campbell are already scheduled.)

National Catholic Youth Conference (NCYC) November 16-18, 2017 – Indianapolis IN

Registration is now complete. Thanks to all who have helped with our fundraisers to go to NCYC! So far we have raised \$1300 from the April Chicken Dinner, \$138 in DQ cake sales, \$201 from Auto Zone car wash and \$160 from DQ sponsor night, and \$500 gift from the Knights!

Please continue to pray for us to make this trip to NCYC, a great experience for all! Fundraising continues:

Chicken Dinner – August 20th Chicken dinner at Stone’s Restaurant from 4:00-6:00 pm

DQ Sponsor Night – September 14th, 4:00-9:00 pm

Can Collection – September 17th-October 22nd, (Please donate your cans after the mowing season)

Cohort & Deanery News:

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

150th Anniversary Celebratory Mass & Meal: St. John the Baptist, Osgood IN, September 10, 2017. Mass 12:00 noon followed by the meal. Welcome to ALL who have ever been members of the parish. Please email srsgerth@hotmail.com, or call 812-689-4244 or 812-621-1389 to **RSVP by August 15**. Include the number who will attend.

St. Catherine of Siena, Enochsburg will have their 80th Annual Church Picnic on Sunday, September 3rd. Famous Fireside Inn Fried Chicken and tender Roast Beef Dinners served from 11-3. Carry outs available. Beer Garden, Mock Turtle Soup, Prizes, Variety Stands, Quilts, Games, Country Store. Fun for all! Call [812-934-2880](tel:812-934-2880) for questions. Lic. # 144606.

Please join **St. Anthony Parish in Morris** Celebrating the **100th Labor Day Church Picnic!** Entertainment and Historic Memorabilia! Games Raffle, chicken dinner. More to come. Monday, Labor Day!