October 7, 2018 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 Wednesday at 10:00a.m. sisterdonna@millhousenchurch.com

Mass Intentions:

October 7, 2018 –27th Sunday in Ordinary Time – Marie Stier

October 14, 2018 -28th Sunday in Ordinary Time – Alex Veerkamp

October 21, 2018 -29th Sunday in Ordinary Time – Ben Huff

October 28, 2018 –30th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Christine Waters

Throughout the Diocese, and throughout the country, today, Sunday October 7, 2018 is designated as "Disaster Relief Sunday". Funds collected in our second collection today will assist the victims of Hurricane Florence in the Carolinas, and any other storm victims as the season unfolds. Please be generous as we continue to be grateful for our own blessings and continue to pray for those who have suffered the loss of loved ones, homes, property, or sustained injury from the storms.

Respect Life Sunday is today. The National Life Chain event held in the United States and Canada each year, is an ecumenical effort in which participants stand near streets and roads for peaceful, prayerful and public pro-life witness. More than 1,900 cities across the United States and Canada are expected to participate this year. One of those cities is Greensburg, Indiana, offering us an opportunity to take part. The Greensburg event is on N. Lincoln Street and 10th Street, from 2-3 pm. **Please join us for the Life Chain** to show respect for all LIFE. Quiet prayer and reflection are the goals from 2-3 pm. For questions call Pat Koors at 812-614-0595 or Pat Hensley at 812-614-4663.

Membership – we've reflected on the privileges, and the responsibilities of membership, and now it is up to each of us to offer our **time, talents, and treasure** as each one is able. Don't be limited by the confines of the form. Feel free to **write in** any parish contribution you would like to make. A box is available in the entryway for the return of forms, or you may stop by the office to discuss any service you are interested in initiating.

Parish Harvest Party Help Needed! The Parish Harvest Party is quickly approaching. Thank you to all who have volunteered so far. We are still needing help cleaning the building on Thursday, Oct. 18 at 4:45 p.m. If you can't make it until 5:30 p.m. - that is fine! We will take any help we can get. This is a big job and the more people we have to help the better! If you are available, please contact Melea Gault or Anita Fry. We are also needing

people to bring corn hole sets that night. If you are coming and could bring a set, please let Melea or Anita know.

Remember in Prayer: Bailey Streiker, Gerald Hermesch, Dale Helms, Chris Mennel, Chris Owens, Thomas Powers, Steve Reen, Stephen Koors, Jim Cobb, Theresa Cobb, Joan Nobbe, Craig Simon, & Margie Herbert.

Margie Herbert is in the hospital and would appreciate visits as well as prayers.

Bible Study - Wednesday, at 7:00 pm. in the Office Meeting Room. The program is titled: "Who Does He Say You Are? Women Transformed by Christ in the Gospels." Cost for this program is just \$4.00. Call Kate Bedel with any questions, 812-614-0987.

"Passion & Purpose" - Please see bulletin board for this and many other opportunities.

Liturgical Ministries

| October 7 | October 14 |
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| Sacristan: Jo Fledderman | Marilyn Horan |
| Ushers/Greeters: Mitch & Lori Nobbe, | Donnie & Jeanne Fry, Bill & Niki |
| Mike & Kathy Kohrman | Johannigmamn |
| Lectors: LaDonna Hoeing, Jeanne Fry | Jerry Fry, Donna Johannigman |
| Euch. Min: Cindy Hermesch, Jeanne Fry, | Brian Huff, Melea Gault, Timothy |
| Cindy Johannigman, Mark Stier | Hoeing, Kenny Stier |
| Servers: Hunter Collins, Trent & Allison | Tony & Mary Schwering, Ben Stier |
| Nobbe | |
| Musician: Men's Choir | Youth Choir with Abby |
| Counters: Cindy Johannigman, Emery | Steve AmRhein, Margie Georgi, Sara |
| Mapes, Aaron Gault | Hermesch |

Church Cleaning: October: Chair: Amy Scudder, Helen Schutte, Emily Baltus, Amiee Cunningham, Anita Fry, Elizabeth Cunningham, Jane Scheidler.

Remittance 9/30/2018

| | Envelopes |
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| | Loose: \$ 186.25 |
| \$3,028 needed weekly to meet budget. | Envelopes: \$ 2196.00 |
| Special Collection on Oct. 14, for Energy Needs | Total: \$ 2382.25 |





October 7 Respect Life Sunday - Life Chain

October 18 Clean School and prepare for Harvest Party

October 20 Parish Harvest Party- (Saturday evening) 4:00 pm Mass World Mission Sunday

October 21 No Sunday Mass at Millhousen

October 31 Dusk – Halloween

November 1 All Saints Day – Holy Day, 6:00 pm Mass with candle service for those departed in past year

13th Annual **Indiana Catholic Men's Conference** – "Walking with Christ & the Cross" November 10, 2018 at the Indiana Convention Center. Join men from across Indiana and nationally known Catholic speakers, Rev. Dwight Longenecker, Fr. Ben Luedke and Tom Peterson. Mass will be celebrated at St. John the Evangelist. For more information, or to register, go to www.indianacatholicmen.com. Please register now for this wonderful spirit filled day.

Faith Formation Commission: On Tuesday, February 26th from 7:00 – 9:00 pm at Immaculate Conception (Millhousen), Ken Ogorek, Archdiocesan Catechetical Director, will offer a workshop on Faith Formation Commissions. The workshop is suitable as a refresher for long-time commission members, an orientation for new members, or an info session for prospective members. Please email kogorek@archindy.org to register and/or ask any questions you might have about this opportunity.

While Immaculate Conception is sponsoring, hosting this event, it is being presented by the Office of Catechesis, and being offered multiple times throughout the Archdiocese. This February event will be offered to all members of the Batesville Deanery. Please register in advance so that accommodations can be made.

Cohort Advent Penance Service – and "First Penance" for our second graders, will be combined as it was last year, taking place on Wednesday evening, December 5th from 7:00 – 8:00 pm in the Church, here at Immaculate Conception. We have four priests committed to us that evening, Frs: John Geis, Bill Turner, Frank Eckstein and Joe Nelson. All four will be hearing private confessions, behind closed doors. As in years past, we will host the priests for supper prior to the service, and all Religious Ed. students will attend this service in place of their usual class. We are hoping many parents will also attend to support their children in this spiritual exercise and sacrament. The Cohort offers two Penance Services each year, one during Advent hosted by Immaculate Conception, and one during Lent hosted by St. Maurice. This is a very special evening for our second graders who will be making their First Confession. Please join us for this evening of preparation for the Coming of Christ! Second graders are: Laykin Baltus, Brynklie Ortman, Andrew Stier, and Luke Stier.