

Immaculate Conception Catholic Church

Millhousen, Indiana

2081 E. County Road 820 S.
Greensburg, IN 47240-9636

Jan. 15, 2023

Parish Administrator – Fr. Binu Mathew

binum@millhousenchurch.com 812-591-2362

Coordinator of Liturgical Ministries – LaDonna Hoeing

ladonna@millhousenchurch.com 812-614-9224

Coordinator of Religious Education – Jeanne Fry

jeanne@millhousenchurch.com 812-614-7086

Sacrament of **Anointing** is available upon request. Please call the parish office to schedule.

Sacrament of **Reconciliation** is available on Sundays & Thursday 5:10 pm to 5:24 pm

Sacrament of **Baptism** is scheduled by appointment. Please call the parish office for sacramental preparation.

Sacrament of **Marriage** requires at least six months of preparation. Please call the parish office prior to setting your wedding date.

Bulletin information is due by Thursday before 6:00PM
Office is closed on Mondays

Thursday Mass

Sunday Obligation
Sunday 9:00 AM

Monday – Rosary 10:30 AM

Mass Intentions:

January 15th – Sunday - Evelyn Keifer

January 22nd – Sunday - Charles & Ruth Hamilton

January 29th – Sunday – Bernard Pfeifer

Liturgical Ministries

January 22nd: 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Cross Bearer: Trevor Stone

Servers: Andrew Stier, Luke Stier

**Ushers: Jerry Fry, Don Fry, Tim Scheidler,
John Johannigman**

Lector: Kenny Stier

Offertory: Karen Hardebeck / Melissa Stier

Musicians: Joe & Anna Johannigman

Eucharistic Minister: Steve AmRhein

Counters: Steve AmRhein, Kate Bedel

January 29th: 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Cross Bearer: Oliver Hamilton

**Servers: Campbell Johannigman,
Paul Schoettmer**

**Ushers: Bill & Nikki Johannigman,
Norb & Kate Bedel**

Lector: Ben Stier

Offertory: Cindy Hermes / Kate Bedel

Musicians: Womens Choir

Eucharistic Minister: Cindy Johannigman

Counters: Josh Hornberger, Steve AmRhein

Stewardship of Treasure: Our Sunday Collection:

Needed each weekend to meet Budget: \$2000

Sunday Envelopes :	\$3171.00
Energy & Maintenance	\$ 2015.00
Cash / Misc	\$ 159.00
	\$
Total	\$ 5345.00

Remember in Prayer: Gary Chandler (Father of Jeff Chandler), David Wessel (brother of Jane Scheidler), Jennie (Schutte) Patrick, Stephanie Harrison, Alvin Pfeifer, Benji Ortman, Dennis DiGiusto, Rylie Bennet, Amy Hermes, and Jane (Johannigman) Faulconer.

Tax time: Year end tax statements for 2022 are on the table in the entry way. If you haven't already please pick up your statement as soon as possible. This saves the parish the expense of postage.

Community Blood Drive: St. Maurice Church in Napoleon is hosting a Community Blood Drive in their Parish Hall on Tuesday, February 7th from 11:00 AM until 5:00 PM. Appointments are strongly encouraged and may be scheduled online at www.hoxworth.org/groups/napoleon or by calling Arlene Gehl: 812-852-4394. All donors will receive a Hoxworth wearable blanket and the heartfelt gratitude of patients in need of life-saving blood.

Youth Minister: The parish is in need of a Youth Ministry Coordinator volunteer. Events can be coordinated with St. Maurice, Napoleon and St. John, Osgood. If you are interested, please call the parish office and leave your name and phone number.

Special Collection: Next Sunday (January 22, 2023) there will be a special collection for the Church in Latin America. There is an envelope in your box for this collection. The second collection will be taken up after communion. Thank you for your generosity.

Decatur County Right to Life: Candlelight Vigil, Wednesday, Jan. 18th, 6:30 PM at St. Mary's Catholic Church. Marking the 50th anniversary of Roe V Wade. All are welcome.

Parish Council Members Contact information:

Cindy Johannigman	Cindyjo472@aol.com	812-614-0802
Ruth Gilly	rgilly303@gmail.com	812-614-5626
Kenny Stier	kenny@kstr.us	812-591-7454
Mark Stier	mark@stierheating.com	812-614-1176
Tim Hoeing	tim@hm-tool.com	812-498-0187
Mollie Johannigman	mjohannigman@stmarysgreensburg.com	812-662-4512
Father Binu	binum@millhousenchurch.com	

Dear Parishioners and friends,

Hoping the year 2023 will bring good tidings to all, to our families and parish community. We are a family built on the love of Christ. Let us show this love and concern for one another by our support and care for one another and especially lifting one another in our daily prayers.

Sometimes we are affected with draught, sometimes it may be tornadoes or some other calamities and problems but never permanent, they will come and go, so too the pandemic, this too shall pass. We can be confident we can overcome all this havoc and this uncertain time, because we believe and trust in Jesus, son of the eternal Father in heaven, who has overcome death and promised us the eternal life. Let us be ever thankful to Him who is the source of our very life. Hope in him and he will never let us down. Let Jesus who is the light of the world continue to guide and lead us.

On behalf of Immaculate Conception Parish, I thank you for your generous contributions of prayer, time, talent, and treasure to our parish over the past year. Also appreciate all the volunteer service rendered as catechists, reaching out to our homebound, liturgical and musical ministries, building and ground, council, financial members to build up the parish family. In spite of the ongoing pandemic and rising inflation, your generosity has made it possible to address operating costs, maintain our cemetery, buildings and grounds, and fund our parish ministries.

While the annual fundraising effort, Auction/Raffle was successful, and helped tremendously to balance our finances, your continued giving paved the way for capital projects. Spurred by a bountiful harvest, the spirit of giving was renewed, and as each of these projects presented themselves, we were able to respond with confidence. We move forward now, with renewed hope.

The contribution statement ready for you to pick up will detail your treasure contributions to Immaculate Conception during 2022, and may assist you in filing your income tax return.

May the blessing of God and the healing touch Jesus His Son and all pervading peace of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

In Christ Jesus

Fr. Binu Mathew