

Immaculate Conception Catholic Church

Millhousen, Indiana

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August 13, 2023

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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

Thursdays:

Holy Hour 5:00 PM

Mass 6:00 PM

Sunday Obligation

Sunday 9:00 AM

Monday – Rosary 10:30

Mass Intentions:

August 13th – Sunday-Roman & Marjorie Johannigman

August 15th – Assumption- Hubert & Esther Raver

August 17th-Thursday- Michael Manlief

August 20th-Sunday-Ed & Virginia Bedel

August 24th -Thursday- Charles & Ruth Hamilton

August 15, 2023 : Feast of Assumption

Cross Bearer: Mary Stier

Servers: Michael Stier, Kate Schoettmer

Ushers: Norb & Kate Bedel Bill & Nikki Johannigman

Lector: Ben Stier

Offertory: Cindy Hermesch/ Kate Bedel

Musicians: Kenny Stier

Eucharistic Minister: Cindy Johannigman

August 20, 2023

Cross Bearer: Treavor Stone

Servers: Campbell Johannigman, Paul Schoettmer

Ushers: Mark Hermesch, Mitch & Lori Nobbe

Lector: Nikki Johannigman

Offertory: Kristen Stier/ Jessica Diekhoff

Musicians: Kenny Stier

Eucharistic Minister: Donna Johannigman

Counters: Josh Hornberger, Randy Huff

Stewardship of Treasure: Our Sunday Collection:

Needed each weekend to meet Budget: \$2000

Cash \$

Envelopes \$

Total \$

Figures will be posted next week!

Feast of the Assumption: **Tuesday August 15th:** Millhousen: Holy Hour 5:00 PM followed by Mass 6:00 PM.

Napoleon Mass: Tuesday August 15th 6:00PM

Osgood Mass: Tuesday August 15th 7:00 AM Holy Hour; 8:00 AM Mass

Remember in Prayer:



Carl Moorman, David Wessel, Stephanie Harrison, Alvin Pfeifer, Benji Ortman, Dennis DiGiusto, Amy Hermes, and Jane (Johannigman) Faulconer.

And all lapsed Catholics in our community.

Religious Education :

Religious Education: There will be a Catechist/Aide meeting for all catechists and aides on Sunday, August 27, immediately following Mass. The meeting should only last 45 minutes to an hour. Thank you!

Pickle Ball:



Several people have expressed an interest in using the school gym to play Pickle Ball in the fall and winter months. If you have some experience in playing or are interested in learning, contact Steve AmRhein (812-614-1057) or Kate Bedel (812-614-0987). It would be a fun activity when you can't be outdoors and your physical activity is limited.

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time: Human life is a remarkable mixture of that famous “smile and a tear”. We all have our ups and downs in life. We attend both weddings and funerals. Parents witness graduations and often the failures of their children as well. Married life can be like the smell of roses and turn into a nightmare. Young people are successful today and can be turned down tomorrow. Friends may disappoint us and we may witness infidelity not only in our government but even in our Church. All this may leave us confused and downcast. What are we to do? Are we to give up our faith in God?

Queen Jezebel threatened the life of Elijah. He went to a cave in search of God; he prayed and encountered God in ‘a tiny whispering sound,’ as the beautiful, idyllic tradition of the First Reading has it. Jesus’ best friend, John the Baptist, was beheaded in jail and ‘he (Jesus) went up on the mountain by himself to pray. When it was evening he was there alone.’

That night Jesus’s disciples were in serious trouble, their boat being tossed about in the waves. Lack of faith made them desperate and perhaps Peter, becoming frightened, would have drowned if he had not cried out; “Lord, save me!”

God’s word to everyone tossed about on the waves of life is: Find a quiet moment for yourself, search for God, pray with faith: “Lord, save me!”

A word from Pope Francis:

"Kindness is firm and persevering intention to always will the good of others, even the unfriendly."
"We must restore hope to young people, help the old, be open to the future, spread love. Be poor among the poor. We need to include the excluded and preach peace."

WHERE THERE
IS HOPE,
THERE IS *faith.*
WHERE THERE
IS FAITH, *miracles*
HAPPEN.

Local Mass Schedules:

St. John, Osgood

Wednesday, Friday, Saturday: Holy Hour at 7:00 AM with Mass following at 8:00 AM

Friday: Eucharistic Adoration 3:00 PM – 6:00 PM

Saturday Obligation: 5:00 PM

Sunday Obligation: 7:30 AM

Confession: Friday 3:00-4:00 PM ; Saturday 4:45 PM

St. Maurice, Napoleon

Tuesday: Holy Hour 5:00 PM – 6:00PM

Mass following at 6:00 PM

Saturday Obligation: 4:00 PM

Sunday Obligation: 10:00 AM