Immaculate Conception Catholic Church Millhousen, Indiana

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January 28, 2024

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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 after Mass & Thursday 5:10 pm to 5:25 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 AM Friday – Adoration 12:00 Noon – 3:00PM

Mass Intentions:

January 28th - Sunday - Dennis, MaryAnn, & Tim Schwering

February 1st - Thursday - Betty Heger

February 4th – Sunday – Ed & Marie Stier

February 8th - Thursday - Marcie Schutte

February 11th -Sunday - Betty Heger

February 4, 2024 5TH Sunday in Ordinary time

Cross Bearer: Oliver Hamilton

Servers: Campbell Johannigman, Brooklyn

Ortman

Ushers: Jerry Fry, Don Fry, Tim Scheidler,

John Johannigman

Lector: Nikki Johannigman

Offertory Bread: Kristen Stier/Jessica Diekhoff

Musicians: Joe & Anna

Eucharistic Minister: Mollie Johannigman Counters: Josh Hornberger, Ann Stier February 11, 2024 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Cross Bearer: Grady Scudder

Servers: Kate Schoettmer, Andrew Stier Ushers: Bill & Nikki Johannigman, Norb & Kate

Bedel

Lector: Donna Johannigman

Offertory Bread: Laura Meyer / Maria Meyer

Musicians: Karen & Rita

Eucharistic Minister: Kenny Stier

Counters: Steve AmRhein, Alvin Hoeing

<u>Stewardship of Treasure: Our Sunday Collection:</u> Needed each weekend to meet Budget: \$2000

 Cash & checks
 \$ 2025.00

 Other - Energy
 \$ 190.00

 Total
 \$ 2215.00

Remember in Prayer: Eileen Moorman, Scott Gabbard, Bonnie Veerkamp, Carl Moorman, David Wessel, Stephanie Harrison, Alvin Pfeifer, Benji Ortman, Dennis DiGiusto, Amy Hermesch, and Jane (Johannigman) Faulconer.

And all lapsed Catholics in our community.

Religious Education Schedule:

January 28 -- Class for Grades 1-8 -- 10:00-11:15
February 4 -- Class for Grades 1-8 -- 10:00-11:15
Confirmation Class -- 10:00-12:00
February 11 -- Class for Grades 1-8 -- 10:00-11:15
February 18 -- Class for Grades 1-8 -- 10:00-11:15
Confirmation Class -- 10:00-12:00

<u>First Eucharist Parent Meeting</u>: There will be a meeting for the parents of the first/second grade students who are preparing to receive their First Eucharist. This meeting will be on Sunday, March 3, following the 9:00 Mass.

United Catholic Appeal:

Parish Goal:\$10,737, Amount Pledged:\$11,381, Needed to reach goal \$0.00 Percentage:106% Thank You everyone!!

<u>Did you know?</u> - While individual confession is the ordinary means of reconciling ourselves with God and the Church, a priest may offer general absolution in extreme circumstances of necessity or imminent disaster. If a priest is not present in such a situation, it is a good idea to pray the Act of Contrition when in danger of death. Learn more from The Pillar at https://812591.xyz/genabs

Wisdom from Pope Francis:

Reading the word of God-

The Pope suggested we examine our own lives and look at how much room we make for the word of God in our lives. With all that we read and consume, do we make space for the Bible? Do we have a Gospel nearby, "in our pockets and purses, on our telephones?"

"If Christ is dearer to me than anything else, how can I leave Him at home and not bring His Word with me?"

"Let us return to the sources, in order to offer to the world the living water for which it yearns and does not find, and while society and social media reflect the violence of words, let us draw closer to, and cultivate, the quiet word that brings salvation."

Lenten Mission:

"Join us February 18 - 21 for our Lenten Mission at St. Nicholas: Deepening Your Eucharistic Devotion, presented by Fr. Tony Stephens from the Fathers of Mercy. Fr. Tony is an engaging speaker who will challenge and encourage you to grow in your Eucharistic relationship with the Lord! Confessions begin at 5 pm every evening, with talks beginning at 6:30. There will be a closing Mass on Feb. 21 at 6:30 pm with a reception afterwards. All are welcome!"

