Immaculate Conception Catholic Church Millhousen, Indiana

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February 4, 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

5:00 PM Sunday Obligation 6:00 PM Sunday 9:00 AM Monday – Rosary 10:30 AM Friday – Adoration

12:00 Noon - 3:00PM

Mass Intentions:

 $\overline{February 4^{th} - Sunday - Ed \& Marie Stier}$

February 8th - Thursday - Marcie Schutte

February 11th -Sunday - Betty Heger

February 14th -Ash Wednesday - Shaun Ortman

February 15th - Thursday - Michelle Brogan

February 18th – Sunday- Teresa Bruns

February 11, 2024 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Cross Bearer: Grady Scudder

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

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Lector: Donna Johannigman

Offertory Bread: Laura Meyer / Maria Meyer

Musicians: Karen & Rita

Eucharistic Minister: Kenny Stier Counters: Steve AmRhein, Alvin Hoeing February 14, 2024 Ash Wednesday

Cross Bearer: Mary Jo Wenning Servers: Michael Stier, Mary Stier

Ushers: Mark Hermesch, Mitch & Lori Nobbe

Lector: Claire Schoettmer

Offertory Bread: Karen Hardebeck / Melissa Stier

Musicians: Ken Stier

Eucharistic Minister: Steve AmRhein

Stewardship of Treasure: Our Sunday Collection:

Needed each weekend to meet Budget: \$2000

 Cash & checks
 \$ 2706.00

 Other - Energy
 \$ 190.00

 Total
 \$2896.00

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:

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.

Parish Council:

There will be a parish council meeting after Mass next Sunday, February 11th.

Lenten Schedule: Ash Wednesday Feb. 14- Mass at Millhousen 6:00 PM

Napoleon 7:00 PM

Osgood 8:00 AM & 5:00 PM

Mondays – Through the season of Lent at 7:00 PM the parish invites everyone to gather in Church to pray the Rosary.

Thursdays – Holy Hour at 5:00 PM; Mass at 6:00 PM

Fridays -Way of the Cross 7:00 PM

March 13th – Sacrament of Reconciliation 6:00 -8:00 PM

<u>Did you know?</u> - Groundhog Day on February 2nd has its origins in Candlemas, when people would bring candles to be blessed on the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord. In the old church calendar, this day also marked the end of the Christmas season. The Christmas season now ends earlier in January with the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord.

Learn more at https: .//812591.xyz/candlemas

Upcoming events to deepen your faith:

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!"

Saturday February 17, 2024: The **E6 Catholic Men's Conference** will be held at East Central High School Performing Arts Center. Featured speakers include Fr. John Hollowell, Tim Staples, Nathan Crankfield, and Sean Casey. For more information and registration go to E6CATHOLICMENSCONFERENCE.COM.

Wednesday, February 21, 2024: Don't miss the opportunity to hear from renowned speaker Jason Evert, live with Dearborn County Catholics at All Saints-St. Joseph Campus in West Harrison, IN at this special Double Feature Retreat Day. An event for teens and adults, ages 13+. Get answers to life's tough questions about love, dating, and relationships. This double feature event includes Purified and Gender and the Theology of Your Body, Eucharistic Adoration and the Sacrament of Reconciliation. The combination transforms a couple of talks into a retreat for the family, allowing them to encounter the source of purity, healing, and renewal, Jesus Christ. The evening also includes free resources for attendees!

Event Schedule:

6:00-7:30pm Purified

7:30-8:00pm Break

8:00-9:00pm Gender and the Theology of Your Body

9:00-9:30pm Adoration and Confession

Event Location:

All Saints - St. Joseph Campus

7536 Church Lane

West Harrison, IN 47060

For more information and to purchase tickets go to shop.chastity.com.

Book study: Will begin on Wednesday, February 21. We will be reading "The Dazzling Light of God" by Madeleine Delbrel. If you are interested please contact Sharon Mapes at 812-614-2418.

Fish Fries

Marion Township VFD, February 9th & 23rd, March 8th, & 22nd: 5 - 8 PM All you can eat fish, french fries, baked beans, and applesauce

Knights of St. John; February 16th; March 1st, 15th, and 29th: 5 - 7:30 PM All you can eat fish, french fries, coleslaw, and applesauce Grilled cheese also available.