

# Immaculate Conception Catholic Church

Millhousen, Indiana

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February 18, 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:

*February 18<sup>th</sup> – Sunday- Teresa Bruns*

*February 22<sup>nd</sup> -Thursday- Kenneth Roberts*

*February 25<sup>th</sup> -Sunday – Una O'Donnell*

*February 29<sup>th</sup> –Thursday - Betty Heger*

*March 3<sup>rd</sup>- Sunday- Marcie Schutte*

**February 25th, 2024 Second Sunday of Lent**

**Cross Bearer: Trevor Stone**

**Servers: Oliver Hamilton, Paul Schoettmer**

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

**Lector: Jeanne Fry**

**Offertory Bread: Mike & Mollie Johannigman**

**Musicians: Ken Stier**

**Eucharistic Minister: Cindy Johannigman**

**Counters: Josh Hornberger, Steve AmRhein**

**Sunday March 3, 2024**

**Cross Bearer: Oliver Hamilton**

**Servers: Andrew Stier, Lane Asher**

**Ushers: Trevor Stone & Grady Scudder, Norb & Kate  
Bedel**

**Lector: Emily Baltus**

**Offertory: Melissa Stier / Katherine Stier**

**Musicians:**

**Eucharistic Minister: Donna Johannigman**

**Counters: Josh Hornberger, Ann Stier**

**Stewardship of Treasure: Our Sunday Collection:**

*Needed each weekend to meet Budget: \$2000*

<i>Cash &amp; checks</i>	<i>\$ 3304.00</i>
<i>Other - Building &amp; Grounds</i>	<i>\$ 1000.00</i>
<i>Cemetery Upkeep</i>	<i>\$ 1000.00</i>
<i>Total</i>	<i>\$ 5304.00</i>

**Remember in Prayer:** Eileen Moorman, Scott Gabbard, Bonnie Veerkamp, 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 Schedule:**

February 18 -- Class for Grades 1-8 -- 10:00-11:15

Confirmation Class -- 10:00-12:00

February 25 -- Class for Grades 1-8 -- 10:00-11:15

March 3 -- Class for Grades 1-8 --- 10:00-11:15

Confirmation Class -- 10:00-12:00

\*\*Meeting for First Eucharist Parents--following Mass--meet in first floor west classroom in the school building.

March 10 and 17 -- No class due to Spring Break

**First Eucharist Parent Meeting:** 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.

We will meet in the first floor (west side) classroom in the school.

**Lenten Almsgiving Project:** We are asked to observe 3 Lenten practices--prayer, penance and almsgiving. This year the Religious Education students are raising money for Catholic Relief Services. CRS operates in 122 countries and provides assistance to ease suffering in many areas--food, safe water supplies, agriculture, medicine, and education. The students met last Sunday to learn about CRS and to select an item and monetary goal to work toward in this Lenten season. The students chose to raise funds for a water pump with tools and training with the goal of \$235. If the goal is surpassed, the students voted to send the extra funds for children's vaccinations. The students will be sacrificing a treat or activity, or doing extra chores to earn the money for our project. We invite parishioners to help us with this project in their Lenten almsgiving. If you wish to donate, please put your donation in an envelope marked "CRS" and put it in the Sunday collection. Thank you for all your encouragement and support!

**United Catholic Appeal:** Update: Parish Goal \$10,737; Pledged \$11,410; 106% of goal reached; # of donors 52.

**Childrens choir:** Thank you to the children who joined in the choir after Communion last Sunday. Good Job!!

**Lenten Schedule:**

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 –Eucharistic Adoration - Noon to 3 PM

Fridays -Through the season of Lent - Way of the Cross 7:00 PM

March 13<sup>th</sup> – Sacrament of Reconciliation 6:00 -8:00 PM

**Upcoming events to deepen your faith:**

**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](http://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 23<sup>rd</sup>, March 8<sup>th</sup>, & 22<sup>nd</sup>: 5 - 8 PM

All you can eat fish, french fries, baked beans, and applesauce

Knights of St. John; March 1<sup>st</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, and 29<sup>th</sup>: 5 - 7:30 PM

All you can eat fish, french fries, coleslaw, and applesauce

Grilled cheese also available.