

Immaculate Conception Catholic Church

Millhousen, Indiana

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February 16, 2025

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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

Thursday:

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 – 3:00 PM

Mass Intentions:

February 16th – Sunday – Dale Herbert

February 20th – Thursday – Ed & Marie Stier

February 23rd – Sunday – Andy Mattox

February 27th – Thursday – Marieda Koors

March 2nd – Sunday – Anthony Scheidler

March 6th – Thursday – Robert, Velma & Wayne Fry

March 9th – Sunday – Kenneth Runyan

Feb. 23, 2025

Cross Bearer: Brooklyn Ortman

Servers: Paul Schoettmer; Lane Asher

Ushers: Bill & Niki Johannigman/Norb & Kate Bedel

Lector: Donna Johannigman

Offertory: Abby & Sage Asher

Musicians: Joe Johannigman & Anna Kramer

**Eucharistic Ministers: B Steve AmRhein/W Cindy &
Donna Johannigman**

Counters: Josh Hornberger/Steve AmRhein

March 2, 2025

Cross Bearer: Grady Scudder

Servers: Andrew & Katherine Stier

Ushers: Mark Hermes/Mitch & Lori Nobbe

Lector: Jeanne Fry

Offertory: Cindy Hermes/Kate Bedel

Musicians: Men's Choir

**Eucharistic Ministers: B Mark Stier/W Tim Hoeing &
/Cindy Johannigman**

Counters: Josh Hornberger/Ann Stier

Stewardship of Treasure: Our Sunday Collection:

Needed each weekend to meet Budget: \$2000

Will be posted next week

Remember in Prayer:

Hallie Crane, Evelyn Johannigman, Shannon Stenger, Eileen Moorman, Scott Gabbard, Bonnie Veerkamp, Carl Moorman, David Wessel, Alvin Pfeifer, Benji Ortman, Dennis DiGiusto, Amy Hermes, and Jane (Johannigman) Faulconer. And all lapsed Catholics in our community.

Religious Education Schedule and Notes:

February 16 -- Classes for Grades K-9 -- 10:00-11:15

February 23 -- Classes for Grades K-9 -- 10:00-11:15

March 2 -- Classes for Grades K-9 -- 10:00-11:15

The students in Grades 7-9 will be attending the presentation on the Divine Mercy of Jesus.

March 9 -- Classes for Grades K-9 -- 10:00-11:15

Students in Grades K-6 will be attending a presentation by Sister Loretto.

She is from the Archdiocese of Indianapolis, Mission Office.

March 16 and 23 -- No classes -- Spring Break

Thank you: This week "Care Packages" were shipped to our adopted seminarians, Randy Schneider and Adam Hermes. These packages contained drawings, cards, letters, and snack items from the Religious Education students to show their support for these two young men. Thank you to the students and parents for their contributions to these packages! Thank you also to Kenny Stier for taking care of the packaging and shipping of the boxes!

Divine Mercy . Sunday, March 2nd after the 9:00 Mass, Linda Burton (a former parishioner) will be here to share background knowledge of the power behind the Divine Mercy and Sister Faustina Kowalska's journey with God.

Parish Picnic:

It may seem a long way off, but mark your calendars for September 27th, 2025, for our Parish Picnic.

Upcoming Special Collection: Feb. 23rd. Collection for Home Missions.

Collection Box #82: If you have this box # please let us know so we can match your donations to your name. Forms are sent each year for your tax records. You can email ladonna@millhousenchurch.com

The parish outreach for February will be the Decatur County Agape Center.

The Agape Center would greatly appreciate monetary donations, paper products, or non perishable food. Any product donations may be brought to church from February 9-23 and placed in the container at the back of church. Envelopes marked Agape will be in the pews and may be placed in the regular collection.

E6 Catholic Mens Conference:

The tri-state's largest Catholic Men's Conference of 2025 is coming soon, featuring Keynote Speaker Christ Stefanik, Jake Khym, Bobby Angel, Fr. Jonathan Meyer and MC Craig Pohl! Please join us for the 2025 E6 Catholic Men's Conference, which will be taking place on **Saturday, February 22th, 2025**, at the East Central High School Performing Arts Center in St. Leon, IN . This year we celebrate our 10th anniversary! You won't want to miss this special celebration! Please join us for inspiring talks, confession (available all day), celebration of the Holy Mass, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and fraternity with fellow men of Christ. We pride ourselves on presenting a quality, substance-driven, inspirational and faith-filled event that will change men's lives and help equip them to be the man Christ calls them to be. Do not miss this! Tickets are on sale now at www.e6cmc.com.

If anyone is interested and would like to **carpool contact Mark Stier** 812-614-1176.

First Friday Adoration: We will have First Friday Adoration again on March 7 beginning at 6:00 PM and closing with mass at 8:00 AM. The signup sheet is in the back of church. We have all the slots filled with 2 individuals or couples except for 7 PM, 11 PM, and 2 AM. Prayerfully consider signing up for one of those times. Jennifer Diekhoff will coordinate the adoration – 812-593-2249. If you can't be there make sure the other person in that time slot is there. If they can't be there either, find a substitute. The current known substitutes are listed on the bottom of the adoration schedule, but anyone can be a substitute. If you are willing to be a substitute, just let Jennifer know and your name can be added to the list.

Lenten book study:

Will begin on Wednesday March 12. We will be reading "Walk in Her Sandals" by Kelly M. Wahlquist. If you are interested in joining, please contact Kate Bedel 812-614-0987 or Cindy Johannigman at 812-614-0802.

A word from Pope Francis:

"God does not reason with calculations and tables; he loves us as one who is enamoured: not to the minimum, but to the maximum! He does not say, "I love you up to a certain point". No, true love is never up to a certain point, and is never satisfied; love always goes beyond, it cannot do otherwise. The Lord showed us this by giving his life on the cross and forgiving his murderers (cf. Lk 23:34). And he entrusted to us the commandment most dear to him: that we love one another like he loved us (cf. Jn 15:12)." | Pope Francis