Immaculate Conception Catholic Church Millhousen, Indiana

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March 23, 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:

March 27th - Thursday- Kenneth Runyan

March 30th -Sunday- Anthony Scheidler

April 3rd – Thursday-Anthony Scheidler

April 5th - Saturday -

April 6th - Sunday - Dennis, Mary Ann, Tim Schwering

April 10th - Thursday - Andy Mattox

April 13th -Palm Sunday- Ed & Marie Stier

March 30, 2025

Cross Bearer: Grady Scudder

Servers: Brooklyn Ortman & Katherine Stier Ushers Mark Stier/ Tim Hoeing/ Dave Stone

Lector: Ben Stier

Offertory: Mike & Mollie Johannigman family

Musicians: Rita & Rel Ed Students

Eucharistic Ministers: B Cindy Johannigman

W Stephanie & Tim Hoeing

Counters: Josh Hornberger/ Steve AmRhein

April 6th, 2025

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

Cash & Check \$ 3419.75

Remember in Prayer: Carl Moorman (Carl is at Aspen Place), Doug Huffmeyer, Wendell Thackery, Hallie Crane, Evelyn Johannigman, Shannon Stenger, Eileen Moorman, Scott Gabbard, Bonnie Veerkamp, David Wessel, Alvin Pfeifer, Benji Ortman, Dennis DiGiusto, Amy Hermesch, and Jane (Johannigman) Faulconer. And all lapsed Catholics in our community.

Religious Education Schedule:

March 30 -- Classes for Grades K-9 -- 10:00-11:15

April 6 -- Brunch for the parish--students will be helping and serving -- 10:00-11:30 or so

April 13 -- Classes for Grades K-9 -- 10:00-11:15

April 20 -- No classes -- Easter

April 27 -- Last class for Grades K-9 -- 10:00-11:15

An Invitation to Enjoy Brunch and Fellowship:

As part of their Lenten almsgiving, the Religious Education students will again be raising funds for Catholic Relief Services. This year we will be hosting a Brunch for parishioners and friends following the 9:00 Mass on **Sunday, April 6**. The students, catechists, and parents will be involved in the preparations, serving, and clean-up for the brunch. A free-will offering will be asked from those eating at the brunch. The menu will include breakfast casseroles, biscuits and sausage gravy, sausage patties, pancakes, donuts and coffee cakes, fresh fruit, and milk, juice, and coffee. The parish Easter Egg Hunt will also be held for children third grade and younger-probably around 11:15.

Please join us for this time of food and fellowship and to help our students to experience the opportunity to help others, as Jesus asks us to do. **Thank you for all your support and generosity!**

In our box of church envelopes, there is a second collection envelope for Catholic Relief Services on March 30. Whichever method you might choose to support CRS--through the envelope or the free-will offering at the brunch--all the donations will be pooled together and the students will vote on the items they wish to designate the money to be used for by CRS--for animals, water well equipment, vaccinations, medicine, etc.

Music: All students in grades 6 - 12 are invited to lead the music at Mass on Sunday 03/30/25. We will practice on Monday 03/24/25 at 6:30 p.m.

Thank You!

Melanie Stone (812)614-3152

Rita Peters (812)593-7125

<u>Church & School Work Day:</u> Time for spring cleaning. Work day will be Saturday April 5th; Rain delay date will be Saturday April 12th.

<u>Way of the Cross – Fridays during Lent:</u> March 28 and April 11 - Way of the Cross will be at 7:00 PM. April 4th will be the First Friday of the month. The Way of the Cross will be prayed at 6:00 PM (right before the start of Adoration)

<u>Lenten Penance Services: Thursday, April 10 6:30-8 PM:</u>

Millhousen – Thursday, April 10, 6:30-8:00 PM (Immediately following Mass) Father Binu & Father Geis

Napoleon – Wednesday April 9, 6-8 PM

Osgood - Friday, April 11 6-8 PM

A complete list for the Deanery is on the bulletin board.

Lenten Fish Fry: Knights of St. John will be hosting Fish fries during Lent.

April 4th; April 18th. 4:30 to 7:00 pm.

Millhousen Fire Dept. will be hosting their fish fries on; March 28th; April 11th. 5:00 to 8:00 pm.

<u>Mass Intentions:</u> We currently have some Mass intention openings for the Saturday morning Mass that is said at the end of the First Friday of the month all night adoration. Masses are \$10. You can put name and \$ in an envelope in the collection.

St. Maurice, Napoleon, Smorgasbord: Saturday, April 5, 2025, Roast Beef-Turkey- Meatloaf and all the trimmings. See the flyer on the bulletin board.

A word from Pope Francis:

Celebrating the annual Sunday of the Word of God, Pope Francis encourages us to be "conquered by the beauty" the Word of God brings into our lives, opening our hearts and showing us new and unforeseen wonders and horizons of God's love.

<u>A little humor:</u> Molly and Peter have been married for almost 48 years and have raised 12 children and are blessed with 23 grand children. When asked the secret for staying together all that time, Molly replies, "Many years ago we made a promise to each other; the first to pack up and leave has to take all the kids."