Immaculate Conception Catholic Church Millhousen, Indiana

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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 Hour5:00 PMMass:6:00 PM

Sunday Obligation Sunday 9:00 AM Monday – Rosary 10:30 AM Friday – Adoration 12:00 Noon – 3:00 PM

<u>Mass Intentions:</u> June 22nd – Sunday – Paul Scheidler June 26th – Thursday- No Mass June 29th – Sunday – Kathleen Scheidler July 3rd – Thursday- No Mass July 6th- Sunday- Marieda Koors July 10th – Thursday- Marieda Koors

June 29th, 2025 Cross Bearer: Madalyn Scudder Servers: Lane Asher/ Oliver Hamilton Ushers: Mark Stier/ Tim Hoeing/ Dave Stone Lector: Jeanne Fry Offertory: Abby & Sage Asher Musicians: Mens Choir Eucharistic Minister: B SteveAmRhein W Donna & Mollie Johannigman Counters: Josh Hornberger/Steve AmRhein July 6th, 2025

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June 15

Collection 1549.00 Cemetery 914.00 Maintenance 40.00 New Directoins 50.00 Education for Priests 230.00

Remember in Prayer: Pauline Schoettmer, Lauren Huffmeyer, Doug Huffmeyer, Wendell Thackery, Hallie Crane, Evelyn Johannigman, Eileen Moorman, Scott Gabbard, Bonnie Veerkamp, David Wessel, Alvin Pfeifer, Benji Ortman, Dennis DiGiusto, Amy Hermesch.

And all lapsed Catholics in our community.

<u>Mission appeal:</u> July 6th, Sister Agatha will be visiting and give a talk at the beginning of Mass about their Missionary work. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

Holiday changes:

No Mass: there will not be Mass on Thursday, June 26th or July 3rd. Father will be on retreat.

No Friday afternoon adoration: Friday, July 4th, no adoration from noon – 4:00. **No Adortion or Mass:** There will not be Adoration on Friday night of July 4th. There will not be Mass on Saturday morning July 5th.

Father Bill Turner: Is celebrating his 50th anniversary of Ordination this month. On Sunday, **June 29th**, we would like to thank him for the many years he has been associated with our parish. We will be serving cake and ice cream in the school basement after Mass. Please stop by to congratulate Father Bill. (Cards and \$ gifts appreciated.)

Immaculate Conception Parish Festival: Help us with our advertising and pick up some flyers for our church picnic on Sept, 27, 2025. Flyers are on the table in the back of church.

<u>**Time & Talent:**</u> If you haven't returned your time and talent papers, please complete them and drop them in the collection basket. Thank you.

<u>Thank you:</u> From Ralph Hermesch to everyone who sent Birthday cards. He really enjoyed getting them. It put a big smile on his face.

<u>The Body and Blood of Christ:</u> In an affluent society basic food such as bread and water is no problem. However, for many people in the world it still is. Thus they can understand better than we do that it is a real sign of love and care when God intervenes to feed his people. For them, water and bread are a question of life and death.

But we are often hungry and thirsty for other values than sustenance of physical life. In a depersonalized society we suffer from absence where there should be presence. We hunger and thirst for companionship, love, concern, mercy, respect, which are no problems in the great family of primitive people. Whose need is greater?

Where we suffer from absence, the Lord Jesus wants to be present to us with all the concern and love of a friend for a friend. He wants to share life. He wants to strengthen. He wants to mean something to you and me.

When we celebrate the Eucharist, we celebrate this mysterious presence of the Lord Jesus with the community.

"Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood will live in me and I in him, says the Lord."

<u>A little Humor:</u> A pious man who had reached the age of 105 suddenly stopped going to Mass. Alarmed by the fellow's absence after so many years of faithful attendance, the pastor went to see him. He found him in excellent health, so the priest asked, "How come after all these years we don't see you at Mass anymore?" The old man lowered his voice. "I'll tell you, Father," he wispered. "When I got to be 90, I expected God to take me any day. But then I got to be 95, then 100, then 105. So, I figured that God is very busy and must've forgotten about me, and I don't want to remind him."

