

Immaculate Conception Catholic Church

Millhousen, Indiana

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July 27, 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:

July 27th – Sunday- Hubert & Esther Raver

July 31st -Thursday- Marieda Koors

August 2nd- Saturday morning – Carl Moorman

August 3rd – Sunday-Marieda Koors

August 7th- Thursday-Isabella Volk

August 10th – Sunday- Ed & Virginia Bedel

August 3, 2025

Cross Bearer: Oliver Hamilton

Servers: Kate & Paul Schoettmer

**Ushers: Jerry & Don Fry/ Tim Scheidler/
John Johannigman**

Lector: Ben Stier

Offertory: Stephanie Hoeing & Daughter

Musician: Ken Stier

Eucharistic Ministers: B Steve AmRhein

W Cindy Johannigman & Mark Stier

Counters: Josh Hornberger/ Ann Stier

August 10, 2025

Cross Bearer: Madalyn Scudder

Servers: Oliver Hamilton/ Lane Asher

**Ushers: Bill & Niki Johannigman/
Norb & Kate Bedel**

Lector: Ken Stier

Offertory: Abby & Sage Asher

Musicians: Men's Choir

Eucharistic Ministers: B Mollie Joahnnigman

W Jeanne Fry/ Stephanie Hoeing

Counters: Steve AmRhein/ Alvin Hoeing

Stewardship of Treasure: Our Sunday Collection:

July 20th

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Remember in Prayer: David Russell, Robert Niese, 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 Hermes .
And all lapsed Catholics in our community.

Religious Education Registration

Enrollment for the 2025-2026 Religious Education Program will continue to take place after Mass today. New and returning families can be registered and fees are payable at this time.

If you are not able to register at this time, please call Jeanne Fry (812) 614-7086. Thank you!

Immaculate Conception Parish Festival:

September 27th is just around the corner. Please donate to help cover the up front costs that we are starting to encounter.

Remember to mark your calendar for September 27th. We will need lots of help to make this church event a success. Sign up sheets will be placed in the back of church soon.

End of Summer Cookout:

August 10th, 10:00 am to 1:00 pm. Join us for kickball, whiffleball, pickleball and cards after Mass.

Grilled hot dogs and burgers will be supplied. Bring a change of clothes and a side dish or dessert if you are able.

Blood drive:

Upcoming Blood Drive held at St. Maurice's Parish Center, Tuesday July 29th, 2025. 12:00 noon- 2:15 pm & 3:30 pm -5:45 pm. See flyer on bulletin board for details.

Archdiocese upcoming events: August 4th, Day of Prayer with St. John Vianney. Eucharistic Adoration Noon – 5:00 PM:: Mass following Adoratoin at 5:15 PM. Flyer is on the bulletin board in the entry.

4th Annual Wedding Anniversary Mass with Archbishop Thompson, Sunday, August 24th Mass at 2 p.m.; Reception 3-5 pm. Flyer is on the bulletin board in the entry.

Reading Reflections: Ask and you shall receive.

Parents often display a remarkable patience in smilingly listening to the talk of their little children. And the little ones not only ask questions, they also ask for favors. Parents listen, but do they always grant what the little ones ask? Of course not! The horizons of children are limited. Often they ask for favors that would hurt them. Prudent parents show their real love by never giving children more freedom or favors than they are able to handle at any moment in life.

However, whether one is a teenager or an adult, it takes humility to admit that one's horizon is limited. Yet when we think of the infinite wisdom and love of the heavenly Father, in faith we should be able to admit that he knows better whatever is best for us. It is in this context that we should see our prayer of petition.

Today's First Reading and Gospel teach us to pray with perseverance but also offer some insights on what to expect from our prayer of petition.

A little Humor: Little Johnny wanted \$100 for a new bike and prayed for two weeks, but nothing happened.

Then he decided to write God a letter asking for the money. When the local postmaster saw the letter addressed to "God, USA" he decided to send it to the President of the United States.

The President was so impressed, touched and amused that he instructed his secretary to send the little boy a \$5 bill.

Little Johnny was delighted with \$5 and wrote a thank-you note to God. It read: "Dear God, thank you for sending the money. However I noticed that for some reason you had to send it through Washington, D.C. As usual, those crooks deducted \$95."

