

# Immaculate Conception Catholic Church

## Millhusen, Indiana

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February 8, 2026

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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 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 8<sup>th</sup> – Sunday – Timothy Allen Combs**

**February 12<sup>th</sup> – Thursday- Bill Schoettmer**

**February 15<sup>th</sup> – Sunday- Ed & Marie Stier**

**February 18<sup>th</sup> – Ash Wednesday- Jim Koors**

**February 19<sup>th</sup> – Thursday-Carl Moorman**

**February 22<sup>nd</sup> - Sunday- 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Lent- Carl Vanderpohl**

**2/15/2026 Sunday**

**Cross Bearer: Grady Scudder**

**Servers: Brooklyn Ortman/ Daniel  
Hornberger**

**Ushers: Jerry & Don Fry/ TimScheidler  
John Johannigman**

**Lector: Mary Jo Wenning**

**Offertory: Tim & Stephanie Hoeing family**

**Musician: Ken Stier**

**Eucharistic Ministers: B Cindy Hermesch/  
W Cindy & Donna Johannigman**

**Counters: Josh Hornberger/ Randy Huff**

**2/22/2026 Sunday**

**Cross Bearer: Mary Stier**

**Servers: Katherine Stier/ Emily Stier**

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

**Lector: Jeanne Fry**

**Offertory: Jed & Alison Ortman family**

**Musicians: Mixed Choir**

**Eucharistic Ministers: B Cindy Johannigman/  
W Donna & Mollie Johannigman**

**Counters: Steve AmRhein/ Kate Bedel**

*Stewardship of Treasure: Our Sunday Collection:*

**Remember in Prayer:** Irene Tebbe, Dale Hermesch, Kevin McCullough, Norbert Hoeing, Eileen Moorman, Pauline Schoettmer, Lauren Huffmeyer, Doug Huffmeyer, Hallie Crane, Evelyn Johannigman, Scott Gabbard, Bonnie Veerkamp, Alvin Pfeifer, Amy Hermesch .

And all lapsed Catholics in our community.

**Religious Education Schedule:**

February 8 -- Classes for Grades K-7 -- 10:00-11:15 am

No Confirmation Class

February 15 -- Classes for Grades K-7 -- 10:00-11:15 am

Confirmation Class -- 10:00-12:00

February 22 -- Classes for Grades K-7 -- 10:00-11:15 am

No Confirmation Class

March 1 -- Classes for Grades K-7 -- 10:00-11:15 am

Confirmation Class -- 10:00-12:00

March 8 -- Lenten Brunch

Lenten Brunch: The Religious Education classes will again serve a brunch for parishioners and friends, in order to raise money for Catholic Relief Services. The brunch will be held on Sunday, March 8, following Mass, 10:00-11:30 am. The parish Easter Egg Hunt will also be held at 11:00 for children up to third grade. The students, parents, and catechists will be preparing and serving the brunch. In this way the students can fulfill the Catholic practice of Lenten almsgiving and service. The Brunch will include breakfast casseroles, sausage patties, biscuits and sausage gravy, pancakes, coffee cakes, and fresh fruit, along with milk, juice and coffee. There will be a free-will offering from those attending the brunch.

If you are unable to attend the brunch, there is an envelope in your parish collection envelope box designated for Catholic Relief Services (March 15). That money will be added to the money raised at the brunch. The students will decide on what the money will be designated for. Last year the students chose: a community watering station, one cow, six pigs, and 7 flocks of chickens. These items will help families and communities around the world to become self-sufficient to better their lives. Thank you for all your support and generosity for this project!

**2/18/2026 Ash Wednesday Mass 5:30 PM**

**Cross Bearer: Mary Jo Wenning**

**Servers: Kate Schoettmer/ Emily Stier**

**Lector: Jerry Fry**

**Offertory: Colton & Brittney Hamilton family**

**Musicians: Ken Stier**

**Eucharistic Ministers: B Mark Stier/**

**W Tim & Stephanie**

**Ash Wednesday Masses:** Osgood 8:00 AM  
2/18/2026 Millhousen 5:30 PM  
Napoleon 7:00 PM

### **Lenten Book Study**

We will begin on Wednesday, Feb. 25th at 7:00pm. We will be reading Eyes Fixed on Jesus – A Journey into the Gospels, Volume 1 by Meg Hunter-Kilmer. If you are interested in joining us or want more information, please call or text Ruth Gilly at (812)614-5626

**Special Collection:** Feb. 15<sup>th</sup> for the Church in Central and Eastern Europe. Especially Churches in Ukraine. More information on bulletin board.

### **Prayer Shawl Ministry:**

If you knit or crochet please consider helping out. Shawls can be any shape or size. As the shawl is being created, prayers are said. Maybe say a prayer at the beginning of a row, listen to the rosary or think about the love and healing you want the recipient to feel. Google and Pinterest are a good resource. Shawls can be placed in the tub under the table in the entrance of church. Feel free to call or text Jane Scheidler 812-614-3677 or [scheidlerjane@gmail.com](mailto:scheidlerjane@gmail.com).

### **Reflections on the readings:**

Who are we? In daily life, we must be concerned about priorities. First things first! Prayer in the family and worship even in an luxurious church building are wonderful but not enough. A congregation as such must be socially concerned; otherwise it is not like salt in the community, not a city seen by all, not a light to those in town who walk in darkness. Two Sundays ago (3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday), the idea of discipleship and ministry by all was brought out. Today's Gospel suggests the same idea, but now by using metaphors: salt, a city set on a hill, and light.

Sharing time and yourself can be as important in our depersonalized society as sharing bread.