

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

The Immaculate Conception Church of Darby



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EUCCHARISTIC LITURGIES

Saturday 4:00 pm @ IC
Sunday 11:00 am @ IC
Tuesday 9:10 am @ IC

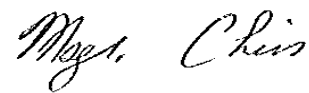
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ALL ARE WELCOME! A MEMBER OF BLESSED TERESA OF CALCUTTA DEANERY

Dear People of God

Last week I began answering a question about going to Mass (or not) on a Holy day of Obligation. I explained the Solemnities of the Liturgical year but leap-frogged over a couple of other issues which maybe should've come first so today allow me to explain the term *Church* as we Catholics ought to be thinking of it. A Church is a group of people who share like beliefs or like practices or like theological leadership or like theological goals or who worship in the same space without a lot of interference from others in that same space. In the case of the Catholic Church, the likeness has to do with what we believe and that makes us a Confessional Church. We are what we are, and we act the way we act, because "I believe in One God, . . ." All the "I's" gathered together to proclaim that belief form a body of believers whose belief is in the same thing: God as One but God as Trinity. Trying to figure out how to act on that belief leads to the second foundational stone on which our Church is structured, and that is the seven sacraments. We believe in the seven sacraments because Jesus clearly taught them in the gospels. We celebrate them because our belief militates us to do so. What we openly say we believe every Sunday leads us to the third foundational stone on which our Church is built: certain expected behaviors drawn from and based in the behaviors of Jesus. These include things like following the Ten Commandments, being compassionate, merciful and generous, praying, and otherwise doing our best to treat our neighbor the way we treat ourselves. Although it gets only a passing reference in the Profession of Faith, the fourth stone on which the Church is built is Peter: "I believe in one, holy Catholic and *Apostolic* Church." Our confession of faith leads to the hierarchical structure of the Church united under the shepherd who stands in the place of Peter: the Pope and the modern-day Apostles, the Bishops who govern us in the many diocese of the Catholic world. Our confession of faith clearly states that we believe that Jesus governs the Church through the successor of Peter so we follow the guidelines any of the popes may tell us to whether we personally want to or not. This last is sometimes referred to as the full faith and allegiance to the teaching magisterium of the Church and means we admit we may not know as much as those appointed by God to do all the deep thinking and research that goes into a typical ecclesial document like one of the popes encyclicals. So then, a Church is people but it's also the place of worship where that people articulates in architecture and art what it believes, how it acts, and what might be its values. It's more than that, though because a real Church is what the believers do to interface with and transform the world. At the parish level we call that aspect the Ministries of the parish. Some are turned inward to assist the believers to enrich and strengthen their faith. Other Ministries are outward directed and in one way or another touch the lives of the people who weren't at Mass on Sunday. We do that by posting a schedule on the front of the church, providing outreach to the neighborhoods, leaving Mass schedules at the nearby hotels, or simply letting people know we're believers by acting like them in what the Church calls "the marketplace" which means where we are when we're not at Mass. All of this stems from what we say together every Sunday or Holyday: "I believe in One God. . ."



The Celebration of Sacraments

Infant Baptism: The Sacrament of Baptism is regularly celebrated on Sunday during or after the Eucharistic Liturgy. Registered parishioners are asked to arrange for the Baptismal Preparation Class and the Liturgical Celebration by calling the Parish Office.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults: RCIA is the process of growing in your faith and love of God. Weekly gatherings take place from September until Easter. If you are interested in learning about Catholicism and joining us please call Deacon Tom at the rectory at Historic St. Patrick @ 419-243-6452.

Penance: The Sacrament of Penance is celebrated at 3:30 p.m. on Saturday at IC, 9:30 a.m. at HSP and 10:30 a.m. at IC every Sunday or by appointment.

Matrimony: Anyone planning to be married must contact the parish at least six months in advance. The exact date and time of your wedding should not be determined until after consultation with a priest or deacon. If either party has previously been civilly or religiously married, the Presider is not permitted to set a date for the wedding without resolving the previous marriage.

Pastoral Care of the Sick: When a parishioner is admitted to the hospital, nursing home, or confined to home because of age or infirmity, please call the Parish Office. Parishioners are ready to visit and to bring Holy Communion. When one is seriously ill, the healing Presence of the Lord should be requested in the Sacrament of the Sick.

WELCOME TO IMMACULATE CONCEPTION



Welcome to Immaculate Conception where all are truly made a welcome part of our parish family whether in Ministry, Service or Leadership. Here, all are God's children, their dignity as God's own affirmed and celebrated. If you are interested in becoming a parishioner please call the parish office at 419-243-1829. Registration forms for new parishioners are on the visitor's stand in the back of church.... Also available on line at www.iccatdarby.org

**STEWARDSHIP REPORT
July 1, 2018-June 30, 2019**

	Last Week	Year to Date
Goal	\$ 2,700.00	\$ 24,300.00
Sat. Env.	\$	\$ 6,134.50
Sat Loose	\$	\$ 3,324.77
Sun. Env.	\$	\$ 8,400.00
Sun. Loose	\$	\$ 1,393.87
Actual	\$	\$ 19,253.14
Over/(Under)	\$ ()	\$ (5,046.85)
Preservation	\$	\$ 2,000.00
General Fund	\$	\$ 440.00
Candles	\$	\$ 104.16
Kroger Rewards 37 households \$210.23		
Thank You!		

**CALENDAR
September 15-23, 2018**

Sat. 1:00 pm IC Quincenera/Graciana Webb/Msgr. Chris
4:00 pm Immaculate Conception Mass/Msgr. Chris
Intention: Rose O'Leary

Sun. 9:30 am Historic St. Patrick Rosary & Confessions
10:00 am Historic St. Patrick Mass/ Msgr. Chris

10:30 am Immaculate Conception Confessions
11:00 am Immaculate Conception Sunday Mass
Fr. Rudi /D. Dave
Intention: Roy & Theresa Garza

Tues. 9:10 am Immaculate Conception School Mass
in Church/Msgr. Chris
10:00 am Immaculate Conception Bible Study

Wed. 5:30 pm Historic St. Patrick Mass/Fr. Chris
6:30 pm Historic St. Patrick Bible Study

Sat. 4:00 pm Immaculate Conception Mass
Fr. Rudi/D. Dave
Intention: Harvey Parker

Sun. 7:00 am Race for the Cure Mass /Msgr. Chris
9:30 am Historic St. Patrick Rosary & Confessions
10:00 am Historic St. Patrick Mass /Msgr. Chris

10:30 am IC Confessions
11:00 am IC Sunday Mass/Fr. Rudi
Intention: Theodore Dominguez

Are you or someone you know an Alumni of Darby? We are updating our Alumni list, please fill out the form below and send it back to the office at 434 Western Ave. or place it in the collection basket. Thank You.

Name _____
Address _____
Phone # _____

Past member of parish/school "Darby" class of _____

If you have any school, confirmation, 1st communion, activities you were involved with, pictures that you would like to share please bring them and Fr. Chris will scan them and we will get the original back to you.



IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

9/15 Michelle Miller
9/16 Walter Schlegel
9/18 Olga Viertelbeck
9/19 Zachary Flynn
9/19 Elizabeth Bland
9/20 Brittany Chambers



Sanctuary Lamp

Sept. 16 (available)
Sept. 22 (Harvey Parker)
Sept. 30 (available)
Oct. 07 (available)



Altar Flowers

Sept. 16 (available)
Sept. 23 (available)
Sept. 30 (available)
Oct. 07 (available)



Happy Anniversary



Tom & Teri Wagner
September 21
45 years

Parish Directory

Get ready! We'll be signing up parishioners and families for our next parish directory! Pictures will be taken in October! Some have had changes in their lives that might just warrant an update: New baby? Gotten married? New hair style???? Well, it's always good to keep current! As usual, you will receive a directory and free 8 X 10 just for having your picture taken. Additional pix are up to you! Stay tuned for more information!

Services offered by Mayores Center
2 Aurora Gonzales Drive
Next to the Fire Station on South Street
419-242-1144

Senior Nutrition Program (Lunches daily
(Please sign in daily or call in by 12:30 the day before).

Arts & Crafts, Bus Trips, Casino Trips, Bingo, Bazaars, Transportation to Center, Recreational activities (pool table, cards), Educational Workshops, Special Events, Movies (onsite & at theatres), Holiday Parties (Christmas, Easter, Cinco de Mayo), Support Services, Farmers Market coupons for fresh produce in the summer, Periodic health screenings (blood pressure and blood sugar check)

IC Sesquicentennial Community Day
has been rescheduled for Saturday, October 13, 10:30 am-3:00 pm

If you have any ideas for that day or would like to be part of the planning or volunteer, contact Shawn Parra @ 419-215-4399



Save the Date!
St. Patrick's Ladies "Tea"

Saturday, October 20th, 2018
1-4 pm
St. Catherine's Parish



IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH & OTHER COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS



Novena for our Nation is a nationwide prayer campaign encouraging people to unite and pray the 54 Day Rosary Novena from the Feast of the Assumption (August 15) to the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary (October 7). Churches all across the nation will be opening their doors at 4:00 p.m. EST on October 7 inviting their communities to join in the conclusion of this nationwide rosary.

October is the month of the Rosary!



In honor of our Blessed Mother, our Patroness, we will be praying the rosary before the masses on Saturday and on Sunday during the month of October. Rosary will begin at 3:30 on Saturday, and 10:30 on Sunday. We will have copies of the mysteries and form for praying the rosary as a group... just in case you're rusty regarding that part of it! We ask, during October, that you be quietly reverent at the time of the rosary, and pray with us.

Office of Child & Youth Protection and Victim Assistance

Diocese of Toledo Safe Environment Program In Full Compliance with USCCB Norms

Each year, the Diocese of Toledo is required to undergo an audit to ensure that it is in compliance with the articles of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People. Bishop Daniel Thomas is pleased to announce that, for the fiscal year 2016-2017, the Diocese was found to be in full compliance with the requirements in the Charter. The Diocese of Toledo remains committed to ensuring the protection of children and providing a safe environment for all young people. If you have any knowledge of abuse that has been committed by a cleric, or any employee or volunteer of the Catholic Church, please report the abuse to your local police department, Child Protection Services, and Mr. Frank DiLallo, Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator. Mr. DiLallo can be reached at (419) 214-4880 or by mail at 1933 Spielbusch Avenue, Toledo, Ohio 43604.

**Sts. Adelbert & Hedwig Parish
POLISH HERITAGE FESTIVAL**
Sunday, September 30
Noon-6:00 pm
Prcua Misiuda Hall 5255 N. Detroit Ave.

Our Lady Queen of the Most Holy Rosary Cathedral October 28, 2018 3:00 p.m.

If you are celebrating a milestone wedding anniversary in 2018 – 25, 40, 50, 60, or 60+ years – plan to join Bishop Daniel Thomas for the Order of Blessing Married Couples within Holy Mass. Registered couples receive a commemorative certificate and are invited to a reception following mass. To register go to www.toledoanniversarymass.org or contact your parish office.

Immaculate Conception

Finance/Facilities

Committees

Bill Carroll
Mike Young
Fred Mahaney
Tom Meagher

Joe Westmeyer
John Madigan
Bill Carroll

Parish Council

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Maria Ochoa
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Judy Westmeyer
Mary Jo Pilcher
Louann Meagher
Barb Marquis
Fred Vallejo
Shawn Parra

Committees of Parish Council meet to help support the non-finance driven parts of our parish! The contacts are :

Fundraising: Louann Meagher and Barb Marquis

Outreach: Maria Ochoa

Liturgy and Christian Formation: MJ Pilcher

Children's Liturgy of the Word:

Cathy Carroll, Judy Westmeyer, Marcia Kardos, Sierra Parra

Veteran's Ministry: Linda Garcia

If you have any questions regarding these ministries please talk to a parish council member in charge of that particular committee.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE PRIESTS LIVE IN CONCERT

IMMACULATE
CONCEPTION CHURCH
SESQUICENTENNIAL

150TH CELEBRATION
PRESENTS

THE PRIESTS

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 1st, 2018
7:30 P.M.

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GENERAL SEATING \$ 50.00
MEET & GREET \$ 150.00

**We are asked to consider many worthy charities
in our wills.....would you consider making
Immaculate Conception worthy?**

Notre Dame Academy will offer an informational meeting called, **“Where Do I Start? Three Ways to Afford the Best Education for your Daughter”** on the Notre Dame Academy Campus (3535 W. Sylvania Toledo) on **Monday, September 17 from 6-7:00 pm**. NDA invites you to learn financial opportunities to help with tuition costs and ask professionals your questions. Topics and information include: 529 Savings and prepaid education plans, private school scholarships and financial aid, college credit and college scholarships. There will be free babysitting and light refreshments will be served. Contact admissions@nda.org to RSVP.

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the Church @ 419-243-6452
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We continue to update/add to our parish data base. Several of the e-mails and addresses we have are no longer valid. Also if you don't see your birthday or anniversary on our monthly list that is because it is not in the data base. If you could please fill your information out below and put it in the offering basket or you can e-mail it to toldarbyicc@sbcglobal.net.

Name _____ Phone # _____

Address _____ E-mail _____

Birthday _____ Anniversary _____

Diocese of Toledo Prayer for Vocations

Almighty God, make me an instrument to encourage others to give of themselves and challenge me to do the same. Inspire men and women to respond generously to your call to service and leadership in your church as priests, consecrated religious and deacons. Amen
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