# The Immaculate Conception Church of Darby



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

Dear People of God,

Someone asked me the other day what happened to the Anointing of the Sick which in the good old days nobody wanted to receive. For those too young to know the history of the Anointing, it was at one time called Extreme *Unction* and the *extreme* meant at the time of death. For some reasons not entirely understood, in the Middle Ages many of the sacraments were rarely celebrated by the lay faithful. Oh, sure, people went to Mass but they merely "heard" the prayers and did not assist or receive communion, a fact which required the Church to issue one of the precepts of the Church: You must receive communion at least once a year, during the Easter Season. There was a false notion that people were unworthy of the sacraments; many even held off on Baptism until they were close to death, at least until some plague or another swept through the countryside and people decided they better baptize babies just to be safe. Of course, to an extent people were right: none of us is worthy which is why we say aloud just before Communion, "Lord, I am not worthy, but only say the word." We trust that God hears us and answers us so that we are made worthy for the reception of any of the seven sacraments. However, back to the anointing. People really thought that their sins made them somehow untouchable by the love of God and that extended right down to the last moments of life. In actuality, the Anointing can be found in a couple of scriptures, notably the gospel of Mark and the Letter of James: If there be any sick among you, bring them to the elders of the Church so that they may lay hands on them. Note that the operating term here is sick, not dying. There's no suggestion that anyone in the community is not capable of receiving this sacrament. However, over the last several hundred years people came to think of anointing as a last minute blessing intended to get us through death and into the Kingdom. This may be because the sacrament is considered one which imparts the forgiveness of God for our sins, one of the two penitential sacraments. All of that unworthiness business changed during the Second Vatican Council when the bishops began to teach in a much more open way that the sacraments are meant to be celebrated, not delayed. Anointing of the Sick is, therefore, a celebration of God's love and of his healing power. It's intended for any serious sickness of the body, mind and soul and seeks the "recovery of health if it would be conducive to salvation" [Catechism, 1512]. That means that when someone celebrates the sacrament. the work of God being accomplished may not be easily visible and may not directly affect the specific illness which led us to the anointing; rather God provides an immediate help toward our salvation, because none of us should avoid help to our salvation, the use of Anointing has greatly increased.







## 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 can be found 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 Sat. Env. Sat Loose Sun. Env. Sun. Loose	\$ 2,700.00 \$ 494.00 \$ 703.00 \$ 950.00 \$1,213.00	\$ 54,000.00 \$ 12,274.00 \$ 6,834.12 \$ 21,031.00 \$ 4,926.93 \$ 45,066.05	
Actual Over/(Under)	\$ 3,362.00 \$ (662.00)	\$ (8,933.95)	
Preservation General Fund Candles	\$ 1,000.00 \$ 25.00 \$ 12.00	\$ 4,000.00 \$ 920.25 \$ 250.16	
Christmas Env. Christmas Loose	\$ \$	\$ 120.00 \$	
	Thank	You!	

# CALENDAR December 15-23, 2018

Sat. 4:00 pm Immaculate Conception Anointing Mass
Msgr. Chris/D. Dave
Intention: Theresa Cortez

Sun. 10:00 am Historic St. Patrick Anointing Mass
Fr. Rudi

11:00 am Immaculate Conception Anointing Mass
Msgr. Chris
Intention: Canuto & Simona Sanchez

Tues 9:10 am Immaculate Conception Weekday Mass

**Tues.** 9:10 am Immaculate Conception Weekday Mass Msgr. Chris Wed. 5:30 pm Historic St. Patrick Mass 6:30 pm Historic St. Patrick Bible Study 6:30 pm Queen of Apostles Christmas Play at Church Sat. 4:00 pm Immaculate Conception Mass/Msgr. Chris **Intention: Dick Schrader** Sun. 9:30 am Historic St. Patrick Rosary 10:00 am Historic St. Patrick Mass Msgr. Chris/D. Dave 11:00 am Immaculate Conception 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 we will scan them and get the original back to you.



# WELCOME TO IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH

**"THE DARBY"** 



# MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR IMMACULATE CONCEPTION UPCOMING EVENTS

# <u>2018</u>

Wed. Dec. 19 6:30 pm Q of A Christmas Play

Mon. Dec. 24 4:00 pm Children's Mass

Dec. 24 Midnight Mass

Tues. Dec. 25 9:00 am Christmas Day Mass/HO

## 2019

Tues. Jan. 01 10:00 am New Years Day Mass/HO **Thurs. Mar. 07 6:30 pm Reverse Raffle** 

Thurs. May 16 The Legacy Gathering begins

**HO/Holy Day of Obligation** 



# Pray For Those Serving Our Country

Capt. Joseph Andrew Garcia, Marines

Capt. Brian Wood, Army

STGSN Joshua J. Teneyck

St. Sgt. Tom, Army

Sgt. 1st Class Chuck Hindbaugh, Army

Capt. Jeremy A. Schiel, Army

Capt. Ryan A Schiel, Army

PFC. Celia Malagon, Army

SGT. Acea Hindbaugh, Army

SN Trevor Smith, Navy

PFC Monique Losoya, Army



#### Minister/Lector Schedule



#### December 15/16 Third Sunday of Advent

1st Reading:	Zephaniah 3:14-18 Saturday: Nancy Farber Sunday: Judy Place	
2nd Reading:	Philippians 4:4-7 Saturday: Nancy Farber Sunday: Joyce Scarbrough	
Eucharistic Ministers Second Station	Saturday: Mary Jo Pilcher Mary Jo Robinson Sunday: Marie Irons, Barb Marquis Fred & Kelley Mahaney	
Servers	Tony, Augustine, Carmen, Nathan, Jacob	
Children's Liturgy	Judy Westmeyer	

#### December 22/23 Fourth Sunday of Advent

1st Reading:	Micah 5:1-4a Saturday: David Tighe Sunday: Mike Young	
2nd Reading:	Hebrews 10:5-10 Saturday: David Tighe Sunday: Fred Vallejo	
Eucharistic Ministers	Saturday: Becky Crabtree Georgeanne O'Connell Sunday: Janet Hickey, Lindar Garcia Cathy Carroll, Sierra Parra	
Servers	Shawn, Haileigh, Guadalupe, Daniel, Cynthia	
Children's Liturgy	Sierra Parra	

Together Let Us Pray Levi Hindbaugh, Charles Irons, Capt. Joseph Andrew Garcia, USMC, Ernie Tagle, Joyce Mason, Monique Losoya, Aurora Gonzalez, Jan Schiel, Lucia Perales, Tom Wagner, Francisco Villagomez, Janet Madigan, John Miller, Joyce, Rita, Jill Scabrough, Hank Koepfer, Elaine Wojciechowski, Fred Garcia Sr., John Garcia, Terry Byersmith, Emily Westmeyer, Jim & Pam Clark, Vanessa Salas, Anna Rose Dunn, Andy Veliquette, Steven Anderson, Mary Jane Anderson, Bill Kistner, Sr. Patricia Snyder, SND, Brigit Carranza, Shawn Meagher, Loretta Schrader, Sharon Steele, Bobby & Maria Ochoa, Winters Family, Tony & Kay Westmeyer, Mary Springer, San Juanita Castro, Rodger & Monica Blaylock, Doris Margaret Widmer, Sue Meadows, Kathy Woolridge, Dimond, Connie, Victoria, Joe & Billy Fonseca, Daniel & Glenda Olejniczak, Donna Harper, Lupe Contreras, Jim Laberdee, Patty Westmeyer, Joe Marquis, Lyndsay Crofts & Family, Dan Gonzales, Gary Miller, Tyela Lake, Vicki Fry, Denise Fashbaugh, O'Connell Family, Kay McHugh, Georgeanne McHugh Hobson, Jean O'Boyle Voegeli, Eileen O'Boyle, Joan Ruby, Bill Wagenfeald, Joe & Pat Daly, Wayne Johnson, Jim Honse, Evan Wilson Bonds, Pamela Wilson-Adams



## IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH **ANNOUNCEMENTS**



# HAPPY BIRTHDAY

- 12/13 Estelle Rosales
- 12/14 Pat Winter
- 12/14 Lianna Carrington
- 12/15 Nicole Magana
- 12/16 Zenaida Cannon
- 12/17 Mike Young
- 12/17 Candy Fisher
- 12/18 Connie Strabley
- 12/19 Mike Hollister
- 12/19 Gabriel Calderon
- 12/20 Chuck Irons
- 12/21 Loretta Schrader
- 12/22 Robert Mendoza





The office will be closed Monday December 24 thru January 1.

Don't forget to keep a copy of the Holiday Mass schedule on the last page of the bulletin There will also be a message on the phone if you need to call and check the Holiday schedule.

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

## Sanctuary Lamp

Dec. 16 (available)

Dec. 22 Fr. Paul Kwiatkowski

Dec. 30 (available) Jan. 07 (available)



#### Altar Flowers

Dec. 16 (available) Dec. 23 (available)

Dec. 30 (available)

Jan. 07 (available)



**HELP!** On Sunday, Dec. 23<sup>rd</sup>, we will be decorating for Christmas here in church! There are many small things, and some big, that need to be done to make our church the beautiful place we love to share with our families over the holidays! Can you help? One of the bigger...really bigger...challenges, is the large tree we like to place in the sanctuary! Is there someone who's not afraid of climbing high? Someone who has patience to play with those Christmas lights? See Mary Jo or call Barb in the parish office if you can lend a hand! (lots of other smaller things to do to, so don't be bashful!)

> **Anointing Mass** this Weekend December 15/16

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



# IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH & OTHER COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS





For donation drop off only

Tuesdays 10:00 am -1:00 pm

**Pantry Hours** 

Wednesdays 10:00 am—1:00 pm

For any questions or information Please call the Outreach Center @ 419-243-1819

OUTREACH Families served LAST WEEK

YTD 808

**THANK YOU!** 

# The Giving Tree

Many thanks to all who took tags off of our Giving Tree! All were adopted, and more were requested! You are most generous! If you did not bring your gift back this weekend, (due date) contact Maria at Outreach to make arrangements so no family is left out! Please bring your tag back with the gift so Maria knows who the gifts go to. Thank You!

Also, contact Maria if you know of a family that may need food for Christmas dinner. The Outreach group may be able to work their magic so no family is without!

Thank You for all you do for the Outreach.
You are very much appreciated.
Outreach is not accepting any clothing for the next couple of weeks do to a storage issue.



It was good to see all who were able to attend Homecoming! Many "old" faces, and many current parish families were able to attend! Thanks to all who brought goodies to share! If you left a plate or dish, and would like it back, it will be in the hospitality area on the table!

## Legacy Campaign

Take a look at the fabulous posters engineered by Cathy Carroll, and executed by Joe Pinciotti, to show our parish past, present and future! The future of our parish depends upon all of us, and our Legacy families...those who have gone before and still care! More information to follow after the first of the year! Thanks, Cathy, for taking on leadership of this endeavor!

**Envelope Boxes** are available for pick up this weekend, Saturday, December 15 and Sunday, December 16. Don't forget to get yours. They will be back in the vestibule on the table. If you do not see one call the parish office @419-243-1829

**Calendars are also available** this weekend. Please only take one per family so everyone has a chance to get one. If there are any left then you may take another. Thank you.

Please have your Christmas Flower envelopes in by this Sunday December 16 if you want your loved one on the Memory/ Honor list.

If you forgot it just call Barb in the parish office Mon.– Fri. 9am-2pm.

**Thanks** 



# Holiday Schedule

# Monday

December 24 Christmas Eve @ IC 4:00 pm Children's Mass Msgr. Chris/Deacon Dave

December 24 Christmas Eve @ HSP 6:00 pm Children's Mass Fr. Rudi/Deacon Tom

December 24 Christmas Eve @ HSP Midnight Mass Msgr. Chris/Deacon Dave

December 24 Christmas Eve @ IC Midnight Mass Fr. Rudi/Deacon Tom

# Tuesday

December 25 Christmas Day @ IC 9:00 am Mass Msgr. Chris/Deacon Dave

December 25 Christmas Day @ HSP 10:00 am Mass Fr. Rudi/Deacon Tom

# Monday

December 31 Vigil Mass @ HSP 5:30 p.m. Mass Msgr. Chris/Deacon Dave

# Tuesday

January 1 New Year's Mass @ IC 10:00 a.m. Mass Fr. Rudi/Deacon Tom

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#### 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 www.toledovocations.com



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