



FEAST OF THE
Holy Family

The Immaculate Conception Church of Darby



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

Immaculate Conception Outreach

Director: Maria Ochoa
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ALL ARE WELCOME! A MEMBER OF BLESSED TERESA OF CALCUTTA DEANERY

FIESTA DE LA Sagrada Familia

Dear People of God,

A couple weeks ago I mentioned that the Anointing of the Sick is one of the two penitential sacraments among the seven instituted by Jesus. The other is Reconciliation. Although Advent is not particularly a Penitential Season [it's a time for prayer-filled watchfulness for the Coming of the Christ], many parishes will offer a chance for the community to gather and celebrate Reconciliation, either in a special service with the proclamation of appropriate scriptures and time for an examination of conscience, or, as we do here following the sage advice of St. John Paul II, during the celebration of a significant Mass. Like Communion, Reconciliation is a sacrament that can be celebrated repeatedly so that its effectiveness can be renewed and strengthened by adding to the graces we receive when we make use of the sacrament. It exists for the truly grave sins which destroy relationships, what used to be called mortal sins since they spiritually (and perhaps even physically) killed the connections between the sinner and those affected by the sin (friends, family, strangers, community, God). By the grace of God and our penances, those connections are restored and we are made whole again. Sacramental Reconciliation must be sought by anyone who knows (s)he committed a grave sin, and that can be at any time. However, using the sacrament is required during the Easter Season [Ash Wednesday through Pentecost Sunday] so that the grave sinner can be absolved and spiritually reconnected to other members of the Body of Christ during that most holy season when we recall the saving events of the Cross and Resurrection. However, like Anointing, Reconciliation isn't just for the moment of death (real or spiritual), but can be used as a remedy for lesser sinfulness. If you pay attention to your sins, you'll likely notice that they're bad habits we commit time after time, and we all know that habits are difficult to break. Habits need constant reminders that they've taken over our lives, constant effort to address them, and a lot of energy before we can claim success. Reconciliation provides all of those in one session: The examination of conscience reveals the habits, the words of comfort of the priest provide the immediate means of addressing them, and the words of absolution are the energy which, coupled to our firm purpose of amendment, lead us to slowly but surely conquer the sinful habit. That means that we may have to make use of the medicinal properties of Reconciliation many times before we break the habit, but we eventually do, and again, thinking of the sins of our youth should remind us that those bad habits we brought to the confessional have gone away; perhaps some new ones have taken their place requiring a few more visits to that same confessional to break those new bad habits. Sin is a constant in our lives and Reconciliation is God's way of letting us know he's always there to return us to the straight and narrow.

Msgr. Chris



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**

	<u>LAST WEEK</u>	<u>YEAR TO DATE</u>
Goal	\$ 2,700.00	\$ 56,700.00
Sat. Env.	\$	\$ 12,274.00
Sat Loose	\$	\$ 6,834.12
Sun. Env.	\$	\$ 21,031.00
Sun. Loose	\$	\$ 4,926.93
Actual	\$	\$
Over/(Under)	\$ ()	\$ ()
Preservation	\$	\$ 4,000.00
General Fund	\$	\$ 1,020.25
Candles	\$	\$ 253.16
Christmas Env.	\$	\$ 192.00
Christmas Loose	\$	\$

Thank You!

**CALENDAR
December 29, 2018—January 6, 2019**

Sat. 4:00 pm Immaculate Conception Mass Msgr. Chris
Intention: **Rose O'Leary**

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

11:00 am Immaculate Conception Mass/Msgr. Chris
Intention: **Theodore Dominguez**

Mon. 5:30 pm Vigil Mass Msgr. Chris/D. Dave

Tues. 10:00 am Fr. Rudi/D. Tom

Sat. 4:00 pm Immaculate Conception Mass/Msgr. Chris
Intention: **Frank Manning**

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

11:00 am Immaculate Conception Mass
Fr. Rudi,/D. Tom
Intention: **Rose O'Leary**

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"



Minister/Lector Schedule



December 29/30
The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph

1st Reading:	1 Samuel 1:20-22, 24-28 Saturday: Nancy Farber Sunday: Joyce Scarbrough
2nd Reading:	1 John 3:1-2, 21-24 Saturday: Nancy Farber Sunday: Larry Widmer
Eucharistic Ministers	Saturday: Becky Crabtree John Madigan Sunday: Linda Garcia, Doug Grey Sierra & Haileigh Parra
Servers	Tony, Augustine, Carmen, Nathan, Jacob
Children's Liturgy	

January 1, 2019
Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God

1st Reading:	Numbers 6:22-27 John Madigan
2nd Reading:	Galatians 4:4-7 John Madigan
Eucharistic Ministers	Tom & Louann Meagher

End of Year Statements

If you would like a statement of your 2018 church contributions for tax purposes. Please call the parish office (419-243-1829) We will print and mail out your statement by the end of January. If you have any questions or discrepancies after reviewing your statement, please call the parish office so we can correct any issues in a timely matter.

January 5/6
The Epiphany of the Lord

1st Reading:	Isaiah 60:1-6 Saturday: David Tighe Sunday: Bill Carroll
2nd Reading:	Ephesians 3:2-3a, 5-6 Saturday: David Tiche Sunday: Janet Hickey
Eucharistic Ministers	Saturday: Becky Crabtree John Madigan Sunday: Joyce Scarbrough, Barb Marquis Tom & Louann Meagher
Servers	Shawn, Haileigh, Guadalupe, Daniel, Cynthia
Children's Liturgy	

**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.

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



IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

12/30 Emma Billman
01/03 Nancy Farber
01/02 Mike Hollister
01/03 Robert Gregory
01/04 Mary Mantey
01/05 Felicia Ruiz



Sanctuary Lamp

Dec. 30 (available)
Jan. 06 (available)
Jan. 13 (available)
Jan. 20 (available)



Altar Flowers

Dec. 30 (available)
Jan. 06 (available)
Jan. 13 (available)
Jan. 20 (available)



MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR IMMACULATE CONCEPTION UPCOMING EVENTS

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

Congratulations to Shawn Parra a parishioner here at IC for graduating and receiving his bachelor's degrees in criminal justice and sociology from Lourdes College.


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



Parish Directories

In answer to the questions about the new parish directory: we had a slight delay in submitting it, but it should be available soon. There were a few corrections to make. They will be shipped to the parish, and anyone who submitted or had a picture taken will get one. There should be some extras for those parishioners who would like a copy, even though no picture was submitted for the directory! We'll keep you posted!

 **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 Laberde, 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, Sharon, Gary & Family, Frank Martinez, Andrea Davilla, Joselle Huebner, Neal Family, D. R. Hernandez, Lloyd Bowman, Jeff Monroe



**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**

<u>OUTREACH</u>	<u>LAST WEEK</u>	<u>YTD</u>
Families served	55	863

THANK YOU!

**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.**

Snow Emergency

Whenever a county/city within the Diocese of Toledo is placed under a Level 3 Snow Emergency during which all roadways are closed to non-emergency personnel, the Catholic Churches within that geographic region will cancel the scheduled Saturday Vigil, Sunday, or Holy Day Masses. Roman Catholics in that region, therefore, are dispensed from the obligation to attend Mass. If Masses are cancelled, Catholics are encouraged to participate in Holy Mass via television, radio or internet, making a spiritual Communion. When Mass is cancelled, all other diocesan, parish, or school events in the geographic area are also cancelled.

Don't forget your envelopes and calendars! Still quite a few envelope boxes left, so if you see one that belongs to a neighbor, or someone sitting in church, please help us out by being the messenger!

The only items brought to Homecoming that seem to be missing are a deviled egg platter (a small one was here, but the missing one is larger) and a container with a green plastic lid. If you found it, you can put it on the table at Hospitality! And thanks again for all you shared!

There will be hospitality on this Sunday, Dec. 30th, but our "Little Christmas" party may be delayed! More information will follow!



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419-242-1144

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

Mon., 10 am Exercise class,

Wed., & Fri. 9:30 am Beginners Spanish Class,

10:30 am Advanced Spanish Class,

Tues. & Thurs. 1pm Mexican Bingo,

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)



Is it time for you to re-enroll in the Kroger Community rewards program? Check the bottom of your sales receipt to see if it still states that Immaculate Conception is your chosen recipient! If there is nothing indicated, it may be time to re-enroll!

**Parish/family members may re-enroll at www.krogercommunityrewards.com
Select Immaculate Conception or VK979
Rewards money will go to Outreach**

Thanks to all who are already involved.

If you need help registering call the parish office after January 2, 2019 and we will be happy to help you register your card.

Immaculate Conception

Finance/Facilities

Committees

Bill Carroll

Mike Young

Fred Mahaney

Tom Meagher

Joe Westmeyer

John Madigan

Bill Carroll

Parish Council

Linda Garcia

Maria Ochoa

John Madigan

Fred Mahaney (Fin. Rep)

Judy Westmeyer

Mary Jo Pilcher

Louann Meagher

Barb Marquis

Fred Vallejo

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, Janet Hickey, Judy Place

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.

American Table Family Restaurant

3026 Glendale Ave

Please continue to patronize American Table Family restaurant. For every original receipt turned in, American Table will give back 10% to Immaculate Conception. You can drop them off at the parish office or put them in the collection basket.

Credit card and senior discount receipts are not accepted

Thank You
for participating!

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 toldarbyicc73@aol.com

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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