

# THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

The water I shall give will  
become in him a spring of water  
welling up to eternal life.

John 4:14

## 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

### **Immaculate Conception Outreach**

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

Dear People of God,

This Tuesday the world celebrates St. Patrick, patron of Ireland and all the Irish and Irish-at-heart. For many it has become an opportunity to dye streets, rivers, and beer emerald green, to march in colorful parades and to visit the closest pub. However, there's more to St. Patrick than a pint of the barkeep's finest.

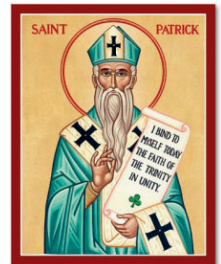
Although born to a well-to-do family in Wales, Patrick was kidnapped, became a slave, and from that point on until his death, he lived on the edge of poverty. His fame all across Ireland might have led to numerous honors and riches, but he disdained all of that so that he could, as Pope Francis has urged us in the modern era, be one with the poorest of the poor.

Immaculate Conception was established sometime between 1864 and 1865 as a mission chapel of nearby St. Patrick's (although back then the mile's distance was through a swamp and across the Ottawa River). The mission was established through the patronage of the Irish parish when her founder, Edward Anthony Hannin, grew up, was baptized, and attended the Catholic school. Although founded as an Irish national parish, today Immaculate Conception Is a diverse community of families who continue to offer praise, adoration and worship to the loving God Patrick proclaimed 1500 years ago.

In many ways Immaculate Conception emulates the life style of St. Patrick; over the years she has more often than not struggled financially to keep on keeping on. We should be proud of our heritage, proud of our persistence, proud of our diversity, and proud of our faith. One way to show our thanks to God is to actively invite others to join our faith community and to take the pilgrim path to heaven with us. It's not just an opportunity to bring about growth; it's an obligation of our baptismal ministry.

I hope everyone with a computer, tablet, smart phone or television has taken advantage of the free access to Formed. You can find a wide variety of resources both audio and video and even programming for your children and grandchildren. It's always there to help you grow in wisdom, grace, and knowledge. If you haven't yet given it a try, please do so; you'll find it entertaining and enlightening. You can find the access code in any recent bulletin. St. Patrick is a well-known cultural figure who could be a good choice for your first use of the Formed offerings.

*Meg. 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](http://www.iccatdarby.org)

**STEWARDSHIP REPORT  
July 1, 2019-June 30, 2020**

	<u>LAST WEEK</u>	<u>YEAR TO DATE</u>
Goal	\$ 2,700.00	\$ 97,200.00
Sat. Env.	\$ 584.00	\$ 22,093.00
Sat. Loose	\$ 198.00	\$ 12,359.13
Sun. Env.	\$ 1,154.00	\$ 36,371.67
Sun. Loose	\$ 520.00	\$ 13,452.32
Actual	\$ 2,456.00	\$ 84,276.12
Over/(Under)	\$ (244.00)	\$(12,923.88)
Preservation	\$	\$ 8,000.00
General Fund	\$ 41.00	\$ 1,137.00
Candles	\$ 3.00	\$ 725.68

**CALENDAR  
March 14-22, 2020**

<b>Sat.</b>	3:30 pm	Immaculate Conception Confessions
	4:00 pm	Immaculate Conception Mass Fr. Oedy/D.Dave
		<b>Intention: Frank Geiner</b>
<b>Sun.</b>	9:30 am	Historic St. Patrick Confessions
	10:00 am	Historic St. Patrick Mass Fr. Rooney/D. Tom
	10:30 am	Immaculate Conception Confessions
	11:00 am	Immaculate Conception Mass Fr. Gorman
		<b>Intention: Irene Waclawski (r)</b> Finance Meeting after Mass
<b>Tues.</b>	9:10 am	Immaculate Conception Weekday Mass
	5:30 pm	St. Patrick's Weekday Mass

<b>Thurs.</b>	6:30 pm	Parish Council Meeting
<b>Fri.</b>	12:00 pm	HSP Stations of the Cross /D. Dave
	12:15 pm	IC light lunch and Bible Study
	2:00 pm	Stations of the Cross/ D.Tom
<b>Sat.</b>	3:30 pm	Immaculate Conception Confessions
	4:00 pm	Immaculate Conception Anointing Mass Msgr. Chris
		<b>Intention: Peter Reilly (r)</b>
<b>Sun.</b>	9:30 am	Historic St. Patrick Confessions
	10:00 am	Historic St. Patrick Anointing Mass Fr. Rudi/D. Tom
	10:30 am	Immaculate Conception Confessions
	11:00 am	Immaculate Conception Anointing Mass Msgr. Chris/D. Dave
		<b>Intention: Simona Sanchez (r)</b>

**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 \_\_\_\_\_

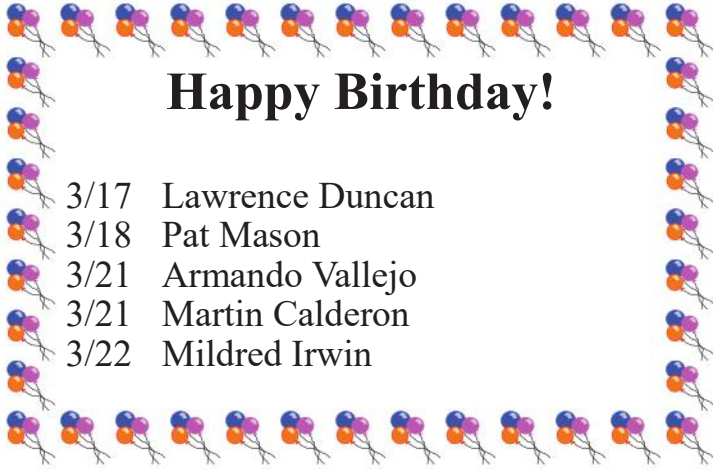
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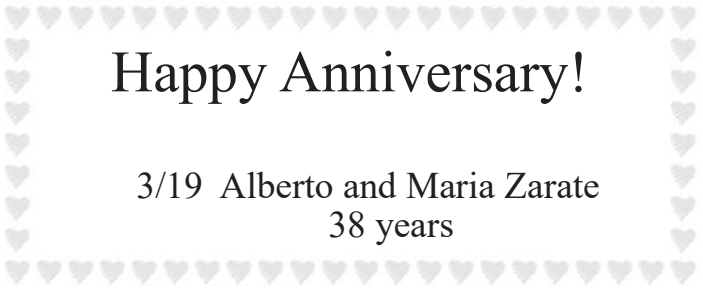
**WELCOME TO IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH**  
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## Happy Birthday!

- 3/17 Lawrence Duncan
- 3/18 Pat Mason
- 3/21 Armando Vallejo
- 3/21 Martin Calderon
- 3/22 Mildred Irwin

**Anointing Mass**  
**March 14 and 15**



## Happy Anniversary!

3/19 Alberto and Maria Zarate  
 38 years

Continue to pray for our parish kids who are preparing for sacraments! Our two young men will be confirmed on Saturday, Mar. 28<sup>th</sup>, and our other kids will be making First Communion in May. We pray that their faith will continue to grow!

### Minister/Lector Schedule

March 14-15, 2020  
 Third Sunday of Lent

<b>1st Reading:</b>	<b><u>Exodus 17:3-7</u></b> Saturday: Nancy Farber Sunday: Mike Young
<b>2nd Reading:</b>	<b><u>Romans 5:1-2, 5-8</u></b> Saturday: Nancy Farber Sunday: Judy Place
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Saturday: Dan Streeter Becky Crabtree  Sunday: Fred Mahaney, Kelley Mahaney Doug Grey, Barb Marquis
<b>Servers</b>	
<b>Children's Liturgy</b>	Cathy Carroll

March 21-22, 2020  
 Fourth Sunday of Lent

<b>1st Reading:</b>	<b><u>1 Sm 16:6-7, 10-13a</u></b> Saturday: Mary Hinson Sunday: Bill Carroll
<b>2nd Reading:</b>	<b><u>Eph 5:8-14</u></b> Saturday: Mary Hinson Sunday: Armando Vallejo
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Saturday: Jeff Streeter Georgeanne O'Connell  Sunday: Emily Young, Cathy Carroll Marie Irons, Joyce Scarbrough
<b>Servers</b>	
<b>Children's Liturgy</b>	Sierra Parra

We continue to update/add to our parish data base. Even if you think we have your correct information, please fill out the information below and put it in the offering basket or you can e-mail it to Amy at [toldarbyicc73@aol.com](mailto:toldarbyicc73@aol.com)

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

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Birthday \_\_\_\_\_ Anniversary \_\_\_\_\_



# IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS



## OUTREACH CENTER

**For donation drop off only**

**Tuesdays 10:00 am -1:00 pm**

## Pantry

**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>
<b>Families served</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>1586</b>

## Pray For Those Serving Our Country

- Capt. Joseph Andrew Garcia, Marines
- Capt. Brian Wood, Army
- STGSN Joshua J. Teneyck
- St. Sgt. Tom, Army
- M SGT Chuck Hindbaugh, Army
- Major Jeremy A. Schiel, Army
- Major Ryan A Schiel, Army
- SGT. Acea Hindbaugh, Army
- SN Trevor Smith, Navy
- SGT Monique Losoya, Army
- PRVT Elijah Hindbaugh, Army



## Sanctuary Lamp

- March 15 (available)
- March 22 (available)
- March 29 (available)
- April 5 (available)



Outreach is preparing 40 Easter baskets for their clients. They have the baskets but need donations of candy, grass, and cellophane to wrap. They would like donations by April 5. Thank you for your continued generosity!

We also need plastic eggs and candy for our egg hunt here at church on Easter morning! Thanks to Fernanda Gonzalez and family for helping with this fun event!

Thanks to all who worked so hard to make our Reverse Raffle so successful! And thanks to our parish family who donated items, wine, goods for the baskets. You are the best! Results of the income will come at a later time when all the bills are in.

## Together Let Us Pray

Levi Hindbaugh, Joyce Mason, Jan Schiel, Francisco Villagomez, Janet Madigan, Elaine Wojciechowski, Fred Garcia Sr., John Garcia, Terry Byersmith, Anna Rose Dunn, Mary Jane Anderson, Bill Kistner, Loretta Schrader, Winters Family, Tony & Kay Westmeyer, Patty Westmeyer, Kay McHugh, Georgeanne Hobson, Jean Voegeli, John Markland and family, Joselle Huebner, Denny Garvin,, Mary Trinidad, Kimberly Place, Ron Garcia & Family, Ray Garcia & Family, Louie Laberde, James Laberde, Connie Sabo, Jim and Mary Zwart, Josephine and Jerald Chesser, Dale and Ann Headley, Gloria Martinez, Charlene Laberde, Andre Trevino, Joseph Extejt, Robert Ochoa, Vanessa Losoya, Irene and Anthony Gonzalez, Casey and Mary Jones, Blaylock family, Sandy Schumann, Devyn Hinson, Mason and Berry family, Connie Fonseca, Gonzalez and Garcia family, Jane and Julie Wheelock, Pam Clark, Ryan Williams, Paul D Zink, The Keith Family, The Moore Family, Eric Stallkamp, Tom Wagner, Michael Simmons, Sharon Vincent, Juan Oresco, Jr., Leon Hollowell, David Laub, Jason Miller, Domingo Calderon, Sr. Patricia Snyder, Dave Vrooman, Sharon Steele, Drew Kulczak, Mick Kulczak, Josh Rowe, Msgr. Chris, Rebecca Squire, Terry and Susan Barthelow, Irene Miller, Tony Silva, Terry Mcghee, Jose Lucio, Bob Geiner, Hellen Boggs, Juan Leets and family, Judy Place, Tom Meagher, Ron Kazmarek, Lisa and Antonio Elizondo, Yesenia Gastelum, Donna Haymer, Lupe Contreras, Donna Haynes, Nane Fonseca, Olivia Hernandez, Alexandria Sepeda, Emilio Herrera, Georgeanne O'Connell, Teri Wagner, John Pina, Kevin Burkhardt, Carolyn McGrain, Deacon Tom Carone, Deacon Dave Smith



Congratulations to our sister parish, Historic St. Patrick's, as they celebrate their patronal feast this weekend!

Our prayers go out to the families of those who perished, are still missing, or injured, and those displaced or homeless after a string of deadly tornados swept through Nashville, Tennessee. As in past disasters, Catholic Charities Diocese of Toledo is collecting and distributing donations, dollar for dollar, to help these tornado survivors. Donate and designate your gift for **Nashville Tornado Relief** on our secure website: [www.catholiccharitiesnwo.org/donate](http://www.catholiccharitiesnwo.org/donate). Checks should be made out to Catholic Charities Diocese of Toledo, with a **Nashville Tornado Relief** designation and sent to Catholic Charities Diocese of Toledo, 1933 Spielbusch Ave., Toledo, OH 43604. Your financial support will help with long-term recovery efforts, including needed pastoral care and support, and direct assistance to people unable to get insurance coverage or government support. Thank you for generously helping those in need! Please contact Rebecca Owens, Catholic Charities Regional Director and Disaster Relief Coordinator, at 419-524-0733, x225, or at [rowens@toledodiocese.org](mailto:rowens@toledodiocese.org), if you have questions.

**NASHVILLE**

Gesu Church in Toledo continues to celebrate 100 years of Faith and Family with a TRIVIA NIGHT on Saturday, March 28 from 7:00 PM - 10:00 PM. Proceeds go to Mom's House and Helping Hands of St. Louis. All are invited to this fun evening.

**Immaculate Conception**


<p><b>Finance/Facilities Committees</b>          Bill Carroll          Mike Young          Fred Mahaney          Tom Meagher          John Madigan</p>	<p><b>Parish Council</b>          Linda Garcia          Maria Ochoa          John Madigan          Fred Mahaney (Fin. Rep)          Judy Westmeyer          Mary Jo Pilcher          Louann Meagher          Barb Marquis          Fred Vallejo          Shawn Parra</p>
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**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 Phillips, Sierra Parra  
**Veteran's Ministry:** Linda Garcia

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+ Friday lunch and study group continues through Lent. Stations of the Cross will be at 2PM on these Fridays! +



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Due to the potential spreading of Corona-virus/COVID-19 and influenza, the Diocese of Toledo strongly encourages initiating the following procedures until further notice.

\*Everyone should be strongly encouraged to remain at home when seriously ill. In this instance, the faithful should be encouraged to view or listen to a broadcast of Mass and to make a spiritual communion.

\*The invitation to the sign of peace, although a regular part of our liturgical practice, is always an option. Priest celebrants and deacons are strongly encouraged to exercise the option, provided in the Roman Missal, not to extend the invitation, "Let us offer each other the sign of peace".

\*Priest celebrants are strongly encouraged to exercise the option, provided in the Roman Missal, to refrain from the distribution of the Precious Blood to the faithful and to distribute Holy Communion under one species (the Sacred Host).

\*Kindly note that the faithful should be strongly discouraged from holding hands during the Lord's Prayer, a gesture that is not prescribed in the Roman Missal.

**Handwashing is the most effective way to prevent the spreading of germs.**



## Hunger in Our World

Meet Yvone from Kenya. She learned proper nutrition and hygiene practices to help keep her healthy and in school. Yvone now has a chance to dream and the strength to follow those dreams. How can you ensure that young people in your community receive proper nutrition? Visit [crsricebowl.org](http://crsricebowl.org) for more.

The Sylvania Franciscans will offer a retreat, "The Cross of Christ" directed by Father Marty Nassr on Saturday, March 28, from 10 am – 4 pm. Father Nassr will examine contemporary spiritual leaders, and writings from St. Thomas Aquinas and from Galatians 6:14.

The retreat will take place at Regina Conference Room on the Sylvania Franciscan campus and will include lunch and liturgy at 4 pm. Cost is \$45. Those interested may contact Sister Joan Jurski at 419-824-3528 or [jjurski@sistersosf.org](mailto:jjurski@sistersosf.org)



*May your blessings outnumber  
The shamrocks that grow,  
And may trouble avoid you  
Wherever you go.*

*Happy  
St. Patrick's Day*

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