



3rd Sunday of Easter

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,

The Easter Season, a time when we acknowledged signs of the eternal spring promised by Jesus in his own Resurrection, concluded with last Sunday's Easter octave. It was a time of great joy in anticipation of both the final resurrection in the end times and also of the "resurrection" we're all looking forward to when the current pandemic passes and we can rise from the confines of our homes and get out to enjoy the world around us: the world of work, play, entertainment, and all the things we've foregone over these past few weeks.

As I reflect on the pandemic and the reaction of many to it, I am reminded of my childhood. My folks were inveterate readers and wanted all seven of us little Vaskos to read. They taught us early so that by the time I was in fourth or fifth grade, I had gone through most of the entire fiction collection of my Dad's. Among my favorite was Edgar Rice Burroughs' series about Tarzan - not the silly cartoon versions popular today, but the complex British prose of the early 20th Century. A line he used in every novel comes to mind today. It went something like this: "The thin veneer of civilization is quickly stripped aside." At the end of the Palm Sunday Mass, I had mentioned some of the occasions when this has happened historically and recently. The parish here was established by Irish immigrants who faced persecution, hatred, and ill-treatment both in Ireland and once they arrived in the United States. The Paddy Wagon is a harsh reminder of those days when the thin veneer of civilization was stripped away from otherwise good Americans. Poles, Hungarians, Hispanics, and Asians have all faced similar moments when the thin veneer of civilization was stripped aside right here in the United States. Following 9/11 the Islamic community found out how thin that veneer can be and in recent days the Jewish community has seen brutal attacks and fire bombings of their places of worship.

The pandemic has also led some to strip away the veneer, leading to ill-treatment of Asians, health care workers who have been exposed to the Corona virus, and even those who have recovered from the disease. Such intolerance and the invective that goes with it is intolerable; even if only one person is doing it, this behavior has no place in our so-called "melting pot." Putting up with it or shying away from addressing it can be dangerous - the good people of Germany and Russia looked the other way when anti-Semitism became vogue and that "blindness" allowed the deaths of millions. Doing nothing when the thin veneer begins to fray leads to horrible consequences as we read in the discovery of upwards of 30,000 bodies buried in a dam in Rwanda.

The dignity of every human being, made in the image and likeness of our creator God, should energize every one of us to stand up to such abuse when we see it or hear it. Anything less cheapens the wonder of the season of life and renewal which we annually celebrate at Easter time. In that season we are called upon to build into our very being the same compassion and love God shows us. May that compassion and love guide us through every season.

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

Your generous giving is now more important than ever. As we are no longer able to gather and offer our gifts at Mass, we will need to rely on donations to continue to support our parish during this time. If you are able, we are asking that you prayerfully consider making an online donation in place of the usual collection taken up at Mass. Your gift will help cover the costs of salaries, payroll taxes and benefits, utilities, and maintenance for parish operations. To donate, please go to our parish website: iccatdarby.org Please note that even though it says legacy initiative, there is a comment box where you can designate your contribution as an offertory collection. You can also continue to mail checks to the parish office.

Prayer for Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.



We continue to recognize and celebrate special occasions...like birthdays! Fr. Rudi will be celebrating his birthday on May 4th, and while we won't see him, it would be great for you to send a card to him. His address is: Fr. Rudi Schwarzkopf, 2323 Bancroft St. Toledo, OH 43607.



Happy Anniversary

5/1 Jose and Angela Flores
21 years

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Happy Birthday!

4/26 Joe Marquis
4/27 Saul Ramirez
4/27 Norma Hernandez
5/1 Louie Laberdee



WELCOME TO IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH
“THE DARBY”



God is good! Due to our cooperation with the directives ordered by Governor Mike DeWine, it seems that we are successfully flattening the curve. Let’s continue to do all the things we need to do and take care of those around us.

When we get to gather together in church for Mass again, let’s rejoice in this blessed sacrifice, that is even more meaningful when we get to share in the gift of Eucharist! There will still be guidelines—physical distancing, no hand holding during the Our Father, no hugs and handshakes (even though we feel so “hungry” for those hugs!). Let’s keep each other safe and stay tuned for that blessed announcement that we can resume our liturgies.

April 26, 2020
Third Sunday of Easter

1st Reading:	Acts of the Apostles 2:14, 22-33
2nd Reading:	1 Peter 1:17-21
Gospel Reading:	Luke 24:13-35
Intentions:	Charles Mira

May 3, 2020
Fourth Sunday of Easter

1st Reading:	Acts of the Apostles 2:14, 36-41
2nd Reading:	1 Peter 2:20b-25
Gospel Reading:	John 10:1-10
Intentions:	Stephen Scarbrough

REVERSE RAFFLE NEWS

Thank you to everyone who contributed to our Reverse Raffle! The situation was not ideal, but we still made a profit of \$19,832. This is a true testament to the giving hearts of Darby parishioners, alumni, and friends!

Are there any crafty people looking for something to do? We are looking for people to make masks. We would love to have masks available for those that don’t have them already when we are allowed to return to in-person worship. Please let Amy know if this is something you would be able to help with. Masks can be dropped off at church on Tuesdays. Thank you!

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

Name _____ Phone # _____

Address _____ E-mail _____

Birthday _____ Anniversary _____



IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS



We are still requesting pictures of you and your family for our Facebook album. These can be pictures of you all watching Mass, playing games, or whatever your family is doing this time of quarantine. We miss everyone and this is a way for us to connect!



More information on May Crowning, First Communion, and Confirmation will follow as soon as we know. Thanks for being the Darby Family!

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



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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

If you have a family member who is in an end of life situation, leave a message at the parish office or email Amy. There will be a way to give the comfort of the sacrament of healing to that person as they journey toward their final reward.

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 Laberdee, James Laberdee, Connie Sabo, Jim and Mary Zwart, Josephine and Jerald Chesser, Dale and Ann Headley, Gloria Martinez, Charlene Laberdee, 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, Sheryl Doggett

Buy a Darby T-shirt and support two local places!

Purchase a Darby T-shirt from Jupmode (a local Toledo company) for \$20.00 and \$10.00 will go back to Immaculate Conception! You can purchase by the link below (also sent via e-mail and on our Facebook page). Feel free to share with friends and family!

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As a way to inspire the parishioners of Immaculate Conception as well as those who are searching for hope, we offer "Moments with Monsignor" on the new YouTube channel, The Historic Church of Saint Patrick. The long range goal is for daily videos running from 5-15 minutes from Monsignor Chris that share parish and salvation history, our dynamic parish life, Catholic theology, and explanations of parish art and architecture. Videos will be available on www.YouTube.com, with links also uploaded to the parish Facebook page and emailed to parishioners. Those who wish to be notified directly when a new video is available can subscribe to our YouTube channel - all it takes is the click of a button. Please share the links on your social media pages and via email to interested friends and family.

The Sunday Mass broadcast nationally on EWTN at 8 a.m. and noon. Buckeye Cable Channels 179 and 592.

Sunday Mass is Broadcast on local station WNWO-TV, Channel 24 at 6:30 a.m. Buckeye Cable Channels 10/624.

Sunday Mass is Broadcast on local station WTVG-TV2, Channel 13.2 at 8:30 a.m., Buckeye Cable Channels 5/605.

The radio broadcast of the Sunday Mass is aired at 8:00 a.m. on WNOC 89.7 FM Annunciation Radio.

Monsignor Vasko is also live-streaming mass on Facebook on Wednesdays at 5:30 pm and Sundays at 10:00 am.

The Diocese of Toledo streams masses daily on their Facebook page.

Extra Virgin Food Services are providing “grab&go” meals at the following sites:

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Toledo, Ohio 43606

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Toledo, Ohio 43609

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Toledo, Ohio 43610

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Toledo, Ohio

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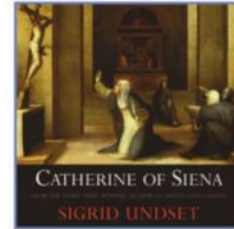
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Philippians 4:6 NIV

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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