

Alleluia!

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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,

A Blessed and happy Easter to you all; may the boon of salvation always be appreciated in your hearts and proclaimed in your way of life.

Today represents the culmination of a sacred three-day celebration which began on Holy Thursday at the Mass of the Lord's Supper. I hope you were there to participate and offer due thanks for the treasure of God's own Son given to us in what was once bread and wine. Technically the celebration of the Lord's resurrection is not a cycle of the saving acts by which we have been reconciled to God – that saving act occurred on Good Friday when Jesus was hung on the wood of the Cross to die for us. Rather, Easter is a foretaste of the results of the Cross: our own resurrection to the fullness of the Kingdom in the last days.

We don't want to forget the wonder of Jesus' triumphant departure from the tomb and into the world of the living; after all, none of us could pull that off on our own! However, we should certainly keep in mind the gift of our own rising promised by Jesus and demonstrated in his rising. Yes, saying thank you to God for the sacrifice of Jesus on the Cross should lead all of us to the church on a regular basis, but the thanks we ought to give for what lies ahead in our own future should really get us up Sunday morning and off to church to celebrate with the others in our midst who were saved with us. Our thanks should never end, both at church and outside of it.

We can find many ways to give thanks to God: perhaps a stroll along the river in one of the city's fine parks; maybe just sitting on a bench at the Museum admiring the talents God so graciously poured out into the life of the artist; possibly just standing in the dappling light of a forest copse. But in the end, the works of Jesus from Holy Thursday to Easter Sunday can best be appreciated in the community of like believers who gather on a Sunday morning to raise their voices in prayers of thanksgiving.

As the pandemic ebbs, I would urge all of us to consider being in the community to pray with the community in thanks for the salvation given to the community. Easter Sunday is a widely celebrated holiday, one whose glorious focus on resurrection is perfect for either strengthening or re-establishing our connections with the community of worshipers at mass. Join us on Sundays; see you next week.

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.

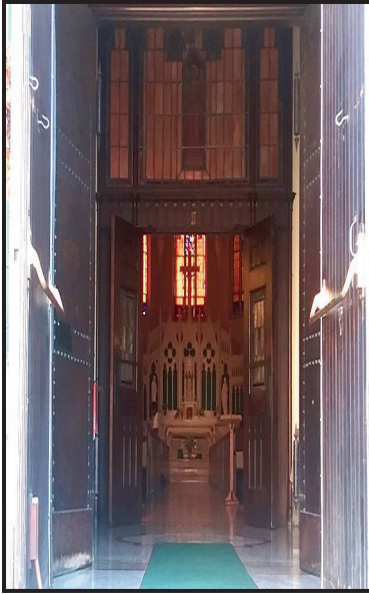
Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults: RCIA is the process of growing in your faith and love of God. Weekly gatherings take place from September until Easter. If you are interested in learning about Catholicism and joining us please call Deacon Tom at the rectory at Historic St. Patrick @ 419-243-6452.

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

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

July 1, 2020-June 30, 2021

	<u>LAST WEEK</u>	<u>YEAR TO DATE</u>
Goal	\$ 3,010.00	\$ 117,390.00
Sat. Env.	\$ 341.00	\$ 22,843.00
Sat. Loose	\$ 388.00	\$ 12,702.96
Sun. Env.	\$ 867.00	\$ 36,216.75
Sun. Loose	\$ 121.00	\$ 6,639.07
Actual	\$ 1,717.00	\$ 78,401.78
Over/(Under)	\$(1,293.00)	\$ (38,988.22)
Preservation	\$	\$ 9,000.00
General Repair	\$	\$ 1,426.00
Candles	\$ 13.00	\$ 465.80
Outreach	\$	\$ 4,155.17

CALENDAR

April 3-11, 2021

Sat	11:00 am 8:30 pm	Blessing of food at HSP Easter Vigil at Historic St. Patrick's Msgr. Chris/D. Tom/D. Dave
Sun.	9:30 am 10:00 am 10:30 am 11:00 am	Historic St. Patrick Confessions Historic St. Patrick Mass Immaculate Conception Confessions Immaculate Conception Mass Fr. Rudi/D. Dave
Intention: Mary Lynn Roth		
Mon.		Church office closed
Tues.	9:00 am	IC Weekday Mass - cancelled
Wed.	5:30 pm	St. Patrick's Weekday Mass

Sat.	3:30 pm	Immaculate Conception Confessions
	4:00 pm	Immaculate Conception Mass
		Msgr. Chris
Intention: Mary Margaret Schneider		
Sun.	9:30 am	Historic St. Patrick Confessions
	10:00 am	Historic St. Patrick Mass
	10:30 am	Immaculate Conception Confessions
	11:00 am	Immaculate Conception Mass
		Msgr. Chris
Intention: Leonard and Teresa Monahan		
Frank and Margie Gomez		
Patty Orner		
Finance meeting after Mass		

The Church office will be closed Monday, April 5.

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 #
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Birthday Anniversary



WELCOME TO IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH

"THE DARBY"



Happy Birthday!

4/7 Doug Crown
4/8 Pete Mosqueda
4/8 Hugo Ramirez
4/8 Evan Wilson-Bonds
4/10 Katrina Matthews

It won't be the same Easter egg gathering we've had in the past, but we will have some special Easter eggs to give to our kids, big and little, older and young, as we celebrate the resurrection this weekend!

Thanks to all who worked so hard to prepare for these marvelous feasts of the Triduum and Easter Sunday! We are an Easter people, given life through our Risen Lord. Thanks for your help in making this special!

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+ While our journey with Covid 19 +
+ prevents us from using the common Holy +
+ Water fonts, we have filled small Holy +
+ Water bottles available for you in the +
+ front of church. They will be blessed at +
+ the Easter mass, and you may take a +
+ bottle of Easter water with you! +
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We are also planning on a Mothers' Day bake sale this year. It's a while away, but we will welcome your patronage and donations. More to come!

Minister/Lector Schedule

April 4, 2021
Easter Sunday

1st Reading:	Acts of the Apostles 10:34a, 37-43
Responsorial Psalm	This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad.
2nd Reading:	Colossians 3:1-4
Gospel Reading:	John 20:1-9
Lector	Larry Widmer
Eucharistic Minister	Barb Marquis If needed: Louann Meagher Tom Meagher

April 11, 2021
Second Sunday of Easter

1st Reading:	Acts of the Apostles 4:32-35
Responsorial Psalm	Give thanks to the Lord for he is good, his love is everlasting.
2nd Reading:	1 John 5:1-6
Gospel Reading:	John 20:19-31
Lector	Saturday: Nancy Farber Sunday: Mike Young
Eucharistic Minister	Saturday: Georgeann O'Connell Sunday: Emily Young



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

<u>OUTREACH</u>	<u>LAST WEEK</u>	<u>YTD</u>
Families served	24	1,255

Sanctuary Lamp

April 4	(available)
April 11	(available)
April 18	(available)
April 25	(available)



Altar Flowers

April 4	(available)
April 11	(available)
April 18	(available)
April 25	(available)

Pray For Those Serving Our Country

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



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! The sale will run from April 1-15 and can be purchased at <https://www.jupmodesupply.com>.



Together Let Us Pray

Joyce Mason, Jan Schiel, Francisco Villagomez, Janet Madigan, Elaine Wojciechowski, Fred Garcia Sr. Terry Byersmith,
 Anna Rose Dunn, Mary Jane Anderson, Bill Kistner, Loretta Schrader, Kay McHugh, Georgeanne Hobson, Jean Voegeli,
 Robert Ochoa, Eric Stallkamp, Tom and Teri Wagner, Sr. Patricia Snyder, Dave Vrooman, Sharon Steele, Lupe
 Contreras, Georgeann O'Connell, Nacho Tagle, Dave Wehrmeister, Judy Hindbaugh, Pam and Jim Clark, Terrance
 Mohler Family, Dominic and Mandy Mendoza, Louis Escobar Family, Ron Brewer, Amy Meagher, Estella Rosales,
 Diane Hernandez, Donna Haymer, Dion Perry, Connie Fonseca, Chris Valesquez, Romy Fonseca, Gizzie Fonseca, Billy
 Fonseca, Mary Bodie, Emma Tudico, Vickie Fry, Marie Carl, Joel Whitmore, Michael Simmons, Louie Laberdee

Upcoming Events

Sun. April 11 Finance Committee meeting after Mass

Sat. April 17 10:00 am Reverse Raffle Committee meeting

Sun. April 25 Parish Council meeting after Mass

HELP! Are there any of our parish family who could lend a hand at Outreach on Mondays and Fridays that they have deliveries? Most of our current helpers are older and somewhat limited in what they can do. An occasional new face with a strong back and spirit would be a blessing!

We usually pray the Rosary before the 4pm Mass on the 1st Saturday of each month. Since we didn't have Mass on April 3rd, we will pray the Rosary at 3:40 pm on Saturday, April 10. Please join us!



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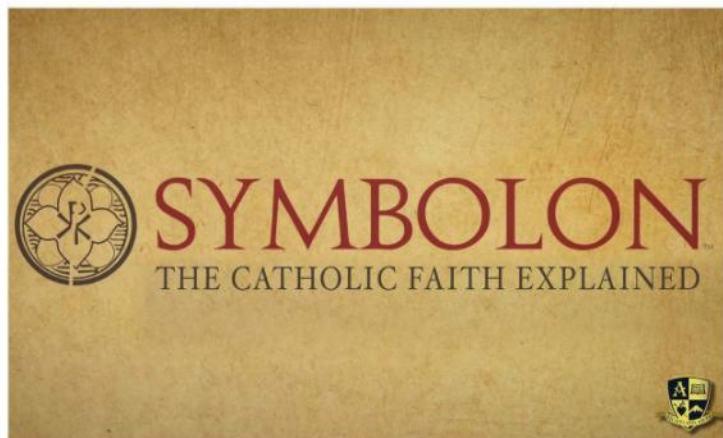
On Sunday, April 18th, Nuestra Gente is sponsoring a Community Health Check event, here at Immaculate following the 11:00 mass. They are also providing some tasty Mexican food, donated for the event. We just ask that you keep your distance as you get the food (which will be served to you) and that you also distance in the pews as you enjoy this treat!

April 4, 2021

WATCH

SYMBOLON - SESSION 6 THE PASCHAL MYSTERY: THE MYSTERY OF JESUS' DEATH AND RESURRECTION

Through Jesus's Death on the Cross, God reveals himself most profoundly as the God who is Love. In this episode of the Symbolon series, see how Christ's sacrificial love saves us from sin and shows us the pathway to true human happiness.



FORMED NOW: EVANGELIZING MILLENNIALS

After his Resurrection, Christ told his disciples to "go into all the world and preach the gospel to the whole creation" (Mk 16:15). To continue this evangelical work today, we have to adapt to diverse audiences. In this series, Dr. Ben Akers and Taylor Kemp sit down to discuss how to reach one of those audiences—millennials.

LEARN

LISTEN

PINTS WITH AQUINAS: WHAT IS GRACE? WITH MICHAEL GORMLEY

As Catholics we believe that grace allows us to participate in the life of God. In this episode of Pints with Aquinas, Matt Fradd sits down with Michael Gormley to discuss what this means in our daily lives.



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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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