Teach me wisdom and knowledge, for in your commandments 1 trust. Psalm 119:66

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# The Immaculate Conception Church of Darby

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### PARISH STAFF FOR IC

Bookkeeper	Helen Yensz
Administrative Assistan	tNicole Magana
Custodian	
Sacristan	Walter Schlegel
Organist	

### **EUCHARISTIC LITURGIES** Saturday 4:00 pm @ IC

Sunday 11:00 am @ IC Tuesday 9:00 am @ IC

Immaculate Conception Outreach Director .....Judy Schwind 1102 Broadway 419-243-1819

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

### Dear people of God,

I'm often told I don't preach enough on certain subjects, the supposed "good old topics." Examples include comments like these: "The Church never talks about sin anymore." "Why don't we hear more about the Right to Life?" "What ever happened to hell?"

The problem is that the homily has to be about the readings. I'm always amazed at watching television evangelists who will read something from Scripture and then preach on some other text. It happens at Sunday services too: a preacher will read from the common lectionary (the same readings we use which follow a schematic to give us exposure to the entire New Testament and complimentary Old Testament readings) but then take up some other text on which to preach. In Catholic preaching we're not supposed to do that – the Church gives us a sequential series of readings which form a pattern or common insight into God's love and that's what we're expected to preach on.

The texts for Sundays don't often coincide with events or celebrations going on around us; because the texts are in sequence, beginning with the early chapters of a gospel and moving on toward the latter chapters, they don't cherry pick topics for the homily. Rather, the homily should give us two distinct points to ponder throughout the week: (1) the overall themes of the gospel should stand out behind the weekly lection. Remember, there are three gospels featured in the Sunday cycle: Matthew in Cycle A, Mark in Cycle B and Luke in Cycle C with John being inserted here and there for some specific event. The themes give us an overall message revealed in the four gospels: Jesus alone dies on the cross (Mark); fulfilling all of the Old testament prophesies (Matthew) and beginning a new Covenant in Christ (Luke) because God loves us (John). (2) We ought to hear some specific insight on today's world.

In the era of Bishop Altar (1939-1950), he wrote all the homilies and sent them to the priests who then preached the same thing in every parish so that the teaching of the Bishop would be proclaimed everywhere. Today we're on our own with some occasional input on ideas for homilies from the Bishop. Each priest is supposed to be aware of the gospel's thematic foundation and then focus on that theme from the Sunday Gospel using the other two readings to amplify the message. If any of those "good old" topics is in the reading, then it gets preached, but most of the time none of them are there so the homily will be on some other important topic the Gospels themselves believe we ought to hear.

Very often the topics we used to hear are proclaimed in the daily readings which is why we have daily Mass which we urge people to attend. We are also fortunate to have access to FORMED and to a small library in the back of the church for those who wish to pursue their interest in neglected topics either to expand their knowledge, nurture their faith formation, or inspire their meditation.



Fr Chris

### The Celebration of Sacraments

**Infant Baptism**: The Sacrament of Baptism is regularly celebrated 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.

**<u>Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults</u>**: 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.

### IMMACULATE CONCEPTION TOLEDO, OHIO

### Hello!



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. You can also find registration forms for new parishioners on the visitor's stand at the back of the church or online at <u>www.iccatdarby.org</u>. We hope to see you again soon!

### **Immaculate Conception**

### **Finance Committee**

Bill Carroll John Madigan Fred Mahaney Tom Meagher Mike Young

### **Parish Council**

Linda Garcia John Madigan Fred Mahaney Barb Marquis Louann Meagher Maria Ochoa Mary Jo Pilcher Judy Westmeyer

### CALENDAR September 3-11, 2022

Sat.	3:30 pm 4:00 pm	Immaculate Conception Confessions Immaculate Conception Mass Msgr. Chris	Sat.	3:30 pm 4:00 pm
	In	itention: Harvey Parker		Iı
Sun.	10:30 am 11:00 am	Historic St. Patrick Mass Immaculate Conception Confessions	Sun.	8:00 am 9:30 am 10:00 am 10:30 am 11:00 am
Tues.	9:00 am	IC Weekday Mass		
Wed.	5:30 pm	HSP Weekday Mass		

Sat.	3:30 pm 4:00 pm	Immaculate Conception Confessions Immaculate Conception Mass Msgr. Chris			
	In	tentions: Pep, Sally, Delores & Joe Jr.			
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Sun.	8:00 am	Historic St. Patrick Mass			
	9:30 am	Historic St. Patrick Confessions			
	10:00 am	Historic St. Patrick Mass			
	10:30 am				
	11:00 am	Immaculate Conception Mass			
		Fr. Rudi			
Intention: Victims of September 11th					

	Upcoming Events	CCCCCCC
unday, Sept.4	Queen of Apostles Teacher's back to school blessing Children's Liturgy returns	September 2022
ept.10-18	CCD/RCIA registration	4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30
unday, Sept.25	Meeting for CCD/RCIA instructors	18 19 20 21 22 23 24
riday, Sept.23	Darby Derby	25 26 21 20 -

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 drop off at the office.			
Name	Phone #		
Address	E-mail		
Birthday	Anniversary		

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WELCOME TO IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH

### **"THE DARBY"**





### **Together Let Us Pray**

Juan Garcia, Dionisia Rendon, Sylvester Gonzalez, Maria Rojas, James Roth, Joe Roth, Jack Roth, Julie Fegyak, Mary & John Flores, Pat Mason, Jennifer Storey, Jo Braker, Sue & Jessie Mendoza, Jose Rojas, Lance Mendoza, Pauline Garcia Rojas, Juanita Garcia Miller, Vanessa Gonzalez, River Angel Salinas, Francisco Villagomez, Mary Mantey, Terry Byersmith, Tom Fink, Wendy Wehrmeister, Mary & John Garcia, Pat Futhey, Fred S. Garcia Sr., Troy Huebner, Grant Wilkinson, Mary Bodie, Ashley Huebner,

Robert Born Sr., Jim Burns, Sue Rufenacht, Kenneth John Stokes, Maria Ochoa, Robert Ochoa, Jeanne Smith, Bridget Carranza, Theresa Florez, Dennis Sullivan, Louis Jordan, Thomas Roth, Felicia Hernandez



### **STEWARDSHIP REPORT** July 1, 2022- June 30, 2023

	LAST WEEK	YEAR TO DATE
Goal	\$ 2,020.00	\$ 105,000.00
Sat. Loose	\$ 899.00	\$ 2,881.32
Sat. Env.	\$ 795.00	\$ 6,188.00
Sun. Loose	\$ 266.25	\$ 2,753.25
Sun. Env.	\$ 463.25	\$ 7,762.25
Actual	\$ 2,423.50	\$ 19,584.82
Over/(Under)	\$ 403.50	\$ (85,415.18)
Preservation	\$	\$ 2,000.00
General Repair	\$ 53.00	\$ 330.00
Candles	\$ 26.00	\$ 202.00
Outreach	\$	\$ 2,502.00

# Telhank you.

**OUTREACH CENTER** 



Families served

Tuesdays 9:00 am - 11:30 pm \*For donation drop off only





LAST WEEK

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THANK YOU for the school supply donations. Outreach was able to give out 30 bookbags!

Please no clothing or household item donations at this time.

Donations needed: paper towels, toilet paper, dish soap, laundry **Detergent**, hand soap

\* View this bulletin online at www.DiscoverMass.com

SPC Elijah Hindbaugh, Army

SSG Joseph Malagon

SGT Jasmine Hindbaugh

AO Alicia Negrin, Navy

PVT Damian Cutcher

Vincent Caraccio, Army Reserves 1SG Charles Hindbaugh,II

LCPL Carlos Negrin III, Marines





## Minister/Lector Schedule

September 3-4, 2022 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time			
1st Reading	Wisdom 9: 13-18b		
2nd ReadingPhilemon 9-10, 12-17			
Gospel Reading Luke 14: 25-33			
Lector	Saturday: Mary Jo Pilcher Sunday: Guadalupe Zarate		
Eucharistic Ministers	Saturday: Mary Jo Robinson Michele Miller Sunday: Cathy Carroll Monica Phillips		
Children's Liturgy	Marcia Phillips		

September 10-11, 2022 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time			
1st Reading Exodus 32: 7-11, 13-14			
2nd Reading1Timothy 1: 12-17			
Gospel Reading Luke 15: 1-32			
Lector	Saturday: Nancy Farber		
	Sunday: Bill Carroll		
Eucharistic Ministers	Saturday: Georgeann O'Connel John Madigan		
	Sunday: Barb Marquis Joyce Scarbrough		
Children's Liturgy	Judy Westmeyer		

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	September 4	(available)	September 4	(available)	
	September 11	(available)	September 11	(available)	
	September 18	(available)	September 18	(available)	



Registration begins next weekend for Religious Education classes! This includes preparation for First Communion, Confirmation, and Adult

Sacramental preparation. Look for the forms in church. At that time, we will ask you to fill out a postcard which will be mailed to you informing you of start time for classes. If your child/grandchild is hoping to receive these sacraments, classes **must** be attended regularly. Hope to see you!



Study of St. Joseph will begin on Friday, Oct 7th at 12noon. Lunch will be provided. Please join us if you can, thanks!



We are still looking for a few volunteers to help with Religious education. Classes will be on Tuesday early evenings, so may be helpful for those who have hectic weekends! Call the office or see Mary Jo for information.

Holy Hour at the Monastery of the Visitation



Sunday, September 4th 4:00 pm

All are welcome for an evening Prayer (Vespers), the Rosary, Homily and Benediction.



School will begin at Queen of Apostles shortly after Labor Day. We're giving each student a drawstring back-pack, if you would like to add a card or note of encouragement drop it in the collection basket or to the office by the end of this week. Thank you!

Well, return of hospitality will include the Grill Guys cooking up some Hot Dogs and Burgers! Plan on staying for this kick off, and if you'd like to bring any side dishes, we thank you!



\*Date to come soon\*



Don't forget, Historic St. Patrick is offering two study sessions. These are evening sessions beginning on Tues. Sept.6 and Wednesday Sept. 7 at 6:30 in the church. Check with Martha Farrell at Martha.Farrell15@gmail.com for more information.

Dan Streeter will lead us in the Rosary beginning at 3:30 pm on Saturday, September 3rd.



### **Donations**

To help offset the cost of hosting a fundraising event, such as the Darby Derby, we are asking for monetary donations. If you would like to make a monetary donation, please see Louann or Nicole. Thank you, and God bless!



Queen of Apostles school is still in need of teachers for the 2022-2023 school year. If you or anyone you know is interested, please have them contact John Hargen at (419)241-7829.



PLEASE get a substitute or let Louann Meagher know if you are unable to keep a scheduled assignment for EM or Lector! Sometimes we have to scramble to find a substitute here at church at the last minute. Assignments are published in the bulletin a week ahead, with the exception of emergencies.



**Parish Office Hours** Mon.– Fri. 8 - 3:30

WE'RE **HIRING!** 

We are looking for a proactive, efficient, part-time church custodian. The custodian will ensure that all areas of the church are clean and ready for other staff members and the congregation to use. The custodian will be responsible for minor repairs, vacuuming/sweeping/ scrubbing floors, cleaning, sanitizing, restocking items, lawn maintenance, snow removal, and event preparation.

To be a successful custodian, they must be able to lift 50 lbs, successfully pass a background check, and be observant, respectful, motivated, and committed to providing church members, visitors, and staff with a clean, orderly place to worship and congregate.

For a more detailed list of responsibilities and requirements or to submit your resume, please email Nicole at nicole@iccatdarby.org.

### Dear People of God,

As your pastor, I wanted to provide you with a summary report of last year's fiscal year income and expenses. Of course, along with that goes a very sincere thank you to those who supported the parish. We ended the year \$13,000 to the good, and that is good news. The big expenditure this year is the ongoing project of upgrading the doors. Aren't they looking fine?

\$117,530

\$ 38,031

\$ 32,434

\$ 14,119

\$ 3,364

\$205,478

### AREAS OF INCOME

Collections Gifts/Other Income Reverse Raffle/Derby Outreach Flowers/Candles TOTAL



AREAS OF EXPENSE

Wages/Salary \$77,349 PR Tax/Fringe Ben \$17,257 Utilities \$21,834 Diocesan Assessment \$15,360 Admin & Operating \$13,426 Building \$13,965 \$12,407 Insurance Fundraising \$ 8,753 Taxes/Licenses \$ 7,683 \$ 4,094 Liturgy Related TOTAL \$192,128

# FORMED

### PICK OF THE WEEK

Sept 4, 2022

### WATCH NETWORK OF FREEDOM

Set in France at the beginning of World War II, this inspiring film narrates the heroic work of Sister Helene Studler, the Daughter of Charity who saved the lives of thousands of French refugees by preventing them from becoming prisoners of the Nazi forces, or freeing those who were captured. Among those she saved were many illustrious characters including the future Prime Minister of France, François de Mitterrand.





As we celebrate the birthday of the Blessed Virgin Mary this week, listen as Dr. Tim Gray and Dr. John Sehorn discuss the traditions surrounding Mary's life and how her life is a model of humility for Christians.

### LISTEN ENCOUNTERING THE POOR: BIBLICAL ROOTS FOR CATHOLIC SOCIAL TEACHING BY TIM GRAY

Dr. Gray expounds upon the teachings of the Catholic Church surrounding social justice in light of Sacred Scripture. Discover how social justice in regards to the poor is not one small piece in the puzzle, but instead frames the entire mosaic of Scripture.



Our parish has a FORMED subscription. To set up your free account visit formed.org/signup and select our parish.



BROADWAY STREET FALL CLEAN UP

Date: Saturday, September 10, 2022 Time: 9 am to noon Meeting Location: 1421 Broadway Street Old Taylor Chirapratic Building (Organized by Historic South Initiative)

> Historic South Initiative will supply: Bags Gloves Drink

### PICNIC LUNCH TO BE PROVIDED TO VOLUNTEERS AT THE CONCLUSION



For more information or to register yourself or group, Contact Mike Anderson at .567-318-3683 or mike.anderson.hsi@gmail.com

Tuesdays, September 6-October 25; 6:30-8 in church Hebrews: The New and Eternal Covenant Embark on a guided tour of the "Holy of Holies" of biblical theology. The book of Hebrews is like a little Catechism. It is steeped in rich truths that are foundational to our Catholic Faith, but its highly refined theological concepts can be difficult for even the most seasoned Bible scholars to unpack Presented by Andrew Swafford and Jeff Cavins, Hebrews: The New and Eternal Covenant draws out the riches of this sublime book in a way that makes them easier to understand. It draws connections between the Old and New Testaments, the Liturgy, the Eucharist, the priesthood, and so much more. Most importantly, Hebrews will help Catholics appreciate the astounding generosity of God as they see the wonders he has given us in the Church. (Cost: \$29.95 for workbook) The perfect followup... Wednesdays, September 7-October 26; 6:30-8 in church The Catechism of the Catholic Church What do Catholics really believe? The Catechism can be a difficult and tedious read BUT, thanks to Real+True (a Formed program), they were able to create a way to share and explain the Catechism in a beautiful, captivating, and relevant format. Join us for an engaging video and discussion as we learn about the CCC. (Cost: Free) Join us for one or both evenings! We always have great discussions and snacks! For more information or to sign up, contact Martha at Martha.Farrell15@gmail.com.

Fall Faith Formation

Come and Grow Your Faith With HSP!



Date: Friday,September 23, 2022 Time: Doors open at 6 pm Big 6 Wheel will be running! Race starts at 7 pm Place: American Legion 206 S. Byrne Road

Toledo, OH 43615 Cost: \$35, includes food & drinks \*Additional cost to bet on a horse

# **GET YOUR TICKETS TODAY!**

See the ticket seller at the back of the Church after Mass or contact the office (419)243-1829.



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