Immaculate Conception Parish Bulletin

Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time, November 17, 2019

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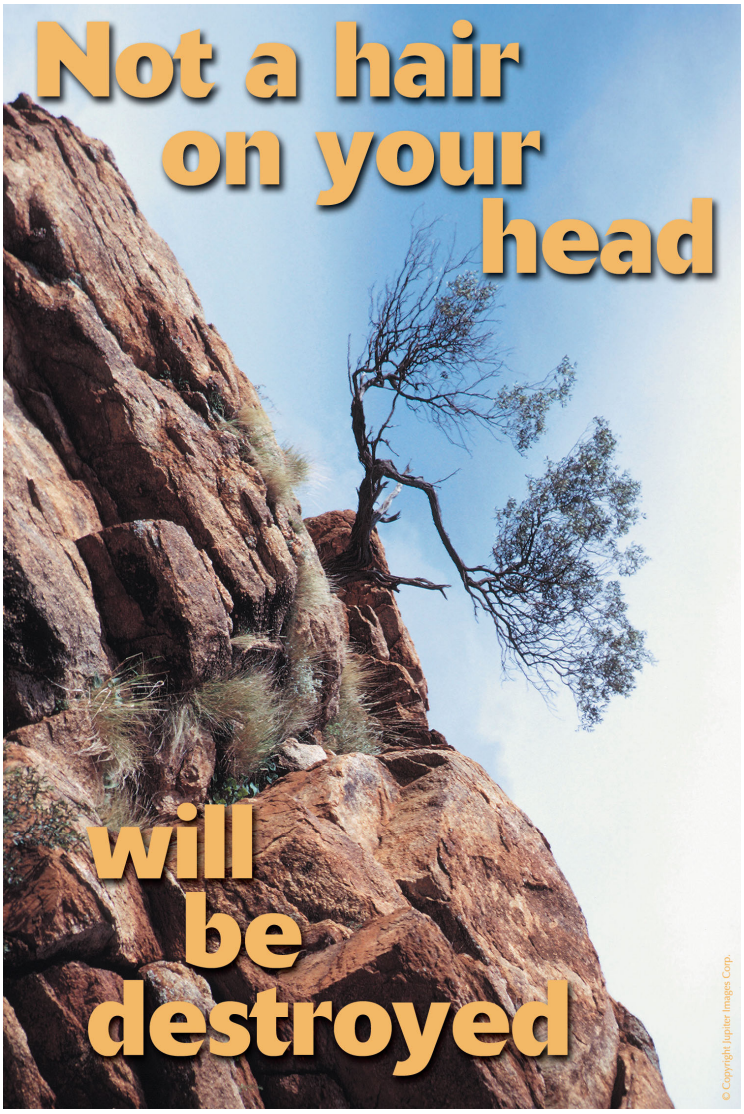

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Mass Schedule

Weekdays: 6:15 and 7:30am Saturdays: 8:00am
Weekend Masses: Saturday: 5:15pm
Sunday: 7:30, 9:00, 11:30am and 5:15pm

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Website: icelmhurst.org
Eastern DuPage Deanery: easterndupagedeanery.org

MUNDELEIN SEMINARY
TOLTON TEACHING PARISH PROGRAM

NEW PARISHIONERS, WELCOME!
Please click on "New to IC?" on our parish website homepage or call office for more information.
BAPTISMS: Please call Martha Deatsch for information (530-8515).
MARRIAGES: Please call Catey Cohen at least 6 months in advance (530-8991).
SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Monday-Friday By Appointment Only;
Saturday: 4:00-4:45PM and First Friday of the month after the 6:15 am mass.

Bulletin submissions, please e-mail bulletin@icelmhurst.org . Deadline is Friday 12:00 Noon, nine (9) days prior to bulletin date. Special Early Deadlines may apply. To reserve a room in one of our campus buildings, please email calendar@icelmhurst.org.

WE ARE IC!

The memories of our loved ones stay alive within us. Although they go before us, they are always in our hearts. Please consider joining us in this special time in the history of Immaculate Conception Parish as we have the opportunity to remember our beloved dead.

The renovation of Sacred Heart Chapel will provide the opportunity for memorials that will be part of this sacred space as they will remain in perpetuity. This is now the time to reserve them as renovations will continue to bring the space up to date in safety, function, and beauty. Above all, greater devotion to the Sacred Heart will be manifest.

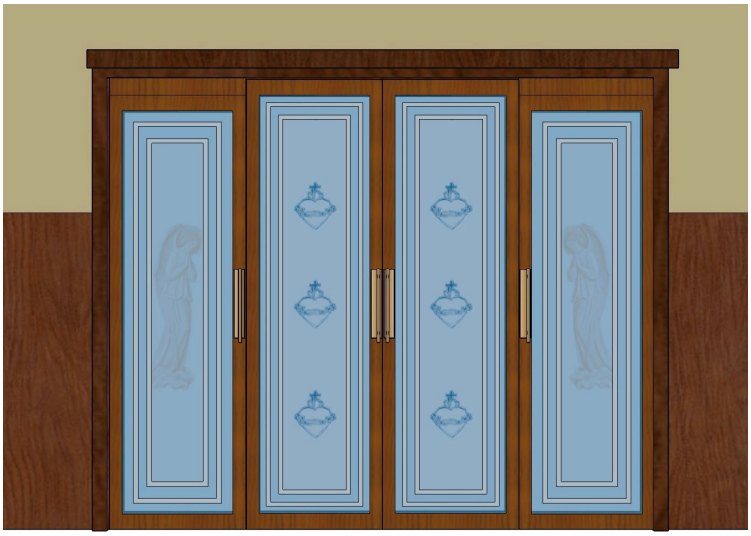
Memorial Donations

- Exterior Stained Glass Panels Memorial Donation $5,000 each
- Narthex Upgrades Memorial Donation $25,000
- Four Etched Glass Door Panels Memorial Donation $25,000 each
- Sound System Memorial Donation $30,000
- Fourteen Stations of the Cross Memorial Donation $15,000 each
- Eight Stained Glass Saint Windows Memorial Donation $25,000 each

Other Available Memorials

- Two Reconciliation rooms will be within Sacred Heart Chapel. Many people will receive God's mercy through the forgiveness of their sins in these spaces. Memorial Donation $10,000 each.
- Four altar candle holders will surround the altar during the celebration of Mass. Memorial Donation $5,000 each.
- Two processional candles for servers. Memorial Donation $5,000 each
- Incense brazier and stand. Memorial Donation $5,000.
- Six sanctuary chairs used for priests, seminarians, and servers. Memorial Donation $5,000 each.
- Eighteen symbol windows related to each of the saints. Memorial Donation $25,000 each.

The continuation of the ***We are IC*** capital campaign is vital to completing the renovation of the largest worship space at Immaculate Conception Parish. It will also restore and highlight the space as the Sacred Heart Chapel. The success of raising the remaining **$1.3 million** is in our hands. We invite you to preserve the memory of your loved ones with a memorial gift towards our Sacred Heart Chapel. If the dollars needed are received through pledges with adequate cash on hand, the final work on the Chapel will begin in May 2020.



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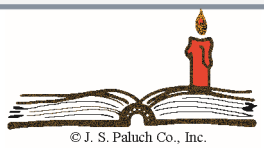

Welcome to the Word

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — For those who fear the name of the Lord, the sun of justice will arise (Malachi 3:19-20a).

Psalm — The Lord comes to rule the earth with justice (Psalm 98).

Second Reading — Those who are living in idleness are urged to earn their own living (2 Thessalonians 3:7-12).

Gospel — Jesus foretells the destruction of Jerusalem, the persecution of his followers (Luke 21:5-19).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:1 Mc 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63; Ps 119:53, 61, 134, 150, 155, 158; Lk 18:35-43 or (for the memorial of the Dedication) Acts 28:11-16, 30-31; Ps 98:1-6; Mt 14:22-33

Tuesday:2 Mc 6:18-31; Ps 3:2-7; Lk 19:1-10

Wednesday: 2 Mc 7:1, 20-31; Ps 17:1bcd, 5-6, 8b, 15; Lk 19:11-28

Thursday:1 Mc 2:15-29; Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15; Lk 19:41-44

Friday: 1 Mc 4:36-37, 52-59; 1 Chr 29:10bcd, 11-12; Lk 19:45-48

Saturday: 1 Mc 6:1-13; Ps 9:2-4, 6, 16, 19; Lk 20:27-40

Sunday: 2 Sm 5:1-3; Ps 122:1-5; Col 1:12-20; Lk 23:35-43

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday: The Dedication of the Basilicas of Ss. Peter and Paul; St. Rose Duchesne

Thursday: The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Friday: St. Cecilia

Saturday: St. Clement I; St. Columban; Blessed Miguel Agustín Pro; Blessed Virgin Mary

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 18

6:15AM—†Deceased members of the Campbell & Crowley Family *By: Jack & Donna Campbell*

7:30AM—†Regina Cahill *By: Gordon & Mary Kinzler*

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 19

6:15AM—†Richard J Sullivan Family

7:30AM—†Johnny Jenkins *By: Family*

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 20

6:15AM—†Salvatore Dugo *By: Josephine Dugo*

7:30AM—Ed Doyle & Family *By: Carolyn Jaeger*

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 21

6:15AM—†Tom Eddington *By: Family*

7:30AM—†Geraldine Zanghi *By: Larry & Betty O'Neill*

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 22

6:15AM—†Eula Sforza *By: Jerry Kolpa*

8:15AM—†ICGS

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 23

8:00AM—†James Brodnicki *By Jo & Don LaMonica*

5:15PM—†Brady Doherty *By: The Kenny Family*

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 24

7:30AM—†Parish Family

9:00AM—†Louis Tovey *By: Backman Family*
†Tom Eddington *By: Family*
†Sally Spinelli *By: Andy & Jacki Crnkovich*
†Patricia Ashley *By: Shonts Family*

11:30AM-†Wally Morgan *By: Family*
†Ruth Anne Keppel-Aleks

5:15PM—†Norman Krull *By: Mary Ellen Krull*

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We the people of Immaculate Conception Parish are Christians who worship and glorify God as a sign of our faith. Empowered by the Holy Spirit, we proclaim our faith to the world through prayer, education, concern, and service to our community. By participating in the sacraments and giving of our time, talent and treasure, we help to make Christ present and share God's love in our community and the world around us.

Stewardship of Our Prayer for...

We pray for those suffering from illness.
Loving God, give strength and protection to all who struggle with illness of any kind. Calm their fears and uncertainties.
Provide them with loving and tender care.
Grant them courage when they are afraid and comfort when they are in pain.

Ancel, Brian
Armato, Mique
Banks, Yolanda
Chaplin, Scott
Curtin, Judith
Frer, Michele
Frer, Mike
Genthe, Denise
Hernandez, German
Johnson, Matt
Kaprelian, Jean
Pape, Mary
Ross, Bernadette
Roderer, David
Thielen, James
Vana, Kathie
Wilki, Susan

Please remember recently deceased family, friends and parishioners in your prayers. Grant them eternal rest and may your light shine on them forever.

†Michael J. Clawson,
grandson of Joseph and Joanne Mills
†Gabriel Remy,
ICGS Class of '15, ICCP class of '19

We pray for the newly baptized babies in our church. May their journey of faith be one that is close to Jesus. We pray for their Godparents and parents as they bring Christ to the lives of the next generation of Catholics.

Baptized in October at Immaculate Conception:

* **John Lucca Brooks**
* **Mariclare Kelly Fullerton**
* **Madelieine Grace Candace Rydo**
* **Dominic Larry Vincent**
* **Nora Kathryn Hanley**
* **Bernadette Rachel King**

2019 ENGAGED COUPLES

Brittany Centracco & Marco Iannotta	*11/30*
Abigale West & Charles Limjoco	*12/21*

Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need. Give us peace. I ask this in the name of Jesus.

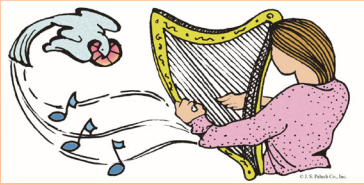
Lt. Joe Doyle, US Army, Son of Deb and Tom Doyle
1st Lt. Ryan Kenny, USMC, Son of Mary Beth Kenny
1st Sgt. Melinda Jolly, USMC
Daughter of Linda and Tom Makinney
Pvt. Jeffery Crones, US Army, Grandson of Joan Leyden
Cpl. Ben Gieser, USMC, son of Monica and William Gieser
Specialist Jonathan M. Pichler, US Army,
Son of Ginny & Mark Gronek, Grandson of Catherine Young
Capt. Andrew Smyrnios, USAF, Brother of Stephanie Alfini
Recruit Garrett Gong, USMC
LCpl. Troy Rosenbury, USMC
Cpl. Zack Bright, USMC
Sgt. Ben Bright, USMC, Friend of the Genthe Family
LCpl. Vincent Joseph Genthe, USMC Son of Denise Genthe
Capt. Jeffrey Robbins, USMC, Son of Barb & Larry Robbins,
Grandson of Georgiana Ryan
Maj. Kevin Mott, 101st Airborne, US Army
Nephew of Greg & Mary Pat Vanderlaan
Paul Hornstra, USMC, ICHS Class of '09
Son of Paul and Dawn Hornstra
Sgt. Patrick O'Hara, USM
Nephew of Francis & Sheila O'Hara
Cpl. Brittney Young , US Army,
Cousin of Denise and John Doherty
Lt. Joe Shannon, US Navy, Son of John & Maria Shannon
Cpl. Matthew R. Mundle, USMC Grandson of Evelyn Mundle
Sgt. Ethan Zielinski, USMC Son of Michele & Dolph Zielinski
Capt. Christopher Bertucci, USMC,
Nephew of Mary Anne & Greg Luczak
Lt. Andrea Bertucci, US Navy,
Niece of Mary Anne & Greg Luczak
Cpl. Joseph Fischer, USMC Son of George & Sharon Fischer
Capt. Kathleen M. Donofrio, US Army Reserves,
Daughter of Tom & Marge Donofrio
Pfc. Ian Morser, USMC, Son of John and Tracy Morser
Cousin of Todd and Ellen Greer
Sgt. Matthew Schlipper, USMC, Son of Martha McAllister
LCpl. Jack Mallon, USMC, Grandson of Mary and Bob Mallon
Nephew of Mark Mallon and Lauren Lent
2nd. Lt. Dylan Sullivan, US Army
Grandson of Mary Sullivan
1st. Lt. Samuel Westhoff, US Army
Nephew of Tom and Sue Westhoff
1st. Lt. Liam Hendricks, 101st Airborne, ICCP Class of '14
Son of Tim and Julie Hendricks
1st Lt Matthew Kizys, US Army, son of
Marky and Nancy Tinsley
Chf. Warrant Officer John Dal Pino, US Army
Son of Joe and Valerie Dal Pino
2nd Lt. Francesca Cervone , US Army, ICCP Class of '15,
Daughter of Jeanmarie Cervone,
Granddaughter of Cay Calcagno
2nd Lt. Molly Manion, US Army, ICCP Class of '15, Daughter of Tom and Nancy Manion Granddaughter of Rita Manion
MAJ Thomas Gildea, US Army, Husband of Karina, Father of
Enya, Grace, and Ignacio

Weekly Calendar

Monday, November 18
6:15 am **Mass: Church**
7:30 am **Mass: Church**
3:15 pm **Rosary: Church**
7:00 pm ICCP Booster Club: Costello Hall
7:00 pm Worship Committee: Resource Rm

Tuesday, November 19
6:15 am **Mass: Church**
7:30 am **Mass: Church**
8:00 am Lectio Divina: Resource Room
9:00 am Prayer Shawl Ministry: Elmhurst College

Wednesday, November 20
6:15 am **Mass: Church**
7:30 am **Mass: Church**
9:30 am Bible Study: Resource Room
5:10 pm Religious Ed: ICGS Classrooms
6:30 pm GS Parent Presentation: MPH
7:00 pm GS Athletic Board: Agnesian Room



Thursday, November 21
6:15 am **Mass: Church**
7:30 am **Mass: Church**
3:15 pm Rosary: Church
7:00 pm Parish Choir Rehearsal: Sacred Heart Chapel

Friday, November 22
6:15 am **Mass: Church**
8:15 am **Mass: Church**

Saturday, November 23
8:00 am **Mass: Church**
9:00 am Cub Scout Pinewood Derby: Plunkett Hall
4:00 pm Reconciliation: Sacred Heart Chapel
5:15 pm **Mass : Sacred Heart Chapel**

Sunday, November 24
7:30 am **Mass: Church**
9:00 am **Mass: Sacred Heart Chapel**
10:10 am Religious Ed: ICGS Classrooms
10:15 am Spiritual Classics: Dyer Center
11:30 am **Mass: Sacred Heart Chapel**
1:00 pm **Baptism: Church**
5:15 pm **Mass: Sacred Heart Chapel**

Community Life Activities for Adults this Week

Monday:
•Rosary with Mom's Group 8:30am, Landas house, email icmomsgroup@gmail.com for details
•After School Rosary 3:15pm Church
Tuesday:
•Lectio Divina, come read the Sunday scripture, meditate, and pray after 7:30am Mass in the PAC Resource Room
•Prayer Shawl Ministry 9am at Elmhurst College
Wednesday:
•Bible Study 9:30am PAC Resource Room
Thursday:
•Rosary with Mom's Group 8:00am, Hughes house, email icmomsgroup@gmail.com for details
•After School Rosary 3:15pm Church
Sunday:
•Spiritual Classics Discussion 10:15am PAC Resource Room
•Men's Basketball League 8:30pm, email patrick.heywood@gmail.com for more information

Deanery Events 2019

December:
12/4/19 (Wednesday) Women's Advent Night Out with "Tinsel, Silent, and Listen" Presentation and reflection by Dr. Mary Amore with light refreshments from 7:00 – 8:30 p.m. at Immaculate Conception in the Marian Room of the Parish Administration Center located at 134 Arthur. All are asked to bring donations to benefit a local women's shelter. Please see the flyer to be distributed for further details.
12/14/19 (Saturday) 7 Hours of Advent Reconciliation at IC Parish in the Church, 132 Arthur, 9am-4pm.

PRESENTATION SERIES

Eastern DuPage Deanery

Join Us as We Welcome Dr. Mary Amore

Tinsel, Silent, and Listen

An Advent Women's Night Out

Tinsel, Silent, and Listen are created from the same six letters of the alphabet; yet each word expresses a different reality. Join us for a wonderful evening of reflection and discussion as we explore the ways we can rearrange the letters of our life so that we can prayerfully prepare our lives for the coming of Jesus this Advent season.

December 4th from 7:00 pm – 8:30 pm
Light Refreshments will be Served
Registration is required.
Please go to easterndupagedeanery.org to sign up by filling out a very short form.
Event will be held at IC Parish, 134 Arthur Street, Elmhurst in the Marion Room
We are asking you to bring an item to donate to *Stepping Stones Women's Shelter*

7 Hours of Confession

When was the last time you received Reconciliation?
Was it recently? In the past year? Awhile ago?

You are invited to prepare your heart and soul for Christmas.
The priests of the 16 parishes of Eastern DuPage County will be available to celebrate the Sacrament of Healing.

Saturday, December 14, from 9 am until 4 pm in the Church

There will be select times when the Sacrament will be offered in both Polish and Spanish.
All Catholics are invited to receive God's grace.

Christ Renews His Parish

Women's Renewal Weekend
January 25th & 26th, 2020

Share Your Gifts With God's Children this Holiday Season! Help turn hunger into hope by packing food with Feed My Starving Children at the **Hope Filled Holiday** event at the **Schaumburg Convention Center**. The goal is to pack 1,000,000 meals during that weekend. Help FMSC reach that goal! Space has been reserved for a large group on **Saturday, November 23rd from 9:00 - 11:00 am**. Join other IC parishioners and friends to help make a difference in a child's life! Packing can be done by anyone 5 years or older, so bring your whole family and friends! You can sign up with this link https://www.fmsc.org/join-group?joincode=0EKP4G or go to FMSC.org and click the Volunteer tab and use **Join Code OEKP4G** to join the **Campbell Family** group. If all 100 spots in our group have been taken, you can still register to pack by visiting FMSC.org to volunteer at any of the times available. Please register by **November 17th**, so we may fill any open spots with others that may want to pack during that time. If you have any questions or problems registering, contact Donna Campbell, 630-832-4686 or donnaccampbell@att.net.

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BULLETIN DEADLINES
PLEASE NOTE!

Articles Due	Bulletin Date
November 18	December 1
November 29	December 8
December 6	December 15
December 9	December 22
December 16	December 29
December 16	January 5

Thank you!

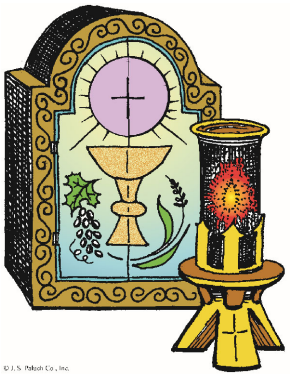
If you are new to our church or just visiting, please stop and introduce yourself. We are pleased to have you share in this celebration of the Eucharist. If you do not have a church home, or if your church is not a home to you, we invite you to become part of our parish family. We are so glad you're here and hope you will come back again for Mass or become a parishioner.

Pro-Life Holy Hour at Holy Ghost Church

The Knights of Columbus, Council of Catholic Women, and the Joliet Diocese Respect Life Office sponsor an opportunity for parishioners to join in life-saving prayers and to pray the Rosary at **Holy Ghost Church (254 N. Wood Dale Rd, Wood Dale, IL) on Tuesday, November 19 7:00 pm**

There will be Eucharistic Exposition, Benediction, and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.

With God's help, through the intercession of the Mother of God, the civilization of life will prevail and every effort will be made to defend human life, especially the small and vulnerable. Questions? Call Pat & Frank Rice 630-422-7045



The Immaculate Conception Tree Lot Will open the Saturday after Thanksgiving

The 1900 Club comprised of IC grade School Dads sells trees, wreaths and garland in the Church parking lot and all proceeds go to the grade school.

MONDAY-FRIDAY 6PM-9PM
SATURDAYS 10AM-8PM
SUNDAYS 10AM-5:30PM

If you would like to volunteer to help on the lot, please contact **Pete Dolan at** ictreelot@comcast.net

"It's Your Lucky Knight" Raffle

3 Chances to WIN BIG!!

One $25,000 Prize
One $15,000 Prize
One $10,000 Prize

Grand Prize Drawing February 21st at the ICGS Dinner Dance

Purchase tickets after masses the weekends of:
December 14-15th, January 11-12th, and February 8-9th

Or online at www.itsyourluckyknight.com

Tickets are $100 each and can be shared by a group!
Proceeds benefit ICGS.
Raffle underwritten by our generous Ultimate Sponsors:

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Lakeside Bank
It's about time.

Immaculate Conception Grade School 530-3490

State of Illinois "Invest in Kids Act" Tax Credit Scholarship Program (Also known as "EMPOWER")

Donors who give to a IC Grade School or IC Catholic Prep through Empower Illinois **by November 30th** will help fund a 2019-20 scholarship for one or more of our qualified students still awaiting funding.

* **$5,000** Funds a scholarship at a Catholic Elementary School
* **2,000** Students awaiting funding for a 2019-20 Scholarship
* **75%** Tax Credit you receive on your 2019 Illinois Taxes

If you have questions, please contact Barb at bgoworowski@iccatholicprep.org

IC Catholic Prep 530-3460

OPEN HOUSE

The event will be held throughout the buildings and spaces of the entire campus

IC Catholic Prep
217 Cottage Hill
Elmhurst, IL

2:00-4:30 pm

OPEN HOUSE provides your family the opportunity to tour our School's facilities and see the reasons why many families choose IC Catholic Prep. Register at ICCatholicPrep.org.

This event is free and open to the public.

Dec 3—Girls Basketball Youth Knight, 5:30pm

Dec 4—Parent Social, 6:30pm

Dec 7—Entrance Exam, 8am
Class of 2024

Dec 11—Boys Basketball & Dance Camp
Youth Knight, 5:30pm

Winter Market

Dec 1—Eaglewood Resort, 11:30am

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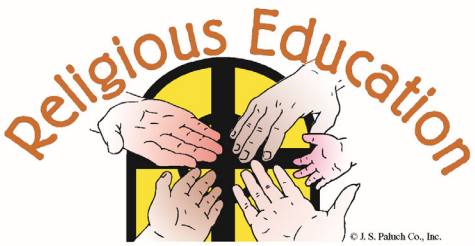
Religious Education 530-3483



Children's Church	Sunday RE	Wednesday RE
December 8	November 17	November 20
December 15	November 24	December 4
	December 8	December 11

Thank you to those 2nd Graders and their parents who attended the 1st Reconciliation session on Sunday, November 10. If you were not able to attend the scheduled session and your child will receive 1st Reconciliation in February, 2020 please contact Sr. Mary Francis to arrange for your attendance at one of the re-scheduled sessions. Thank you!

Mark your calendar! Family Advent Night is scheduled Tuesday, December 3 from 6:30-7:30 p.m. in MPH for children and their parents in Grades Kindergarten through 2nd Grade. RSVP is required. Contact Sr. Mary Francis.

7th Grade Reconciliation will take place during class time
Today, November 17th and Wednesday, November 20th.

The "Rite of Continuing Conversion" and the "Rite of Welcome" will be celebrated on November 24 at the 9:00AM Mass in the Chapel. Adults and children who are seeking to enter the Catholic Church or complete their Sacraments of Initiation, have been meeting since mid September and learning the basics of our faith. This Rite marks the beginning of a period of more intense spiritual preparation for the catechumens (unbaptized) and candidates (those already baptized) for the completion of their Christian initiation, which will occur during the Easter season, 2020. All individuals throughout the Diocese of Joliet will celebrate a welcoming rite at the Cathedral of St. Raymond Nonatus, celebrated by Bishop Conlon later that afternoon. Please keep the following individuals in your prayers as they journey towards a deeper relationship with God through our Catholic faith: Kseniya Babka Kelly, Kevin Sliva, Ryan Kelly, Alyssa Padilla, Nathan Macias, Jacob Gunther, Stephanie Quach, Isabella Bernardini, Isaly Martinez and Christina Rolon.

Christian Ministry needs **junior high students** to assist in parish holiday outreach. The following are eligible for service hours.

- **"Runners"** to take gifts down to MPH before each Mass the weekend of December 14/15.
- **Envelope Decorating and Tag Stringing for Thanksgiving and Christmas Outreach /** November 23 (9:00 – Noon).
- **Giving Tree Box Assembly /** December 14 (9:00 – 10:00)
- **Students and Families for Gift Sort /** December 15 at 6:15

Please RSVP to Pam at 630-530-3497.

Christian Ministry

THANKSGIVING OUTREACH COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND

We need **turkey breasts (for single or two-person households)**, as well as **gift cards in $25 increments** from Jewel, Aldi or Mariano's. Our outreach distribution occurs on Monday, November 25. Gift cards may be delivered to the Rectory through Friday, November 22 by noon.

May God bless you for your outstanding generosity to our outreach programs.

We still need volunteers to deliver and distribute Thanksgiving food baskets on Monday, November 25. Please consider donating a portion of your time to this endeavor. Thank you.

ONE WORLD

SAVE THE DATE!

Our sixth annual Fair-Trade artisans' market is coming to IC on Sunday, December 8 from 8:00AM – 2:00PM in MPH. We will have 15-20 artisans showcasing items ranging from jewelry to home décor to winter accessories and more. All items are one-of-a-kind and handcrafted by skilled artisans from over 15 developing countries.

Your purchase means fair wages and continuing work for artisans around the world, enabling them to dream and plan for a better future, helping pay for food, education, health care and education for their families. **If you have missed this market in the past, you won't want to miss it this year. Support fair trade – where your purchase makes a world of difference.**

Invest In Your World - Shop Fair Trade

DuPage PADS INC
Public Action to Deliver Shelter Inc.

Immaculate Conception hosts a **PADS** site on the third Saturday of each month from October - April. Hundreds of volunteers are needed to help pick up and deliver food (from the Rectory to the PADS site), prepare food, serve our guests, be present for the overnight hours, prepare breakfast and lunches and clean up. **You do NOT need to help each and every month. This is an outstanding way for our eighth-grade students to obtain some service hours.**

We can't do this without you! Please contact Sheryl at sloanfamily173@gmail.com if you can help in some way.

OUR ANNUAL TRANSITIONAL HOUSING FREE WILL DONATION WILL BE TAKEN AT THE THANKSGIVING MASS.

Dear IC Parish – Every year we are amazed at the number and quality of coats and cold weather items from your coat drive which are donated to the Elmhurst Clothing Center. The folks coming through our doors were so happy and thankful. From the tiniest infants to the elderly seniors, you have blessed so many with the gift of warmth. Thank you again and again for your generous donations. Grace and peace to you.
Beth / Elmhurst Clothing Center Director

Stewardship of Treasure

Weekly Sharing
November 3, 2019

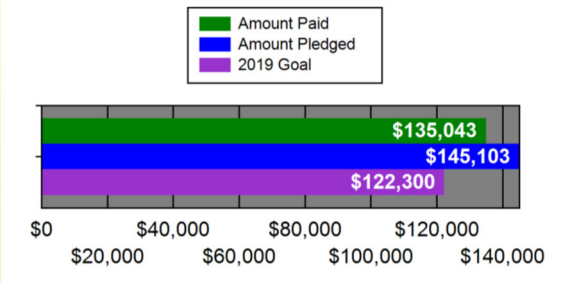
Sunday Envelopes Total:	$ 17,009.73
Electronic Offerings:	$ 11,716.08
Total Gifts:	$ 28,725.81
Amount Budgeted Per Week:	$ 29,310.00
Total Funds Collected 7/1-11/3/19	$498,825.11
Amount Budgeted:	$527,580.00
Budget over/(under) to date:	($28,754.89)

Thank You in His Name!

SIGNS OF HOPE
Diocese of Joliet Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal

Your Gift Makes a Difference!

Our 2019 parish goal is $122,300. We have received $135,043 of the $145,103 in pledges as of 11/10/19!



Stewardship of Time

Time	Lectors	Servers	Eucharistic Ministers
Saturday, Nov 23 5:15 PM	B. Buis (1) G. Libby (2)	P. McConnell (1) N. Levy (2) T. Macariola (3) E. Cook (4)	T. Brandstatter M. Cadaoas, D. Diks B. Geary, J. Korinek J. McConnell, S. Scott
Sunday, Nov 24 7:30 AM	T. Brown (1) R. Cello (2)	J. Petkus (1) S. Lara (2) R. Herrera (3) A. Hill (4)	P. Cello, A. Chiappetta W. Dudek, M. Gieser D. Groth, L. Hays T. Miller
Sunday, Nov 24 9:00 AM	M. Ashton (1) S. Whiteside (2)	M. Karsten (1) M. DiMarco (2) E. Whiteside (3) L. Wilson (4)	A. Crnkovich, B. Harezlak M. Karsten, A. Karsten C. Knable, L. Ross K. Sullivan
Sunday, Nov 24 11:30 AM	L. Kalina (2)	D. Libert (1) L. Reedy (2) J. Gabato (3) G. Jara (4)	T. Cahill, M. Durkin D. Feely, D. Garcia B. Geary, P. Krol
Sunday, Nov 24 5:15 PM	R. Barnish (1) J. Vosicky (2)	M. McNamara (1) J. Schierl (2) O. Nybo (3) I. Szetela (4)	J. Carroll, M. Maher J. McNamara, M. Pierotti N. Shonts, D. Tharp

Presider Mass Schedule

November 23 & 24

5:15 **Fr. James assisted by D. John and Brian Geary**
7:30 **Fr. Tom assisted by D. Michael (homily)**
9:00 **Fr. Tom assisted by D. Michael (homily)**
11:30 **Fr. James assisted by Brian Geary**
5:15 **Fr. Jason Stone**

***Presider Schedule is subject to change**

Attention all Liturgical Ministers!

(Lectors, Altar Servers, Eucharistic Ministers & Ushers)

Christmas and New Year's Masses!

Sign-up sheets will be in the Narthex after all Masses
during the weekends of November 23rd and 24th and November 30th and December 1st.

Sign-up online begins December 4th

For those of you who do not have access to email or have a special family member who will be in town for the holidays and is qualified to volunteer, please call Barb Repking at 630.530.3479

Thank you!