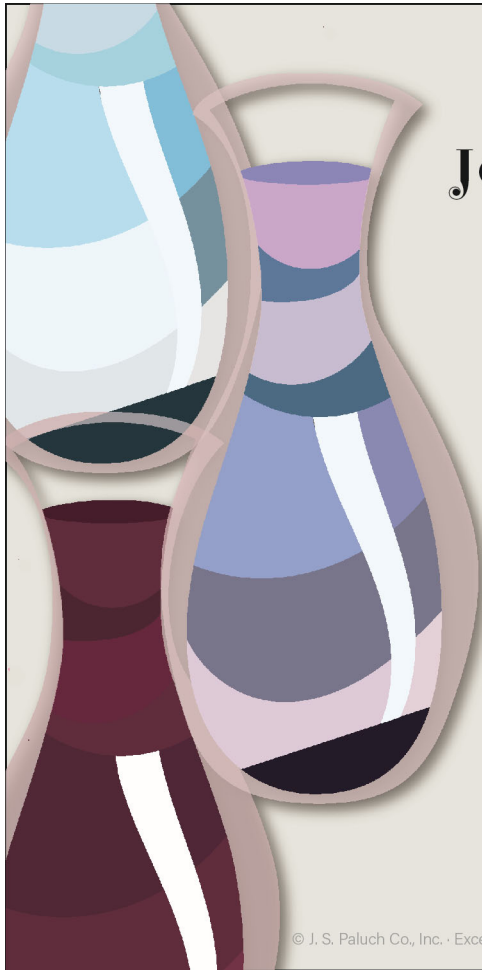


Immaculate Conception Parish Bulletin

Very Reverend Thomas Paul, V. F. K.H.S., Pastor
Reverend Santiago Corona Bernal, Parochial Vicar



JOHN 2:10 “You have kept
the good wine
until now.”

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

January 16, 2022

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Parish Office Hours: Monday—Thursday 8:30 a.m. ~ 4:30 p.m.

Friday: 8:30 a.m. ~ Noon

Phone: 530-8515

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Eastern DuPage Deanery: easterndupagedeanery.org

Facebook @ICElmhurst

NEW PARISHIONERS, WELCOME!



Please click on “New to IC?” on our parish website homepage or call the office at 530-8515 for more information.

Mass Times: Monday-Friday 6:15am and 7:30am

Saturday 8:00am and 4:30pm

Sunday 7:30am, 9:00am, 11:30am, and 7:00pm

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Saturday: After 4:30pm Mass until 6pm



Bishop Hicks' Column

January 2022 | A New Year's
resolution: Re-educating
ourselves on the Eucharist



In the days following Thanksgiving this year, I was with a group of friends who are my age (mid-50s). Most of them have children who recently graduated from or are still in either high school or college. Our conversation turned to the Eucharist. I was shocked that even though they are Catholic, a few of my friends and many of their children believe that the bread and wine we receive at Mass are symbols of Christ's presence. Immediately I went into my teaching mode and emphasized that the Eucharist was instituted by Jesus. With the words of consecration, under the appearance of bread and wine, the whole of Christ is truly present: body, blood, soul and divinity. Now, this was not a theological debate, and I actually did not receive much pushback from my exhortation. However, one of the college students simply responded to me without any contention or guile, "Hmmm, is that what we really believe? I did not know that."

This encounter reflects the data and studies that show many Catholics do not believe in or fully understand the real presence of Christ in the Eucharist. As we begin 2022, many of us have made a New Year's resolution. I would like to invite you to join me in a New Year's resolution to re-educate ourselves about the Eucharist. For no matter how educated or faithful we are, we are constantly being invited by our Lord to go deeper in our faith and understanding of the Eucharist.

The document "The Mystery of the Eucharist in the Life of the Church" was developed by the Committee on Doctrine of the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB). It was approved by the full body of the USCCB at its November 2021 general meeting. The document highlights the importance, centrality, and gifts of the Eucharist. If you have not had the chance to read the document, I invite you to learn more about it by going to the following link on the USCCB website: www.usccb.org/resources/mystery-eucharist-life-church. You will notice that you can not only read the document, but also click on a comprehensive online course to learn more about it.

We should continuously strive to grow in our knowledge of the Eucharist and our faith in our Lord, Jesus Christ. However, as we learn more, our hearts

will hopefully grow with a deep love for God and the Eucharist. Once this love becomes strong, the love of God through the Eucharist will become the central focus and priority of our lives. As St. Ignatius of Antioch said, "I have no taste for the food that perishes nor for the pleasures of this life. I want the bread of God, which is the flesh of Christ, which is love that cannot be destroyed."

Along with the document on the Eucharist, the USCCB also announced a National Eucharistic Congress that will take place in Indianapolis in 2024. Eucharistic congresses are gatherings of clergy, religious and the laity to celebrate and glorify the Holy Eucharist while seeking to spread its knowledge and love throughout the world. The National Eucharistic Congress is the culmination of a three-year eucharistic revival in the Catholic Church, which begins on the feast of Corpus Christi on June 16, 2022. For more details about this revival, I invite you to go to the following site: www.eucharisticrevival.org

Hopefully, this eucharistic revival will serve as a spark for Catholics across the United States to help reignite their faith by being healed, converted, formed and unified by an encounter with Jesus in the Eucharist and to be sent out in mission "for the life of the world." For as we receive Christ in the Eucharist, our desire is to be strengthened to go out into the world and to put our faith into action through the corporal and spiritual works of mercy. In other words, the Eucharist nourishes us to be the face of Jesus for those who need him most. This echoes St. Teresa of Kolkata's words, "We cannot say that we love Jesus only in the Eucharist – naturally, we want to put that love into action. We cannot separate the Eucharist and the poor."

As you read this column, perhaps it will motivate you to embrace a New Year's resolution to re-educate yourself on the Eucharist. For if the Eucharist is truly the source and summit of the Christian life, then we will be eager to fully embrace the words of Jesus, who said, "I am the living bread that came down from heaven; whoever eats this bread will live forever; and the bread that I will give is my flesh for the life of the world." (John 6:51) †

WE ARE IC! Capital Campaign

Naming opportunities are still available for many items in the Sacred Heart Chapel. The following three windows have been committed and are in production: St. Maximilian Kolbe, St. Francis Xavier Cabrini, and St. Gianna Baretta Molla. There are still three open panels for saints and their symbols. We also continue to welcome donations to the general campaign fund for the Sacred Heart Chapel Renovation. There are six complete and partial pews remaining. If you donated a pew memorial, you will receive a letter in the upcoming weeks to confirm the spelling of your plaque. After all are confirmed, the plaques will be ordered and placed in the pews. Thank you for your continued generosity. **We ARE IC!!!**

Naming Opportunities

There are several ways to remember deceased loved ones, or honor the living, as part of the **We are IC** capital campaign. If you should choose to make a gift at one of these levels, or would like more information, please contact Catey Cohen in the parish office at 630-530-8991.

ITEM TO RESERVE	QUANTITY	AMOUNT TO RESERVE IN PERPETUITY
<u>Sacred Heart Chapel Renovation</u>		
Pews (Can do partial pews for \$500, \$1,000, and \$1,500)	5	\$ 3,000 each
Sacred Heart Shrine Memorial Candle Holders	2	\$ 3,000 each
Additional Sanctuary Chairs (servers /seminarians /additional priests)	5	\$ 5,000 each
Altar Candles	5	\$ 5,000 each
ProceSSIONAL Candles for Servers	2	\$ 5,000 each
Exterior Glass Panels (above Arthur St center doors)	1	\$ 5,000
Reconciliation Rooms	2	\$ 10,000 each
Stations of the Cross	12	\$ 15,000 each
Sacristy Updates	1	\$ 20,000
Sound System	1	\$ 30,000

Saint Windows \$ 25,000 each

At the present time, there are 3 areas for depictions of saints and their symbols. This list includes some suggested saints to be honored, however a donor may choose another particular saint.

- Saint Pope John XXIII
- Saint Isaac Jogues
- Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton
- Saint John Neuman
- Saint Kateri Tekakwitha
- Saint Damien of Molokai
- Saint Marianne Cope

- Saint Peregrine (Smaller window set located in the northwest corner of Sacred Heart Chapel where a statue and shrine will also be located) \$ 15,000

*The amounts shown are established as sacrificial memorials to help Immaculate Conception complete the **We are IC** capital campaign. Any amount in excess of the actual completed cost of the memorial item will be included in the general campaign fund.*



Worship

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — As a bridegroom rejoices in his bride, so God rejoices in the chosen Zion and Jerusalem (Isaiah 62:1-5).

Psalm — Proclaim his marvelous deeds to all the nations (Psalm 96).

Second Reading — All the varied gifts and talents found in the Christian community are products of the same Spirit (1 Corinthians 12:4-11).

Gospel — At a wedding festival in Cana, Jesus changes water into wine at his mother's request (John 2:1-11).

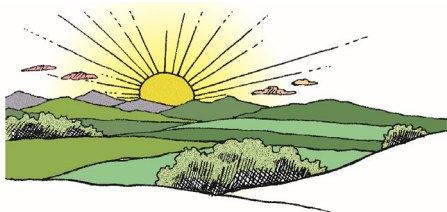
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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:	1 Sm 15:16-23; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21, 23; Mk 2:18-22
Tuesday:	1 Sm 16:1-13; Ps 89:20-22, 27-28; Mk 2:23-28
Wednesday:	1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51; Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10; Mk 3:1-6
Thursday:	1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7; Ps 56:2-3, 9-13; Mk 3:7-12
Friday:	1 Sm 24:3-21; Ps 57:2-4, 6, 11; Mk 3:13-19
Saturday:	2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27; Ps 80:2-3, 5-7; Mk 3:20-21, <i>or any of a number of readings for the Day of Prayer</i>
Sunday:	Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10; Ps 19:8-10, 15; 1 Cor 12:12-30 [12-14, 27]; Lk 1:1-4; 4:14-21

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday:	Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday:	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
Tuesday:	Week of Prayer for Christian Unity begins
Wednesday:	Julian Calendar Theophany (Epiphany)
Thursday:	St. Fabian; St. Sebastian
Friday:	St. Agnes
Saturday:	Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children



You can follow the readings for Mass each day by visiting <http://usccb.org/> and selecting the date on the calendar on the right.

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, JANUARY 17

6:15AM:†Emil Cerek

7:30AM:†David Wilson

†Roy Fisher / Jane Kiep

TUESDAY, JANUARY 18

6:15AM:†Mercedes & Ronald Stedman /

Ron & Linda Stedman

8:00AM:†Tom Revane / Family

†Jacqueline Fratella / ICGS

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 19

6:15AM:†Bogdan Matuszewski / Barbara &

Christopher Lucas

7:30AM:†Marcie Morgan and the Deceased

members of the Morgan / Hayes Family / Family

THURSDAY, JANUARY 20

6:15AM:†Annette Cardone

7:30AM:†Jean Payne / Grace Barney

FRIDAY, JANUARY 21

6:15AM:†William Arenz

8:00AM:†Edward Wolski / ICGS

SATURDAY, JANUARY 22

8:00AM:†Bertram Anthony Corrado / Karin

Broton

4:30PM:†John (Jack) Libert / Maher Family

SUNDAY, JANUARY 23

7:30AM:†Michael Galvin / ICCP

9:00AM:†John Moran / Hill Family

†Richard Renwick / Parrish Family

†Edith Sagilio / Judy Sagilio

†Frank Perry / ICCP

11:30AM:†Judge Thomas Cawley / Calles

Family

7:00PM:†IC Parish Family

2022 ENGAGED COUPLES

Brenna Dunckel & Scott Blaszak 3/19

Francesca Cozzi & Matthew Collins 5/28

Katrina Skarzynski & Matthew Shannon 6/4

Ali Julian & Michael Romano 6/11

Natalie Wilbur & Colin Hohman 7/9



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.

Cadaoas, Nick
Collado, AnnaBelle
Darley, Reginald
LaBelle, Christine

LaBelle, Marty
LaMonica, Don
Mallon, Mark
Perez, Aaron

On January 1st, we started a new Pray For list. If you would like your name or that of a loved one listed, please email ulletin@icelmhurst.org or call 630-530-8991.

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



Candle Intentions

Each week from Sunday to Sunday, the candles near the Shrine of St. Peregrine and the Shrine of the Sacred Heart will each be lit with special intentions. Visit the Parish office if you would like to reserve the intention in memory of a loved one or for a living prayer.

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 December at IC:

- ◆ Ada Virginia Walsh
- ◆ Kenzie Roma Gardner

Our Troops

- Lt. Joe Doyle**, US Army, Son of Deb and Tom Doyle
- 1st Lt. Ryan Kenny**, USMC, Son of Mary Beth Kenny
- 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
- Recruit Garrett Gong**, USMC
- LCpl. Troy Rosenbury**, USMC
- Cpl. Zack Bright**, USMC
- Sgt. Ben Bright**, USMC, Friend of the Genthe Family
- Cpl. Vincent Joseph Genthe**, USMC Son of Denise Genthe
- Capt. Jeffrey Robbins**, USMC, Son of Barb & Larry Robbins, Grandson of Georgiana Ryan
- Maj. Kevin Mott**, US Army
Nephew of Greg & Mary Pat Vanderlaan
- Paul Hornstra**, USMC, ICHS Class of '09
Son of Paul and Dawn Hornstra
- Cpl. Brittney Young**, US Army,
Cousin of Denise and John Doherty
- Lt. Joe Shannon**, US Navy, Son of John & Maria Shannon
- 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 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
- 1st Lt. Dylan Sullivan**, US Army
- PFC. Cavan Sullivan**, US Army
Grandsons of Mary Sullivan
- Capt. 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
- 1st Lt. Francesca Cervone**, US Army, ICCP Class of '15,
Daughter of Jeanmarie Cervone,
Granddaughter of Cay Calcagno
- 1st Lt. Molly Manion**, EOD US Army, ICCP Class of '15,
Daughter of Tom & Nancy Manion
Granddaughter of Rita Manion
- MAJ Thomas Gildea**, US Army, Husband of Karina,
Father of Enya, Grace, and Ignacio
- 1st Lt. Kyle Koch**, 1st Cavalry Division US Army, ICCP Class of '15, son of Laura & Paul Koch
- Capt. Carla A. Schuit**, US Army Reserves,
Daughter of Lisa Schuit
- 1st Lt. Grayson Becker**, US Army
- CDR Kevin Groch**, US Navy, Grandson of Marie Groch



This Week's Schedule

Monday, 1/17	6:15am and 7:30am Mass Church
Tuesday, 1/18	6:15am and 8:00am (ICGS) Mass Church
Wednesday, 1/19	6:15am and 7:30am Mass Church
Thursday, 1/20	6:15am and 7:30am Mass Church
Friday, 1/21	6:15am and 8:00am (ICGS) Mass Church 6:00pm Roe v. Wade Memorial Mass Church
Saturday, 1/22	8:00am Mass Church 4:30pm Mass Sacred Heart Chapel
*Reconciliation will take place following the 4:30pm Mass until 6pm	
Sunday, 1/23	7:30am Mass Church 9:00am Mass Sacred Heart Chapel 11:30am Mass Sacred Heart Chapel 7:00pm Mass Church



On Tuesdays and Fridays, when there is a Grade School Mass at 8:00 am, masses will be celebrated at 6:15 and 8:00am. On these days there will be no 7:30 am mass. When there is not a grade school mass, masses will be celebrated at 6:15 and 7:30 am. Those who regularly attend the 7:30 am mass are encouraged and welcome to participate either in the 6:15 or 8:00 am masses when there is not a 7:30 am mass. Please note the change in schedule this week.

IN Person Mass Attendance Guidelines

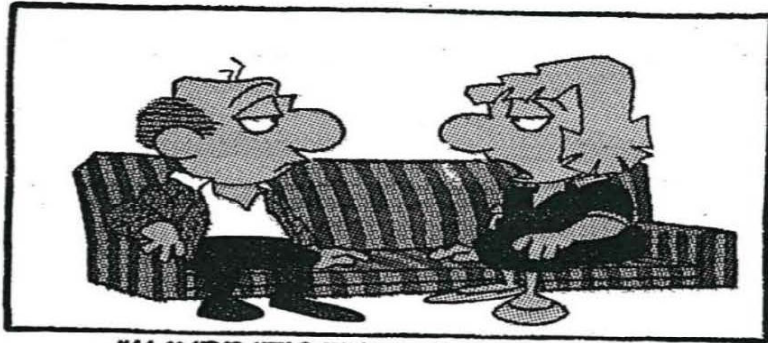
- No reservations are needed.
- Per CDC guidelines, all parishioners are required to wear masks inside the church, regardless of vaccination status.
- All pews are used.
- The exception to the above will be for those people who are more comfortable in a designated seating area where social distancing is still kept. The side aisle of pews nearest the music on the east side of the church will be reserved for those people who wish to social distance and remain in their pews for Communion.
- If it is your preference to receive Holy Communion on the tongue, please let the greeter know. We ask that you sit on the left (east) side of the church in either of the sections where the priest typically distributes Communion. These sections include the purple section or the green section. Those in the green section are asked to come up last to receive Communion on the tongue so the priest has the opportunity to sanitize his hands as he distributes the Eucharist.
- Everyone may now sing.
- Two lectors read at each Mass from the ambo.
- Hospitality Ministers bring collection baskets through the aisles.
- Presentation of the gifts occurs after the collection.

The following items will not change at the present time:

- The church will continue to be sanitized on a daily basis.
- No Holy water will be in the fonts.
- Please continue to sanitize your hands both as you enter church and before you receive Communion.
- The Sign of Peace should be shared without physical contact.
- There will not be distribution of the Precious Blood.
- Dispensation from in-person Mass attendance remains in place.



“Re-‘NEW YEAR’ ” Relationship in 2022!



"MAYBE IT'S TIME TO GIVE LIVING HAPPILY EVER AFTER A TRY."

- Feeling a little disconnected from your spouse?
- Added stressors starting to impact your marriage?
- Is it time to remind yourselves:

I Still Do!

Just in time for St Valentine’s Day

~Share the gift of time with your loved one

by joining Karin McNicholas, LCSW and her husband Dennis for a

FOUR (4) SESSION WORKSHOP

enjoyed via Zoom in the privacy of your own home, that will give you the practical tools you can use to

~Reconnect

~Refresh

~Rejuvenate.

Beginning Wednesday **January 19 at 7PM** and continuing weekly through February 9 these 90 minute sessions will afford you the opportunity to have Karin and Denny guide you through exercises that will allow you to connect on a deeper level as you build your relationship and strengthen your marriage. The sharing between spouses is accomplished in complete privacy.

There is no cost to take part in this workshop

Registration is required to receive materials and zoom link

<https://forms.gle/BKPhcujeFpEQLLo6> Deadline is NOON on Jan 17th

NOTE! A min of 10 couples is required to run the program with a max of 20 couples

To view Karin and Denny’s credentials, please visit [facebook.com/EasternDupageMarriageMinistry/](https://www.facebook.com/EasternDupageMarriageMinistry/)



For Questions email: EasternDupageMEM@gmail.com



IC Catholic Prep

IC Grade School



**IMMACULATE CONCEPTION
GRADE SCHOOL**
630-530-3490
 ICGS New Student registration is now **OPEN!**
 Call or email
 Mrs. Wachholder at 630.530.3490
swachholder@icgradeschoolelmhurst.org
 to schedule a tour or to start the registration process.

JOIN US FOR THE
Knight of Jewels

to help support our community &
 the future of our students

Saturday, March 19, 2022

7:00-10:00 PM

at the Elmhurst Hall
 119 N York St, Elmhurst 60126

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Cocktail Attire

Includes hors d'oeuvres, open bar, music, dancing and raffles.
 Enjoy opportunities to win dozens of extraordinary prizes!

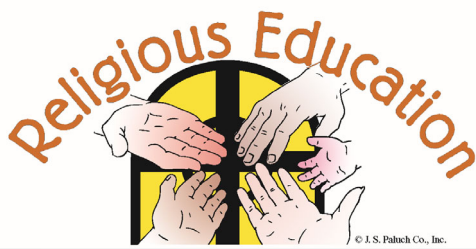
Proceeds benefit the ICCP community.

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 To purchase tickets and sponsorship, please visit
<https://one.bidpal.net/koj2022>

RSVP by March 2, 2022

Scenes from the
 ICGS Christmas Program
 Held virtually this year!





Sunday RE

January 16

January 23

February 6

Wednesday RE

January 19

January 26

February 9

Sr. Mary Francis, DRE K-5
srmmaryfrancis@icelmhurst.org
Josephine Bastianoni, DRE 6,7,8,
jbastianoni@icelmhurst.org

There will be no Religious Education on Sunday, January 30th or Wednesday, February 2nd.

- ALL RE children and parents are reminded to wear a mask during the RE sessions. Kindly review our Health and Safety Guidelines prior to sending your child to class. Thank you for keeping us all well and safe.
- The sacrament of 1st Reconciliation will be celebrated on Monday, February 7th and Tuesday, February 8th. Children and parents are reminded to pray the Act of Contrition daily in preparation of receiving the sacrament. Final details concerning the celebration will be forthcoming.
- Confirmation Candidates have begun their letters to our pastor. During the month of February, Confirmation interviews will be held. Please continue to check our website for details. Catechists and teachers should be sending out information as needed.

**Grade 5 Reconciliation January 16th and January 19th
Grade 4 Reconciliation February 13th and February 16th**

The Act of Contrition

The Act of Contrition is usually associated with the Sacrament of Reconciliation, but Catholics should also pray it every day as part of their normal prayer life. Recognizing our sins is an important part of our spiritual growth. Unless we acknowledge our sins and ask for God's forgiveness, we cannot receive the grace that we need to become better Christians. There are many, many forms of the Act of Contrition. Here is the Act of Contrition that our second graders are taught in anticipation of the Sacrament. This is the prayer they will use through 8th grade. We encourage you to pray and practice this with your children.

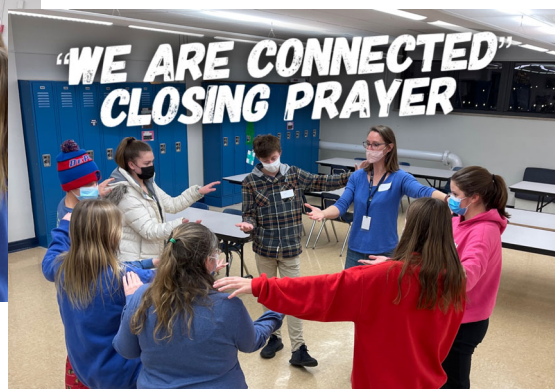
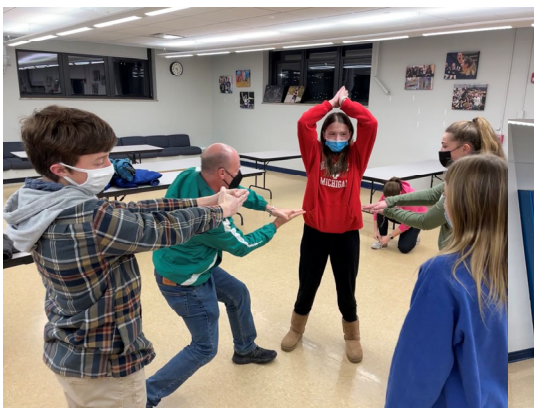
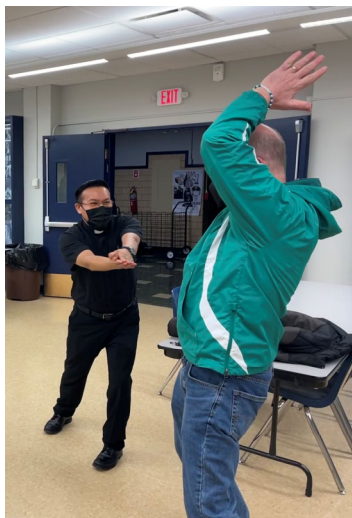
My God, I am sorry for my sins with all my heart. In choosing to do wrong and failing to do good, I have sinned against You whom I should love above all things. I firmly intend, with Your help, to do penance, sin no more, and to avoid whatever led me to sin. Amen



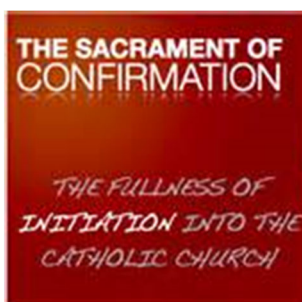
Youth Ministry

The Students of Impact Gathering in January was a great success! Brave students (from three high schools) came out in the cold and ice had a great time! We played The "WA!" Game and Ninja Fr. James played too! We shared goals and BIG DREAMS we have for this year and our futures.

God speaks to us through Jeremiah 29:11 and says: God has plans for you to have a prosperous future full of hope! All the students participated enthusiastically and were encouraged to tap into the power and guidance of the Holy Spirit as they figure out God's plan for their lives in every arena: relationships, personal goals, academics, family, future plans, etc. Thank you to everyone who prays for the high school students and helps to spread the word! Our next Students of Impact Gathering will be on Sunday, February 27th 5:30- 7 pm.



Faith Formation



Are you an adult Catholic who has not yet been confirmed?

Are you a teen or do you have a teen that is not confirmed and would like to be?

Immaculate Conception will offer Confirmation classes for **teens and adults** who wish to be confirmed, beginning on **Tuesday, April 19** from 6:30 – 8:00 PM. Classes will be held either via Zoom or in person at the Parish Administration Center. We will meet for **four sessions**:

April 19, April 26, May 3 and May 10.

You do not need to be a member of Immaculate Conception Parish to participate in these classes. Teens will be confirmed at Immaculate Conception with our eighth grade Students on May 13, 2022 at 7:00pm. Adults will be confirmed at the Cathedral of St. Raymond in Joliet on Sunday, May 15 or Sunday, June 5 at 2:00 PM. To register or to obtain additional information, please contact Pam Stefik at 630-530-3497.

Christian Ministry



Immaculate Conception Daybreak Transitional Housing for the Homeless Annual Appeal / 2021

Please prayerfully consider responding to the needs of the homeless. 100% of your donation is used for rent and utilities. We need your financial support to support our five apartments which house our homeless families. May God bless you abundantly for your generosity.

Please remit donations to IC Daybreak of Elmhurst, P. O. Box 2033, Elmhurst, IL 60126



DAYBREAK TRANSITIONAL HOUSING MENTOR TRAINING


Have you considered becoming a mentor in our transitional housing program? Virtual Mentor Training is being held on January 22, 2022. Registration can be found at www.bridgecommunities.org/support us. For additional information about the Daybreak program, please contact Pam Stefik at 630-530-3497.

Volunteers are needed in the following ministries: IC Food Pantry, Daybreak Transitional Housing, Bereavement, and Kitchen Angels. All ministries can generally fit your personal timetable. Please consider sharing your presence and talent with your parish community. Contact Pam Stefik At 630-530-3497 for additional information on these opportunities.



“SOUPER BOWL” SUNDAY FEBRUARY 13, 2022

ICGS and ICCP students, along with IC Parish, will collectively join in our sixth annual “Souper Bowl” Sunday. If you would like to donate soup, please bring it to the rectory during normal business hours or drop it off at the food pantry from 10:00 to noon M-F. Soup is a winter staple in most households and our food pantry benefits greatly from this collection. All types of canned soup are welcome. Thanks for participating!

Give Blood...

Give Life.

Immaculate Conception’s Blood Drive will be held in MPH on February 6 from 8:30 – 1:30. To schedule your appointment, call Vitalant at 877.258.4825 or visit vitalant.org and use group code: **ORD0EH07**.

Now, more than ever, blood supplies are extremely limited and winter months are always especially difficult. Please plan to sign up and give the gift of life. Thank you.

NAMI HelpLine
 1-800-950-NAMI (6264) or Info@nami.org
The NAMI HelpLine can be reached Monday–Friday, 10 am–8 pm, ET.

HelpLine staff and volunteers are prepared to answer your questions about mental health



 **Veterans Crisis Line**
 **Military Crisis Line**
 1-800-273-8255 **PRESS 1**

NATIONAL SUICIDE PREVENTION LIFELINE
 1-800-273-TALK (8255)
suicidepreventionlifeline.org

**Stewardship of Time and Treasure****Presider Schedule
January 22 & 23**

4:30pm Fr. Tom / Deacon John
 7:30am Fr. James
 9:00am Fr. James
 11:30am Fr. Tom
 7:00pm Fr. Tom

**Weekly Sharing
December 19, 2021**

Sunday Envelopes Total: \$ 32,955.00
 Electronic Offerings: \$ 14,887.04
 Total Gifts: \$ 47,842.04
 Amount Budgeted Per Week: \$ 28,000.00

Thank You in His Name!

	Lector	Altar Server	EM	Greeter
Jan. 22 4:30pm	T. Paprocki (1) A. Paprocki (2)	C. Dewbray N. Dewbray	D. Carter	T. Kaiser
Jan. 23 7:30am	J. Kenneally (1) E. Landas (2)	L. Mullins	T. Miller	J. Callahan M. Smith
Jan. 23 9:00am	R. Cello (1) M. Ashton (2)	J. DiMarco S. Lara	M. Ahern M. Kapsch A. Karsten	M. Tovey M. Tovey
Jan. 23 11:30am	R. Tuttle (1) L. Kalina (2)	J. Roelle W. Gibbons	M. Pope	J. Viola M. Durkin
Jan. 23 7:00pm	R. Cello (1)			C. Cohen

An Immaculate Conception Parishioner is interested in selling two cemetery plots. They are located at Chapel Hill Garden, Garden of Good Samaritan, lot 112-A, Spaces 3&4, \$4150 total. Please call the parish office if interested. Thank you.

**Support the works of the Lord through the 2022 Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal**

The 2022 Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal (CMAA) is now underway, and we are asking everyone to pledge their support to this important effort for our diocese and our parish. This year's CMAA theme, *Devoted to the Works of the Lord*, illustrates how the many ministries our annual appeal supports allow us to join together to do God's work throughout our diocese. From helping the poor and vulnerable to forming future priests and educating people of all ages in the faith, the ministries funded through your gifts are far more extensive than our parish could provide on its own.

Our Immaculate Conception Parish Goal for this year is \$114,200. This is a great opportunity for our parish as 70 percent of any amount we raise over our goal will be returned to us. Please review the materials and prayerfully reflect on your gift to this year's annual appeal.

If you do not receive a CMAA mailing, please contact the parish office to request one.

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