



Immaculate Conception Church

Parish Established 1856

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Masses.....Saturday 5:30 P.M.
 Sunday 9:00 A.M.
 Holy Day 10:00 A.M. & 7:00 P.M.
 Weekday 10:00 A.M.

Religious Instructions .. Sunday 10:30-11:45

Baptism Please arrange with the pastor in advance to discuss pre-baptismal instructions.

Marriage By appointment with the Pastor at least nine months prior to the date of marriage.

Reconciliation (Confession) ... Thirty minutes before weekend Masses — or by appointment.

25TH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME
September 18, 2011

Collection Report

Receipts for the weekend of
Sept. 10th–11th.....\$1,569
Catholic University\$189

Calendar

- ◆ **Religious Ed.** 10:30 AM
Sunday September 18th
- ◆ **Spirit of Life Relay Team**
after Mass Sun. Sept. 18th
- ◆ **Wedding Anniv. Liturgy**
Cathedral Sun. Sept. 18th
- ◆ **Rosary Luncheon**
11:00 AM Wed. Sept. 21st
- ◆ **Food Pantry** 11:00 AM
Friday September 23rd
- ◆ **Autumn Begins** Friday
September 23rd
- ◆ **Day of Reflection** 9:00 AM
Mt. Aloysius Sat. Sept. 24th
- ◆ **Retired Priests Med. Coll.**
September 24th–25th
- ◆ **RCIA Inquiry** fol. Mass
Sunday September 25th

Pray for
Vocations



Mass Intentions

- Sat. Sep. 175:30 PM ... **Barbara Kessler** by the Rosary Society
Lector: Jane Brown. Eucharistic Ministers: Judy Ford, Gloria Ritchey, Jane Brown
- Sun. Sep. 18 9:00 AM ... **Barbara Lucas Sodano** by sister Aggie
Lector: Pat Carnell. Eucharistic Ministers: Eugennie Treece, Zane Treece, Kirby Lockard
- Mon. Sep. 19 ... 10:00 AM ... **Health of Lisa T. Wright**
 by friends Zane and Eugennie Treece
- Tue. Sep. 20 ... 10:00 AM ... **Pastor's Mass**
- Wed. Sep. 21 ... 10:00 AM ... **Alice and Victor Lazor** by the Estate
- Thur. Sep. 22 ... 10:00 AM ... **People's Mass**
- Fri. Sep. 23*No Mass*
- Sat. Sep. 245:30 PM ... **Michael Pavlicko**
 by sister Katherine Macaluso
Lector: Linda Clapper. Eucharistic Ministers: Theresa Minnick, Dan Reed, Mary Kay Clark
- Sun. Sep. 25 9:00 AM ... **Florence E. Bonhage** (would have been 100 on September 3rd) by daughter Elizabeth B. Miller
Lector: Kirby Lockard. Eucharistic Ministers: Michele Neuharth, Kirby Lockard, Aaron Neuharth

Liturgical Reflection on the Revised Missal:

“Thanksgiving”

All the Eucharistic Prayers in the revised *Roman Missal* have been newly translated. The priest-presider will learn new words to the traditional ritual. The Eucharistic Prayer is the summit of the celebration of the Mass. It is a prayer of thanksgiving and sanctification. The word “Eucharist” comes from the Greek and is literally translated as “thanksgiving.” The entire assembly of the faithful joins itself to Christ in offering sacrifice to God, and in turn Christ is offered to the Church in his Body and Blood.

PARISH GUIDE TO IMPLEMENTING THE ROMAN MISSAL, USCCB, 2010, APPENDIX A: GLOSSARY OF TERMS

Religious Education

Our parish CCD classes continue today. It is **very important** that all our students attend class every week to learn more about our Christian faith, so please encourage the young people in your family to attend.

Christian Education

Inquiry Sessions for RCIA will begin next Sunday September 25th following Mass. You may think of RCIA as preparation for those wishing to embrace the Catholic faith (“converts”), but it is also for “fallen away” Catholics who are thinking about returning to the Church, and for **any** parishioner of **any** age who would like a refresher course on their Catholic Christian faith. Everyone welcome to attend! No obligation. Questions?—please talk to Shirley Crawshaw.

Rosary Society Luncheon

You are invited to an informal get-together this Wednesday morning the 21st at eleven o'clock. Attorney Aaron Neuharth will talk about wills and a light lunch will be served. **Everyone** is invited...men, women, Catholics, Protestants. We do need to know how many people will attend, so please sign the sheet in the back of church, or call Jane 635-3780 or René 635-3349 and leave a message as to how many are coming, and if you have any questions. Sponsored by our Rosary Society.

A Lifetime of Service, A Moment of Thanks

As outlined on the insert in today's bulletin, next week we ask you to help with the ever increasing costs of retirement and health care for our diocesan priests. By the way, you may remember a former pastor at Immaculate Conception (now a Monsignor) shown on the lower right of the photo, holding a book.

March for Life

If you plan to attend the March for Life in Washington on January 23rd: there is a **Youth Rally and Mass for Life** prior to the March. Due to limited seating, any youth (and chaperones) must obtain a **ticket** in advance. Our parish will report to the Diocese the number of tickets needed for the rally by October 1st.

Catholic Reflection

The **Catholic Life Conference Day of Reflection** will be held Saturday, September 24th, 9:00–2:30 at Mount Aloysius College in Cresson. The theme is “Disciples of Christ: People of the Eucharist.” For more information, or to register, please contact Francine Swope 693-1401 or fswope@dioceseaj.org.

Respect for Life

The life issues (abortion, euthanasia, embryonic cell research) put us in touch with one aspect of humanity: They show what we are capable of when we lose our moorings, when we are not guided by clear thinking on right and wrong.

Relay for Life

Tickets now available for Basket Bingo on Nov. 20th ... see Jane Brown, Karen Watkins, or Linda Droblich. To sponsor a basket or stuffing, see Jane. Our *Spirit of Hope* team will meet today after Mass.

Repairs & Maintenance

Thanks to all who donated to our repair fund. The recent “floods” proved that we need to modify our parish drainage system.

Food Pantry

Food will be distributed this Friday the 23rd beginning at 11:00 AM. **Help** is needed for setup the day before (Thursday at noon).

Youth Day

Young people grades 9–12: don't miss “Shycon” at Saint Francis University in Loretto on Sunday, October 23rd. Faith, fun and friendship – games and activities including a gym of inflatables; nationally known speaker and musician Cooper Ray; plus Liturgy with Bishop Mark. This year's theme is “**Rooted in Jesus Christ**,” suggested by Pope Benedict. Register by October 7th with your pastor or DRE. Info: Francine Swope 693-1401 x2646.

Blood Drives

Fri. Sept. 30, 1:00-7:00.....Saxton Fire Hall
 Wed. Oct. 5, 8:00-2:00.....Tussey Mtn. H.S.
 Tue. Oct. 11, 9:30-3:30.....Nason Hospital
 Wed. Oct. 26, 2:00-7:00.....R.W.&B.T. Fire Hall

Stewardship

Our generous Father has given us gifts independently of those He has given to others. May we, too, give generously without comparing our giving to that of others.