



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.

27TH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME
October 2, 2011

Collection Report

Receipts for the weekend of
Sept. 24th–25th\$1,933
Retired Priests Coll.\$167

Calendar

- ◆ Religious Ed. 10:30 AM
Sunday October 2nd
- ◆ RCIA Inquiry fol. Mass
Sunday October 2nd
- ◆ Maintenance & Repairs
Collection Oct. 1st–2nd
- ◆ Prayer Group 6:30 PM
Friday October 7th
- ◆ Big B Bingo Doors Open
5:30 Sat. October 8th
- ◆ Clergy Appreciation Day
Sunday October 9th
- ◆ Parish Council 7:00 PM
Monday October 10th
- ◆ Propagation of the Faith
Collection Oct. 15th–16th

Mass Intentions

- Sat. Oct. 15:30 PM ... **Health of Donna Bartholomew** by daughter-in-law Dorothy & Joe Bartholomew
Lector: Joe Folk. Eucharistic Ministers: Gloria Ritchey, Mary Duwall, Dan Reed
- Sun. Oct. 2 9:00 AM ... **Mary (Tobi) Giornesto Neamtz** by sister Josephine and Bill Kelly
Lector: Aaron Neuharth. Eucharistic Ministers: Michele Neuharth, Cyndy Maletta, Aaron Neuharth
- Mon. Oct. 3 ... 10:00 AM ... **Barb Kessler** by the Rosary Society
- Tue. Oct. 4 ... 10:00 AM ... **Pastor's Mass**
- Wed. Oct. 5 ... 10:00 AM ... **Victor and Alice Lazor** by the Estate
- Thur. Oct. 6 ... 10:00 AM ... **People's Mass**
- Fri. Oct. 7 ... 10:00 AM ... **Michael and Mary Pavlicko** by sister Katherine Macaluso
- Sat. Oct. 85:30 PM ... **Mrs. Mary Lucas** by "Aggie"
Lector: Janet Neville. Eucharistic Ministers: Judy Ford, Jane Brown, Bruce Crawshaw
- Sun. Oct. 9 9:00 AM ... **Lisa T. Wright** by ICC Relay Team
Lector: Pat Carnell. Eucharistic Ministers: Mary Duwall, Brenda Folk, Robert Shaw

Liturgical Reflection on the Revised Missal:

Why a New Translation?

One of the most frequently asked questions is, Why are we getting a new translation for the *Roman Missal*? There are various reasons, but most important is that the Church is in a good position now to improve the translation and that, after forty years, the time has come to freshen the texts. Translators have a better insight now into the meaning of the original texts, and a better sense of what sounds right when it is proclaimed aloud. Also, a closer accuracy to the Latin texts will reflect the fruit of many centuries of theological reflection and pastoral experience contained in those ancient prayers. The new translation will give a clearer voice to the Church's faith.

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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

An Inquiry Session for RCIA will be held **today** after Mass. RCIA is not only preparation for those wishing to embrace the Catholic faith ("converts"), but 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.

School Choice

It is important that we continue teaching Catholic principles in school. Although our parish does not have its own school, we can support other Catholic schools by voicing support for school choice that includes vouchers and increased funding for the Education Improvement Tax Credit. Please see the Posters on our bulletin boards for information on contacting your elected legislators in Pennsylvania.

Sesquicentennial Mass

Five years ago we proudly celebrated our 150th year as a parish; now Bishop Mark will help Saint Joseph's in Williamsburg celebrate their anniversary next Sunday the 9th. Congratulations to Saint Joe's!

Church Repairs

This is the first weekend of the month, and we again ask for your help toward repairs and maintenance our church plant needs. An envelope is enclosed in this bulletin for your convenience. Thanks for helping!

The Right to Life

Citizens Concerned for Human Life of Bedford County will form a **Life Chain** from 2:30 to 3:30 this afternoon on old route 220 (North Richard Street) between St. Thomas Catholic Church and the Bedford elementary school. You are welcome to join the group. Info: Kathy 839-4806.

B-I-N-G-O

Have you signed up to help next Saturday **October 8th** at this important fund raiser? (We can also use donations of food.) The **Jackpot** is now \$1,900.00!

Respect Life

*This is the paradox of America's unborn:
No life is so desperately sought after, so hungrily desired, so carefully nurtured;
And yet no life is so legally unprotected,
and so frequently destroyed.*

Rosary Luncheon

Rosary Society sincerely thanks attorney Aaron Neuharth for speaking at our luncheon on September 21st. He answered many questions and gave a lot of information on writing wills. Our next luncheon is scheduled for Wednesday morning October 19th at eleven o'clock. Information on the topic will be announced in the near future.

Basket Bingo

Tickets for Longaberger Basket Bingo on November 20th are going fast—get yours soon! Sponsored by our Relay for Life team.

Blessing of Animals

Father White will bless animals today. Your favorite pet can be blessed after the nine o'clock Mass or at the end of religious instructions. The blessings are in honor of Saint Francis of Assisi, whose feast day is October 4th.

Prayer Group

Please join our monthly prayer group **Lay Apostles of Jesus Christ the Returning King** at 6:30 PM on First Friday, October 7th, which happens to be the day we honor Mary as "Our Lady of the Rosary."

High School Students

Register by Friday for "Shycon" at Saint Francis University on Sunday October 23rd. Faith, Fun and Friendship—games, activities, speakers, Liturgy with the Bishop.

Stewardship

We are stewards of our own God-given "vineyards"—our thoughts, words, and actions. What kind of steward have you been? What kind of steward have you been called to become?

TODAY IS
**Respect Life
Sunday**

Pray for
Vocations

