

# IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CATHOLIC CHURCH

*Est. 1789—the oldest Parish in Southeast Missouri*

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**Office Hours- 8 am - 12 pm**

**Monday - Thursday**

**\*Closed on Friday\***



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**ONE CHURCH, EAST TO WEST : LOVING JESUS, SERVING JESUS, SHARING JESUS**

## December 26 - The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph

***Sacrament of Reconciliation* — Saturday, 4 to 4:45 p.m. or by appointment**

Mass Schedule				Intention
DEC 25	SAT	5 pm	Vigil, The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph	Parish
DEC 26	SUN	11 am	The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph	+Virginia Carlson
DEC 27	MON	9 am	<b>NO MASS</b>	
DEC 28	TUE	12:15 pm	<b>NO MASS</b>	
DEC 29	WED	9 am	<b>NO MASS</b>	
JAN 1	SAT	<b>4 pm</b>	Vigil, Epiphany of the Lord	Parish
JAN 2	SUN	11 am	Epiphany of the Lord	+Dorothy Riley

### Altar Server Schedule

JAN 2	Lindsey Reese	Hope Dawson
JAN 9	Maggie Harris	Emily Katherine Hodges

DATE	LECTOR	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER Holy Eucharist	COLLECTION COUNTERS
DEC 25	Melissa Maness	Glodine LaValle	Martha M. Thompson Lynette Fowler
DEC 26	Allison Fowler	Leann Branum	
JAN 1	Charlotte Hogan	Charlotte Hogan	Victoria Akins Lydia Fowler
JAN 2	Jo Crouthers	Jo Crouthers	

<i>Week of</i>	December 19
Collection	\$3,248.00
Online	\$100.00
Total	\$3,348.00
2nd Collection Birthright	\$555.00

Total Collection	\$3,348.00
Weekly Budget	\$2,850.00
Difference (11/14/21 - 12/19/21)	+\$893.00
<i>Thank you for being good stewards of God's Gifts!</i>	

**I want to wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. I pray that the Lord will keep you and your families safe and bless you with his love and joy. *Father Dominic***

**CHANGE IN SATURDAY VIGIL MASS:** The 5 pm Saturday Vigil Mass will now be celebrated at 4 pm. Sacred Heart's 7 pm service will change to 6 pm.

Fr. Dominic will be out December 27 through January 9. Msgr. Normand Varone and Fr. Mark Binder will celebrate Mass with us during this time. There will be no weekday Masses until Fr. Dominic's return.

Almost half of all charitable giving is made during the last two months of the year. It is a time to give thanks for the blessings we've received. It is also a time to review finances and do tax planning. Consider a gift to Immaculate Conception as part of your year end planning. Your donation can reduce your year end tax burden and have a positive impact on your parish family. To make a gift please visit [icnewmadrid.com](http://icnewmadrid.com) and make an on-line donation or contact the parish office at 748-5183. Thank you and may God Bless you with a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

St. Marys Grade School in Cape Girardeau is looking for a Principal for the 2022/2023 School Year. Applicant should be a practicing Catholic in good standing with the church with experience in Catholic Elementary Education, preferably with a Masters in School Administration. Contact Fr. Allan Saunders, 335-9347, for an application.

**Church Cleaners:** **DEC 25 - Volunteers**  
**JAN 1 - Volunteers**  
**JAN 9 - Ann E. Copeland/Lori Brotherton**  
**JAN 16 - Valerie Lawrence/Victoria Akins**