

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CATHOLIC CHURCH

Est. 1789—the oldest Parish in Southeast Missouri

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

OCT 8 - Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sacrament of Reconciliation — Saturday, 3 to 3:45 p.m. or by appointment

Mass Schedule				Intention
OCT 7	SAT	4 pm	Vigil, Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time	Parish
OCT 8	SUN	11 am	Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time	+Elizabeth James
OCT 11	WED	12:15 pm		Marie Hunter
OCT 12	THU	12:15 pm		+John Odom
OCT 13	FRI	12:15 pm		+Peter Glenn Robinson
OCT 14	SAT	4 pm	Vigil, Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time	+Matt Hogan
OCT 15	SUN	11 am	Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time	Parish

DATE	LECTOR	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER Holy Eucharist	COLLECTION COUNTERS
OCT 7	Loretto Alexander	Joella Jones, Volunteer	Lydia Fowler Victoria Akins
OCT 8	Allison Fowler	Kim Hall, Leann Branum, Becky McKay	
OCT 14	Charlotte Hogan	Charlotte Hogan, Volunteer	Jayne Dees Peggy Sides
OCT 15	Lori Brotherton	Becky McKay, Glodine LaValle, Kim Hall	

Week of	OCT 1
Collection	\$2,251.00
Online/Other	\$105.00
Total	\$2,356.00
2nd Collection	

Total Collection	\$2,356.00
Weekly Budget	\$3,475.00
Difference (7-1-23 - 10-1-23)	-\$11,807 .00
<i>Thank you for being good stewards of God's Gifts!</i>	

We now have bulletins for the kids! Be sure to pick one up at each entrance of the church.

October is the month we celebrate the Holy Rosary, and we encourage everyone to pray the rosary as often as possible. Carry a rosary in your pocket and pray while you wait somewhere. Recite the rosary while doing chores or when you work out. Pray while you walk. During this month, we should all consider this beautiful prayer of the rosary as a means to draw closer to Jesus and Mary.

In the past few weeks, our parish has lost 2 long time members of our church, Lynell DeWitt and Pate Hogan. We ask that everyone please keep these families in your thoughts and prayers as they mourn the loss of their loved ones.

Meet Me at the Grotto: Bishop Rice will be at our Parish on Wednesday, October 11 to celebrate 12:15 pm Mass and then meet at the Grotto for a Rosary and a blessing. IC School will provide a light lunch afterward, and all parishioners are invited.

Anyone interested in learning more about our faith, become a Catholic, or already a Catholic and needs to be confirmed are welcome to attend our RCIA classes. Registration forms can be found at the main entrance of the church, or by calling the parish office @ 748-5183.

JOB Opportunity: Christy will be retiring as parish secretary on November 30, 2023. This position requires at least 20 hours/week, which also includes health ins & retirement, plus paid leave for most major holidays. If you or someone you know is interested in this position, an application can be downloaded at our website, icnewdrid.com or found at the main entrance of the church; or by calling 748-5183. We will accept applications until the job is filled. Hours and pay are negotiable.

Church Cleaners:
OCT 7 - Jo Crouthers
OCT 14 - Chrissy Hodges
OCT 21 - Leann Branum
OCT 28 - Christy Jones