# Immaculate Conception Parish

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## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Friday 9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon, 1:00-4:00 p.m.

**Reverend Jimmy Jeanfreau ,** *Pastor*

**James Simmons,** *Deacon*

**Dolores Modenbach,** *Office Administrator*

**Mary Aguilar,** *Secretary*

**Rhonda Aucoin,** *Director of Religious Education*

**Janel Ockman**, *Director of Music*

**Personal Prayer line: Cynthia Lasserre , 347-1680**

**Kim DiMarco**

*Principal of Immaculate Conception Grade School*

## SCHOOL TELEPHONES

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| School Business Office | **348-7005** |
| Grade School | **347-4409** |

## SUNDAY MASSES

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| Saturday Vigil: | 4:00 p.m. |
| Sunday: | 8:00, 10:00 a.m. |
| | 12:00 noon (Español) |
| | 6:00 p.m. |

## WEEKDAY MASSES

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| Monday-Friday: | 6:00 p.m. in Church |
| First Friday: | 8:00 a.m. in Church |
| First Saturday: | 7:00 a.m. in Church |

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

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| Saturday: | 2:30-3:30 p.m. |
| | Any time by appointment |

## SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

Arrangements should be made with the priest or deacon six months in advance. Please call the parish office to make an appointment.

## SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM/*EL BAUTISMO*

Baptisms are scheduled through the parish office. Por favor llamar a la oficina parroquial para mas informacion. Please call the parish office for information.

## DEVOTIONS

Perpetual Help Novena: Tuesday after 6:00 p.m. Mass
Holy Rosary: Tuesday through Friday at 5:25 p.m.
First Friday: 8:00 a.m. Mass + Adoration
First Saturday: 7:00 a.m. Mass + Devotions

## MINISTRY TO SICK & SHUT-INS

Please notify the parish office or call Jeannie Bellanger at 430-1138, if someone is sick and would like to receive the sacraments.

## PASTOR'S CORNER

Thanks be to God for the rain. Yes, it can be inconvenient, but it sure beats the heat!!!!!

The school has not slowed down all summer. There was a one week break from summer camp. Summer school ended July 1st. The administration was away Thursday and Friday for a retreat, evaluation and planning time. We are looking at significant changes this year. We have 766 students from infant to seventh grade registered. This is more than 150 students than we have had for 20 years. We also have 25 new faculty and staff. We are committed to maintaining our Salesian spirit through reason, religion and loving kindness.

The roof repairs from Ida are finally being completed. It has been a time of anxious and frustrating waiting. Archbishop Aymond committed the archdiocese to handle all the repairs, so that all would be in order to make a clear report to the insurance company and to FEMA. The hope is that parishes will never receive a bill for any of the repairs. If this all works out, it will be a delightful exchange for the frustrations of waiting.

Love, Fr. Jimmy

## El Rincón Del Pastor

Gracias a Dios por la lluvia. Sí, puede ser un inconveniente, ¡pero seguro que supera el calor!

La escuela no ha bajado la velocidad en todo el verano. Hubo un descanso de una semana del campamento de verano. La administración estuvo fuera el jueves y viernes para un retiro, evaluación y tiempo de planificación. Estamos viendo cambios significativos este año. Tenemos matriculados 766 alumnos desde infantil hasta séptimo grado. Son más de 150 alumnos de los que hemos tenido en 20 años. También tenemos 25 nuevos profesores y personal. Estamos comprometidos a mantener nuestro espíritu salesiano a través de la razón, la religión y el amor bondadoso.

Las reparaciones del techo de Ida finalmente se están completando. Ha sido un tiempo de espera ansiosa y frustrante. El arzobispo Aymond comprometió a la arquidiócesis a manejar todas las reparaciones, para que todo estuviera en orden para hacer un informe claro a la compañía de seguros y a FEMA. La esperanza es que las parroquias nunca reciban una factura por ninguna de las reparaciones. Si todo esto sale bien, será un agradable intercambio por las frustraciones de la espera.

Con Amor Padre Jimmy

## Mass Intentions for
## July 17, 2022

### Saturday July 16th

**4:00 p.m.:** Philip J, Lillian, Philip D & Michael J Saladino, Bernadette & Vic Cortez, Guy & Laura Adams, Benjamin Hernandez & Marie Schouest and Jill Ann LeBlanc.

### Sunday, July 17th

**8:00 a.m.:** Lucy Slocum.

**10 a.m.**: Quentin J McGuire, Joseph Ledet, Sr., Kenneth Moreau, Ledet & Mangano Families, Ralph, Sr., Michael and Ralph, Jr. Hinojosa.

**12 p.m.:** Jenny Lynn Henderson, Norma Elizabeth Fajardo Fajardo y Maria Lupez.

**6:00 p.m.:** Keith T Sevin.

### Monday, July 18th

**Mass @ 6:00 p.m.:** Mary Kay Naquin Bull D. I.H.S. (75).

### Tuesday, July 19th

**Mass @ 6:00 p.m.:** Ridley & Carmen Naquin D. 17yrs.

### Wednesday, July 20th

**Mass @ 6:00 pm :** Msgr. Albert Bergeron.

### Thursday, July 21st

**Mass @ 6:00 pm :** Rodney Martin.

### Friday, July 22nd

**Mass @ 6:00 pm :** Myra Bellanger LaChute & Jerry Blanchard.

## Vigil Lights for the Week of July 17th

**Blessed Sacrament** in loving memory of ...

**St. Joseph** in loving memory of ...

**Blessed Mother** in loving memory of ...

**In Remembrance** with love. We remember and pray for those who have gone before us, that they are granted pardon and peace as they prepare to enter heaven.

## SANCTUARY CLEANING

**Cleaning schedule: July 23, Group A:** M Dearstine, T Huezo, D Melanson, S Martinez.

**We are accepting your annual dues of $10.00, please place it in an envelope marked for LAS dues.** Thank you for all you do to keep God's house in good order.

**Ladies Altar Society News:** We will resume the monthly recitation of the **Scriptural Rosary** for the Holy Souls in Purgatory on the first **Monday's at 5 pm in the Church.** The 6 pm Mass will follow, which will be offered for the Ladies Altar Society, living and deceased. Thank for the great job you do.

## Weekly Collections

**Sunday, July 10, 2022**

Envelopes……....$ 4,183.00
Loose……..….$ 1,748.00

**Total Collection.$5,931.00**

**Thank you so much for your generosity.**

## MINISTRY TO SICK & SHUT-INS

Please notify the parish office or call Jeannie Bellanger at 430-1138, if someone is sick and would like to receive the sacraments.

*"One who walks blamelessly and does justice; who thinks the truth in his heart and slanders not with his tongue; He who does justice will live in the presence of the Lord."*

Clases De Ingles: Todos los sábados a las 4:00 pm en el salón Carmelitas. Más información contactar a Amie (coordinadora) 504-475-4658 o al website thenewneighborproject.org

## SCHEDULE: MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST

**4:00 PM Mass** **July 23-** E Klibert & D Woolsey
**July 30-** E Klibert & D Woolsey
**8:00 AM Mass** **July 24 -** R Lamy & D Modenbach
**July 31–** C D'Aquin & D Modenbach
**10:00 AM Mass** **July 24-** D DiMarco & R Rawle
**July 31–**P Camardelle & D DiMarco
**12:00 PM Mass** **July 24-** G Cruz & A Estalles
**July 31**– N Lara & F Peraza
**6:00 PM Mass** **July 24-** D Guise & S Verret
**July 31 -** D Guise & G Smith

## SCHEDULE: MINISTERS OF THE WORD

**4:00 PM July 23**—E Klibert
**July 30—**D Woolsey
**8:00 AM July 24—** C Lasserre
**July 31–** D Rudolph
**10:00 AM July 24–** K Moser
**July 31—**D Barrilleaux
**12:00 PM July 24**— M Garcia
**July 31**—A Hernandez
**6:00 PM July 24—** H Smith
**July 31–** A Pitre

**Eucharistic & lector schedules will be listed here each week, however we have a copy of the full schedule ready to be picked up from the sacristy this weekend. Remember that It is your responsibility to find a substitute if you cannot fulfil your obligation to serve. Thank you for your service.**

**We are in need of Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers and Ushers, if you are interested please call the Rectory or speak with Fr. Jimmy.**

## THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION WANTS TO VISIT YOU!

The statues will be taken home for a week, and the family is asked to pray together at least once a day in the presence of the statue. We will have a sign up book to reserve the statue for your Mass. We have also developed a special novena prayer to the Immaculate Conception to aid us in preparation for the 100th Anniversary in 2024. Mary we ask you to be with us as we near the 100th anniversary of our parish community. We have found confidence under your patronage as the Immaculate Conception since 1924. Help us to hear ever clearer the messages of God, which are so often drowned out by noise of society or the hardness of our hearts. Let our yes resound as your yes in response to the Angel Gabriel.

## LA VIRGEN DE INMACULADA CONCEPCIÓN QUIERE VISITARTE!

Las estatuas de la Virgen se llevarán a casa durante una semana, y se pide a la familia que oren juntas al menos una vez al día en presencia de la estatua. Tendremos un libro de registro para reservar la estatua para su misa. También hemos desarrollado una oración especial de novena a la Inmaculada Concepción para ayudarnos en la preparación para el 100 aniversario en 2024. Inmaculada Concepción Oración en Preparación del 100 Aniversario: Maria te pedimos que estés con nosotros mientras nos acercamos al 100 aniversario de nuestra comunidad parroquial. Hemos encontrado confianza bajo su protección como la Inmaculada Concepción desde 1924. Ayúdanos a escuchar cada vez mas claramente los mensajes de Dios, que tantas veces son ahogados por el ruido de la sociedad o la dureza de nuestros corazones. Deja que nuestro Si resuene como tu Si en respuesta al Ángel Gabriel.

**REFLECTIONS ON TODAYS READINGS:** To Martha has fallen the burden of doing all the work. We are told that she is doing all the serving. Presumably she is cooking and preparing the meal as well. When she appeals to Jesus for help from her sister, she expects him to take her side. But he avoids doing so. It may seem unsympathetic, but perhaps he is more concerned with teaching the lesson that as important as the service she is providing, there is an even better way to serve their guest. While Martha is busy elsewhere, Mary is spending time with him. This is the reason for the hospitality Martha showed in the first place by inviting him into their home, the hospitality Abraham showed the strangers in the first reading. Mary is serving the Lord by simply being with him. Listening at his feet, she is likely enraptured by his talk of God's kingdom. She soon becomes his disciple. This truly is "the better part" (Luke 10:42). Here, today, we are offered the better part. Like Mary, we can sit back, put aside our anxieties and worries, and become fully present to the Lord, listen to the word of God, share in the meal the Lord himself provides, and grow as his disciples. How can your hospitality help you grow as a disciple?

## St. Vincent de Paul's Society

Thank you! The Society expresses sincere thanks to all who gave cash and food donations to help those less fortunate in our community. We have envelopes in the pews if you would like to use them to place your donation in. Your generosity is appreciated.

The following is a summary of assistance provided during the month of May:

Number of persons assisted….9
Number of food boxes distributed….6
Number of families assisted....0

Anyone needing assistance, that lives in the area of Immaculate Conception Church, or if you are interested in joining the St. Vincent de Paul Society to

You may have noticed our flag was looking a bit tattered, and now it doesn't. Well that is because of a team effort between, Frank Muscarello, put the gears in motion, Bobby Duhon went to Ullo's Hardware and Chris Ullo donated the new flag. Feeling gratitude & not expressing it is like wrapping a present and not giving it. So thank you all for your gift, including hanging it on the pole, Bobby.

*"Is there anyone sick among you? He should ask for the presbyters of the church. They, in turn, are to pray over him anointing him with oil in the name of the Lord..."* (James 11---35:J.4- J.5)

Parishioners who are seriously ill or anticipating hospitalization for a serious illness are requested to call the parish office if they wish to receive the sacrament. Some hospitals provide full time priests/ chaplains. Patients are regularly visited and offered the sacrament of the anointing of the sick, as well as daily Communion. This, however, presumes inpatient admission. Those patients who are interested in receiving this sacrament, but are scheduled for outpatient or same day surgery, should call the parish office to ensure anointing before going to the hospital.

## PRAYER FOR HURRICANE PROTECTION

Our Father in Heaven, through the intercession of Our Lady of Prompt Succor, spare us during this hurricane season from all harm. Protect us and our homes from all disasters of nature. Our Lady of Prompt Succor, hasten to help us. Through Christ our Lord, Amen.