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Special Mass of Consecration June 11-12, 2026

On **June 11, 2026**, the bishops of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) will consecrate the United States to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. This is in celebration of the 250th anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence. They will do this consecration together at a 1 p.m. Mass during their summer meeting (see *National News* below). *To each is given the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good.*

We are like a body. Each body has many members, each with its own particular function, yet they all are ordered to one purpose—the good functioning of the body as a whole. So it is with the Christian community, which is the Body of Christ. Each member is to be aware of his or her particular gift. This gift indicates the role the member has to play in building up the whole Body, the whole community.

Today let us ask God to send his Spirit into our hearts. Filled with that Spirit, may we each individually make our contribution to the community to which we belong. And, as a community, may we give clear and unmistakable witness to the Truth and Love of God, revealed to us in Jesus our Lord.

Bishop Lohse has asked that the entire diocese participate in this consecration. Mass for the Most Sacred heart of Jesus and will include a special prayer for the consecration of the Sacred Heart.

Mass at IC will be Thursday June 11 @ 6:00 pm

Mass at St. Clare will be Friday June 12 @ 8:30 am

There will be NO MASS at IC on Friday June 12.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO OUR PARISHIONERS! June 8– June 14

Evan Nemeth Ariana Gonzalez
Joseph Nowicki Ginger Lorencz
Lisa Gruber



In two weeks we will take up the Peter's Pence Collection to support the Universal Church and the work of the Holy See, including the charitable works of Pope Leo XIV. These works benefit our brothers and sisters on the margins of society, including victims of war, oppression, and disasters. Be a sign of hope with your generosity.

BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL UPDATE
AS OF MAY 31, 2026

	<u>GOAL</u>	<u>PLEDGED</u>	<u>BALANCE DUE</u>
Immaculate Conception	\$ 52,307	\$ 25,930	\$ 26,377
St. Clare	\$ 12,203	\$ 9,200	\$ 3,003

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH
MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS

Saturday, June 6 - Vigil Mass

4:00 p.m. †Rita Barton
By: Rich & Sara Daniels

Note Special Time**Sunday, June 7– CORPUS CHRISTI**

9 a.m. People in Our Parish
and
†Steve Campbell
By: Wife (Anniversary)

Monday, June 8– Weekday

8:30 a.m. †Betty Sarhatt
By: Rick & Sarah Daniels

Tuesday, June 9 - Weekday

7:30 p.m. Sp Diego Rosas
By: Raul & Karina Vidal-Rubi

Wednesday, June 10 - Weekday

8:30 a.m. †Ray & †Mildred Bernard
By: Marie Koole

Thursday, June 11 - Saint Barnabas, Apostle

6:00 p.m. Consecrate the USA to the Sacred
Heart of Jesus.

Friday, June 12 - The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

8:30 a.m. NO MASS

Saturday, June 13 - Vigil Mass

4:00 p.m. †Tim Zebell
By: Don & Carol Falborski

Sunday, June 14– ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

10:30 a.m. †Renee Granzotto
By: Francis Granzotto (25th Anniversary)

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays 3:00 pm– 3:45 pm or by appointment



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Diocese of Kalamazoo
providing help, creating hope, serving all

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APARTMENTS

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MENTAL HEALTH COUNSELING
The Ark
PROVIDING FOR YOUTH

Last week we had 62 families throughout our 2 parishes, submit their Bishop's Annual Appeal pledge. A heartfelt thank you to each and everyone of them. If you have not yet contributed, we encourage you to make a commitment decision this week. Your gift together with those of others across our diocese, will support essential ministries and programs of our Church.

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION LECTORS, SERVERS AND MINISTERS SCHEDULE

Saturday, June 13 at 4:00 p.m.

Sacristan: Bob Modaff
Lector: Roger Doering
Body of Christ: Bob Modaff
Blood of Christ: Mary Sorensen, Mary Anne Carra

Sunday, May 14 at 10:30 a.m.

Sacristan: John Gieber
Lector: Raquel Castro/ Marie Koole
Body of Christ: John Gieber
Blood of Christ: Pixie Ziehm, Terryl Lewis, Marilyn Cheney
 Diane Springer

IC PARISH SUPPORT

Week of 5/31/26

YTD

Fiscal Year July 1, 2025– June 30, 2026

Sunday Collection (54)	\$ 3,098.00	\$222,847.31
Online Collection	\$0.00	\$13,200.00
Holy Days (Ascension)	\$0.00	\$ 9,335.37
Visitors/Loose	\$465.05	\$30,707.87
Mass Stipend	\$ 0.00	\$2,430.00
Utility Fund	\$ 0.00	\$3,571.00
Donations/Bequests	\$ 0.00	\$2,605.00
Total Offertory	\$ 3,563.05	\$ 284,696.55
Weekly Need	\$ 6,017.00	\$ 300,850.00
Over/Under	(\$2,453.00)	(\$16,153.45)

Income not included in weekly needs

IC Help	\$100.00
Tornado Relief	\$1000.00

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR SUNDAY, JUNE 14

First Reading: Exodus 19: 2-6a

Responsorial Psalm: 100:1-2-3,-5

Second Reading: Mark 1:15

Gospel: Matthew 9: 36-10:8

The Lunch Bunch welcomes anyone that has experienced grief or loss to join us. This is not therapy or counseling; we are a social group that gets together monthly for lunch and fellowship. Our next gathering, is on Thursday, June 25 , at Hank's Restaurant at 11:30 am.

Congratulations to Arien, Sheyla, Anastasia, Liliana and Perla where recently confirmed at St, Augustine. May the Lord fill you with the Holy Spirit.



Memorial bricks are available for purchase at \$100 a brick. These can be purchased for a loved one as a memorial. Please call Marilyn Cheney for more information 269-580-1960

From the Principal...

Dear Parishioners,

Immaculate Conception Catholic School celebrated another successful year with awards and ice cream.

Congratulations to our students!



La escuela católica Inmaculada Concepción celebró otro año exitoso con premios y helado.

¡Felicitaciones a nuestros estudiantes!



See all the photos at facebook.com/iccschooltr

Employment opportunities at IC School:

Part-time custodian, Child care Workers

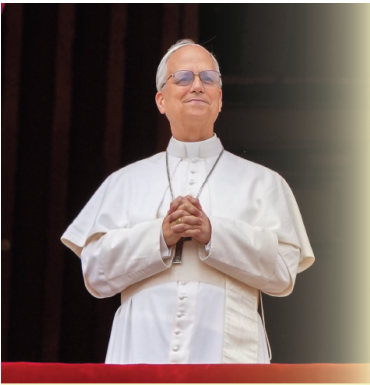
Early Elementary Teacher

Oportunidades de empleo en IC School:

Conserje de tiempo parcial, Cuidadores de niños.

Maestro de educación infantil.

Sharon Voegel



Support the Works of the
Holy Father through the

Peter's Pence Collection

*Be a sign of
hope.*

From his first appearance after his election in May 2025, Pope Leo XIV has called upon Catholics to live in peace and unity with one another within the Church and to share this invitation to peace and unity with the whole world. Throughout history, Catholics have shared Christ's mission with the world by proclaiming the Gospel and performing works of mercy that bring comfort to the poor and vulnerable.

For centuries, Catholics have joined in these works by supporting the Peter's Pence Collection, which helps to fund the Holy Father's mission to proclaim Christ's message in the world. Our gifts to the collection are "concrete signs of hope" that fulfill the two aims of Peter's Pence: "1) To support the Holy Father's mission, which extends throughout the entire world, from the proclamation of the Gospel to the promotion of integral human development, education, peace, and brotherhood among peoples; thanks also to the many activities of service carried out by the dicasteries, bodies and organs of the Holy See that assist him every day; and 2) To support the numerous charitable works in aid of people and families in difficulty, populations afflicted by natural disasters and wars, or who are in need of humanitarian assistance or support for development."

"Together, as one people, as brothers and sisters, let us walk towards God and love one another."—Pope Leo XIV, Homily at Mass for the Beginning of the Pontificate of Pope Leo XIV, May 18, 2025

How You Can Help

PRAY

Pray for the Holy Father, for those he serves in compassion, and for the ongoing activities of the Holy See, all of which benefit from the Peter's Pence Collection.

SHARE

Share this bulletin insert with anyone who might be interested.

GIVE

Give generously to this collection as a sign of hope to those who suffer around the globe and as a demonstration of your support for the ongoing work of the Holy See. By doing so, you help build up the Church so that it can provide hope and minister to all for generations to come.

The Knights of Columbus was a beautiful part of St. Clare's Mass the 31st of May. They were honoring all deceased members of the K of C. The Men's Club also sponsored a delicious breakfast after Mass to benefit our new hall items.



During the months of June and July, the Knights of Columbus will be collecting donations for our homeless veterans. Special emphasis this year for non-perishable food items along with traditional personal needs. Clothing must be new and in original packaging. Thanks

Fundraiser for St. Clare's new social hall.
June 13th is the Lake Templene Garage sale. We will have a food booth plus garage sale. Save and donate your no longer needed treasures.

"No Clothes", please.

Contact: Gary Metz 269-625-3149

ST. CLARE CHURCH

MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS

Note Special Time

Sunday, June 7—CORPUS CHRISTI

9:00 a.m.

Mass at IC

6:00 p.m.

TUESDAY - June 9

NO MASS

8:30 a.m.

FRIDAY - June 12

†Alyona Springer

By: Jeff & Diane Springer

Sunday, June 14—ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:30 a.m.

People in Our Parish

ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Lector:

Sam Shirley

Ministers:

Sam Shirley, Lou Scohy & Teena Kuhl

Altar Server:

Ron Holben

Ushers:

Teena Kuhl & Lou Scohy

Coffee Crew:

Ron & Sharie Holben

CONFESSIONS

Sundays 8:00 am –8:20 am or by appointment

SC PARISH SUPPORT

Week of 5/31/26

YTD

Fiscal Year July 1, 2025– June 30, 2026

Sunday Collection (21)	\$1,113.00	\$ 47,860.00
Online Collection	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Holy Days	\$0.00	\$ 1,433.00
Visitors/Loose	\$ 461.25	\$ 16,723.64
Mass Stipend	\$ 60.00	\$ 510.00
Utility Fund	\$ 0.00	\$ 874.00
Donations/Bequests	\$ 0.00	\$ 30.00
Total Offortory	\$1,634.25	\$ 67,430.64
Weekly Need	\$ 1,324.00	\$ 59,766.19
Over/Under	\$310.25	\$7,664.45

Income not included in weekly need

Building Project Phase II	\$300.00
Catholic Relief Services	\$100.00

St. Joseph Parish & School, Battle Creek, will host a **Kids Camp & Vacation Bible School** the week of **June 8-12, 2026**, for children going into **Pre-K -- 6th grade**. Students will attend daily Mass, participate in sports-themed activities focusing on the life of Christ, and learn about God's Word on the Commandments, Beatitudes and the Fruits of the Holy Spirit. Use the button below to access registration and pricing information. Adults and students (grades 7-12) interested in volunteering for the week may sign up [at this link](#). Please contact [Marie](#) for further details.

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St. Clare Mission Parish
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PLEASE REMEMBER THOSE IN SPECIAL NEED OF OUR PRAYERS

Dear Heavenly Father, in Jesus' name, we ask for healing and health for those on our prayer list. Please bless them and meet all of their needs. Amen.

Mark Brost

Roger Doering

John Gavin

Anastasia Gutierrez

Laurie Highfield

Sharon Jacobs

Shonna Kazor

Greg King

Emma Klett

Cassandra Lems

Greg Mecham

Nora Middleton

Evan Nemeth

Mary Reck

Charity Schaefer

Jared Vidal Rubi

Raul Vidal Rubi

Marlene Schultz

Mike Stumpf

Michael Tison

Craig Vaughn

Todd Ziehm

Vincent Zoski

Andreanne

Frank

Felipe

Mary Larson

Roger & Theresa K.

Connie Shoemaker

Shirlene Koth

Joseph Tobon

Sheyla Perez Miranda

Lisa Zoski

Rebecca Ripple

Carole

Henry Ruf

Scott Grace

Pat Larkins

Leah LaBanture

Colleen Kline

Peg Yoakam



Welcome To Our Parishes

If you would like to enroll, change your address, or simply have questions about our parish, please fill out the form below and drop it in the collection basket or mail it to the Church office:
645 S. Douglas, Three Rivers, MI 49093

Name _____

Address _____

City/Zip _____

Phone _____

Please circle one: IC Church St. Clare

- ☐ I would like to enroll as an active member.
☐ Please change my address to the one shown above.
☐ I would like to learn more about school/parish activities.
☐ I would like to learn more about the Catholic faith.
☐ I would like to offer the name of a homebound or ill Catholic who is not currently being visited: _____.
☐ I would like to speak with a priest about a vocation to the priesthood or religious life.

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Parishes & School Information

Rectory Office

Administrative Assistant & Bulletin Editor – Raquel Arias
M,T,W,F 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. • Office closed on Thursdays
Telephone: 273-8953 E-mail: office@icthreerivers.org
Bulletin Deadline Monday at noon.

Mass times: Saturday 4:00 pm at Immaculate Conception
Sunday 8:30 am at St. Clare
Sunday 10:30 am at Immaculate Conception
Monday, 8:30 am at Immaculate Conception
Tuesday 6:00 pm at St. Clare
Tuesday 7:30 pm Spanish at Immaculate Conception
Wednesday & Friday, 8:30 am at Immaculate Conception

Eucharistic Adoration: 9:00 am - 6:00 pm first Friday of every month.

Sacrament of Penance: 3:00 - 3:45 p.m. Saturday and by request.

Sacrament of Baptism: contact the Parish Office at 273-8953.

Sacrament of Marriage: Arrangements must be made a minimum of 6 months in advance.

Anointing of the sick: Please contact the office.

SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS OF THE PARISHES

Knights of Columbus #4141: Brian Johnson- 269-718-3883

Meets the 2nd Monday of the month at 7:00 pm, church hall

KOC/4th degree Assembly 500 meets the 1st Tuesday of the month

Daughters of Mary: Nancy Schopf - 718-9218

Meets the 4th Tuesday of the month at 6:00 p.m., church hall

St. Clare Ladies' Guild: Theresa Gage, President - 269-858-8549

Meets the 1st Thursday of the month at 6:30 pm

St. Clare Men's Club: Ron Holben, President - 517-290-0547

Collaborative Evangelization Committee: Marie Koole - 506-3636
Meeting times are flexible

Music Director -

Director of Religious Ed. - Mark Voegel 269-816-4466

High School Youth Ministry -

OCIA - Mark & Mary Brost 269-251-6392

MINISTRIES OF THE PARISHES

Sacristans, Lectors, Ministers Holy Communion: Jean Heins 412-480-9129

Altar Servers: John Gieber

Ushers: Mike Sebo, 269-492-5754

Homebound/Nursing Home Visitors: Rectory Office, 273-8953

Jail Ministry: Tom Springer, 273-4702 or 269-816-4965

Art & Environment of the Church: Mary Sorensen, 278-5275

SC Prayer Shawl Ministry: Celeste Nemeth, 467-1869

IC Prayer Shawl Ministry: Nancy Schopf, 718-9218

IC Prayer Chain: Call the Rectory to add someone to the prayer chain.

IC Help: Call the Rectory to donate or for help. 273-8953

BOARD CHAIRPERSONS

IC PARISH COUNCIL - LARRY LARSH 244-4547

SC PARISH COUNCIL - PETER RAMBADT 503-0825

IC FINANCE COUNCIL - SARAH MERCER 816-0073

SC FINANCE COUNCIL - JOHN LARIMER 625-6498

IC SCHOOL COMMISSION - BOB MODAFF 506-4041

OUR MISSION

Together with our community,

We provide a Christ-centered Education to:

- Build Faith based on the truths of the Catholic Church
- Develop Knowledge for becoming productive citizens
- Practice Christian Service as Jesus taught

Thereby allowing each student to flourish and become the Child of God they were created to be.

NUESTRA MISIÓN

Juntos con nuestra comunidad,

Proveemos una educación centrada en Cristo para:

- Fomentar la Fe basada en las verdades de la Iglesia Católica
- Desarrollar el Conocimiento para ser ciudadanos productivos
- Practicar el Servicio Cristiano como nos enseñó Jesús

Permitiendo así que cada estudiante florezca y se convierta en el Hijo de Dios creado para serlo.

Immaculate Conception School (PK-8th)

Principal - Sharon Voegel

Website: www.iccatholicschool.com 269-273-2085