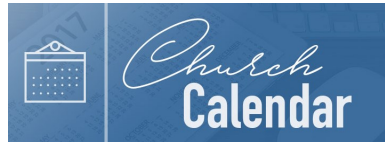


# Immaculate Conception Catholic Church

1303 E. Reelfoot Ave. Union City, TN 38261

www.icuctn.org



Sunday, May 16:
Senior Sunday 9am
Ladies Guild Gathering 5pm
Knights of Columbus Meeting 5pm
Thursday, May 27:
<i>Anniversary Mass of the Diocese of Memphis</i> at St. Mary's in Jackson 7pm
Monday, May 31:
Church Office Closed Memorial Day
Tuesday, June 1:
Food Voucher Sign Up Day 10-12pm
Sunday, June 6:
Community Service with Catholic Charities of West TN
<i>Holy Angels, Dyersburg 3-5pm</i>
Sunday, June 13:
Community Service with Catholic Charities of West TN
<i>St. Mary's, Jackson 3-5pm</i>

## Parish Office

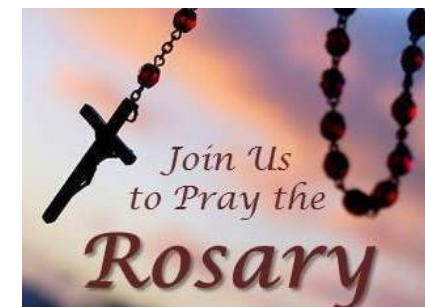
Office Hours:	8:30 am—4:00 pm
Office Phone:	731-885-0963
	<b>Habla Español</b>
Parish Website:	www.icuctn.org
	Online Giving available
Pastor:	Rev. Carl Gregorich
Bookkeeper/ Reception	Isabel Avalos
Communications/Technology:	Lillie Vallee
Religious Education Director:	Teresa Vallee
Custodial:	Phillip Scott
Youth Group Director:	Christy Atwill
	Donny Bearden
	Julie Cunningham
Knights of Columbus:	Tony Stigler-3rd Degree
	Mike Vallee-4th Degree
Meals Ministry:	Brenda Piazza (731) 446-0903
Rosary Prayer Group:	Lillie Vallee
Flocknote:	flocknote.com/find
Facebook:	facebook.com/icuctn
Formed:	formed.org & search for our Church address
Bulletin Deadline:	Noon on Monday



<u>Saturday, May 15: 5:00 pm:</u> People of the Parish
<u>Sunday, May 16: 9:00 am:</u> _+Repose of the Soul of Nina Pierce, by: The Parish Staff
<u>Monday, May 17: 8:00 am</u> _+Repose of the Soul of Charlotte Toon, by: Carl Toon
<u>Wednesday, May 19: 12:00 pm:</u> Hannah Felix 5th Birthday, by: Isabel Avalos
<u>Thursday, May 20: 12:00 pm</u> Mallory Groham, by: The Adam Vallee Family
<u>Friday, May 21: 8:00 am</u> +Repose of the Soul of Charlotte Toon, by: Carl Toon

## Happy Birthday to all May birthdays!

Altar Linens for the month of May:  
Beverly Canale *Thank you!*



*Sunday 8:30 am*

*If you want to help lead the Rosary contact Lillie Vallee in the church office.*



Our Parishioners:

Lupita Berner  
Nick Chappell  
Helen Cuvelier  
Hank Gill  
Sherri Hanna  
Geri Hinson  
Pat Kasnow  
Linda Lattus  
Martha Lattus  
Wy Lattus  
Jose Antonio Leal  
Barbara Pituch  
Tom Pituch  
Prisca Ramirez

Family & Friends:

Cirenia Araiza  
Sharon Barnes  
Betty Ciccolella  
Mike Dial  
Andrew Delke  
Mike & Marla Edwards  
Nicol Fowler  
Brenda Gray  
Mackenzie Haskins  
Joey Hogg  
Mayci Hogg  
Landon Matheny  
Lori O'Neill  
Margarita Perales  
Josephine Piazza  
Fr. Robert Ponticello  
Jeremy Powell  
Rita Reedy  
Jeffery Sensing  
Kallye Young  
Ronnie Willingham

Names on the prayer list for family and friends will be removed on monthly basis. They will not be put back on until requested. Please notify church office to remove or add a person or email: icuctnmaster@gmail.com

## Holy Sacraments Offered

**Baptism:** Arranged by appointment with the Parish Office.

**First Eucharist:** Arrangements made with the Religious Education Director.

**Confirmation:** Arrangements made with the Religious Education Director.

**Confession:** Saturdays 4:15pm—4:45pm

**Matrimony:** Arrangements must be made six (6) months prior to the wedding date. Contact the Parish Office.

**Marriage Blessing:** Contact the parish Priest.

**Marriage Annulment:** Contact the parish Priest.

**Anointing of the Sick:** Contact the Parish Office.

**Holy Orders:** Contact the Parish Priest.



May 22 & 23 – Pentecost Sunday

Lector:

5:00 pm: Winnie Logan

9:00 am: Tony Stigler

Eucharistic Minister:

5:00 pm: Charles Yochum

9:00 am: Mindy Chappell

## Offertory Collection

May 9, 2021

**Regular Offertory: \$ 2,905**

**Parish Improvements: \$ 635**

**Online Giving: \$ 291**

**Total: \$ 3,831**

**Thank you for your support & generosity!**





## Pope urges Catholics to pray in May for end to Covid-19 pandemic

Pope Francis invites Catholics and Marian Shrines around the world to dedicate the month of May to a marathon of prayer for an end to the Covid-19 pandemic.

By Devin Watkins

Catholics across the globe are encouraged to dedicate the Marian month of May to praying for an end to the pandemic. The initiative, behind which the Pope has thrown his support, involves 30 Marian Shrines from various parts of the world. The Pontifical Council for Promoting the New Evangelization announced the news with a press release on Wednesday afternoon. It takes place under the theme “The whole Church was fervently praying to God,” which recalls a verse in the Book of Acts (12:5).

### Prayer initiative

“The initiative will involve all the Shrines of the world in a special way, so that they might encourage the faithful, families, and communities to recite the Rosary to pray for an end to the pandemic,” read the statement. Pope Francis will open the Marian month of prayer on 1 May with a Rosary broadcast across Vatican Media’s platforms. Each day will see Vatican News broadcast the recitation of the Rosary at 6 PM Rome time from the various Shines taking part in the initiative. The Pope will also close the initiative on 31 May with another specially-broadcast Rosary.

### End to the pandemic

This year’s dedication of May to pandemic-related prayer recalls a similar occurrence during the first wave in March 2020. Pope Francis led the world in prayer during that confusing and difficult time, celebrating a live-streamed, daily Mass in the Casa Santa Marta. After more than a year, and with the world still in the grips of the pandemic, the Pope and the Church around the world are once again leading the way in imploring God for an end to the suffering which so many people are forced to bear.



**Hannah Arthurs**

Graduating from Obion County  
Central High School

Attending UTM majoring in  
Special Education

Daughter of Mindy & Matt Chappell



**Alexander Cox**

Graduating from Union City  
High School

Attending UT Knoxville  
majoring in Pre-Med.

Son of Greg & Jennifer Cox



**Nick Chappell**

Graduating from Obion County  
Central High School

Attending Dyersburg State

Son of Matt Chappell &  
Stephanie Price

# 2021 Class of



**Carlos Barrientos**

Graduating from Fulton  
County High School  
Attending Tulsa Welding School

Son of Carlos & Julia Barrientos

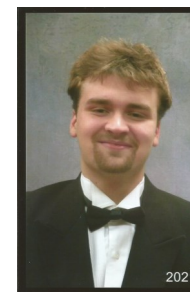


**Seth Mangold**

Graduating from Obion County  
Central High School

College bond to study Nurse  
Anesthetist at Memphis

Son of Deana Sergerson Mangold



**Sly Sergerson**

Graduating from Obion County  
Central High School

Joining the workforce

Son of Davy Sergerson &  
Stephanie Little



**Kasey Dywer**

Graduating from Obion County  
Central High School

Attending Jackson State for  
Vet Tech/Medicine

Daughter of Evelyn & Tony  
Stigler



**Eli Cunningham**

Graduating from Obion County  
Central High School

Attending UTM  
majoring in Engineering  
Son of Paul & Julie Cunningham



**Ben Martinek**

Graduating from Union City  
High School

Attending UT Knoxville

Son of Doug & Amy Martinek





# KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

## OFFICER SELECTIONS FOR 2021-2022

**FINANCIAL  
SECRETARY:**  
**DAVID PIAZZA**



**TREASURER:**  
**DOUG MARTINEK**



THE KNIGHTS WILL BE GIVING  
SAMPLES OF RAVIOLI THE  
WEEKEND OF MAY 22-23.

PRE-ORDERS WILL BE TAKEN ALSO.

THEY WILL THEN, AT A LATER DATE,  
SELL THE RAVIOLI AND PROCEEDS  
WILL GO TO THE LIFE BEAT  
PREGNANCY CENTER IN LAKE  
COUNTY.



**Immaculate Conception  
Catholic Church**

If you are a parishioner in need of food,  
please come to the church office to sign up  
for a food voucher!

Monday-Friday 9:00 am—4:00 pm.

**The next sign up day is Tuesday, June 1  
from 10 am—12 pm.**

Ya tenemos fecha para la primera repar-  
tición de comida, si necesitas comida  
puedes pasar a la oficina de la iglesia y  
anotarte para el cupón, de Lunes a Viernes  
de 9:00 am a 4:00 pm

**el primer día para la entrega de cupones  
será el 1 de Juno de 10 am a 12 pm.**

# #SERVE

IN CELEBRATION OF THE 50TH ANNIVERSARY  
OF THE CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF MEMPHIS

Serving together to support our neighbors struggling with food  
insecurity, homelessness, and literacy gaps. With four opportunities  
to celebrate 50 years as Catholics in West Tennessee, there is  
something for everyone. Join us in a family friendly event to pack  
snack packs, hygiene kits, and literacy kits to be distributed locally  
in areas of most need across West Tennessee.

### WHERE YOU CAN SERVE:

**Saturday, June 5th at St. Louis Catholic Church**  
1:00-3:00 PM  
203 S White Station Road, Memphis, TN, 38117

**Sunday, June 6th at Holy Angels Catholic Church**  
3:00- 5:00 PM  
535 Tucker Street, Dyersburg, TN 38024

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For more information, visit [ccwtn.org](http://ccwtn.org), or email  
[communications.ccwtn@acc.cdom.org](mailto:communications.ccwtn@acc.cdom.org)

# #SIRVE

EN CELEBRACIÓN DEL 50TA ANIVERSARIO DEL  
DIÓCESIS CATÓLICA DE MEMPHIS

Sirviendo juntos para apoyar nuestros vecinos que luchan contra la inseguridad  
alimentaria, la falta de vivienda, y las brechas de alfabetización. Con cuatro  
oportunidades para celebrar 50 años como Católicos en el Oeste De Tennessee,  
hay algo para todos. Únase a nosotros en un evento familiar para empaquetar  
paquetes de alimentos, kits higiénicos, y kits de alfabetización que se distribuirán  
localmente en las áreas de mayor necesidad en el Oeste De Tennessee.

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## Intentional Rosary

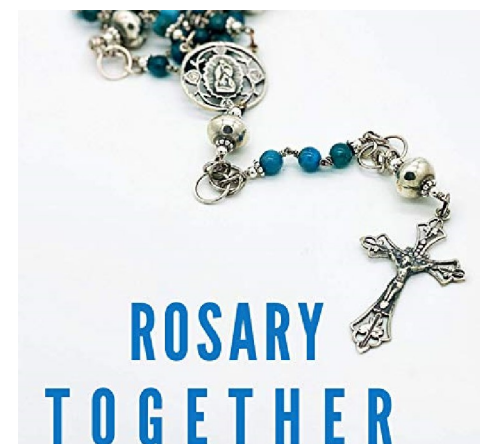
In the Month of May, during our Rosary we will pray for personal intentions  
of parishioners in our parish. For each Hail Mary that we pray with the  
mysteries (50 in all), we will offer up a specific intention.

**Please list your intentions on the sign up sheet in the Narthex!**

## Rosario con Intenciones

En el mes de Mayo, durante el Rosario estaremos pidiendo por las  
intenciones personales de los feligreses de nuestra parroquia. Por cada  
AveMaría que recemos en los misterios (50 en total), la ofreceremos por una  
específica intención.

**Por favor anota tus intenciones en la que esta en la rectoria!**



Our deepest condolences, prayers, and thoughts to  
the Harriet Hicks & Kathy Jo Roberts family in the  
passing of their brother, Richard "Dick" McNeill.

