



Immaculate Conception Catholic Church

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Immaculate Conception Parish Staff:

Office Hours: 8:30am—3:00pm

Pastor: Fr. Carl Gregorich
Secretary/Bookkeeper: Isabel Avalos
Religious Education Director: Teresa Vallee
Communications/ Technology: Lillie Vallee
Custodial: Philip Scott

Choir Rehearsal: Wednesdays 5pm
Knights of Columbus: 3rd Degree: Jason Batchlor
4th Degree: David Piazza

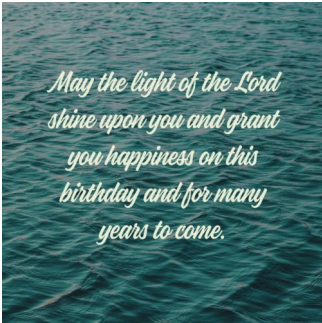
Ladies Guild: Maria Reedy
Meal Ministry: Brenda Piazza
Rosary Prayer Group: Sundays 8:30am Lillie Vallee

Flocknote: flocknote.com/find
FORMED.org: Sign up as a parishioner
& use the church zip code

Facebook: facebook.com/icuctn

Bulletin Deadline: Noon on Monday

Wishing all of you a Happy and
BLESSED
May Birthday!



Parish Offertory
May 7, 2023
Weekly Budget: \$5,400

Regular Offertory:	\$ 3,373
Online Giving:	\$ 533
	(\$ 1,494)

Families using envelopes & online giving: 54
Thank you for your generosity & support!





Saturday, May 13: 8:00pm
People of the Parish

Sunday, May 14: 9:00am
Repose of the Soul of Nina Pierce *(Gerald Arnold)*

Monday, May 15: 8:00am
Repose of the Soul of Pat Johnson *(Terry Johnson)*

Wednesday, May 17: 12:00pm
Jack McKeown *(Harriet Hicks)*

Thursday, May 18: 12:00pm
Repose of the Soul of Charlotte Toon *(Carl Toon)*

Friday, May 19: 8:00am
Hannah Felix 7th Birthday *(Isabel Avalos)*

Saturday, May 20: 5:00pm
Repose of the Souls of Bill & Beverly Dixon
(Mike & Teresa Vallee)

Sunday, May 21: 9:00am
People of the Parish

May 20 & 21: Ascension Sunday

Lector:
5:00 pm: Dawn Lattus
9:00am: Lillie Vallee

Eucharistic Minister:
5:00 pm: Joanie Boucher
9:00am: Mindy Chappell





Sign up on our website at www.icuctn.org & click Online Giving to setup your account.

Regístrese en nuestro sitio web en www.icuctn.org y haga clic en En línea Dando para configurar su cuenta.



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

<u>Parishioners:</u>	<u>Friends & Family:</u>	
Lupita Berner	Janet Adams	Jon Loehr
Hank Gill	Carson Bates	Dan Mangold
Anabel Gracia	Michael Burns	Ofelia Martinez
Mary & Gerald Harris	Brentley Carr	Jack Mckeown
Martha Lattus	Jimmy & Pat Cooley	Belena Moreno
Wy Lattus	Helen Cuvelier	Kenneth Northam
Frank Maceri	Carla Cruce	Ginger Odle
Pat Martinek	Andrew Delke	Margarita Perales
Barbara Pituch	Rusty Gibson	Fr. Robert Ponticello
Tom Pituch	Judy Guillory	Rita Reedy
Carl Toon	Stevie Gossett	Greg Roach
Paul Werner Sr.	Alex Harvel	Joan Thompson
Rosa Wright	Frank & Susan	Lynn Taylor
	Hutchinson	Ruben Vazquez
	Gail Holub	Joe Young
	Mayci Hogg	Kallye Young
	Mary Jo Lattus	
	Herminio Lopez	
	Renee Lindsay	

If you would like a card sent to your loved one, please provide an address when you email or call the office or text Sue Holzner (731)335-0502. Cards are sent on behalf of the Ladies Guild of the parish. **If you, as a parishioner, are going to have surgery, please let us know for the prayer list and a card also!**



Saturday, May 13 & Sunday, May 14:
Ladies Guild Bake Sale after each Mass!
Happy Mother's Day to all mothers!

Saturday, May 20:
Knights of Columbus 4th Degree Meeting 6pm
Snappy Tomato

Sunday, May 21:
Knights of Columbus Meeting at 5pm
at St. Jude Social Hall

Saturday, May 27:
Confirmation Practice 9am

Sunday, May 28:
Confirmation Mass 2pm

Holy Sacraments Offered

Baptism: Arrange by appointment *three (3) months* before the desired date of baptism with the 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* before the wedding date with 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.

Sagrados Sacramentos Ofrecidos

Bautismo: Organizarlo por medio de una cita con la oficina parroquial tres (3) meses antes de la fecha deseada de bautismo.
Primera Comunión: Arreglos hechos con el Director de Educación Religiosa.
Confirmación: Arreglos hechos con el Director de Educación Religiosa.
Confesión: Sábados 4:15pm—4:45pm
Matrimonio: Los arreglos deben hacerse seis (6) meses antes de la fecha de la boda con la Oficina Parroquial.
Bendición Matrimonial: Comuníquese con el párroco.
Anulación de Matrimonio: Póngase en contacto con el párroco.
Unción de los Enfermos: Comuníquese con la Oficina Parroquial.
Órdenes Sagradas: Póngase en contacto con el párroco.

Altar Linens Month of May: Beverly Canale
Thank you for your service to our parish!

The Altar Candles are in memory of Nina Pierce.

Immaculate Conception Catholic Church
Assumption Memorial Garden Cemetery

Columbarium Niches for Cremains \$1,600.00 per Niche
contact parish office (731) 885-0963 Niche Face Plate Engraving Compliments of Edmaiston-Mosley Funeral Home (731) 885-1033 Curtis Monument Company (731) 352-5769 & The Wall Family



If you have not yet completed your card, please prayerfully make your pledge & return it to the church office. Our goal is **100% participation** in our church family that is the Diocese of Memphis.

After a successful United in Faith Capital Campaign, the Annual Catholic Appeal is back to support all ministries funded by the Diocese.


English


Español



Save the Date: Wed. May 31, 2023
At 7:00pm
at ICUC Activity Building
For our Northern Deanery Meeting

Beginning today and over the next few months we will hear from Bishop David P. Talley and other Diocese leaders in letters, meetings, videos and other communications avenues about the Planning.

In this act of stewardship, our Diocese will be asking three questions:

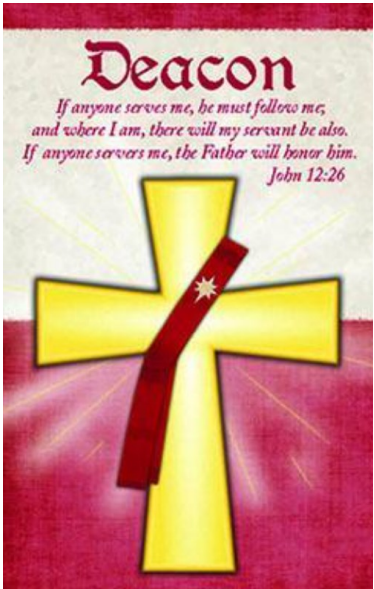
1. How are we living and serving the Lord as the Diocese of Memphis today (our successes, challenges and opportunities)?
2. Knowing the state of our Diocese in 2023, to prayerfully discern, through lots of listening sessions...what is the Lord asking of us going forward on mission?
3. Once we have discerned the Lord's will together for the Church of West Tennessee, how do we go about following the will of God? What steps will we take as faithful missionary disciples?

Let's pray for our Bishop as he leads all of us to be part of this exciting renewal. A New Heart For Our Mission: Santidad Y Servicio (Sanctity and Service)!



Happy Mother's Day to all the mothers in our parish! You are appreciated!

<i>In memory or in honor of our mothers:</i>	Josefina Maldonado	Josefina Olivares	Winnie Logan
Charlotte Garrigan	Joan Chmielewski	Ma Isabel Rodriguez	Rosaura Maldonado
Beverly Dixon	Dulce Leal	Heriberha Sanchez	Remedios Avalos
Carylon Vallee	Pamela Jenkins	Denise McKinnis	Isabel Avalos
MaNell Chadwell	Brenda Piazza	Karina Ramirez	Cecilia Avalos
Lorene Reynolds	Miriam Martinez	Martha Contreras	Sonia Avalos
Holley Vallee	Frida Sergerson	Leticia Maldonado	Maria Avalos
Lillie Vallee	Yesenia Guerrero	Pat Harmon	Rosario Ayard
Teresa Vallee	Juana Alvarez	Missy Weaks	Socorro Ayard
Susan Brewer	Elvia Maldonado	Grace Maddox	Garcia Ayard
Betty Brewer	Lorena Mandujano	Josefina Oliver	Irma Reyna
Sue Bryan	Paola Ramirez	Harriet Hicks	Loretta Gregorich
Hilda Hernandez	Cecilia Ramirez	Barbara Scott	Sandy Gregorich
	Nancy Trejo	Guessie Vincent	



Save the Date

The Ordination of Several Deacons
Mateusz Wegrzyn, Andrew Raffanti, Rolando Pérez, Horst Lorenz, Kacper Wojcieszko
June 3, 2023 | 10:00 am
The Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception



The Ladies Guild
Annual Mother's Day Bake Sale
Following each Mass this weekend.
Help support the Ladies Guild by
buying a delicious goodie!

Father Carl has already blessed several fields, vegetable gardens, and flower gardens. If you want Father to come and bless your field or garden please contact the office to set a date.

Padre Carl ha bendecido ya varios campos de siembra y jardines de flores y vegetales, si te gustaria que El fuera a bendecir los tuyos contactate a la oficina para apartar la fecha.



Knights are asked to
do your best to
attend your
respective meetings.
Important business
is to be discussed.

4TH DEGREE MEETING
SATURDAY, MAY 20 AT 6PM
AT SNAPPY TOMATO PIZZA



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEETING
SUNDAY, MAY 21 AT 5PM
AT ST. JUDE SOCIAL HALL

As you are aware, last weekend I announced at our Masses at IC and Fr David announced at St Jude Parish that he would be retiring early in order to concentrate on health issues. As a result of Fr David's upcoming retirement, Bishop Talley has asked me to remain as Pastor of IC and to take on additional sacramental and administrative responsibilities at St Jude Parish. With this additional work at both parishes, multiple changes will need to occur for resolving Mass schedule overlap, confession time coordination, Daily Mass schedules, the handling of Mass intentions already booked, baptisms, etc. just to name a portion of the effort required to establish a fluid result for one priest to manage both parish entities.

As I indicated last week the discussions have already been underway among the staff at both parishes to review all of the various aspects of parish life that we must accommodate. All of the various elements that I mentioned before are a large portion of the conversations. In our deliberations we have made progress and I am optimistic that we will get many of the questions resolved soon. However, there will be some be complications that may take more time to conclude and we will dedicate ourselves to ongoing conversations toward that end.

As it stands at this point, I will be meeting with joint members of both parish council's and finance councils to go over the items that both staff's have been discussing in order to have input from you, our family members, parishioners, of both IC and St Jude. On that note I would ask that if you have particular thoughts on how to make all of this compatible then please share with members of your respective parish council so that they can discuss them at our upcoming meeting.

We are still under a fairly short timeline which will require that we resolve all of this in a fairly short period of time. I also recognize that not everyone will be happy with all of the decisions that are made but I ask your indulgence and especially your prayers that we can get through this process quickly and with respect for all of our parishioners in both locations.

Thank you all for your commitment to both parish families and for your efforts to understand the significance of what is being undertaken as we work through these issues. I pray for all of you and your families and I ask your prayers too as we work our way through this effort.

I am yours in the Lord,

Fr. Carl