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Under the guidance and protection of the Blessed Virgin Mary

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MASS SCHEDULE

WEEKENDS

ICC – Kenton Saturday 4pm
Sunday 9am
7pm Last Sunday of the month (Spanish)
OLL – Ada Sunday 11am

WEEKDAYS

ICC – Kenton Wednesday & Thursday 9am
OLL – Ada Tuesday 5:30pm
Friday 9am

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

ICC – Kenton Wednesday 9:30am-1pm
OLL – Ada Tuesday 6-7pm

VESPERS

OLL – Ada Sunday 6pm



SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

ICC - Kenton Saturday 3:30pm
Sunday 8:30am
Wednesday 9:30-10:30am
OLL – Ada Tuesday during Adoration 6-7pm

Also by appointment.

Please contact Fr. Ryan at fatherschmit@gmail.com.

SACRAMENTAL EMERGENCIES AFTER HOURS

In case of imminent death, please call Fr. Ryan at (614) 749-0565. For non-emergency anointings, communion visits, baptisms, and marriages, please notify the office.

NEW PARISHIONERS

A warm welcome to all new families and individuals.
To register, please contact your respective church office.

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SUNDAY MASS LIVESTREAM

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FLOCKNOTE

Sign up for *Flocknote* for important news, bulletin links, and weekly updates from Fr. Ryan.
To sign up, go to <https://hardincatholic.flocknote.com>

MASS INTENTIONS September 2-September 10

Day	Time	Location	Intention	
SAT 9-2	4:00 pm	ICC	People of the Parishes	
SUN 9-3	9:00 am	ICC	Vocations	
	11:00 am	OLL	Andrew & Barbara Tighe	
TUE 9-5	5:30 pm	OLL		
WED 9-6	9:00 am	ICC	Jerry Mulligan	
THU 9-7	9:00 am	ICC	Jerry Mulligan	
FRI 9-8	9:00 am	OLL		
SAT 9-9	4:00 am	ICC	People of the Parishes	
SUN 9-10	9:00 am	ICC	Mary King	
	11:00 am	OLL	Ronald Goshe	

Weekly Offering

	ICC	OLL
	Weekend of August 27	
Mass Collection	\$1,802.00	\$3,580.00
		Weekend of August 20
		\$1,632.00
Fiscal YTD	\$17,498.00	\$19,602.00

**The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Feast Day September 8**

On December 8, the Church celebrates the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception. That solemnity highlights the singular grace bestowed upon the Blessed Virgin Mary at the moment she was conceived. The Church dogma states, "...in the first instance of her conception, by a singular grace and privilege granted by Almighty God, in view of the merits of Jesus Christ, the Savior of the human race, was preserved free from all stain of original sin, is a doctrine revealed by God and therefore to be believed firmly and constantly by all the faithful" (Pope Pius IX, 1954).

Nothing is known for certain about the birth of the Blessed Virgin Mary or of her upbringing, since the Bible only introduces the Mother of God to us for the first time during the Annunciation. Though the account is not part of the canon of Scripture, it has been a source of reflection throughout the centuries and is the source of the traditional names of the Blessed Mother's parents, Joachim and Anne.

Mary, Mother of God, pray for us!

Dearest Mother Mary, your conception was immaculate and your birth glorious. You were conceived without sin, born without sin, and remained sinless throughout your life. In Heaven, you radiate the beauty and splendor of God and will do so for all eternity. Please pray for me, that I will more fully imitate your many virtues, so that I can be a fitting instrument of your divine Son in the world. Mother Mary, pray for me. Jesus, I trust in You.

Pope Francis's September Prayer Intention

For people living on the margins

We pray for those persons living on the margins of society, in inhumane life conditions;

may they not be overlooked by institutions and never considered of lesser importance.

**Church Directory**

If you missed having your picture taken for the Directory and would like to be included, please email a picture of yourself or family within the next two weeks to be included in the Directory.

Saturday with the Sisters

Girls, grades 8-12, are invited to "Saturday with the Sisters" on Saturday, September 23, 2023 at the St. Dominic Convent (2575 E. Livingston Ave.). The day will include breakfast, Mass, adoration, lunch, and a talk by Fr. Thomas Blau, O.P. called "All About Angels." Admission is free but donations will be accepted to go toward the cost of food. Please RSVP

at saturdaywithsisters@gmail.com. Sponsored by the Serra Clubs of Columbus and North Columbus.

An extreme amendment is on the Ohio ballot in November that threatens the health and safety of women, the rights of parents and the lives of pre-born babies up to 9 months.



**Join Catholics across Ohio
in praying a 54-Day
Rosary Novena
beginning
Friday, Sept. 15,
for the defeat of this
dangerous amendment.**

Sign up for a daily email reminder with novena prayers here → or at pray54ohio.org.



Parish School of Religion

PSR for pre-school thru 8th grade will begin Sunday, September 17 after the 9:00am Mass. The Knights of Columbus will be furnishing hot dogs at the end of classes. Information will be mailed to returning families. New families may email office@icckenton.org.

Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA)

OCIA is the process for adults who desire to join the Catholic faith and for those seeking more information on the Catholic Church. If you, or someone you know, is interested in learning about the Catholic faith or would like to join the Church, then please email the office with their contact information for our perspectives list. Information will then be sent regarding the dates and times for the session.

Eucharistic Revival

The United States Bishops have incorporated a Eucharistic Revival to restore understanding and devotion to the Eucharist. We will be offering seven sessions for an opportunity to learn about the greatest gift God has given to humanity. Jean Bruner will facilitate Tuesday, September 19 from 9am to noon. Louie Wrasman will facilitate Sunday, September 24 after Mass till 12:15pm. Refreshments will be served at both sessions. Sign up will begin this weekend after the Masses. Email office@icckenton.org or call 419-675-1162 with any questions or to sign up.

September 24 Bishop Earl Fernandes will be present at both Sunday masses to officially install Fr. Ryan Schmit as Pastor.

Coffee & donuts will not be served this weekend.

ICC Office will be closed Monday September 4, for Labor Day



See You At The Fair



Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest.
Matthew 11:28

We are responsible for staffing the **Ada Food Pantry**, Tuesdays from 4-6 pm and Saturdays from 10 am until noon, during the month of September. *An experienced staffer is always there to assist anyone new to the ministry! The Food Pantry is in the basement of the Presbyterian Church; entrance is directly across from outside mailbox at Post Office.*
Sign up on the sheet in the narthex!

We will have a booth at the **Harvest & Herb Festival** September 16th and take part in the parade! If you want to be involved in either, sign up on the sheet!

Lectors, Altar Servers, Musicians

If you would like to assist in these liturgical ministries, please email the office or Fr. Ryan and you will be put in touch with a volunteer for training! *Musicians do need to have some musical ability but can be trained in OLL particulars!*

Altar Flower Sign-up

Sign up on the sheet on the bulletin board in the hall to provide cut flowers for the altar during Ordinary Time. Donations for the purchase of flowers is also welcome! If you have any questions, contact Jess Spiese at jlspiese@gmail.com or (419) 890-5256.

Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA)

Begins September 17 ❖ 6:30 – 7:30 pm

Thank you!

To Lisa Ferguson and all who helped set up and clean up and provided food and came out for the Parish Picnic! So nice to see all the familiar and new faces, especially the young families and college students for whom it was a first OLL Parish Picnic!

**Please remember in your prayers**

Please remember to keep our nursing home parishioners and homebound and the sick in your prayers:
Diane Jaeger, Rita Scharf, Carol Lowery, Ellen Ramge, Dr. Kate Johnson, Don Conkle, Pat Kusner

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