

Immaculate Conception Church

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www.immaculateconceptionkenton.org

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If a need arises and you are unable to reach Fr. Shikina,
please call a staff member.

MASS SCHEDULE:

Sunday Obligation:

Saturday Eve. – 4:00 p.m.

Sunday – 9:00 a.m.

Last Sunday of the month at 7:00 p.m. (Spanish)

Holy Days: Please consult bulletin.

Weekdays: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday, 9:00 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK:

Call the Office immediately in emergencies. Notify the Office for Communion Calls to the sick or shut-ins or visits to the hospital.

For a Sacramental emergency after hours (someone is dying and needs to be anointed), please call the Our Lady of Lourdes office number at 419-634-2626 and press 7 to be directed to Fr. Ed

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE:

By appointment with Fr. Ed – eshikina@columbuscatholic.org

BAPTISMS:

To arrange for instructions for the Sacrament of Baptism, call the Office.

MARRIAGES:

Please make initial arrangements at the Office at least 9 months before the intended wedding date to begin marriage preparation.

MEETINGS:

Knights of Columbus:

Call Brad at (419) 675-0822 for details.

STEWARDSHIP

Jesus compares the kingdom of heaven with ten virgins who took their lamps and went out to meet the bridegroom. Five of them were foolish and five of them were prudent. The foolish did not prepare for the wait, they brought no extra oil to keep their flames burning bright. The prudent bridesmaids brought extra oil, just in case the wait was longer than they had expected. And the wait was long. Some of those who were supposed to be waiting were not prepared for the wait, with disastrous consequences. Good stewards heed Jesus' warning: Be prepared to wait for the Lord's return. Is your faith strong enough to endure the wait? Will the "flames" of passion for the Lord endure? What are you doing to keep your passion for the Lord from burning out?



Masses for the Week

Monday	Nov. 9 9:00am	Dedication of the Lateran Basilica Willard Holland
Tuesday	Nov. 10 9:00am	St. Leo the Great, Pope Stan & Monica Hunt
Wednesday	Nov. 11 9:00am	St. Martin of Tours, Bishop Kate Strahm
Thursday	Nov. 12 9:00am	St. Josaphat, Bishop Msgr. Robert Noon
Saturday	Nov. 14 4:00pm	Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time For the Parish
Sunday	Nov. 15 9:00am	Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time Kelly Scharf Livestream from OLL at 11am

Please remember to keep our Nursing Home Parishioners and the Home Bound and the sick in your prayers:

Lydia Hickey, Charlene Hilty, Diane Jaeger,
Bernie Zoeller, Rita Scharf, Mary King,
Ray Clark, Ivan Dick, Ella Friedel, and
Carol Lowery.

Faith at Home

Send us pictures of your religious practices in the home - praying together, icons, prayer room, and so on - to share on Facebook!

Almighty God, we commend to your gracious care and keeping all the men and women of our armed forces at home and abroad. Defend them day by day with your heavenly grace; strengthen them in their trials and temptations; give them courage to face the perils which beset them; and grant them a sense of your abiding presence wherever they may be. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.



Weekly Readings for Masses November 9 - 15

Monday	Ezekiel 47:1-2, 8-9, 12; 1 Corinthians 3:9c-11, 16-17; & John 2:13-22
Tuesday	Timothy 2:1-8, 11-14 & Luke 17:7-10
Wednesday	Timothy 3:1-7 & Luke 17:11-19
Thursday	Philemon 7-20 & Luke 17:20-25
Friday	2 John 4-9 & Luke 17:26-37
Saturday	3 John 5-8 & Luke 18:1-8
Sunday	Proverbs 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31 1 Thessalonians 5:1-6 Matthew 25:14-30



Week of Nov. 1

This week's collection will appear in next week's bulletin.

Weekly Goal	\$2,620.00
Year to Date	\$44,479.50
Year to Date Budget	\$55,649.00

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St. Vincent DePaul



St. Vincent dePaul Society will be having a giving tree again this year for Christmas. A tree will be set up with cards from which you may select. The card will list a boy or girl and something they need. You purchase the gift, wrap it and return it. Please be sure to sign your name on the sign-up sheet that is posted so we know who has picked up the names. Thank you.

The month of November is a time of year in which the Church prays for those who have died. If you have had a loved one who has died this past year, please inscribe their name in the Book of Remembrance located in the main entrance of the church and they will be remembered at all Masses during the month of November. If their names are listed from previous years, they do not need to be relisted. **Also, the ones who have died from our parish this year, have already been listed.**



Saints in Training Club for both parishes

Children, ages 5-11, and their families are invited to join this parishioner-led group to learn more about the saints and virtues. This club will include monthly at-home crafts, activities, and learning about a saint; monthly Adoration in the Church (with your family) and a brief virtual meeting with a lesson on a virtue. To join or learn more, you may email Ann Johnson at acjohnson@alumni.nd.edu or phone 712-579-1923.

The "Good News Cafe" Scripture Study

Tuesday, November 10 after the 9:00am Mass.

Bishop's Annual Appeal 2020

You can continue to make pledges at <https://columbuscatholicgiving.org/baa>
Goal: \$16,719.27 Pledges: \$39,965.00
Thank you for your generosity!

OLL Veteran's Day Drive-thru Dinner! Nov 11th 4-7pm at OLL

Dinners \$10 - choice of: Coach Lamb's Pulled Pork on a Homemade Bun OR Ann's Famous Chicken Salad on a Croissant, plus sides and delicious buckeyes.

Confessions are by appointment only. For an appointment for confession at either OLL or ICC, please email Fr. Ed at eshikina@columbuscatholic.org.

Congratulations to Deacon Nick Klear on his ordination this weekend! Deacon Nick will be serving both parishes as a permanent deacon. His first time preaching at ICC will be the weekend of Nov. 28/29th. May God bless him as he ministers to our parishes!"

Box of Joy – See back of church for instructions on gift boxes. The boxes have arrived. A \$9.00 check must be included with each box for mailing.

For the last 3 years, Holy Family Radio has helped to organize and promote the Box of Joy campaign, a ministry of Cross Catholic Outreach, in our listening area. Last year, several area parishes and Catholic schools filled and shipped over 1,000 Boxes of Joy overseas. We have been asked to participate and soon you will see a card table of instructions to pick up and boxes to fill. Turn in boxes by November 10.

(SVDP will also be having their Giving Tree)

Consecration to Jesus through Mary for both parishes

The Church has a tradition of making an act of consecration to Jesus through Mary. This means an intentional act of meeting our Lord in a new way with the help of Mary, his, and our, mother. A good, simple way to make this act of consecration is through a book called 33 Days to Morning Glory. Join us beginning on November 6 for 33 days of prayer and reflection which will lead to making a consecration at the end of Mass on December 8, the Feast of the Immaculate Conception.

Email Steve Johnson at sjohnsonpv@gmail.com if interested and he will order your book, or you may order it on your own. The daily prayers will be on your own but there may be a way that we can connect with each other along the journey, so let us know if you want to participate. Those who have done a consecration before may renew that consecration as I will be doing on that day.

9th Annual Sacred Heart Congress

**Saturday, November 14, 2020 at
St. Paul the Apostle Church in Westerville OH from
9:30 AM to 12:00 PM.**

Registration: \$10 for individuals, \$20 for families; There is no charge to stream the event on-line. Sign up at www.WelcomeHisHeart.com or call 614-468-3959.

The day includes Holy Mass celebrated by Bishop Robert Brennan, Bishop of the Diocese of Columbus who will also deliver the homily. Adoration led by Father Stash Dailey, Spiritual Director Sacred Heart Enthronement Network, Pastor of Holy Family Parish, and Vicar of Religious in the Diocese of Columbus. Talks by Fr. Jonathan Wilson, Pastor of St. Paul Parish and Emily Jaminet, Executive Director of SHEN who will be speaking on her latest book.

All Are Welcome!

Maria Stein Shrine

Christmas Open House – November 12-15

Join us at the Maria Stein Shrine for our annual Christmas Open House! Enjoy cookies, hot cocoa and 20% off your total purchase in the Pilgrim Gift Shop! The sale applies to in-store purchases only, excludes Fontanini and cannot be combined with any other offers. For more information visit mariasteinshrine.org or contact the Gift Shop at 419-925-4532.

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