

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH

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Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

For a sacramental emergency, in case of imminent death, please call Fr. Ed at 419-634-2626 x.7.

For non-emergency anointings, or for communion visits to the sick, please notify the office.

Sacrament of Penance

Wednesdays from 9:30-10:30am

Saturdays at 3:30pm • Sundays at 8:30am

Or by arrangement with Fr. Ed

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.

MASS SCHEDULE

Weekends

Saturday Evening – 4pm

Sunday – 9am

Last Sunday of the month at 7pm (Spanish)

Holy Days

Please consult bulletin.

Weekdays

Wednesdays & Thursdays, 9am;

Mass on Tuesdays at 5:30pm and Fridays at 9am
are at Our Lady of Lourdes Church

STEWARDSHIP

Jesus' longest-recorded conversation with anyone is the one he has with the Samaritan woman at the well. She discovers she can be honest with Jesus and goes and tells others about him. She gives witness. She's not the most certain, thorough or even convincing witness. But her witness is enough. It is inviting, humble, non-judgmental and sincere. What is the quality of our witness? How do our words and actions give daily testimony on behalf of Christ? During this season of Lent, how might we do a better job at proclaiming the risen Lord in word and deed?



Masses for the Week

Tuesday	March 14 5:30pm	Mass at Our Lady of Lourdes - Ada
Wednesday	March 15 9:00am	Burke McKenna - ICC
Thursday	March 16 9:00am	Charles & Erma Dietz
Friday	March 17 9:00am	Mass at Our Lady of Lourdes - Ada
Saturday	March 18 4:00pm	Fourth Sunday of Lent Clara Wrasman
Sunday	March 19 9:00am	Fourth Sunday of Lent The People of the Parish

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

Charlene Hilty, Diane Jaeger, Rita Scharf,
Carol Lowery, Ellen Ramge, Dr. Kate Johnson,
Don Conkle, Gerry Cote, and Ernie Klingelhofer.

Stations of the Cross:

Fridays of Lent at 6:00pm at
ICC and OLL.



Please note that services this year for Holy Week will take place at Our Lady of Lourdes. This includes Holy Thursday, Good Friday and Easter Vigil. Easter Sunday masses will be at the normal time at both churches.

Lenten Prayer

Oh loving Lord, during this Lenten season I lift up my voice to you. Instill in my heart the desire to hear your voice in the voices of the poor, your people. May I find in their example the path to my conversion. Bless my Prayer, Fasting, Learning, and Giving in this season of grace. May these actions answer the call to transform our world. Amen.



Weekly Readings for Masses March 13 - 19

Monday	2 Kings 5:1-15ab & Luke 4:24-30
Tuesday	Daniel 3:25, 34-43 & Matthew 18:21-35
Wednesday	Deuteronomy 4:1, 5-9 & Matthew 5:17-19
Thursday	Jeremiah 7:23-28 & Luke 11:14-23
Friday	Hosea 14:2-10 & Mark 12:28-34
Saturday	Hosea 6:1-6 & Luke 18:9-14
Sunday	1 Samuel 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a Ephesians 5:8-14 John 9:1-41



Week of March 5

Regular (42)	\$2,105.00
Loose	249.00
Total	\$2,354.00

Year to date offertory beginning July. . . \$79,060.65

Taking Eucharist to the Shut Ins

We would like to increase the number of people that take the Eucharist to the shut-ins. Maybe you would like to take Jesus to a family member or a friend. Maybe you would like to take the Eucharist to another member of our parish.

If you would like more information, please call the parish office at 419-675-1162 or call Joyce Wrasman at 419-675-1409. Also, if you, or someone you know is not able to come to mass and would like to receive the Eucharist, please call the parish office to let us know.

Happy St. Patrick's Day!!



CRS Rice Bowl**FROM FARMING TO FISHING**

Raul and Rhodora were coconut farmers in their town in the Philippines, but it took a lot of work before they made money. They participated in a Catholic Relief Services program that helped them build their own fishpond to raise and sell fish. The fish provide nutritious food for their family and more accessible income, enabling Raul and Rhodora's granddaughters to attend school. What changes have you made in your professional, personal or spiritual life that have benefited others? Visit crsricebowl.org to learn more.

**Good News Café Scripture Study**

Tuesday, March 14 at 10am. Reflection will be on the Sunday Scripture Readings. The session begins with light refreshments, then moves to prayer and discussion.

The Chosen Season 2 watch party

We will be hosting The Chosen Season 2 watch party on Sundays from 6pm – 7:30pm for Lent.

Sunday, March 12. Episode 3

All are welcome to bring snacks to share with the group. It will be held in the Center.

Please pray for our Seminarians

Every week we will pray for one of our Seminarians.

This week please keep Jason Fox from St Joan of Arc in Powell in your prayers.



Father, You love us and call each of us to go on mission with you in advancing your kingdom. You equip us with everything that we need to serve and love others in that mission. We pray for our seminarians whom you have called to seminary to discern a possible call to serve you as priests. Please watch over them, Lord. Guide them and help them grow in holiness. Grant them wisdom and courage to give themselves radically to You. We pray also for the grace to grow in holiness ourselves and to seek always your will in our lives. We ask this through Christ Our Lord. Amen.

**Diocesan Wide Reconciliation Monday**

Confessions will be heard on Monday, April 3, at the Diocesan Shrine of the Immaculate Conception and

St. Patrick's Day Dinner – March 18

The Kenton Knights of Columbus will be hosting a corned beef and cabbage dinner on Saturday, March 18 after mass (5pm to 8pm or until we run out) for St. Patrick's Day. Donations will be accepted. Carryout will be available. If you wish to pre-order carryout, call Brad Lautar at 419-675-0822 and leave a message of name and how many servings.

**Kenton Knights of Columbus
"Super Cash Bonanza"**

The Kenton K of C will be selling tickets for the "Super Cash Bonanza" to support Ohio Charity Foundation as well as our local K of C charities. The tickets are \$5 each with a chance of winning over \$100,000 in prizes. Call Brad Lautar 419-675-0822 or see any K of C member to purchase your chance of winning some cash.

40 Days of Adoration

We will have a day of Eucharistic Adoration at both parishes during Lent. At ICC, our day of adoration will be this Sunday, March 12th following the 9am Mass until 9pm. At OLL, our day of adoration will be on Friday, March 31st, following the 9am Mass until 9pm.

**Dispensation for Saint Patrick's Day:**

Bishop Fernandes, has granted to the faithful of the Diocese of Columbus a dispensation from the obligation of abstinence from meat on March 17, provided that the member of the faithful taking advantage of this dispensation, undertakes one of the following works: 1) makes a pilgrimage or visit to any church in the Diocese of Columbus named in honor of St. Patrick (Columbus, London, Junction City); 2) assists at Mass at any church, chapel, or oratory on March 17; 3) prays the "Breastplate of St. Patrick," attributed to St. Patrick; 4) engages in some pious devotion such as the Rosary, the Stations of the Cross, or Eucharistic Adoration; or 5) performs an act of comparable penance (such as abstinence from meat) on some other occasion during the Third Week of Lent.



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