



# IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CATHOLIC CHURCH

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## MASS TIMES

**Saturday Vigil:** 4:00 PM

**Sunday Masses:** 7:00, 9:00, & 11:00 AM

**Daily Masses:** Tuesday 6:00 PM  
Wednesday - Saturday 8:00 AM

**Reconciliation:** Tuesday 5:00 PM  
Saturday 3:00 PM

**Baptism:** Celebrated monthly. Please contact the Parish Office during early months of pregnancy. Baptism preparation is required.

**Care of the Sick:** For emergencies, please contact the priest immediately. Communion is brought to the sick weekly. Families of those who are sick are encouraged to notify the Parish Office as soon as possible.

**Marriage:** Couples are asked to contact the priest at the beginning of the period of engagement or at least six (6) months prior to the desired wedding date.

Nevertheless, do not rejoice because the spirits are subject to you,  
but rejoice because your names are written in heaven.

LUKE 10:20



Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

JULY 3, 2022

## Scriptures for the Week

**Monday:** Hos 2:16, 17b-18, 21-22; Ps 145:2-9; Mt 9:18-26; or, for Independence Day, any readings from the Mass "For Public Needs," nos. 882-889, or "For Peace and Justice," nos. 887-891

**Tuesday:** Hos 8:4-7, 11-13; Ps 115:3-10; Mt 9:32-38

**Wednesday:** Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12; Ps 105:2-7; Mt 10:1-7

**Thursday:** Hos 11:1-4, 8c-9; Ps 80:2ac, 3b, 15-16; Mt 10:7-15

**Friday:** Hos 14:2-10; Ps 51:3-4, 8-9, 12-14, 17; Mt 10:16-23

**Saturday:** Is 6:1-8; Ps 93:1-2, 5; Mt 10:24-33

**Sunday:** Dt 30:10-14; Ps 69:14, 17, 30-31, 33-34, 36-37; or Ps 19:8-11; Col 1:15-20; Lk 10:25-37

## Your Stewardship

Collection	\$ 8,238.25
Special Collection	\$ 339.00

## God Bless Our Troops

Please remember all of our troops overseas, especially members of Immaculate Conception Parish Family:

*Jordan Todd Aguillard, Air Force; Jules Craig Cifreo, Air Force.; Samuel Edward Guidroz, Navy; Quinton T. Gaspard, P.F.C., Army; Kaleb Porche, P.F.C., Army; Zachary Carl Rollins, Marines.*

## Prayer Requests

Tim Amond, Evelyn Babin, Linda Beauvis, Joseph Leroy Bizette, Wanda Blanchard, Annie Bourque, Judah Burbank, Robin Casiano, Daryl Cazes, Kiersten Chandler, Lee Joseph Comeaux, Michael David, Brilynn Davis, Betty Decou, Malachi Engen, Anna Grace Fremin, David Gauthier, Gloria H. Genusa, Ed Gomez, Elizabeth Gosserand, Joe Guarino, Noah Jarreau, Kiely Johnson, James Joseph, Judy Joseph, Trey LaCour, Barbara Landry, Maria Lawrence, Ramie LeBlanc, Wyatt Leblanc, Julie Lee, Janey Lively, Margie Marionneaux, Janice Marks, Rob Melacon, Barry Mendoza, Gerald Mire, Myra Moniotte, Brandon Oubre, Al Patin, Betty Patin, Christine Patin, Gary Patin, Jr., Gary Patin, Sr., Gregory Patin, Victor Patin, Coral, Nate & Violet Pennison, Hank Ryan, Keith Schapatone, Rev. Mike Schatzle, Anna Graves Smith, Leona Smith, Sr. Suellen Tennyson, Maxell Thompson, Jr., Wayne Walton, Harry Williams.

## This Week at ICC

**07/04** Happy 4th of July.

**07/05** PAL Meeting  
@ 5pm Rm#2.  
KC 3rd Degree Meeting  
@ 7pm.



**A Warm Welcome To  
Rev. Amrit, Raj, IMS  
Our New Pastor at ICC**



**A Fond Farewell  
To ICC Diaconate Intern  
Patrick Witty**

We pray that Jesus will continue to guide you in your ministry and shower you with HIS grace as you continue your diaconate journey at St. Mary of False River Church. May God Bless You!

## Sympathy

The Sympathy of Immaculate Conception Church Parish Family is extended to:

Family of **Laura Isabelle Jarreau.**

## Baptisms

*We welcome to our Parish Community:*

**Hayden Lane Blanchard**, child of Logan Andre Blanchard & Callie Elizabeth Bordelon.

**Dakotah Gerard Johnson**, child of DeWayne Germain Johnson, Sr. & Jessica Christian Collie.

**Grant Michael Scharwath**, child of Keith Michael Scharwath, Jr. & Ashley Rolan Scharwath.

**Hollis Anne Weaver**, child of Jeremy Edwin Weaver & Gina Roussel Weaver.

## From Our Diaconate Intern

Just before his death a little over 5 years ago, a dear friend reminded me that God is good, God does good. In the midst of battling cancer, he wanted to reassure me of God's goodness. I think of that as I finish my assignment at Immaculate Conception Catholic Church. After spending almost 2 years at this wonderful parish, I am reminded that God is good, God does good.

I have fallen in love with generous, faith filled parishioners who are dedicated to loving and serving God. Every encounter I have had with staff, lay ministers and parishioners has been a blessing for which I am truly grateful. I am also indebted to Fr. Todd Lloyd for his patience, counsel, good humor and most of all his holy witness and sacrifice.

I ask for your continued prayers as I approach ordination and enter into formal ministry. On behalf of my wife Stephanie, Daughter Alyssa and her husband Stone and son Maximo and Daughter Meredith and her husband Hunter and son Hudson (whom have all spent time here) thank you. Please call on me if I can be of service to any of you.

God is good, God does good!

Patrick Witty



### A Prayer for Our Nation

God our Father, giver of life, we entrust the United States of America to your loving care. You are the rock on which this nation was founded. You alone are the true source of our cherished rights to life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness. Reclaim this land for your glory and dwell among your people. Send your Spirit to touch the hearts of our nation's leaders. Open their minds to the great worth of human life and the responsibilities that accompany human freedom. Remind your people that true happiness is rooted in seeking and doing your will. Through the intercession of Mary Immaculate, patroness of our land, grant us the courage to reject the "culture of death." Lead us into a new millennium of life. We ask this through Christ Our Lord. Amen.



Happy 4th of July  
And

May God Bless America!

From Fr. Amrit & Staff  
at

Immaculate Conception  
Church

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