



# IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CATHOLIC CHURCH

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## STAFF

**Pastor:** Rev. Amrit Raj, IMS

**Deacon:** Bob McDonner (Retired)

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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 - 5:45 PM  
Saturday 3:00 - 3:45 PM  
(Or By Appointment)

**Baptism:** Please contact Deacon Bob (337) 278-7923 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 please contact the priest at the beginning of the period of engagement or at least six (6) months prior to the desired wedding date.

TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

OCTOBER 2022

If you have faith the size of a mustard seed, you would say to this mulberry tree, "Be uprooted and planted in the sea," and it would obey you.

Luke 17:6

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## Scriptures for the Week

**Monday:** Gal 1:6-12; Ps 111:1b-2, 7-9, 10c;  
Lk 10:25-37

**Tuesday:** Gal 1:13-24; Ps 139:1b-3, 13-15;  
Lk 10:38-42

**Wednesday:** Gal 2:1-2, 7-14; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Lk 11:1-4

**Thursday:** Gal 3:1-5; Lk 1:69-75; Lk 11:5-13

**Friday:** Gal 3:7-14; Ps 111:1b-6; Lk 11:15-26

**Saturday:** Gal 3:22-29; Ps 105:2-7; Lk 11:27-28

**Sunday:** 2 Kgs 5:14-17; Ps 98:1-4; 2 Tm 2:8-13;  
Lk 17:11-19

## Sympathy

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

Family of **Dorothy J. Gremillion.**

Family of **Joseph I. Landry, Jr.**

## Your Stewardship

**Collection** \$ 4,316.00

**Building Fund** \$ 110.00

## 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, Barry Comeaux, Lee Joseph Comeaux, Leo  
Daigle, Michael David, Brilynn Davis, Betty Decou,  
Gabby Deslatte, Malachi Engen, Gary Etie, Anna Grace  
Fremin, David Gauthier, Gloria H. Genusa, Joe Guarino,  
Noah Jarreau, Kiely Johnson, James Joseph, Judy Joseph,  
Trey LaCour, Barbara Landry, Maria Lawrence, Ramie  
LeBlanc, Julie Lee, Janey Lively, Margie Marionneaux,  
Janice Marks, Rob Melacon, Barry Mendoza, Myra  
Moniotte, Brandon Oubre, Al Patin, Betty Patin,  
Christine Patin, Gary Patin, Jr., Gary Patin, Sr., Gregory  
Patin, Victor Patin, Coral, Nate & Violet Pennison,  
Elsie Pickett, Hank Ryan, Keith Schapatone, Rev. Mike  
Schatzle, Anna Graves Smith, Leona Smith, Shirley  
Sparks, Maxell Thompson, Jr., Wayne Walton, Harry  
Williams.

## This Week at ICC

- 10/02 Rel. Ed Grades 9th-11th**  
@ 9:30am.  
**KC Vocation Fundraiser.**
- 10/03 Rel. Ed Grades 6th-8th**  
@ 5:15pm.
- 10/04 Altar Society Meeting**  
@ 10am.  
**Rel. Ed Grades 1st & 2nd**  
@ 5pm.  
**PAL Meeting**  
@ 5pm.  
**KC 3rd Degree Meeting**  
@ 7pm.
- 10/05 Rel. Ed Grades 3rd-5th**  
@ 5pm.  
**Baptism Seminar**  
@ 6:30pm Rm#2.

## 2023 Lector Workbooks

The 2023 lector workbooks have arrived. Please pick  
them up at your earliest convenience. Books are located  
in the sacristy.

## Baptism Seminar

Wednesday, October 5th  
6:30pm  
Meeting Rm#2 in Hall

## KC Vocation Fundraiser

**Knights of Columbus**  
**Council #8878**  
**Immaculate Conception Church**  
**Lakeland, LA**

**Annual Vocational Fundraiser**  
**Sunday, October 2, 2022**

**BBQ Chicken Dinner**  
**\$10 per plate**

**Dinner Includes: BBQ Chicken, Rice Dressing,  
Pork-n-Beans and Roll**

**Serving after the 9am and 11am Masses**

## **Blessing of the Graves Saturday, October 29th**

Morning mass will begin at **8am** at Chenal Cemetery (weather permitting). Blessing of the Graves after mass. Lakeland Cemetery immediately follows.

## **All Saints' Day Tuesday, November 1st**

### Mass

8am & 6pm

## **All Souls' Day Wednesday, November 2nd**

### Mass

8am

## **Request For Help**

Each year there are a few of our families, who, for one reason or another, we ask for help with paying their religious education fees. Registration fees are \$30.00 per child, but of course any amount you can contribute would be greatly appreciated. If you can help, please drop donations off at the Office of Christian Formation, in the front door mail slot. You may also mail donations to:

**Office of Christian Formation  
Attn. Mrs. Dina Tunstall.  
P.O. Box 158, Lakeland, LA 70752.**

**Thank you in advance for your help and generosity.**

## **RCIA/RCIA-C**

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) and the Rite of Christian Initiation of Children (RCIA-C) is a journey for welcoming adults and children into the Roman Catholic Church. RCIA prepares the newcomers for the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist by providing a personal journey that leads to a transformation of mind and spirit.

If you are looking into fully realizing your walk in faith with the Catholic church by Baptism, Reconciliation, Holy Communion and Confirmation, please call **Mrs. Dina Tunstall**, at the Office of Christian Formation, (225) 627-5819 for more information.

## **Walking with Moms in Need**

Each parish, with support of the diocese and Catholic Charities, is being asked to begin a discussion about how they can participate in the USCCB initiative *Walking with Moms in Need*. The goal of this initiative is to make every church parish a place where women facing challenging pregnancies can turn for information and support to help them keep their unborn child. *Walking with Moms in Need* is a step-by-step program which provides an abundance of parish resources to help implement the initiative. "There is enough money, manpower, and woman power to make anything happen once we make the resolution to do it" (Bishop Michael Duca). The first step is to commit to doing something.

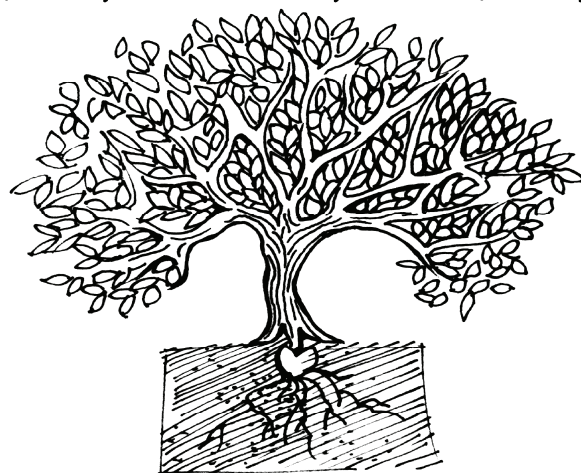
If you feel that you might be called to help women in need by being part of the *Walking with Moms in Need* initiative in our parish, please contact the parish office at 225-627-5124 for more information.

## **New Baptismal Program**

Moving forward, we will begin using a new three-step program for all baptisms. The first step required is meeting with Deacon Bob McDonner. The purpose of this meeting allows Deacon Bob to get better acquainted with the parents, explain baptismal procedure, complete all necessary paperwork and to address any questions the family may have. The second step is attending a mandatory Baptismal Preparation Seminar. Both parents and godparents are required to attend. The third, and final, step will be setting a date for the baptism to take place.

To begin the process, please contact **Deacon Bob McDonner** at (337) 278-7923 or call the Parish Office for more information.

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