



# IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CATHOLIC CHURCH

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## PARISH STAFF

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## MASS TIMES

**Saturday Vigil:** 4:00 PM

**Sunday Masses:** 8:00 AM & 10:00 AM

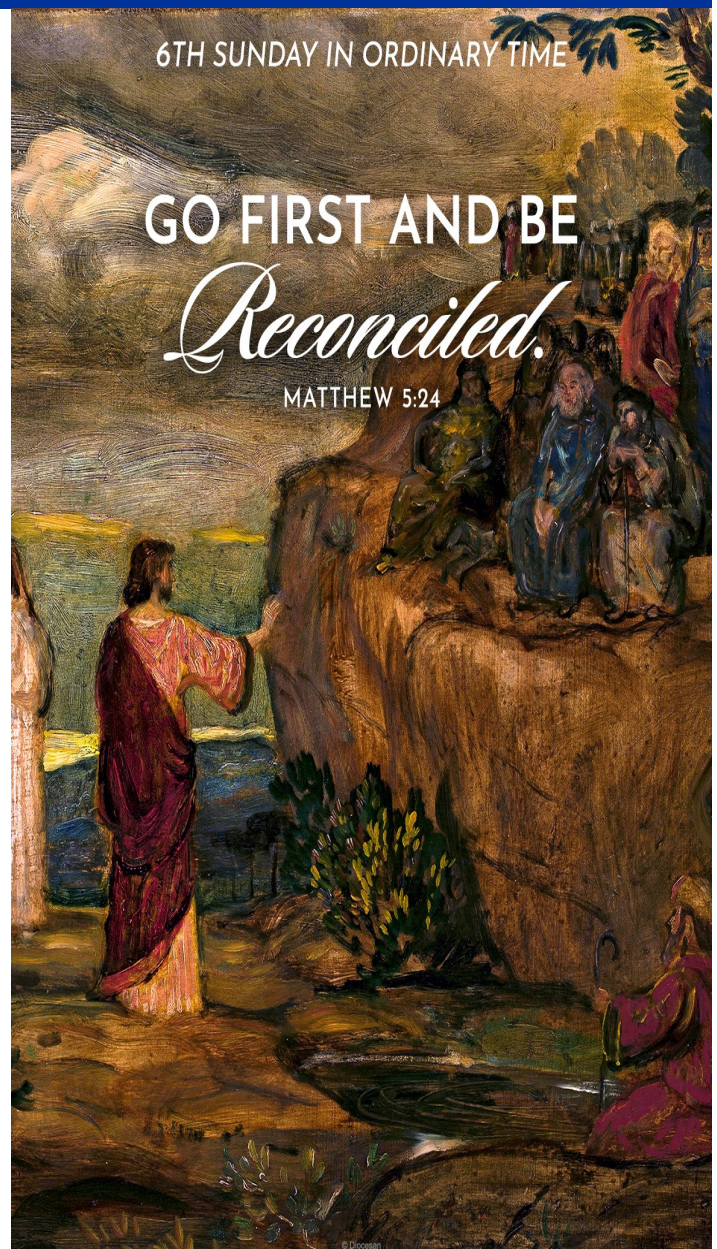
**Daily Masses:** Tuesday 6:00 PM Church  
Wednesday-Friday 8:00 AM Chapel  
First Saturday of the Month 8:00 AM Chapel

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

**Baptism:** 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.



**Sunday, February 15, 2026**

## Scriptures for the Week

**Sunday:** Sir 15:15-20; Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 17-18, 33-34; 1 Cor 2:6-10; Mt 5:17-37 or Mt 5:20-22a, 27-28, 33-34a, 37

**Monday:** Jas 1:1-11; Ps 119:67, 68, 71, 72, 75, 76; Mk 8:11-13

**Tuesday:** Jas 1:12-18; Ps 94:12-13a, 14-15, 18-19; Mk 8:14-21

**Wednesday:** Joel 2:12-18; Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 12-13, 14 and 17; 2 Cor 5:20-6:2; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

**Thursday:** Dt 30:15-20; Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6; Lk 9:22-25

**Friday:** Is 58:1-9a; Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 18-19; Mt 9:14-15

**Saturday:** Is 58:9b-14; Ps 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Lk 5:27-32

**Sunday:** Gn 2:7-9; 3:1-7; Ps 51:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 17; Rm 5:12-19 or 5:12, 17-19; Mt 4:1-11

## Sanctuary Candle

*February 14 - February 20*

*In memory of Mr. & Mrs. Jadwin Mayeaux*

*February 21 - February 27*

*In memory of Aubrey "Rusty" Fuller*

*February 28 - March 6*

*In memory of Raymond Tassin*

## God Bless Our Troops

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

*Jules Craig Cifreo, Air Force.; Quinton T. Gaspard, P.F.C., Army; Jordan Jones, P.F.C., Army; Chad Ashton Patin, Marines; Kaleb Porche, P.F.C., Army; Zachary Carl Rollins, Marines; Analise Reed, Marines; Gage Tate, Army Specialist; William P. Tate, P.F.C., Army.*

## Prayer Requests

Tim Amond, Barbara Andre, Marc Barker, Ronnie Barlow, Hazel Bello, Blaine Benoit, Mike Bourgeois, Annie Bourque, Judah Burbank, Colin Carlton, Robin Casiano, Bernadette Chenevert, Mary Chustz, Diane Cline, Robert Cole, Monica Collie, Alma Collins, Rose Collins, Pat Conerly, Daniel Cormier, Lori Treuil Couvillion, Patsy David, Tammy David, Darrel Decuir, Jimmy Dupre, Malachi Engen, Anthony Alvarez Facione, Mary Firmin, Granger Fontenot, Horace Fuselier, David Gauthier, Jenni Gauthier, Stuart Glasco, Shelby Gobert, Brandy Gremillion, Marshall Gremillion, Ylandra Hackett, Emberly Hebert, Debra Jarreau, Posie Jarreau, Stephanie Jarreau, Judy & James Joseph, Linda Joseph, Juneau Family, Kyle LaChapelle, Trey LaCour, Patricia LaMotte, Barbara Landry, Maria Lawrence, Marilyn LeDuff, Janice Marks, Abigail Medine, Rebecca Medine, Rob Melacon, Delores Mix, Myra Moniotte, Lane Mouget, Darlene Neal, Erik Neusetzer, Adele Olinde, Allen Olinde, Linda Olinde, Al Patin, David Patin, Sr., Gary Patin, Gregory Patin, Kayson Davis Patin, Carol Pharr, Jean Porche, Loretta Reviere, Laurie Roche, Monica Rosenblume, Debra Rudolph, Julia Ruiz, Hank Ryan, Keith Schapatone, Rudi Schnur, Harper Showalter, Anna Graves Smith, Leona Smith, Wanda Smith, Shirley Sparks, Frank Vienna, Amber Volker, Randy Vossburg, Sheila Ward, Diane White, Diane Wildey, Harry Williams, Joyce York.

## This Week at ICC

- 02/16 Parish office closed.**  
Mardi Gras Holiday
- 02/17 Parish office closed.**  
Happy Mardi Gras!  
**Divine Mercy Novena**  
Following 6:00 PM Mass.
- 02/18 Parish Office Reopens.**  
**Ash Wednesday**  
Mass at 8:00 AM & 6:00 PM.
- 02/19 KC 3rd Degree Officers Meeting.**  
6:30 PM meeting room #2
- 02/20 No 8:00 AM Morning Mass.**  
**Stations of the Cross**  
Following 6:00 PM Mass.

## ICC Fundraiser Meeting

Thursday, February 26, 2026  
6:00 PM Meeting Room #2

All are welcome to attend

## Parish Office News

With the nature of rising costs, and after consulting with the **Finance Committee**, the **Committee** has approved increases in fees for purchases of **Plots, Funeral Luncheons**, and **Activity Center Rentals**. These price increases are **Effective Immediately**. Thank you for your understanding and continued support of our church parish.



*Lectio Divina*  
**Readings and Rosaries**  
*Immaculate Conception - Lakeland*

Join us for a peaceful evening of prayer and reflection through *Lectio Divina*, Scripture readings, and the Rosary.

📍 Location: Chapel  
🕒 Time: Thursdays at 6:00 PM  
📅 Dates: January 29 - February 12  
|| • Break for Lent •  
▶ Resumes: April 16

*All are welcome!*

## End Of The Year Statements

Due to the rising costs of materials and postage, End of the Year Contribution Statements, for your income tax purposes, **will no longer be automatically sent out.** Those parishioners wishing to receive a copy of their 2025 statement are asked to please call the Parish Office at (225) 627-5124.

## Mardi Gras Parish Office Hours

In observance of the Mardi Gras holiday, the parish office will be **closed Monday, February 16th** and **Tuesday, February 17th**, and will **reopen on Wednesday, February 18th, at 8:30 AM**

## Ash Wednesday

February 18, 2026

Holy Mass & Distribution of Ashes

8:00 AM & 6:00 PM

## Divine Mercy Novena

February 17 - April 07

The ICC 2026 Divine Mercy Novena begins **Tuesday, February 17th**. The novena continues the next for nine consecutive Tuesday evenings, following the 6:00 PM mass.

Our devotion will culminate with a special mass and novena on **Divine Mercy Sunday, April 12th**, at **10:00 AM** in church.

## Stations of the Cross

Friday, February 20, 2026

Stations of the Cross will be prayed on all Friday evenings during the Lenten season. Holy Mass will be celebrated at 6:00 PM with Stations of the Cross immediately following. Please note that on Fridays during Lent, there will be **NO 8:00 AM morning Mass** celebrated.

## JOIN US FOR EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Tuesday, February 24th  
at 6:00 p.m.

St. Augustine  
Catholic Church,  
New Roads

Music led by Ms. Michaelyn McGinnis

All are welcome.



## Pointe Coupee Women's ACTS Retreat

ACTS of Pointe Coupee invites you to a weekend at **Maryhill Renewal Center**, in Pineville, La, **April 30 - May 3, 2026**. This is a wonderful opportunity for spiritual renewal in our Catholic faith, along with fellowship. The Retreat **begins on Thursday evening**, concluding on Sunday, with Mass at Immaculate Conception Catholic Church - Lakeland. Applications are at the doors of the church or at the Parish Office. Application deadline is **Friday, March 6, 2026 before 5:00 PM**.

## Ladies Auxiliary

### Lenten Shrimp Stew Fundraiser

Friday, February 20, 2026

11am Parish Hall

Menu

Shrimp Stew, Potato Salad, Green Salad  
Bread & Dessert

\$12/Plate

To Pre-Order Call:

Dot Schapaton (225) 270-1945



## Pilgrimage Details

We are planning a 10-day pilgrimage to **Greece**, from **September 7 - September 16, 2026**. Those who are interested in this pilgrimage, please pick up a brochure and registration form. These forms are located in the back of Church. For more details, please contact **Jennifer Cline, (225) 718-0261** or **Karen Aucoin, (225) 939-6427**.

Greece's importance to Catholicism and St. Paul's work lies in its role as the cradle of Greek culture, the common language for early Christianity and the New Testament and a key mission field for St. Paul, who established major churches in Athens, Corinth, Philippi, and Thessalonica, the land where faith met civilization.