



# IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CATHOLIC CHURCH

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## MASS TIMES

**Saturday Vigil:** 4:00 PM

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

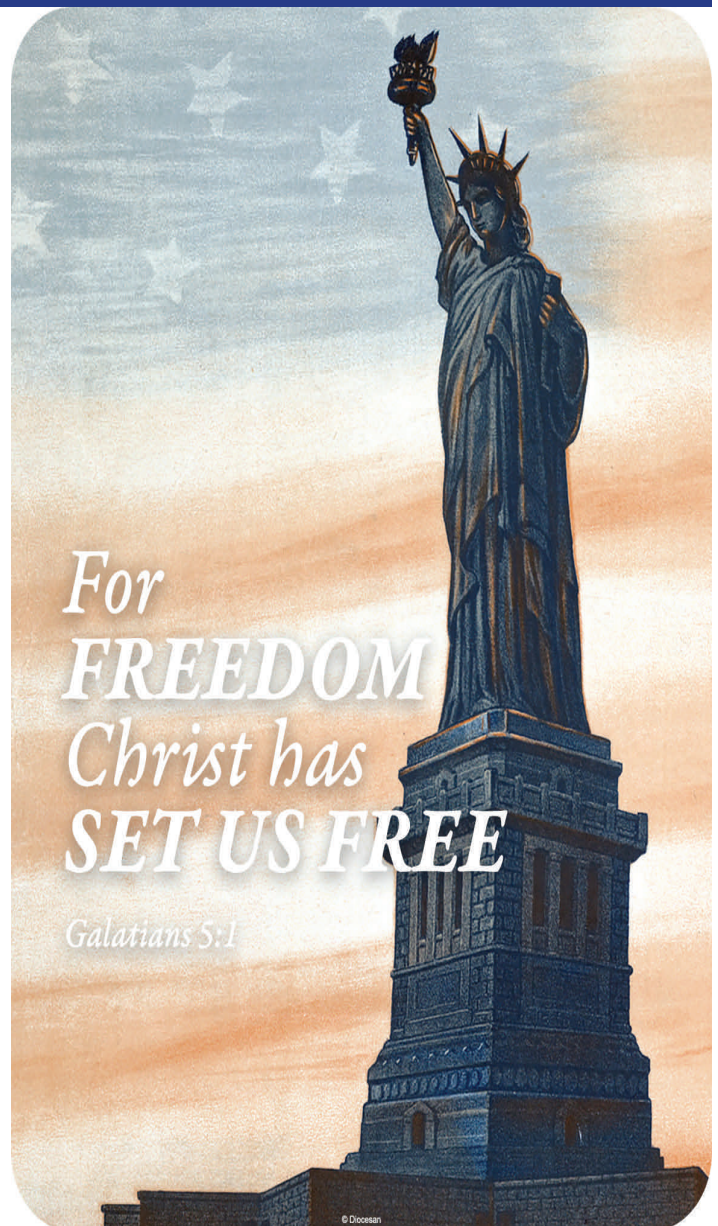
**Daily Masses:** Tuesday 6:00 PM Church  
Wednesday-Friday 8:00 AM Chapel  
First Saturday of the Month 8:00 AM Chapel

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

**Baptism:** Please contact 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 contact the priest at the beginning of the period of engagement or at least six (6) months prior to the desired wedding date.



Sunday, June 30, 2024

## Scriptures for the Week

**Sunday:** Wis 1:13-15; 2:23-24; Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11, 12, 13; 2 Cor 8:7, 9, 13-15; Mk 5:21-43 or 5:21-24, 35b-43

**Monday:** Am 2:6-10, 13-16; Ps 50:16bc-17, 18-19, 20-21, 22-23; Mt 8:18-22

**Tuesday:** Am 3:1-8; 4:11-12; Ps 5:4b-6a, 6b-7, 8; Mt 8:23-27

**Wednesday:** Eph 2:19-22; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Jn 20:24-29

**Thursday:** Am 7:10-17; Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11; Mt 9:1-8

**Friday:** Am 8:4-6, 9-12; Ps 119:2, 10, 20, 30, 40, 131; Mt 9:9-13

**Saturday:** Am 9:11-15; Ps 85:9ab and 10, 11-12, 13-14; Mt 9:14-17

# Happy 4<sup>th</sup> of July!

## Please Note

The Parish Office will be **closed** on **Thursday, July 4<sup>th</sup>**, in observance of Independence Day. The office will **reopen** on **Monday, July 8<sup>th</sup>** at 8:30am.

## 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; Kaleb Porche, P.F.C., Army; Zachary Carl Rollins, Marines; Analise Reed, Marines.*

## Prayer Requests

Tim Amond, Barbara Andre, Joseph Leroy Bizette, Mike Bourgeois, Annie Bourque, Judah Burbank, Robin Casiano, Monica Collie, Lee Joseph Comeaux, Daniel Cormier, Michael David, Patsy David, Tammy David, Dana Decuir, Darrel Decuir, Todd Dolce, Wallace Dorgan, Jimmy Dupre, Malachi Engen, Granger Fontenot, Horace Fuselier, David Gauthier, Gloria H. Genusa, Shelby Gobert, Troy Green, Sr., Marshall Gremillion, Joe Guarino, Ylandra Hackett, Emberly Hebert, Noah Jarreau, Stephanie Jarreau, Wayne Jarreau, Kiely Johnson, Judy & James Joseph, Linda Joseph, Stella Lacoste, Trey LaCour, Patricia LaMotte, Barbara Landry, Mike Marcello, Maria Lawrence, Ramie LeBlanc, Julie Lee, Louise LeJeune, Margie Marionneaux, Janice Marks, Sutton McDaniel, Theresa McKnight, Abigail Medine, Rebecca Medine, Rob Melacon, Myra Moniotte, Darlene Neal, Margo Olinde, Al Patin, Christine Patin, Gary Patin, Jr., Gary Patin, Sr., Gregory Patin, Carol Pharr, Jean Porche, Mary Alice Robert, Julia Grace Ruiz, Hank Ryan, Keith Schapatone, Harper Showalter, Anna Graves Smith, Leona Smith, Shirley Sparks, Micah Theriot, Maxell Thompson, Jr., Frank Vienna, Randy Vossburg, Wayne Walton, Diane White, Diane Wildey, Harry Williams, Joyce York.

## This Week at ICC

- 06/30** Mission Appeal Weekend.
- 07/02** KC 3rd Degree Meeting  
@ 7pm Parish Hall.
- 07/03** Baptism Seminar  
@ 6:30pm Meeting Room #2.
- 07/04** Happy 4<sup>th</sup> of July!  
Parish Office Closed.

## ICC Parish Welcomes

**Fr. Babu Nalkara, IMS  
Pastor, St. Ann Church  
Morganza, La.**

## Your Stewardship

Weekend of June 23, 2024

Collection & Online	\$ 6,327.00
Building Fund	\$ 145.00

## Sympathy

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

Family of **Barry John Comeaux**.

## Baptism Seminar

Wednesday, July 3  
6:30pm Meeting Room #2

## Summertime Songfest Thank You

The Summertime Songfest concert was a huge success. Sincerest thanks to everyone who helped out, bought tickets and donated in support of our music ministry program. We were blessed to have made a total of **\$14,255.00**, through a combination of both ticket sales and donations. Our parish could not have done this without your generous support.

We would also like to extend our sincere thanks to **Jennifer Cline** for her donation of the beautiful flower arrangements she provided for the concert.

## Mission Appeal Weekend June 29-30, 2024

This weekend, is Mission Appeal Weekend, here at ICC Parish. **Fr. Babu Nalkara**, pastor at St. Ann's Church, in Morganaza, will join us to celebrate Mass and speak to our parish about the **Indian Missionary Society (IMS)** and their works in both ministry and evangelization in the Delhi Province, in India.

For those who may not be aware, both **Fr. Babu** and **Fr. Amrit** belong to the same missionary order. Your attention and generous support during this mission appeal is especially appreciated by them. Through your donations, the Indian Missionary Society can continue in their missionary works, as well as, in helping to provide educational studies and preparation materials for all seminarians preparing for priesthood.

## Mission Cooperative Plan The Indian Missionary Society- Delhi Province

Dear friends in Jesus Christ,

The Indian Missionary Society (IMS) was founded by Rev. Gaspar A. Pinto in the Holy City of Varanasi, India in 1941. The Religious Order has 300 priests and 150 seminarians studying in different stages of formation. The Charism of the congregation is pioneering evangelizations. We predominantly work and share our faith with the people of other religions. At present we are engaged in the following missionary activities.

1. Building up of Christian communities
2. Youth Ministry
3. Prison Ministry
4. Women and girl child program
5. Education ministry for the children of low-income families
6. Hostels and boarding schools for children from rural areas
7. Inter-religious dialogue
8. Centers for special needs
9. Formation Centers for seminarians - (Postulancy, Novitiate, philosophate, Theologate).

Your sacrificial contribution this year will be used to support 150 Seminarians for their priesthood studies and formation. We also support the education of children come from Low-income families.

We remain eternally grateful for your magnanimous support.

May God bless you.  
The IMS-Delhi Province.

## ICC Ladies Auxiliary Fun Bingo

Sunday, August 11, 2024  
2pm-4pm Parish Hall

## DIOBR Life, Peace & Justice Event

On **August 8th**, the Diocesan Respect Life Committee will host Dr. Christopher Ragusa, Professor of Bioethics and Moral Theology at the Franciscan University here in Baton Rouge, for a talk on the Church's teaching on In Vitro Fertilization (IVF). The event will take place from 6pm-8pm in the Westerfield Conference Room, located in the Catholic Charities of Baton Rouge complex. This event is open to all the clergy and parishioners in our diocese. Registration for this event is required.

For more information or to register online, please visit: <https://diobr.org/rlc-ivf>.

## Training Workshop "Prepare/Enrich"

The Office of Marriage & Family Life will offer a training workshop for Sponsor Couples who are helping to prepare engaged couples for the Sacrament of Marriage. The workshop will focus on the administration and use of the premarital inventory entitled "Prepare/Enrich". This training workshop will be held on **Saturday, August 10, 2024** in the Westerfield Center at the **Catholic Life Center** from **9am until Noon**. Those interested in becoming a Sponsor Couple are asked to please call the Parish Office, as soon as possible.

## Diocesan Child Nutrition Program

The Diocese of Baton Rouge Child Nutrition Program is once again offering free summer meals to all children 18 years old and under on a first-come, first-served basis at 10 drive-through diocesan church sites during the months of June and July 2024.

The grab-and-go meals are free; however, registration is required. Families can register four ways: onsite, online, by scanning the QR code on the promotional material or by printing, completing and bringing the form with you to the location.

Forms can be found on the back tables in church. For more information, please call the CNP office at **(225)387-6421** or visit [www.cnpbr.org](http://www.cnpbr.org).