



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.

PARISH EMAIL

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Sunday, December 3, 2023

Scriptures for the Week

Sunday: Is 63:16b-17, 19b; 64:2-7; Ps 80:2-3, 15-16, 18-19; I Cor 1:3-9; Mk 13:33-37

Monday: Is 2: 1-5; Ps 122:1-2, 3-4b, 4cd-5, 6-7, 8-9; Mt 8:5-11

Tuesday: Is 11:1-10; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17; Lk 10:21-24

Wednesday: Is 25:6-10a; Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6; Mt 15:29-37

Thursday: Is 26:1-6; Ps 118:1 and 8-9, 19-21, 25-27a; Mt 7:21, 24-27

Friday: Gn 3:9-15, 20; Ps 98:1; 2-3ab, 3cd-4; Eph 1:3-6, 11-12; Lk 1:26-38

Saturday: Is 30:19-21, 23-26; Ps 147:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Mt 9:35-10:1, 5a, 6-8

1st Week of Advent



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, Evelyn Babin, Linda Beauvis, Joseph Leroy Bizette, Tommy Boudreaux, Annie Bourque, Doris Bourque, Judah Burbank, Robin Casiano, Daryl Cazes, Pearl Christopher, Barry Comeaux, Lee Joseph Comeaux, Daniel Cormier, Michael David, Patsy David, Tammy David, Brilynn Davis, Dana Decuir, Gabby Deslatte, Todd Dolce, Wallace Dorgan, Jimmy Dupre, Malachi Engen, Anna Grace Fremin, David Gauthier, Gloria H. Genusa, Shelby Gobert, Marshall Gremillion, Joe Guarino, Ylandra Hackett, Dana Jarreau, Noah Jarreau, Stephanie Jarreau, Wayne Jarreau, Kiely Johnson, Judy & James Joseph, Trey LaCour, Patricia LaMotte, Barbara Landry, Jimmy Landry, Mike Marcello, Maria Lawrence, Ramie LeBlanc, Julie Lee, Janey Lively, Margie Marionneaux, Janice Marks, Theresa McKnight, Rebecca Medine, Rob Melacon, Barry Mendoza, Myra Moniotte, Margo Olinde, Brandon Oubre, Al Patin, Betty Patin, Christine Patin, Gary Patin, Jr., Gary Patin, Sr., Gregory Patin, Coral, Nate & Violet Pennison, Carol Pharr, Danny & Barbara Pickett, Jean Porche, Brody Roberts, Justin Roberts, Julia Grace Ruiz, Hank Ryan, Keith Schapatone, Whitney Simoneaux, Harper Showalter, Anna Graves Smith, Leona Smith, Billy Soulier, Jeff Soulier, Shirley Sparks, Micah Theriot, Maxell Thompson, Jr., Sonya & Rome Tullier, Wayne Walton, Diane White, Harry Williams.

This Week at ICC

- 12/03** **Mass Schedule Time Change Begins.**
- 12/04** **Rel. Ed Grades 6th & 7th**
@ 5:15pm - 6:30pm.
- 12/05** **Altar Society Meeting**
@ 10:00am.
Novena to Blessed Virgin Mary
Following 6:00pm Mass.
KC 3rd Degree Meeting
@ 7:00pm.
- 12/06** **Rel. Ed Grades 1st - 5th**
@ 5:00pm - 6:30pm.
- 12/07** **Solemnity of Immaculate Conception**
Vigil Mass @ 6:00pm Church.
- 12/08** **Solemnity of Immaculate Conception**
Feast Day Mass @ 8:00am Church.

Your Stewardship

Weekend of November 19, 2023

Collections	\$ 9,034.14
Building Fund	\$ 146.00
Campaign for Human Development	\$ 926.00

Weekend of November 26, 2023

Collections	\$ 6,703.19
Building Fund	\$ 730.00

ICC Novena To The Blessed Virgin Mary

Tuesday, December 5th
Following 6pm Mass

Advent Penance Service

Thursday, December 14th
6pm Church

Sunday Mass Schedule Time Change

Due to various reasons, there will be a change to the Sunday Mass schedule, **beginning December 1, 2023**. This change will **only effect mass times on Sunday**. Times for Sunday Mass will change from 7am, 9am and 11am to **8am and 10am, only**. The Saturday Mass schedule remains unchanged.

Baptisms

We welcome to our Parish Community:

Easton John Cashio, child of Kerry Michael Cashio & Amber Billeaudeau Cashio.

Kaylee Rose Cashio, child of Kerry Michael Cashio & Amber Billeaudeau Cashio.

Duntrayford Tyrone Phillips, Jr., child of Duntrayford Tyrone Phillips, Sr. & Jada Elizabeth Juge.

Sympathy

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

Family of **Gerald Bello**.

Family of **Madeleine Bouanchaud Caillet**.

Family of **Bonnie Sue LeBlanc**.

Nursing Home Visit Donations Needed

Our 1st-5th graders will hold a drive to collect socks for our local nursing home residents. They are mostly asking for socks that grip. Kindly drop off socks in the box at the Office of Christian Formation by **Wednesday, December 6th**. If you are interested in making a monetary contribution instead of a gift, please place it in an envelope labeled **Nursing Home** and drop it off in the mail slot at the Office of Christian Formation. We thank you, in advance, for your donations in helping with this worthy cause.



Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception Friday, December 8th (Holy Day of Obligation)

Thursday, December 7th

Vigil Mass

6pm Church

Friday, December 8th

Feast Day Mass

8am Church



Eucharist to the Homebound

For those parishioners who are sick or homebound and cannot attend mass, but would still like to receive the Holy Eucharist, please call the parish office so we can schedule a time for Fr. Amrit or a Eucharistic Minister to visit you.



2023 Holiday Mass Schedule

Regular Weekend Mass Obligation

Saturday, December 23rd

Vigil Mass 4pm

Sunday, December 24th

Mass 8am & 10am

Christmas Eve

**Sunday, December 24th
(Holy Day of Obligation)**

No Confession

Christmas Choir Concert 3:30pm

Vigil Mass 4pm

Christmas Day

**Monday, December 25th
(Holy Day of Obligation)**

Mass 8am & 10am

Regular Weekend Mass Obligation

Saturday, December 30th

Vigil Mass 4pm

Sunday, December 31st

Mass 8am & 10am

New Year's Eve

**Sunday, December 31st
(Holy Day of Obligation)**

Vigil Mass 4pm

New Year's Day

**Monday, January 1, 2024
(Holy Day of Obligation)**

Mass 10am ONLY