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573.564.2375 Parish Office | Office Hours M-Th 9am-3pm
Janet Cobb, Bookkeeper/Secretary | imm-con@sbcglobal.net | www.mccparish.org
Parish Council Members: Dennis Benney-President, Jack Wells-Vice-President, Vicki Parker, Dennis Cobb, and Michael Smith

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St. Patrick Parish
505 First St. | Jonesburg | Missouri | 63351

636.488.5623 Parish Office | Office Hours T-Th 9am-1pm
Debbie Enger, Secretary | stpats@centurytel.net | www.stpatricksjonesburg.org
Parish Council Members: Dan Schwartz (314-488-7118)-President, Michael Van Beek (641-275-5184)-Vice-President, Barb Turpin (636-368-2157)-Secretary, Jocelyn Schluss (573-953-0324), and Derrick Cobb (636-359-8959)

Society of St. Vincent DePaul - 573.835.3631 Fr. Ernest Dike, Parochial Administrator, edike@diojeffcity.org Bulletin Deadline 9:00 AM on Wednesdays

April 19, 2026 - Third Sunday of Easter

Immaculate Conception Parish Mission

To proclaim the good news of the Gospel; to build community among the parishioners that we may journey in our faith together, giving witness to love and unity; to serve the needs of others in whatever form they may exit in our midst and to celebrate the realities of our faith together.

St. Patrick Parish Mission

As a church community here at St. Patrick, we want to know, love and serve Jesus in our efforts in: Christian formation/faith development; worship; social services; and stewardship of resources.

MONDAY
April 20
Easter Weekday
Acts 6:8-15
Jn 6:22-29

TUESDAY
April 21
Easter Weekday
Acts 7:51-8:1a
Jn 6:30-35

WEDNESDAY
April 22
Easter Weekday
Acts 8:1b-8
Jn 6:35-40

THURSDAY
April 23
Easter Weekday
Acts 8:26-40
Jn 6:44-51

FRIDAY
April 24
Easter Weekday
Acts 9:1-20
Jn 6:52-59

SATURDAY
April 25
St. Mark, Evangelist
1 Pt 5:5b-14
Mk 16:15-20

SUNDAY
April 26
Fourth Sunday of Easter
Acts 2:14a, 36-41
1 Pt 2:20b-25
Jn 10:1-10



Three Basic Rules

FR. THOMAS M. SANTA, CSSR

The Emmaus story is about two disciples walking seven miles from Jerusalem to a village called Emmaus and their encounter with Jesus, whom they did not recognize. The story is rich in both symbolism and meaning. In a nutshell, it teaches us three basic rules for the formation of Christian community: *Welcome the stranger. Break open the word. Celebrate the Eucharist.* When we are faithful to these practices, we are faithful to the promise of the kingdom in our midst. If we choose to ignore these basic rules, we should not be surprised that we seem to be struggling.

Three out of three rules set the baseline. We cannot congratulate ourselves if we follow one or two of them well enough and ignore the third. We cannot pick and choose. It is the Lord who sets the parameters; our mission is only to respond positively in faith to what he directs us to do.

How are we doing? An honest appraisal probably suggests that improvement is needed. Each of our local communities, and indeed even the wider Church, sometimes struggles to form an Emmaus community of faith. We know we can do better. The good news is that we are not uninformed, and we know where we need to place the most effort. The Holy Spirit of God will show us how we need to apply this renewed effort. ●

Reflect

Where does my family and parish need improvement to form a genuinely faithful Emmaus community?

Mass Schedule & Intentions for Immaculate Conception and St. Patrick

Mon	April	20th	NO Mass - Montgomery City
Tues	April	21st	NO Mass - Montgomery City
Wed	April	22nd	NO Mass - Jonesburg
Thur	April	23rd	NO Mass - Montgomery City
Fri	April	24th	NO Mass - Montgomery City
Sat	April	25th	5:00 PM Mass - Montgomery City - Our Parish Family
Sun	April	26th	8:00 AM Mass - Jonesburg +Jim Jennings 10:00 AM Mass - Montgomery City +Bill & Dione Auchly

A reminder: If there is a funeral at any of the two parishes or a school cancellation due to weather, there will be **no** scheduled Mass.

Sacraments & Information

Parish Membership: Please call the parish office to register.
Sacrament of Reconciliation: IC Sat 4:15PM-4:45PM, SP Sun 7:15AM or by appointment.
Sacrament of Baptism/Confirmation: Call the parish office to set up an appointment.
Sacrament of Marriage: Call the office at least six months prior to the date you would like to get married to make arrangements and set a date.
To Become a Catholic: Order of Christian Initiation of Adults begins in the Fall and sacramental initiation normally occurs at the Easter Vigil. Please call for details. Classes on Tuesday evenings at 6:30 PM at ICS.
Hospitalization: If you are hospitalized or have a family member who is home-bound, please call the parish office.

Immaculate Conception Parish & School

	Income	Expenses	Difference
Fiscal Jul 25-Feb 26	\$492,106.11	\$517,053.54	-\$24,947.43
February 2026 (Includes Mardi Gras)	\$94,005.77	\$88,607.57	\$5,398.20
	Church	ICS/Daycare	Total
March 15th	\$3,192.10	\$6,224.50	\$9,416.60
April 5th	\$	\$	\$
April 12th	\$	\$	\$
April 19th	\$	\$	\$
April 26th	\$	\$	\$
Weekly Goal	\$13,768.96	Wkly Avg	\$9,911.12



St. Patrick Parish

	Income	Expenses	Difference
Fiscal Jul 25-Jan 21st	\$52,978.90	\$46,514.13	\$6,464.77
January 1-21, 2026	\$5,093.65		
Capital Campaign	\$8,555.00		
	Church		Total
April 5th	\$1,918.55		\$1,918.55
April 12th	\$1,437.55		\$1,437.55
April 19th	\$		\$
April 26th	\$		\$
Weekly Goal	\$1,964.42	Wkly Avg	\$1,206.22

Additional Financial Information

Capital Improvements/Maintenance - \$456.66
Easter Flowers- \$10.00

Who is an Active Parishioner?

- ♦Registered in the parish.
- ♦Regularly participates in Mass and the Sacraments.
- ♦Supports the parish financially.
- ♦Annually completes a stewardship of Time, Talent, and Treasure form and fulfills that commitment.

	Mass Ministries	April 18th & 19th	April 25th & 26th	May 2nd & 3rd	May 9th & 10th
IC SAT 5PM	Lector	Beth Cobb	Dennis Benney	Beth Roesner	Gary Hoette
	Eucharistic Ministers	Tom Cobb, Dennis Cobb, Don Broz	Gary Hoette, Beth Cobb, Mary Pottebaum	Dennis Cobb, Tom Cobb, Don Broz	Mary Pottebaum, Gary Hoette, Ruth Ann O'Keefe
	Ministers of Hospitality	Bill & Liz Huston, Steve & Beth Cobb	Kasey Pottebaum Family	Steve & Beth Cobb, Don & Lila Broz	Bob Dryden, Tom Cobb, Daryl & Nancy Cobb
	Servers	Mercer Cothren, Jacob Roesner	Lila Broz, Malorie Schulte	Malorie Schulte, Jacob Roesner	Lila Broz, Beth Roesner
	Money Counters	Dottie Brueggen & Debbie Heidelberger	Daryl Rhoads & Dennis Cobb	John/ Aggie Baldetti & Judy Cobb	Dennis Cobb & Don/Sandy Oakes
IC SUN 10AM	Lector	Richard Schierhoff	Elizabeth Schierhoff	Mark Brower	Allie Johnson
	Children's Liturgy	Anna Harrell	Dianne Talley	Geri Park	Rachel Rakers
	Eucharistic Ministers	Tudie Simpson, Jack Wells, Jenidean Ready	Megan Hans, Gayle Adams, Steve Williams	Jacob Lotton, Eileen Lotton, Tony Wessel	Jack Wells, Tudie Simpson, Jenidean Ready
	Ministers of Hospitality	Dana Schneider, Brady Craven, Steve Williams, Julie Worsham	Jacob Hans Family	Jeff & Amanda Arens, Pat & Janet Stumbaugh	Ron & Dianne Talley, Charlie & Pat Korman
	Servers	Axton Johnson & Ella Hans	Emilia Hans & Maverick Johnson	Liea & Luke Johnson	Kendra & Keagen Rakers
Money Counters	Pam Schwartz & Cathy McCormick	Dave Teeter & Gayle Adams	Vicki Parker & Mark Brower	Steve Williams & Elaine Winford	
SP SUN 8AM	Hospitality/Usher	Ellis Family	Farrar Family	Youth	John Cobb, Jr. Family
	Altar Clean Up Only	Jan Milzark	Jan Milzark	Jan Milzark	Laurie Dothage
	Lector	Sara Johnson	Matt Politsch	Gracie Cobb	Bridget Cobb
	Servers	Jordan Finke & McCullie Schluss	Emma Cobb & Anna Johnson	Luke Farrar & Carl Johnson	Jordan Finke & McCullie Schluss
	Eucharistic Minister	Bridget Cobb, John Cobb, Sr., Sara Johnson	Nancy Cobb, Vicki Duenke, Terri Lenzenhuber	Bridget Cobb, John Cobb, Sr., Terri Lenzenhuber	Nancy Cobb, Barb Turpin, Sara Johnson
Money Counters	Derrick Cobb & John Cobb, Jr.	Gracie Cobb & Brad Ellis	Laurie Dothage & Karen Stenger	Bridget Cobb & Jan Milzark	

Remember, if you are unable to complete your assigned time, you are responsible for finding a replacement! Thank you for your service!

Dear Padre,

Why are there different stories about Jesus' resurrection?

As a whole, the New Testament is a testimonial to the resurrection. About twenty years after Jesus' death, St. Paul offers the earliest written reference to the resurrection. (See 1 Thessalonians 1:10.) All four gospels tell the story of Jesus, who was crucified, rose from the dead, and appeared to his disciples. However, the evangelists incorporated elements that were handed on orally, and they presented them in their own style to address the particular needs and cultural backgrounds of their readers. Each author attempted to express the inexpressible resurrection within the limits of language, and they selectively highlighted or omitted material for theological purposes. If minor details vary among the writers—such as the number of women or angels at Christ's tomb—these variations are consistent with the nature of eyewitness accounts and recorded events as they are remembered. Divergent accounts are not false accounts. Despite discrepancies, the objective of the authors remained uncompromised: the identity of the historical Jesus of Nazareth is now the risen Lord of All. (See Acts 10:34–43.) Moreover, the authors wanted to convey this fundamental truth: Jesus Christ's defeat of death by his resurrection is central to our Christian hope and is the assurance of our own resurrection! Guided by the Holy Spirit, the gospels' resurrection accounts have inspired believers for 2,000 years—for "if Christ has not been raised, then...empty, too, your faith" (1 Corinthians 15:14). ●

Fr. Byron J. Miller, CSsR / DearPadre.org



A WORD FROM POPE LEO XIV

The Church is brokenhearted at the cry of pain rising from places devastated by war.... We must never get used to war!... For this reason, in the name of human dignity and international law, I reiterate to those in positions of responsibility the frequent warning of...Pope Pius XII: "Nothing is lost with peace. Everything may be lost with war."

GENERAL AUDIENCE, ROME, JUNE 18, 2025



Pope Leo XIV's Prayer Intention for April

'For priests in crisis'

Pope Leo XIV invites Catholics to pray for priests who are facing a personal crisis in their vocation.



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MIDWEST MARCH FOR LIFE



Save the Date

April 30, 2026
Missouri State Capitol
Jefferson City, MO

Featured Speakers:

Reagan Barklage
National Field Director
Students for Life of America

Mayra Rodriguez
Pro-Life Advocate,
Speaker, and Whistleblower
against abortion giant
Planned Parenthood

To see typical schedule from last year, get more information, and register, visit us at midwestmarchforlife.com

We love to honor young people as they promote the sanctity of life!

Tell us what your school or homeschool group has been doing and apply to be the ProLife School of Year!

School bands welcome to register to perform in March



Save the date for the Midwest March for life on April 30, 2026, at the Missouri State Capitol in Jefferson City. Join advocates from across the region for prayer, witness, and Holy Mass with Bishop James V. Johnston, along with featured speakers and a special display on the Eucharistic miracles. Learn more at midwestmarchforlife.com.



You are Invited to
The National Shrine of
Mary, Mother of the Church

Bishop Ralph O'Donnell
Presiding

Feast Day Mass

May 25, 2026 1:00 p.m.

Patriotic Rosary Procession starts at 11:45

May Crowning & Unveiling of 100+ Names
on the Mothers' Wall of Life

Welcome to the first weekend of
outdoor Masses, summer 2026

Lunch R.S.V.P. & More details
at: mothersshrine.com



THE NATIONAL SHRINE OF MARY
MOTHER OF THE CHURCH
176 Marian Dr. Laurie, MO 65037

All are welcome to the Mothers' Shrine on May 25th for the feast day celebration. Join Bishop Ralph O'Donnell, the Knights of Columbus, our expansive shrine community and many groups from our diocese in celebrating the Feast of Mary Mother of the Church. Celebration includes the Crowning of Mary, Holy Mass, the Unveiling of the newest mothers' names on the Mothers' Wall of Life and a KofC fundraiser lunch. Lunch R.S.V.P. and more information at: mothersshrine.com

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KEYNOTE SPEAKER, BROOKE TAYLOR



APRIL 25
10:00am - 3:00pm
Doors open at 9:00am
Cost: \$15 for Lunch

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MOTHER OF THE CHURCH
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Women of the diocese join us for a day of reflection, prayer and fellowship at the National Shrine of Mary Mother of the Church on April 25th from 10:00 to 2:00.

FISHERS of Men

SUNDAY
APRIL 26, 2026
1 PM - 5 PM

RSVP TO HELP US PLAN FOR FOOD



ELDON MIDDLE SCHOOL
1400 N GRAND AVE, ELDON, MO 65026

Join us for Fishers of Men, an afternoon of fishing with local priests! This catch-and-release event is open to teens and young adults (5th grade+) from across the Diocese!

Bring your own fishing gear and a chair, and we'll provide the food. Parents are welcome! Come relax, connect, and cast a line with us! For questions call or email Erin Koerner 573-645-3396 | sacredheartsec@outlook.com

Join us on **Sunday, April 26, 2026 from 1-5 PM** at **Eldon Middle School** for *Fishers of Men*, a fun afternoon of fishing with local priests! This **catch-and-release event** is open to teens and young adults (5th grade and up) from across the Diocese. Bring your fishing gear and a chair—we'll provide the food! Parents are welcome to come along and enjoy the afternoon as well.

Upcoming Events and Announcements

Monday April 20th	IC IC	5:30 PM - Choir Practice 6:30 PM - Society of St. Vincent DePaul
Tuesday April 21st	IC IC IC	6:00 AM to 5:00 PM - Adoration NO Benediction & Devotion to Divine Mercy 6:30 PM - OCIA Class - The Faith of the Church - Creator of Heaven and Earth
Wednesday April 22nd	IC	9:00 AM to 1:30 PM - Quilting at the St. Vincent dePaul Building - all are welcome
Thursday April 23rd		
Friday April 24th		
Saturday April 25th		
Sunday April 26th	SP	After Mass - Coffee & Donuts in the Parish Hall - all are welcome!



Then you will call on me and come and pray to me, and I will listen to you.

Jeremiah 29:12

PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS THE FOLLOWING PEOPLE:

Residents of Aspire Nursing Home (formerly St. Andrews)
515 Picnic Street, New Florence, MO 63363
Bill Muenz, and Dorothy Bowman

Resident of The Arbors at South Pointe
5125 Old State Hwy 100, Room 13, Washington, MO 63090
Peggy Gardner

Residents of Stonebridge in Hermann
1800 Wein St, Hermann, MO 65041
Tony & Laverne Wessel, Sr.

Residents of Aspire Nursing Home
308 Cedar Avenue, Jonesburg, MO 63351

Residents of Oake Pointe
700 Forrest Ave, Warrenton 63383
Marion Bullerdick & Fr. Lou Dorn



PLEASE PRAY FOR THE STRUGGLING, SICK AND INFIRMED:

Al & Christine Barger, Vern Brand, Gail Burch, Mike Busken, Elizabeth Brueggen, Molly Brueggen, Larry Brueggemann, Marion Bullerdick, Parker Calbreath, Christopher Carey, Tom Carey, Robert Carillo, Bill Cobb, Clint Cunningham, Fr. Lou Dorn, Lori Dorsey, Ebbesmeyer Family, Nick Erbe, Mont Gilbert, John Goodwin, Richard Grelle, Lucille Griesbauer, Anna Gross, Ed Grillo, Henry Hamill, Antoinette Hoing, Howard Hollensteiner, Jane Hubbard, Addie Johnson, Ingrid Keller, Genevieve Kelly, Annie Kempf, Darlie Lamb, Pat Merz, Kathleen Mohrmann, Nancy Nylund, Alice O'Donnell, Clayton Parker, Paula Peatross, Avery Penn, Donna Powell, Peggy Readey, Rae Jean Rhoads, Nick Schneider, Maggie Schiefelbein, Nancy Smiley, Eric Smith, Evelyn Strauss, Katherine Stroot, Becky (Bainbridge) Taylor, Sue Umphenour, Sandy Waddell, Tom Waddell, Tony Wessel, Sr., Lisa Wise



PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL OUR MEN AND WOMEN IN THE ARMED SERVICES

Brandon Wells, Dylan Willis, Daniel Lohmann, Donnie Wisdom, Alex Brueggen, & Justin Beabout



See!

I will not forget you, I have carved you on the palm of my hand.
Isaiah 49:15

Welcome everyone.
On Tuesdays starting at 6:00 AM we have Eucharistic Adoration: a special time to worship and praise our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ and to deepen your intimate friendship and be nourished and strengthened by His presence and love.
At 5:00 PM Adoration will close with Devotion to the Divine Mercy and Benediction. Mass will start at 5:30 PM.

Husbands, love your wives, just as Christ loved the church and gave himself up for her. ~Ephesians 5:25

Congratulations to the following couple(s) as they celebrate their special day!



Paul & Angela Schaffrin - 37 years of marriage on April 21st
 Gerald & Susan Beck - 48 years of marriage on April 22nd
 Richard & Sara Beth Boschert - 34 years of marriage on April 25th

Green = St. Patrick Blue = Immaculate Conception

Happy Birthday to those who are celebrating in April at St. Patrick!

1st - Tyler Finke
 1st - Renee Finke
 3rd - Mac Farrar
 6th - Paula Peatross
 19th - Julie Ellis
 22nd - John Cobb
 26th - Kate Healy



School Advisory Board To Meeting

Immaculate Conception School Advisory Committee will meet on Wednesday, May 6, 2026 at 5:00 PM at IC School. The following is the meeting schedule for:

2026: September 2nd, December 2nd
 2027: February 3rd, May 5th

Those members are: Pastor, Fr. Ernest Dike, Principal, Dana Schroeder, President, Diane Witthaus, Vice President, Lila Broz, Secretary, Rachel Rakers, Nancy Cobb, Kristie Ferguson, Kellie Lewis, Cory Johnson.

ARTICLE SIX OF ICS and Early Childhood Learning Center Advisory Board of Education Constitution:

St. Patrick's News

April Mass Intentions

1st +JoAnne Jamison
 5th +Lynette Hatty
 8th +Comfort Dike
 12th +Tim Ebbesmeyer
 15th +Susan Darlington
 19th +Charmaine Post
 22nd - NO Mass
 26th +Jim Jennings
 29th +Frank Cobb



Sandy Waddell

As you may know Sandy Waddell has moved. Her new address is Cedarhurst Senior Living, Memory Care Unit 13, 1290 Wentzville Parkway, Wentzville, MO 63385. She welcomes visits and cards.

Capital Campaign Information

As you know, we are in need of a new roof and some remodeling of the interior of our church.

The cost of these needs is as follows: Roof estimated will now be \$129,000.00

but is not final. The remodeling committee estimated the work to be \$80,000. We would like to raise \$210,000.00 through our Capital Campaign. Currently we have \$25,000.00 from our Fish Fry Fundraiser account as well as \$43,000.00 in a local CD and \$20,000.00 in a short-term account with the diocese for a total of \$88,000.00 for the down payment for the roof. Currently, we have received \$8,555.00 toward our campaign.

Income & Expense Report Reminder

As most of you know, Janet Cobb, our Parish Secretary, had knee surgery. She will be out of the office until she is able to move around easily, which should be soon. Once she returns, the weekly Income and Expense Report in the front of the bulletin will be brought current.



Thank you for your support and understanding during her absences.

Knights of Columbus Scholarship



The Knights of Columbus is now accepting applications for their yearly scholarship. If you are interested in applying, please contact Steve Williams at (636) 359-8276.

Immaculate Conception School 2026 Spring Special

Come join us for Immaculate Conception School's 2026 Spring Special on Thursday, April 30th, with shows at 2:00 PM and 6:00 PM.

The Spring Special will be held at the Knights of Columbus Hall. It will include new songs and student favorites; skits, a dance or two, and an overall fun time.

Come watch the students perform what they've been practicing since the beginning of school.



A Biblical Walk Through the Mass

Twice a month before our weekend Masses, we have been given the opportunity to explore our Catholic Faith as explained in a video presentation. This experience is helping us to understand how the Catholic Church was started, how it has been evolving, that God has an undying love for us, and so much more. There are still many more episodes to help us continue our walk in our faith. However, we are going to take a brief break so we can look at the Mass and understand it's the meaning and why various Rites are performed.

We are going to take a "Biblical Walk Through The Mass". There are five sessions and each one will explain a particular part of the Mass. For example: the First Session introduces us to the Introductory Rites, Liturgy of the Word, Liturgy of the Eucharist, etc.

The times will be the same as our Catholic Faith Explained series. Before Mass on the 1st and 3rd Saturday/Sunday. St. Patrick's will be the 1st Sunday right after Mass. Come and join in this series.



Immaculate Conception School

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 Montgomery City, MO 63361
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April 10, 2026

Message from Ms. Schroeder

The Spring Special is taking place on April 30 at the Knights of Columbus Hall. It promises to be a delightful showcase of creativity and talent, featuring a variety of songs and skits performed by our amazing students. We have two showtimes available to accommodate everyone: Matinee Performance: 2:00 PM & Evening Performance: 6:00 PM. We invite all families, friends, and parishioners to come out and support our performers. It's going to be a wonderful day of entertainment!

We would like to extend a heartfelt thank you to Mr. and Mrs. John Badletti for their incredible generosity in honoring our ICS altar servers. To show their appreciation for the dedication these students show to our parish, the Badlettis are treating all 3rd through 7th-grade servers to a St. Louis Cardinals game at Busch Stadium on May 6th at 12:15 PM. We are all very excited to share this special day with our students, enjoy some sunshine at the ballpark, and hopefully bring home a big win for the Redbirds!

At ICS, we are incredibly grateful for the dedicated police officers who have visited our school throughout the year to keep us safe and share their knowledge with our students. To show our gratitude, we will be hosting a Pizza Police Appreciation Day during lunch on May 8. Each student will enjoy a special meal consisting of two slices of pizza, fruit, chips, carrots with ranch, and a delicious dessert. We look forward to this opportunity to say a big "thank you" to our local heroes for everything they do for our community!

We are thrilled to announce that our final day of school will be May 15, and we have a wonderful morning planned to celebrate our students' hard work! The day will begin with Mass at 8 AM, immediately followed by our Awards Ceremony at 8:45 AM, where we will recognize the achievements of our incredible scholars. After the ceremony, the festivities move outdoors! We will be walking as a school community over to Wabash Park for a morning of fun activities. To make the day even more special, Home and School will be graciously providing lunch for all students, staff, and any parents who wish to join us. Please remember that we will have an early dismissal at 12:00 PM. We can't wait to see you there to help us kick off the summer with a smile!

Important Dates:

- Apr. 24- Sketch Day (7th grade)
- Apr. 30- ICS Spring Special @ KC Hall
- May 1- K-2 Aq Safety Day @ MCHS
- May 6- 3-7 Altar Server Appreciation @ Busch Stadium
- May 7- First Reconciliation @ 9am
- Prayer Partner Mass @ 10am & Luncheon
- May 8- Pizza Police Appreciation Day
- May 13- 5th Grade Stevens Farm Field Trip
- May 14- Field Day
- May 15- LAST DAY OF SCHOOL
- June 7- First Communion
- Aug. 18- First Day of School for the 2026-27 school year



Immaculate Conception School

\$25

for a full color yearbook of the 2025-2026 school year!

*If anyone would like to donate toward the yearbook fund, please contact Mrs. Gina Smith.

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Immaculate Conception School Yearbooks

We have been providing yearbooks (at a cost) for many years, but it seems that as the cost goes up, we have less families purchasing yearbooks. If you would like to donate to the yearbook fund or buy a yearbook, please use the link below or contact Mrs. Gina Smith at gsmith@icschool-mc.org or call ICS at 573-564-2679.

ATTEND CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

*TEACH Christ's core values to children; love, generosity, responsibility, self-discipline.

SELF DISCIPLINE - Students are expected to accept responsibility for their actions, to respect others and to make good decisions in the context of the faith experience. Christ as a model - The goal of a Catholic education is to help children mature into Christ-like people.

WHY:

Catholic school education has been transformative, shaping not only academic abilities but also character, values, and faith. The emphasis on compassion, service, and a relationship with God has influenced the way one lives and interacts with others.

STRENGTHS OF A CATHOLIC SCHOOL:

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 A holistic education - academics, spiritual, social, emotional and physical development
 Welcoming, inclusive and family - oriented environment.
 High standards of behavior and respect for self and others
 Safe and caring environment
 Sense of belonging and community

GOSPEL VALUES

- *Humility: seeing life as a gift
- *Compassion: having empathy
- *Kindness: gentleness
- *Justice: working for a fairer world
- *Forgiveness: reconciling with self and others
- *Integrity: do what you say
- *Peace: committed to peace making and non-violence
- *Courage: standing up for the truth