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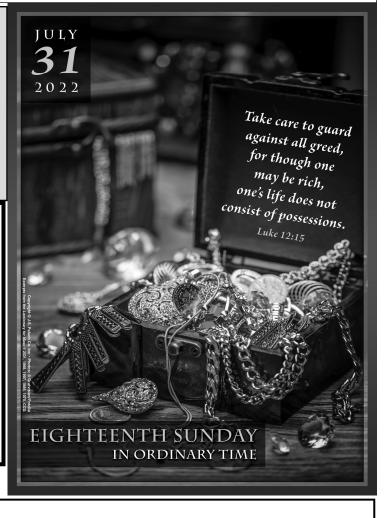
## Immaculate Conception Church

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Rev. Carl Schrage

The Holy Spirit draws us here today to listen to God's living word, to receive the Lord in the Eucharist, and to give praise and thanks to God. During the week, many of us work hard to make our lives comfortable, aiming for a promotion or raise, earning enough to afford the nicest things, putting money away for an easy retirement. Today's reading will give us the bit of shock we need to put those parts of our life in perspective. "Vanity of vanities!" cries the first reading's narrator, ridiculing the idea that we have total control over the rest of our lives. May we reorient ourselves toward what really matters.

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#### **Robbing a Bank**

The second reading from the Letter to the Colossians goes well with the first reading and the Gospel. Those passages warn how useless material wealth will be when we die. St. Paul continues this warning by reminding us that we have already died with Christ in baptism and risen to new life. To live this new life we must put to death whatever tendencies keep us from Christ.

Wealth can be a gift from God. The abuse is not necessarily in the possession of wealth. More likely, we abuse wealth either in the ways we attain it or use it--or both. How do we abuse the attainment of wealth? I can give an obvious answer, such as robbing a bank, but this makes it too easy to justify myself. Do I work a full day for my pay, or do I spend a lot of time visiting with other employees, surfing the Web, taking extra-long breaks, or texting my friends? Am I honest with my customers, charging only for work I have done?

As for using our wealth, we usually think of family first. Do we spoil our kids, so they can "have the things I couldn't afford when I was young"? Or do we teach them to work for what they get? Do we also think of the poor and homeless? Do we teach our children to be generous to others?

Notice that Paul does not mention wealth. Instead he goes deeper, pointing out the thoughts and desires that lead to a life centered in wealth. In baptism, we put to death passion and greed, tendencies that push us to own more or to control another person. Paul uses the image of taking off these vices as if they were clothing and putting on a new self that shows Christ in us. When we have been renewed that way, then Christ becomes visible in all people. We no longer have reason to look down on anyone for being poor or sickly or of another race. We begin to see Christ in them, for as Paul says, "Christ is all and in all" (Colossians 3:11).

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#### SACRED HEART - IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OFFICE HOURS 9 AM - 12 PM MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY

**RECONCILIATION:** See Mass Schedule or anytime by appt. **BAPTISM:** During weekend Masses by appt. Must be a registered member and attend baptismal preparation session.

**MARRIAGE:** At least six months prior notification to the pastor.

HOLY MASS: See Mass Schedule

Church Secretary: Kelly Paxton Maintenance: Tony Kellerman Parish Council President:

Sacred Heart: Cara Alongi 618-201-0699

Immaculate Conception: Jamie Schrader 618-318-3900

#### **EIGHTHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

## SACRED HEART

Mass & Intentions

Saturday, July 30; Weekday; Saint Peter Chrysologus, Bishop, Doctor of the Church

4:00 - 4:30 pm Confessions 5:00 pm Mass Intention

Paul Smolak by Melanie Smolak Mike Smolak by Melanie Smolak Mark Smolak by Melanie Smolak

Sunday, July 31;

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:00 am Rosary

8:00 - 8:15 am Confessions

8:30 am Mass Intention

Shirley Buhrmester by Chris Kelley Corky & Josh Ritter by Gary & Barb Brock

**Monday, August 1:** Saint Alphonsus, Liguori, Bishop, Doctor of the Church

7:00 am Prayer Service

Tuesday, August 2: Weekday;

Saint Eusebius of Vercelli, Bishop; Saint Peter Julian Eymard, Priest 8:30 am Mass at St. Bruno

Wednesday, August 3: Weekday

5:30pm Mass Intention

Mary Ellen Helmer by Betty & Brenda

Thursday, August 4: Saint John Vianney, Priest

7:00 am Mass Intentions

Don Payne by Anton & family

Friday, August 5: Weekday;

The Dedication of the Basilica of Saint Mary Major 7:00 am Mass Intention

Shirley Cucchi by Olga Chereso & Family

Saturday, August 6;

THE TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD

4:00 - 4:30 pm Confessions

5:00 pm Mass Intention

Nina Smith Swan by Joe & Rita Riggio William L. Springer by Henry & Margie Born Rusty Sims by David & Carol Collins

Sunday, August 7;

NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:00 am Rosary

8:00 - 8:15 am Confessions

8:30 am Mass Intention

Sally Fontana by Judith Roth Juanita Ray by Crain Family Ruth Beard by Betty & Brenda

#### Thank you for visiting us!

We hope you will join us again as we continue to discover the difference God's love makes in our lives!

We're blessed because you're here.

# LITURGICAL MINISTERS Sacred Heart

**Ushers for month of August** 

**Saturday:** Paul Martin, Harold Calderon, Tony Jones **Sunday:** Steve Marek, Jim Derby, Tony Kellerman

Saturday, August 6th - 5:00 pm

Altar Servers: Isla Calderon & Maggie Kellerman

Lector: Pete Riggio

Extraordinary Ministers: Priest, Pete Riggio

Sunday, August 7th - 8:30 am

Altar Servers: Logan & Landon Numi

Lector: Cara Alongi

Extraordinary Ministers: Priest, Cara Alongi

**Money Counters - August 8th** 

Ruth Pierce, Marlene Wolfe, Renee Cobin

#### **Weekly Happenings**

Sunday, July 31

Monday, August 1

8:00 am - 12:00 pm Quilting at Haffner Hall 9-11 am & 5-7 pm St. Joseph Thrift Store Drop off

Tuesday, August 2

8:00 am - 12:00 pm Quilting at Haffner Hall

9:00 am Ministerial Alliance meeting at First Christian

5:30 pm Finance Council meeting at Haffner Hall

7:00 pm KC meeting

Wednesday, August 3

8:30 am Pickleball at gym

6:15 pm Adult Faith Formation at Haffner Hall

Thursday, August 4

9 am - 4 pm St. Joseph Thrift Store open 6:00 pm Chicken & Dumpling Committee meeting at hall Choir Practice

Friday, August 5

Saturday, August 6

**Second Collection: Social Justice** 

9 am - Noon - St. Joseph Thrift Store 9:30 am Pickleball at gym

Sunday, August 7

**Second Collection: Social Justice** 

## Sacred Heart Weekly Collections

#### July 23rd & 24th

Church envelopes	\$2	,889
Church loose	\$	445
Online	\$	25
CSMA	\$	55
Religious Education	\$	359

#### Thank You for your generosity!

#### IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

#### Mass & Intentions

Sunday, July 31;

ÉIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sponsors of CES John Pestka

Rose Marie Pestka by Barb Pokorny

Sam Hiller by Doris Banack

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Sponsors of CES

Roman Rojek by The Family

David Tomaszwoski by 1st National Bank Carlyle

Loraine Przygoda by Chris Kelley

#### **QUESTION OF THE WEEK...**

Where do I find my wealth? How do I regard and handle my material wealth?

## **Parish Registration Update**

Immaculate Conception Parish will be updating their parish registration system soon. Stay tuned for how you can help the office by filling out the forms to get all of the correct information into the new system. This will be a project that will take some time to complete, but once it is finished it will make sacramental, contributions, reports, etc. easier to maintain.



# LITURGICAL MINISTERS Immaculate Conception

#### **Ushers for the Month of August**

Steve Harris & Ethan/ Collin Baggett

**Sunday, August 6th** *Lector:* Addi Robinson

Altar Servers:

Michaela Skorch & Alivia Lovelady

Sweet Treats: Kathy Rulevish

## Immaculate Conception-Weekly Collections

#### July 24th, 2022

Church envelopes \$1,065 Church loose \$ 297 Sweet Treats \$ 140

Thanks for your generosity!



# IMMACULATE CONCEPTION ANNUAL QUILT & CASH BINGO

Our Annual Quilt & Cash Bingo will be here before you know it! This years bingo is on Sunday October 16th and we are needing Quilts and Raffle Prizes. Please contact Diana Majewski at 618-318-1306 if you have donations or any questions.

If anyone would like to purchase a quilt for our Quilt Bingo please contact Diana Majewski 618-318-1306. She will give you names of who to contact to buy one.

If anyone has raffle prizes to donate bring them to church or contact Tiffany Kujuwa at 618-559-1078. Thank you!

#### **Confession at Immaculate Conception**

Confessions will be heard in the flower room west of the altar either before mass or after mass. Please wait in the room for Fr. Carl. If he does not see you, please alert him that you are there for confession.

**Nursing Home:** Lynn Finn, Connie Horst, Shirley Forys, Marie Dubravek, Rosalea Prusacki, Anna Roberts.

**Sicks** John Dale, Jim Getzie, Joan Kowalski, Terry Chastain, James Feger, Dorothy Alongi, Steve Porter, Matilda Harsy, Chris Kelley, Mary Iffert, Larry Hutson, Eileen Koenegstein, Leonard Rybacki, Paulette Jackson, David Martin, Bob Stewart, Linda Doerr, Helen Polcznski, Bill Baskin, Melissa Knoles, Agnes George, Pam Pereira, Isabel Roade, Mr. & Mrs. Ken Clark, Diane Marks, Wayne Waligorski, Caroline Quinn, Shirley Jean Zoller, Edna Bailey, Marian Whitson, Ricky Farmer, Lindon Paxton, Cassie Chambers, Margie Quillman, Shelly Page, John Yeo, Joan & Ed Coleman, Lonnie James, Devoney Alvis, Janice Johannes, Bill Poiter.

Names will remain in bulletin for 1 month.

<u>Military Personnels</u> Col. Aaron S. Cowley, SSgt. Jordan Keller, MGSgt (ret.) Thomas D. Sims, Sgt. Derek S. Sims, SCPO (SS/AW) John Kelley, SPC Mark Yanez, PV2 Jared Albers, Lt. Col. Carly Sims, Sgt. 1st. Cl. Caleb VanVoorhis, SSgt Tyler Jeffers, Lance Corporal Noah Mabry U.S.M.C, Lt. Col. Andrew Martin, USAF Airman E-1 Hunter Hill, Master Sergeant & Medical Intel. NCOIC Terry E. Chastain Jr., Nick Depyatic (Airforce), Garrison Alvis (Marines).

#### **EIGHTHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

#### **ADULT FAITH FORMATION RESUMING...**

Have you ever noticed that the things we expect to fulfill us don't? Why is life this way? Why are we here? Not just here in these bodies on this planet and in this year. But why do we exist? Why are we filled with longing?

Join us in adult, faith-formation, as we explore questions and mysteries like these. Interested adults, join us every other Wednesday, right after the 5:30 Mass. We will meet in Haffner Hall, and using the program, *The Search*, we will explore the answers to these and other questions. For more information contact Tony Kellerman 618-318-0094 or Chris Kelley 618-559-6581.

#### **CURSILLO IN CHRISTIANITY**

The Diocese of Belleville's *Cursillo in Christianity*, a world-wide movement of the Catholic laity, *men* (*August 18th—21st, 2022*) at King's House in Belleville. If you long for a closer life-long relationship with Jesus please prayerfully consider attending. For more information or to register please contact Garry Range (618-401-9677) or via the web at http://bellevillecursillo.org/.



"A woman with an unexpected pregnancy may have any number of fears and challenges: facing judgment from her friends and family, losing her job or housing, or being abandoned by the father of her child. Following Mary's example, we can ask ourselves how to better know these mothers, listen to them, seek understanding, and help them obtain the necessities of life for themselves and their children"

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities "Called to Serve Moms in Need"

# SACRED HEART CHICKEN & DUMPLINGS

Our annual **Chicken and Dumpling** dinner is coming up fast. Before you know it the summer will be over and **October 2nd** will be here!

As you know it takes plenty of planning and preparation for this fund raiser to be successful. There will be a planning meeting on Thursday, August 4th at 6 pm at Haffner Hall. Anyone and everyone is welcome to come!



"Growing up, I had a lot of misconceptions about nuns. Primarily, I assumed women became nuns only if they couldn't find a boyfriend. Why else would a woman give up the joys - marriage and family - as celibate priests, with none of the "superpowers"? Then, in college, I actually met nuns and I was stunned. They were beautiful! And smart! And had personalities! I opened the door of my heart. Not much- just a crack. But it was a crack big enough for Jesus to get his toe in and open it a lot wider. I often recalled the words of my spiritual director: "We all have a natural call to marriage, but some of us have a supernatural call to celibacy."

My desire for a spouse helps me lean into Christ as my Bridegroom. And my desire for children molds me into the spiritual mother to many more children than I could otherwise have."

> Mother Natalia; Christ the Bridegroom Monastery, Burton, Ohio. Columbia Magazine April 2022

# Don't miss the Messenger's Priest Appreciation issue September 1. 2022!

Parishioners are invited and encouraged to comment on how your priest's pastoral ministry has affect your spiritual and personal life or the parish community. Please send comments to <a href="mailto:messenger@diobelle.org">messenger@diobelle.org</a>. To purchase a Priest Appreciation paid advertisement contact Bernadette at 618-722-5047 or by email at <a href="mailto:advertising@bellevillemessenger.org">advertising@bellevillemessenger.org</a>.

Parish Priest and Ministers of the care visit those who are homebound, nursing home residents and hospital patients. If you or someone you know would like a visit please contact the rectory 542-3423.

#### ST JOSEPH THRIFT STORE

Monday - August 1st -

**9-11 am** Doris Rottschalk & Linda Elder **5-7 pm** Shawn Kellerman & Doris Kern

Thursday - August 4th

Store Workers: Don Schutt, Mary Riggio,

Shawn Kellerman, Carol Bastien

Saturday - August 6th

Store Workers: Don Shutt, Mary Riggio,

Doris Rottschalk, Donna Mann



#### PARISH PICNICS HAPPENING IN OUR DIOCESE

#### **AVISTON, IL ST. FRANCIS PARISH PICNIC**

Please join us on **Saturday**, **August 6**<sup>th</sup>. There will be a dinner served from 3:00-7:00pm. Mass is at 4:00pm, and Quilt Bingo begins at 6:30pm. There will also be Raffles, Games of Chance, Baskets, Country Store, I DOOD IT, Kid's games & rides, great food & drinks and more!! For additional information call 618-228-7219.

#### ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH PICNIC SATURDAY, August 13th Radom Illinois

Polka Mass at 4:00 pm

Fried Chicken & Roast Pork Dinner 3:00 - 7:30 pm
Handmade Quilt & Cash Bingo starts at 6:30 pm
Raffle, Cake stand, Basket stand, kid games, Flea Market
Lunch stand & Refreshments
Music provided by Polka Connection
Car & Truck Show

#### ANNUAL KIRCHENFEST ST. AUGUSTINE CATHOLIC CHURCH Saturday August 20th

Hecker, IL 15 miles south of Belleville on Route 159
Old Fashioned Fried Chicken & Pork Sausage Dinner
Family Style Buffet - Serving begins at 3:00 pm - 7:00 pm
6:30 pm Quilt Bingo
7 - 11 pm Music by Pick N an Grin N

A few copies of *The Messenger*, the official newspaper of the Diocese of Belleville, are available free in the back of church. If you haven't read *The Messenger* in a while, check out the regular column by Bishop McGovern and other important news, school features, and event information about your diocese.

## HALL RENTALS AT OUR PARISHES

If you or someone you know would like to rent our parish hall facilities, please have them contact our office at 618-542-3423 or email us at sacredheartduquoin@gmail.com.

# IMMACULATE CONCEPTION FACILITY RENTAL FEES FOR PARISH HALL

\$25/hr - Parishioner

\$40/hr - Non-Parishioner

\$100 deposit

#### Saint Ann Catholic School in Nashville, IL

is currently accepting applications for a Third & Fourth Grade teacher for the 2022-23 school year.

An Illinois Teaching License is required. Applicants need to be current on curriculum standards, experience with Google Classroom is preferred, and dedicated to making a positive difference in the lives of our youth. Resumes will be accepted until the position is filled.

To apply, please send a cover letter, resume, and

three references to the following: Email: principal@stannnashville.org Mail: Saint Ann Catholic School

> Attn: Principal 675 South Mill Street Nashville, IL. 62263



# SACRED HEART FACILITY RENTAL FEES FOR HAFFNER HALL\*

Non-Parish Sponsored Events 5 – 8 hours Rental Fees PARISHIONER NON-PARISHIONER Parish Center Kitchen \$50 \$100 Parish Center Hall \$200 \$350 \$200 \$350 Parish Center Gym Parish Center (Gym, Hall, Kitchen) \$350 \$600 4 hours or less Rental Fees Parish Center Kitchen \$25 per hour \$40 per hr

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Parish Center Hall \$25 per hour \$40 per hr
Parish Center Gym \$25 per hour \$40 per hr
\*A parishioner is defined as a registered and contributing mem-

ber of SHCC Parish for at least 1 year (prior to an inquiry and reserving space.)