



Immaculate Conception

Catholic Church † Mission of the Sacred Heart

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The Grapevine

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27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil. 4:00 p.m.
Sundays . . 7 a.m., 9 a.m., 9a.m. (MSH), 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.
Monday-Wednesday-Thursday-Friday-8:30 a.m.
Tuesday . . 6:00 pm followed by Novena/Benediction
Holy Days. As announced

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Tuesday 5:30-5:45 p.m.
Friday 8:00-8:20 a.m.
Saturday 2:45-3:45 p.m.
Other times as announced or by appointment.

BAPTISMS: Notify Parish Office during pregnancy. Instruction for parents and godparents is required.

MARRIAGE: Contact the Parish Office at least six months before desired date.

PRAYER LINE: (confidential ministry)
Contact Ms. Pat Pastor at 664-1097.

CARE OF THE SICK: Emergency calls answered immediately. Home visitation for the sick and shut-in weekly and upon request. Hospital visits weekly and upon request.

CHRISTIAN BURIAL: Please make arrangements by calling the Parish Office.

PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC

ADORATION CHAPEL: **TEMPORARILY CLOSED**
Open 24 hours a day, seven days a week.
Contact Allison Renfrow at 665-1424.

Information or news for the Grapevine (published weekly) should be called in to the Parish Office at least two weeks prior to the event.



The apostles said to the Lord, "Increase our faith." The Lord replied, "If you have faith the size of a mustard seed, you would say to this mulberry tree, 'Be uprooted and planted in the sea,' and it would obey you." - Lk 17:5-6

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MISSION STATEMENT

Immaculate Conception Church Parish and the Mission of the Sacred Heart is a welcoming community, centered in the Eucharist, rooted in faith, growing in fellowship, and sharing in unity the mission Christ entrusted to us.

—Directory—

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Readings For The Week of October 2

Sunday: Hb 1:2-3; 2:2-4/Ps 95:1-2, 6-9/2 Tm 1:6-8, 13-14/Lk 17:5-10
 Monday: Gal 1:6-12/Ps 111:1-2, 7-10/Lk 10:25-37
 Tuesday: Gal 1:13-24/Ps 139:1-3, 13-15/Lk 10:38-42
 Wednesday: Gal 2:1-2, 7-14/Ps 117:1-2/Lk 11:1-4
 Thursday: Gal 3:1-5/Lk 1:69-75/Lk 11:5-13
 Friday: Gal 3:7-14/Ps 111:1-6/Lk 11:15-26
 Saturday: Gal 3:22-29/Ps 105:2-7/Lk 11:27-28
 Next Sunday: 2 Kgs 5:14-17/Ps 98:1-4/2 Tm 2:8-13/Lk 17:11-19

Parish News:

We continue to keep all who were affected by the Great Flood in our prayers during this time of restoration. We know that many of our parishioners were affected and some have been displaced. If you are a parishioner and have been flooded, please let us hear from you and let us know how you are doing! You may either e-mail us at churchoffice@icc-msh.org or call us at 225-665-5359.

Adoration Chapel remains closed until further notice.

\$10,000 Raffle has been cancelled: We are refunding all monies that have been collected.

Early Learning Center Preschool: We will begin classes on Monday, October 17th! Classes will resume in the T-buildings until original classrooms are finished. Open House will be held on Wednesday, October 12 at 7:00 p.m.



The Battle of Lepanto was a five-hour naval battle between the main fleet of the Ottoman Empire and the fleet of the Holy League, a group of maritime states of southern European Catholic countries. It was fought on October 7, 1571, in the northern waters off the coast of Greece. The Ottoman Empire fleet was defeated by the Holy

League. Pope Pius V knew that the forces of the Holy League were much smaller than the fleet of the Ottoman Empire. Consequently, the pope called on all of Christian Europe to pray the rosary for success against the Ottomans. He led a rosary procession in Rome for this success. After the defeat of the Ottomans at Lepanto on October 7, he called for a feast day in honor of the defeat and called the day Our Lady of Victory. In 1573, Pope Gregory XIII changed the title of the feast to Our Lady of the Holy Rosary. Then two centuries later Pope Clement XI extended the feast to all the Latin Rite, laid it in the Roman Catholic Calendar of Saints in 1716, and placed it on the first Sunday in October.

When we celebrate Our Lady of the Holy Rosary on October 7th, remember all the fallen soldiers of all the wars. Pray for peace and for the reign of Christ to bring all people into right relationships.

—Administration—

September 24/25, 2016



Identified offertory givers:	\$ 13,414.70
Visitors/unidentified:	\$ 2,721.55
Religious Education:	\$ 68.00
Total Collected:	\$ 16,204.25

JULY 1, 2016 TO DATE

ACTUAL INCOME: \$ 294,599.34

JULY 1, 2016 TO DATE

ACTUAL EXPENSE:	\$ 306,342.67
Surplus/Deficit	\$ -11,743.33
St. Vincent de Paul:	\$2,046.00
Building & Maintenance:	\$ 883.00

ON-LINE GIVING AVAILABLE

Go to:

iccmsh.weshareonline.org

CONSIDERATION OF OUR CHRISTIAN COMMITMENT: ORDINARY TIME WAITING

The Scriptures today speak of patient, active waiting in faith. The prophet in our first reading speaks those beautiful words, “the vision still has its time and presses on to fulfillment, and will not disappoint; if it delays, wait for it, it will surely come, it will not be late.” Sometimes it might be easy to simply wait as though it all depended on God, and at other times we may realize the need to be active as Jesus speaks of in the Gospel, to be active as though it all depended on us. St. Augustine put today’s Scriptures together in a famous quote, “Pray as though everything depended on God, and work as though everything depended on you.”

As I write this, work has progressed well on the parish campus. Prayerful, active waiting has characterized much of our lives and days these past weeks. We do as much as we can, pray for ourselves and others, and wait for what we cannot do to be done. Happily we have seen a lot of steps forward this past week. I felt like we were really moving when they asked us to pick out the carpet and flooring for the buildings on campus. This way it can all be ordered and ready to go when the painting is finished. They have put a first coat of paint in some areas of the parish hall, and it is good to envision how things will be turning out. Most of the sheet rock has been hung and a lot of the floating of the walls has been completed. So there is progress. I pray it goes about the same if not better with you. Our big priorities are the offices, so we can move from the Faith Formation Center for the beginning of PSR October 9 and 10, and the Early Learning Center and accompanying T-buildings, so they can begin. We would like to have the Adoration Chapel open soon, and the rectory will come last as Fr. Raj and I both have places to lay our heads at the end of the day.

This week, Fr. Raj and I will be leaving for the Community Retreat at Manresa with the Bishop and priests of the Diocese. I already had good retreat days at the Franciscan Friary and this year the retreats at Manresa are not obligatory. Every other year, we are allowed to make a retreat elsewhere, but most years almost all the priests go to Manresa, even if the retreat is not mandatory. No matter how good a private retreat may be, there is something to be said about praying with the priests with whom you serve and having meals with them. It gives us a good opportunity to strengthen the bonds that unite us in ministry and service to the people of the Diocese. It begins Monday at 10:00 and ends Thursday afternoon. This year, Bishop Anthony Taylor of the Diocese of Little Rock will lead the retreat. I studied for four years at St. John’s Seminary in Little Rock and I look forward to meeting him and being on the retreat. Please keep the Bishop and priests of the Diocese in your prayers this week.

When I was in Ireland, I had supper twice at the hotel before leaving for retreat at the Franciscan Friary. My first night there, I struck up a conversation with the waitress, and after she asked me where I was from.



As I prepared to leave, she said, “You remind me of someone, a movie star, but I cannot remember who.” I didn’t have any suggestions, but the following evening I was having supper and she came to my table all excited and smiling. She said, “I know who you remind me of – Forrest Gump! Is he from Louisiana?” I told her I wasn’t sure and that more or less ended the conversation, but I have enjoyed telling the story.

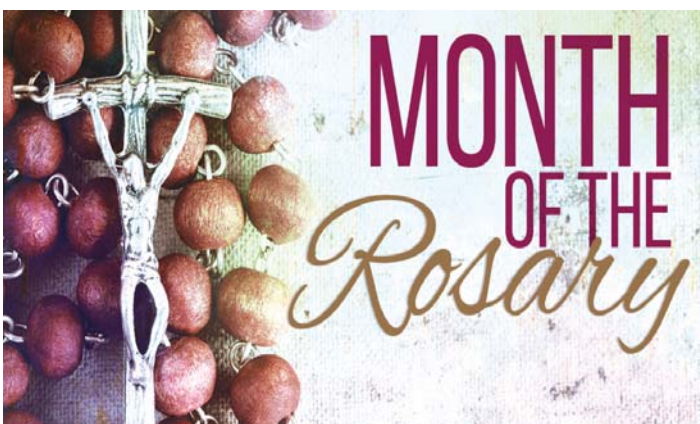
I cannot begin to explain in detail the generosity we have experienced from around the Diocese and from out of state, from Catholics and non-Catholics alike. We have received very generous gifts from parishes as far away as Oklahoma who took up collections and sent us the donation to help restoration work, both on the parish campus and around the community. An Episcopal Church in Mississippi was purchasing a new organ and asked if we would like their old one which is in fantastic condition, better than the one that was ruined in the flood. St. Vincent de Paul Societies from around the nation and other religious organizations have sent donations, one group asking to refurbish the Adoration Chapel. I could go on and on, but the main reason why I mention this to you today is that **we do have funds to assist those of you who have needs, and all you need to do is let us know and we will assist as possible.** We wish to be good stewards of the generosity shared with us.

Humility can characterize well and help us all in the weeks we have been sharing. Great lives in human history are usually marked by unusual humility, aware that they got where they are by the joint effort of many others, who are uncomfortable accepting the praises heaped on them by others. Listen to the MVP star athlete as he or she shares the credit and glory of victory with the rest of the team, or the powerful and successful businessman who treats the lowest person in the organization with respect and dignity because he knows the business was built on the hard work of many. Humility helps us receive, but it can also help us give, knowing our offer of help might not always be received. As we move more into October and the fall season, let us pray that this be a good and graced time for us all as we journey together as the one Body of Christ, the sons and daughters of God.

Have a good week. Love

Immaculate Conception Church October 2 — October 15, 2016

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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Patriotic Rosary for our Nation—Join us to pray a rosary for our nation. This month we will gather in the Church on Sunday, October 2 at 7:00 p.m.

“And if my people, upon whom my name has been pronounced, humble themselves and pray, and seek my presence and turn from their evil ways, I will hear them from heaven and pardon their sins and revive their land.”
 2 Chronicles 7:14

PR MASS INTENTIONS (10/01/16-10/09/16)

Saturday: 10/01/16—4 p.m. Ron Rinker†; Lucy & Merlin Coco†; Sam Guzzardo†; Kenneth Badaeux†; EBR Police Dept; EBR Sheriff Office. **Sunday: 10/02/16—7 a.m.** Lloyd deGeneres†; Donald Lavigne and Jeremy Berthelot†. **9 a.m.—** Parishioners. **9 a.m.—(MSH)** Willis & Edmee Fontenot & Family†; Robert C. Adams†. **11 a.m.** Dane Bannanno†; Butch Calmes†; Jimmy Lieux†; Lucille O’Neill†; Mary Guidry†. **6 p.m.** Phillip John Bilski†; Robert Adams, Jr.†; Noah & Winnie Lachney, Sr.†; Noah & Maudry Lachney, Jr.†. **Monday: 10/03/16—8:30 a.m.** Brian Pettigrew, Sr.†.

Tuesday: 10/04/16—6 p.m. Alex Theriot, Jr.†. **Wednesday: 10/05/16—8:30 a.m.** M/M Royce Firmin†. **Thursday: 10/06/16—8:30 a.m.** Suzanne Aydell†. **Friday: 10/07/16—8:30 a.m.** Jerry Valentine, Sr.†. **Saturday: 10/08/16—4 p.m.** Scott Rachal†; Lindell Gill, Sr.†; Brian Thomas†. **Sunday: 10/09/16—7 a.m.** Lloyd deGeneres†; Lucille O’Neill†; Donald Lavigne & Jeremy Berthelot†. **9 a.m.—**Kenneth Boudreaux†; Mary Guidry†; Louis “LJ” Berthelot†; Phillip John Bilski†. **9 a.m.—(MSH)** Parishioners. **11 a.m.** Butch Calmes†. **6 p.m.** Open Intention.

CHURCH SANCTUARY LAMP: 10/02/16—10/08/16 burns in memory of **PHILLIP JOHN BILSKI**.

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Parish School of Religion News:

Thank you for your patience as we reworked the schedule for the Parish School of Religion.

Livingston Parish Public Schools has not changed the dismissal time for elementary school students. Therefore, our schedule for **1st through 5th grade is unchanged from previous years.** We will offer classes on Monday at 4:30 and 6:30 pm and on Wednesday at 4:30 and 6:30 pm. Classes will begin Monday, October 10, 2016.

The extended school day for Livingston Parish Public Middle and High School students required us to totally rework the schedule for the Parish School of Religion. This year we will offer a program that combines at-home work with one monthly 90 minute gathering on Sunday afternoon for 6th through 10th grades. The Schedule is as follows:

6th Grade: The Old Testament (2nd Sunday of each month at 12:30 pm to 2:00 pm)

Six Sessions: October 9, November 13, December 11, January 8, February 12, and March 12.

7th & 8th grade: Morality & the Life of Jesus (2nd Sunday of each month at 2:30 pm to 4:00 pm)

Six Sessions: October 9, November 13, December 11, January 8, February 12, and March 12.

9th Grade: The Mass/ Theology of the Body (3rd Sunday of each month at 12:30 pm to 2:00 pm)

Six Sessions: October 16, November 20, December 18, January 15, February 19, and March 19.

10th Grade: Confirmation Preparation—Year One (3rd Sunday of each month at 2:30 pm to 4:00 pm)

Six Sessions: October 16, November 20, December 18, January 15, February 19, and March 19.

11th Grade: Confirmation Preparation—Year Two

Three 2 1/2 hour sessions: Sunday, 10/23/2016, 12:30 until 3:00 pm, Saturday, 11/19/2016 11:00 am until 1:30 pm and Tuesday, 11/22/2016 6:00 until 8:00 pm.

We realize that this schedule may not work for everyone. We will continue to offer the option of traditional home school. In this option, all lessons are completed at home, at your own pace and completed work is turned in at the end of the year.

Remind is a quick and easy communication tool. **Remind is only for middle and high school students and all catechists.**

Text @icc6 to 81010 for 6th grade
Text @icc7 to 81010 for 7th and 8th grade
Text @icc9 to 81010 for 9th grade

Text @icc10 to 81010 for 10th grade
Text @iccon to 81010 for 11th grade Confirmation
Text @icccat to 81010 if you are a classroom Catechist

Please consider volunteering to be a catechist or aide. Because of the many changes in our lives and community, as well as our new schedule, some of our faithful, long time catechists will not be able to return.

We will offer classes on Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. at the Mission of the Sacred Heart for 1st through 8th grades. Sixth -eighth grades at the Mission have the option of attending the monthly session on Sundays at Immaculate Conception or attend weekly classes at the Mission. Ninth and tenth grades must attend at Immaculate Conception or ninth grade only may home school. Classes will begin Wednesday, October 12, 2016.

Since the new PSR schedule has been released, several have asked what is the difference between the Sunday Session with at-home work and traditional home school.

Sunday Session (with 2-at home lessons)—When the bell rings the students will gather in one large group (by grade). We will use the following structure:

Opening prayer/Review (10 min.)
Large Group Presentation (30 min.)
Break/game (10 min.)
Small group discussion (30 min.)
Focus on Sunday Gospel/Closing Prayer (10 min.).

Students will take home two sets of questions that will further develop the large group discussion. Each set will be 3 to 6 questions. The students return the questions the following month. These lessons have been adapted from the lessons in the book to be more interactive and discussion based. This format is meant to reduce stress and lighten the burden that the changes to the school day may have created for both parents and students.

Traditional Home School—Pick up the book or lessons for the entire year. Read the material and answer the questions. When the work is complete, return it to the office. Approximately 20 lessons.

This letter is meant to give everyone the “big picture” of our schedule. If you need to make changes, to the day/time or classroom/home school options, now is the time. On September 28th, student schedules were e-mailed or mailed (for those that do not have e-mails). If you have not registered yet, please do so as soon as possible.

Thank you for your cooperation and consideration. If you have any questions, do not hesitate to call. We wish you continued peace and blessings as we heal and recover from the aftermath of flooding.

Gwen Richard; 225-665-5926, ext. 223




Pray for the Sick

If you wish to place a name on the prayer list or retain a name after the four-week period, please call the church office at 665-5359. For the prayer line, call Pat Pastor at 664-1097.

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| Arlene Accord | Betty Frugé | Cherry Moore |
| Kathy Alello | Clay Furlow | Chris Morris |
| Stacey Allee | Moore Gauthier | Avery Musick |
| Elmer Allen | Dee Dee Gautreau | Doris Nix |
| Mr. Amir | Evelyn Guyban Germany | Billie Oliver |
| Jane Ardoin | JD & Sally Giacone | Mary Piper |
| Will Arnold | Mac Griffin | Fran Poche |
| Karen Balle | Johnny Guyban | Troy Pourciau |
| Joseph Beazer | Shirley Harrington | Edna Purvis |
| Judy Bennett | Richard Hartley | John Richeaux |
| Linda Betz | Charles Haughton, Jr. | Tyler Rivers |
| Nick Bertrand | Natalie Hicks | Darrin Rogers |
| Perri Blackledge | Valerie Hill | Stephen Rogers |
| Lynne Blair | Betty Himel | Desi Rosado |
| Susan Birou | Jimmy Hood | Erica Ryland |
| Carley Biscotto | Helen Wickwire Hoshman | Jessica Schexnayder |
| Dana Bramlett | Carole Hyman | Ernest Scott |
| John Bramlett, Jr. | Wanda Ishmael | Jerri Scott |
| Dale Breaux | Jeanette Jandler | Gene Sellers |
| Caty Brignac | Chelse Kaighen | Ozark Shaffort |
| Amelia Brown | Vicki Kelly | Lynne Sharp |
| Troy Campo | Bruce Kerr | Mary Ann Siciliano |
| Barbara Carlton | Michael Kilcrease | Charles Stafford |
| Emily Caruthers | Sally Kramer | Mike Stephens |
| Leila Champagne | Eva Laborde | Dennis Strader |
| Scott Charleville | Louis Lacara | Daren Tassin |
| Kristi Chenier | Alan Landry | Paul Tassin |
| Jim Cook | Julie LaFleur | Susan Friedman Tate |
| Troy Ann Cooper | Pauline Lambert | Joanna Terry |
| Jeanne Comeaux | Aaron LeBlanc | Nell Thigpen |
| Lavern Conerly | Leonard LeBlanc | Jeff Thornton |
| Bob Daniels | Jeffery LeJeune | Mickie Todd |
| Christina Daniels | Dot Lemoine | Pat Trahan |
| Maxim Daquin | Ronald Lohr | Jean Tullier |
| Brandon/Charlene DeCuir | Elsie Lousteau | Nick Tullier |
| Joseph Desota | Lucy Maranto | Ms. Pat Ulbright |
| Shirley DeSoto | Vincent Maranto | Ann Viola |
| Jessica Dettman | Sr. Maria | Mary Walker |
| Laura Diaz | Richard Mariani | Christopher Waller |
| Russell Dietrich | Anita Martinez | Robert Whiddon |
| Darryl Dufour | Bernard Martinez | Susie White |
| Pat Dunn | Edward Martinez | Melissa Wilkes |
| MacKenzie East | Karen L. Matherne | Wolinski Family |
| Ernest "Ray" Edelmann | Jennifer McBride | Kenneth Woodburn, Jr. |
| Glenn Ezell | George Meyers | Robin Wroten |
| Charles Fava | JoAnne Miles | Jorda Young, Jr. |
| Jeff Fisher | Jackie Miller | Richard/Vertie Young |
| | Dennis Montgomery | |

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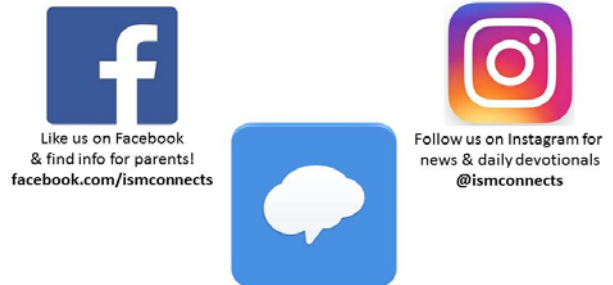
Are you thinking of becoming a Catholic?

RCIA

The RCIA Process is a journey of faith:
 ...through the initial stages of asking and seeking
 ...through beginning involvement with faithful
 ...through hearing the Gospel proclaimed and by faithful reflection and prayer on this Word of God
 ...through study and discussions about Catholic teaching and way of life
 ...through doubts and hesitations
 ...through a growing desire to serve and love others
 ...through the steps of commitment
 ...through the sacraments of initiation (Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist)

For more information, contact Judy Graphia at 665-5359, and for children, call Tammy Young at 202-7505.

In times like this, information can be hard to come by. For up to the minute info & news about ISM youth ministry please follow us on social media:



Download the free Remind app from iTunes or Android for group messages, flyers, & to message Kevin. Just search @ismlink in the app or text @ismlink to 81010 to receive text updates!

If you have any questions, contact Kevin at 225.268.9962 or acordkp@gmail.com

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QUESTION OF THE WEEK

Luke 17:5-10

How does the exercise of your daily obligations increase your faith?



We express our sympathy and prayers to Debbie and Peter Gagliano on the death of their mother, **DORIS PAXTON**

RODRIGUEZ; to Lynn and Michael Bienvenu on the death of their grand daughter, **ADELYN ELLIS AMMONS**; to Marlene and Greg LeBlanc on the death of their husband and father, **WILLIE "BILLY" LEBLANC**; and to the family and friends of **LORETTA REILMAN**.