

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH



JUNE 23, 2024

WELCOME!

Parish Information

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Our Staff

Pastor | Rev. William M. Laska
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Mass Schedule

Immaculate Conception

Weekdays: 8:00 a.m.
Saturday: 5:15 p.m.
Sunday: 10:30 a.m.
Holy Day: 8:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.

St. Dominic

Sunday: 8:30 a.m.
Holy Day (Vigil): 6:00 p.m. Reconciliation: 8 a.m.
Sunday

Reconciliation

Saturday: 4:30 p.m. (IC),
also by appointment



12TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

He woke up, rebuked the wind, and said to the sea,
"Quiet! Be still!" The wind ceased and there was
great calm. - Mk 4:39

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD. ©LPI

MORE PARISH INFORMATION...

Sacrament of Marriage

By appointment. A six-month preparation period is required.

Sacrament of Baptism

By appointment. Please call the rectory for information.

Sacrament of the Sick

Please call the rectory if anyone in your family is hospitalized or is a shut-in.

Parish Membership

Membership in the parish is required to be a sponsor for a Sacrament, to be married in the parish, or to have a child baptized. Please notify the rectory office of a change of address or phone number.

Religious Education Classes

Sunday: 9:00 a.m. - 10:15 a.m. (*All Grades*)

***Bulletin Deadline: Monday at 9:00 a.m.**

THE CHURCHES OF IMMACULATE CONCEPTION AND ST. DOMINIC

MASS INTENTIONS

Schedule for the Week

MONDAY, JUNE 24

Monday Mass is offered privately
Daniel Laska, Sr. by Keith and Kathy Milliron

TUESDAY, JUNE 25

8:00 AM Ellen Rowan by Steve and Ruth Rowan

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 26

8:00 AM Frances A. Mineweaser by the Family

THURSDAY, JUNE 27

8:00 AM Ron Bowen by Ann Mooney

FRIDAY, JUNE 28

8:00 AM Myrla Carberry by her Family

SATURDAY, JUNE 29

5:15 PM Bob Receski
by Barb, Laurie and Cindy Receski

SUNDAY, JUNE 30

8:30 AM (St. Dominic) Parish Family of Immaculate
Conception and St. Dominic
10:30 AM Mark Wolfe by his Family

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE—JUNE 29 & 30

Altar Servers

Saturday, 5:15 p.m. | Please volunteer if you attend this
Mass

Sunday, 10:30 a.m. | Ethan Lauer

Lectors

Saturday, 5:15 p.m. | Ann Thacher

Sunday, 10:30 a.m. | Steve French

St. Dominic | Rosemary Wolbert

Rosary Leaders: Denny Kinol and Steve Rowan

STEWARDSHIP - JUNE 15 & 16

Immaculate Conception & St. Dominic

Envelopes\$3,710.00
Loose.....\$666.00

Catholic Services Appeal—Assessment\$41,567.00
Pledged.....\$75,880.00
Paid.....\$57,237.00

Weekly Goal to meet Operating Budget.....\$4,806.00
Accumulated goal since July 1, 2023\$208,288.00
Surplus (**Deficit**) (Week #49)(**\$27,206.00**)

Thank you for supporting your parish.



The flowers for the Blessed Mother's Altar are in memory of the Catanzarito Family. They were placed by Mike Tattersall.

The flowers at St. Dominic are in memory of Jim Delo. They were placed by Pat Delo.



The Sanctuary Lamp burns in memory of Bob Receski. Requested by his Family.

THE TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

As we continue in Ordinary Time, our reading today is taken from the Gospel of Mark, the primary Gospel reading in Lectionary Cycle B. Mark's Gospel presents a vivid portrait of Jesus, whose words and deeds show that he is the Son of God. Today's Gospel describes the end of a day of teaching in Jesus' ministry. Jesus taught the crowd in parables and then offered explanations of these parables to his disciples. Jesus then led his disciples away from the crowds and into the boats that they will use to cross the Sea of Galilee. The sea and its surrounding area are the settings for Jesus' teachings and miracles in this part of Mark's Gospel. Today's reading describes how Jesus calmed a storm at sea. It is the first of four miracles that are presented in sequence at this point in Mark's Gospel.

As is typical in Mark's Gospel, Jesus' disciples are frightened by the sudden storm; they do little to inspire confidence in the reader. Mark notes the contrast between the disciples' terror and Jesus' peace. Jesus is sleeping, untroubled by what is going on around him.

The disciples' words to Jesus are telling. They are familiar enough with Jesus to dare to wake him. Their words to him are words of reproach, questioning his care for them. A careful reader might wonder what the disciples expected Jesus to do. Are they more troubled by the storm or by Jesus' inattentiveness to their needs? How many of us have chided a family member or friend for not agreeing with our assessment of the severity of a situation?

USHERS SCHEDULE

June 29 Rick Cherico, Bob Deter
June 30 John Palmer, Steven Hoak

PETER’S PENCE COLLECTION

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

On June 29th, the Church will celebrate the Solemnity of Sts. Peter and Paul, the two Apostles who shed their blood for Christ in Rome. The Peter’s Pence Collection is taken up every year throughout the Church on or near that Solemnity. This year the collection will be taken up on the weekend of June 29 and 30.

The Peter’s Pence Collection supports the charitable works of our Holy Father, Pope Francis, the successor of St. Peter, as he responds to some of the most urgent needs of people throughout the world, including relief to victims of natural disasters such as earthquakes and floods. Peter’s Pence also helps our Holy Father support seminaries and religious houses, orphanages, AIDS treatment centers, and other medical facilities in developing nations, as well as many other charitable works.

From the beginning the Church has made it a priority to help the most in need among our brothers and sisters in the human family. Your prayers and contributions will allow this important work to continue.

Through our support of the Peter’s Pence Collection, we are also helping to strengthen the ties that bind us together as the Family of God. Thank you for your generosity.

Sincerely yours in Christ,
+Lawrence T. Persico
Bishop of Erie

FALL FESTIVAL INFO

Planning is well underway for our annual Fall Festival to be held September 6th, 7th and 8th..

In anticipation of this event, we are seeking donations in the following areas:

Our **Gift Auction** is asking for donations of new items. In the past we have had bicycles, televisions, power tools, paintings, wreaths, gardening items, camping items, kindles, Ipads, rocking chairs, wooden swings etc. If you would like to make a donation to this part of our Festival, please contact Brian Ganoe at 814-328-5239.



FALL FESTIVAL THEME BASKET ROOM

Our Theme Basket Room has been very popular at our Fall Festival. We are asking each family to donate a completed basket to this part of our Festival. Baskets do not need to be expensive. Fill any type of container with items that you think someone would like to win. Please, new items only. We will be happy to have whatever you think would be a great idea. Please help us to continue to have this popular room at this year’s Festival. We are hoping that our Festival will be well attended and we want to be prepared to present a nice experience for those willing to come and enjoy the weekend! Please help us by donating a basket to this area of our Festival. Baskets can be dropped off at our school on Monday evenings from 6-8 pm beginning July 8th. Your generosity will be greatly appreciated.



PLEASE PRAY FOR THE HAPPY REPOSE
OF THE SOUL OF:

Mark Weaver
(Brother of Mary Park of our Parish)
Gary Asel
(Brother of Darlene Ransel of our Parish)

ST. JOSEPH’S 85TH ANNUAL
4TH OF JULY CELEBRATION

Clarion County’s oldest Independence Day Celebration! Traditional all-you-can-eat Chicken & Ham Dinners—Homemade pie & soup with their famous Homemade Noodles. Games of skill & chance for all ages—Live entertainment– Festival Food–Bingo. Over \$40,000 in Cash & Prizes including several Handmade Quilts, Portable Hot Tub and a \$5,000 Grand Prize. Event held rain or shine–canopy covered. Handicapped accessible. Parking shuttle available. Nearly 2000 dinners served each year. Dining room serving 11 am to 3 pm. Takeouts from 11am to 2 pm. Dinner ticket sales open at 11 am. Adults–\$13; Children 6 to 12–\$6. Children under 6 eat for free. Proceeds benefit St. Joseph Catholic School.