

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH



APRIL 20, 2025

WELCOME!

Parish Information

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Mass Schedule

Immaculate Conception

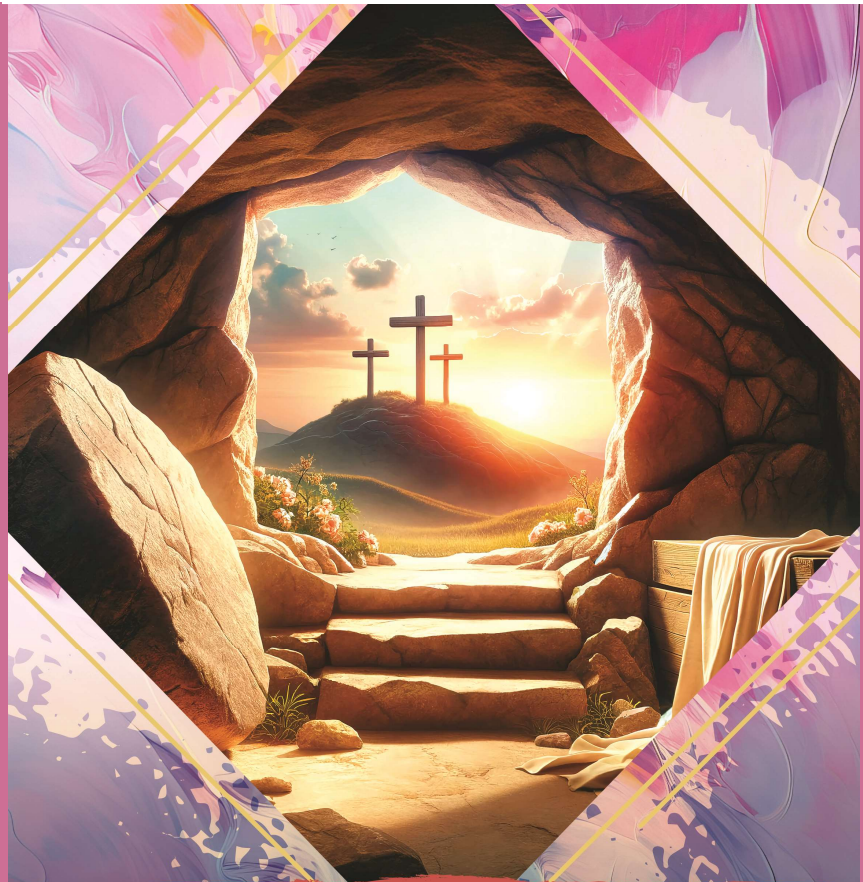
Weekdays: 8:00 a.m.
Saturday: 5:15 p.m.
Sunday: 10:30 a.m.
Holy Day: 8:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.

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



EASTER SUNDAY

They found the stone rolled away from the tomb.
- Lk 24:2

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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

TUESDAY, APRIL 22

8:00 AM Mass of Thanksgiving

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 23

8:00 AM Deceased members of the Boozer and Mineweaser Families by the Family

THURSDAY, APRIL 24

8:00 AM Ross Ananea by Caron and Family

FRIDAY, APRIL 25

8:00 AM Albert and Ann Pucalik by Marie Pucalik

SATURDAY, APRIL 26

5:15 PM Gene and Rachel Melillo
by Rick, Gina and Family

SUNDAY, APRIL 27

8:30 AM (St. Dominic) Edith Barilar
by Francis Barilar

10:30 AM Clint and Kate Clark by the Kerr Family

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE—APRIL 26 & 27

Altar Servers

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

Sunday, 10:30 a.m. | Nora O'Donnell

Lectors

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

Sunday, 10:30 a.m. | Katie Peterson

St. Dominic | Ashley Thorpe

Rosary Leaders: Denny Kinol, Steve Rowan



The Sanctuary Lamp burns in honor of the Wedding Anniversary of David and Jennifer Black.



EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

Today we begin the Easter Season, our 50-day meditation on the mystery of Christ's Resurrection. Our Gospel today tells us about the disciples' discovery of the empty tomb. It concludes by telling us that they did not yet understand that Jesus had risen from the dead. Thus, the details provided are not necessarily meant to offer proof of the Resurrection. The details invite us to reflect upon a most amazing gift, that is faith in Jesus and his Resurrection.

Each of the four Gospels tells us that Jesus' empty tomb was first discovered by women. This is notable because in first-century Jewish society women could not serve as legal witnesses. In the case of John's Gospel, the only woman attending the tomb is Mary of Magdala. Unlike the Synoptic accounts, John's Gospel does not describe an appearance of angels at the tomb. Instead, Mary is simply said to have observed that the stone that had sealed the tomb had been moved, and she runs to alert Simon Peter and the beloved disciple. Her statement to them is telling. She assumes that Jesus' body has been removed, perhaps stolen. She does not consider that Jesus has been raised from the dead.

Simon Peter and the beloved disciple race to the tomb, presumably to verify Mary's report. The beloved disciple arrives first but does not enter the tomb until after Simon Peter. This detail paints a vivid picture, as does the detail provided about the burial cloths. Some scholars believe that the presence of the burial cloths in the tomb offers evidence to the listener that Jesus' body had not been stolen (it is understood that grave robbers would have taken the burial cloths together with the body).

The Gospel passage concludes, however, that even having seen the empty tomb and the burial cloths, the disciples do not yet understand about the Resurrection. In the passage that follows, Mary of Magdala meets Jesus but mistakes him for the gardener. In the weeks ahead, the Gospel readings from our liturgy will show us how the disciples came to believe in Jesus' Resurrection through his appearances to them. Our Easter faith is based on their witness to both the empty tomb and their continuing relationship with Jesus—in his appearances and in his gift of the Holy Spirit.

USHERS SCHEDULE

April 26 Rick Cherico, Bob Deeter

April 27 Jim Holencik, Brien Alexander



Easter Flower Memorials 2025

*Harry Hetrick**Sally London Johnston**Joseph Dussia**Ben and Pete Caun**Bob Receski**John and Margaret Saks**Charles and Anna Receski**Fr. Joseph Ciaiola**Fr. Donald Berdis**Sr. Judith Uzzo**Gari Smith**Robert & Vivian Heberling**Doug Heberling**Newt Nosker**Griffin Anderson**Richard and David Kennedy**The Richards and Karlo Families**Lou & Pauline Zuckett**Martin & Jennie Maloney**Joe & Pearl Guthrie**Steve & Anna Mester**Mary & Daniel Laska**Daniel Laska, Jr.**James Laska**Emery Mayanchick**Fr. Richard Lynch**Josie Bonfitto**Mr. & Mrs. Richard Thompson**Mr. & Mrs. Robert Steele**Richard C. Thompson**Rosemary McFarland**Raymond Seitz**The John & Ethel Mineweaser Family**The Lee Snyder Family**The Ethel Reynolds Family**Deceased Members of the Kutsch Family**Clint & Kate Clark**George & Stella Kerr**William C. Kerr**Janice Kerr**Pam Cook**Robert & Phyllis Northey**Dianna (Haines) Kerr**Michael Schrecongost**Vern & Catherine Forthofer**Brian Michael Crissman**Brian Robert Crissman**John Michael Boboige**Jim & Ailene Dunlap**Fred & Gloria Wain**Priscilla Allgeier**Mr. & Mrs. John O'Donnell**Mr. & Mrs. Paul Allgeier**The Benedictine Sisters of St. Marys**The Leo Hoylen & Walter Gordon
Families**E. Blake Rowan**Ellen Rowan**The Richard Boozer Family**Francis & Elsie Zents**James Dougherty, Sr.**William D. Smith, Sr.**William Smith, Jr.**Steve Smith**Richard A. Navarra**Kenneth R. Stewart, Jr.**Ruth Johnson**June Zanot**Devan Knapp**Rob Connor**Laurie Butler**Margaret & Lewis Connor**Deceased Members of the Brant and
Flynn Families**Dave Croxton**Cecilia Beliveau**Mary Wolfe**Ruth Lindermuth**Josephine & Gertrude Lynch**Bill Kutz**Frances & Edward Sitosky**Helen & Joseph Zeok**Ruth & Francis Phillips**Robert & Vivian Blair**Nancy Connor**Dominick & Julia Suplizio**Roger & Donna Gangloff**James & Helen Suplizio**Anthony Suplizio**Peter & Ventra Papagiannis**The Marino Family**Lenore Moyer**Diane Jonischek**Gene & Rae Melillo**Betty Cherico**Marilyn & Duane Beals**Ron & Bonnie Clark**Janet Varoli**Margaret Mineweaser**George Morey, Jr.**Craig Morey**Mr. & Mrs. Nello Gavazzi**Jim & Myrla Carberry**Steve & Charlotte Koladish**Jim Carberry, Jr.**Brian Koladish**James & Joy Carberry**Jeanne Carberry**Walter & Sarah Holibaugh**Sam Zafutto**Lloyd Wolfe**Lex & Mary Stuchell**Libby Fowler**Hud & Margaret White**Joe & Vista Talleri**Michael & Ann Kozak**Ralph & Vivian Steele**Dickson Tattersall**Fran Tattersall**Charlene Tattersall**The Catanzarito Family**The Stiger Family**Howard & Dorothy O'Neill**Michael & Veleri Schnitski**Michael & Aline Pallone**William & Grace Sidwar*

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Our next day of Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will be on Thursday, April 24th following the 8 am Mass.