

# Welcome to our Catholic Parishes

## Immaculate Conception

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## Saint Patrick

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Thirtieth Sunday in  
Ordinary Time  
October 25, 2020

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### MISSION STATEMENT OF IMMACULATE CONCEPTION AND ST. PATRICK CHURCHES

*"To become Disciples of Jesus, nourished by the Sacraments and supporting each other in Faith, as we bring Him to our Community and the World in Witness, Service, and Love."*

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Mon-Tues-Thurs:

8 am-3 pm

Friday: 8 am-Noon

**Parish Secretary:**

Tues-Wed: 9 am-3 pm

Friday: 9 am-Noon

**Events Of The Week****Saturday, Oct. 24, 2020**

3:30 pm Confessions @ IC

4:30 pm Mass @ IC

**Sunday, Oct. 25, 2020—30th Sunday Ordinary Time**

7:15 am Confessions @ SP

8:00 am Mass @ SP

10:00 am Mass @ IC

**Monday, Oct. 26, 2020**

No Mass

3:00 pm Divine Mercy &amp; Rosary @ IC Hall

**Tuesday, Oct. 27, 2020**

4:30 pm Adoration &amp; Confessions @ IC

5:30 pm Mass @ IC

**Wednesday, Oct. 28, 2020**

8:00 am Mass @ IC

5:30 pm Confirmation Class ONLY @ IC Hall

**Thursday, Oct. 29, 2020**

8:00 am Mass @ IC

4:30 pm Adoration &amp; Confession @ SP

5:30 pm Mass @ SP

7:00-8:00 pm Pregnancy Center Virtual Fundraiser

**Friday, Oct. 30, 2020—Parish Office CLOSED  
at Noon on Fridays**

8:00 am Mass @ IC

12:00 pm Parish Office Closed

**Saturday, Oct. 31, 2020—Halloween!**

3:30 pm Confessions @ IC

4:30 pm Mass @ IC—Memorial Candles Blessed

**Sunday, Nov. 1, 2020—All Saints Day / 31st Sunday  
In Ordinary Time / Daylight Savings Time Ends so  
Turn Clocks Back**

7:15 am Confessions @ SP

8:00 am Mass @ SP—Memorial Candles Blessed

10:00 am Mass @ IC—Memorial Candles Blessed

*IC Altar Flowers are in Loving Memory of:  
Blessed Mary Side—Helen Rickard**By Dee Menz**St. Joseph Side—Tom H. Kustes**By John Kustes***Congratulations and Welcome into The Church:**

Aeleyah Elizabeth Glass—Baptized 9-20-20

Alexander Ethan Perol Lackas—Baptized 10-11-20

**SCRIP Mission Statement:** The Mission of our SCRIP Program is to provide for the Children of Immaculate Conception and St. Patrick Parishes, both physically and spiritually, in their religious education.**Next SCRIP Order Dates:** November 2, 2020  
November 30, 2020**WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULES****Saturday Mass:** 4:30 pm @ IC**Sunday Mass:** 8:00 am @ SP and 10:00 am @ IC**RECONCILIATION / CONFESSION****IC:** Tue. 4:30pm—5:15pm; Sat. 3:30pm—4:15pm**SP:** Thrs. 4:30pm—5:15pm; Sun. 7:15am—7:45am**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK**† *For the Repose of the Soul*

Mon. Oct. 26 No Mass

Tues. Oct. 27 5:30 pm † Aunt Winnie Jordan

Wed. Oct. 28 8:00 am † Souls in Purgatory

Thur. Oct. 29 8:00 am † Souls in Purgatory  
5:30 pm Fr. Mattnew Camaioni

Fri. Oct. 30 8:00 am † Souls in Purgatory

Sat. Oct. 31 4:30 pm † Howard &amp; Helen Foster

Sun. Nov. 1 8:00 am People of the Parish  
10:00 am † Margaret Kustes Field**7:30 PM Daily Rosary Online**

Please join Fr. Joel Lopez and recite the Rosary, every day, at 7:30 pm, on the Facebook Page Melchizedek.

**Featured Pantry Items OCTOBER 2020****Albany Food Pantry - Food, Health, and Hygiene Items; Cleaning and Laundry Products****Clinton Pregnancy Center -***Baby Wash and Kid's Toothpaste***Fulton Area Food Pantry -***Cake, Muffin, and Cookie Mixes***Collection Boxes in Foyer of IC Parish Office, when open.****THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT.**



**BLESSED  
Carlo Acutis**

**Born Into Life  
May 3, 1991**

**RIP in Heaven  
October 12, 2006**

**A Saint In The Making!**

Blessed Carlo Acutis was an Italian Catholic schoolboy and amateur computer programmer. He was best known for documenting Eucharistic miracles around the world and cataloguing them all onto a website that he created in the months before his death. Carlo died at the age of 15, from Galloping Leukemia, leaving in the memory of all those who knew him, a great feeling of emptiness, and a great admiration for his authentic Christian life.

To quote Carlo's own words: "Our goal must be the infinite and not the finite. The infinity is our homeland. We are always expected in Heaven." But to reach such a lofty goal, some very special measures are necessary: the Sacraments and Prayer. In particular, Carlo placed the Sacrament of the Holy Eucharist at the center of his life and he called it "my highway to Heaven."

The Beatification of Carlo Acutis took place on October 10, 2020, after a miracle was attributed to him by prayers and the grace of God. In Brazil, a boy named Mattheus, and his mother, attended a prayer service dedicated to Carlo Acutis, on October 12, 2013. They prayed to Acutis to intercede for the healing of Mattheus' serious condition. Mattheus was born in 2009 with a serious condition called Annular Pancreas, causing him difficulty eating and horrible abdominal pain. He was unable to keep any food in his stomach and vomited constantly.

During the service, Mattheus touched the picture of Acutis on the altar and prayed: "I wish I could stop vomiting so much." Healing began immediately. On the way home from Mass, Mattheus told his mother that he was already cured! At home, he ate everything on his plate and did not vomit. Mattheus' mother took him to the physicians who were mystified by his healing! His mother told the Brazilian media, so that her testimony would be a way to evangelize and give hope to other families. Pray to Blessed Carlo Acutis for healing and a return to the Sacraments, as he did.

**Faith Renewed—Starting Nov. 21, 2020**

Everyone is invited to participate in Faith Renewed—a refresher course in the Catholic Faith and Catechism. Classes will be held the 1st and 3rd Saturdays of the month, starting on November 21st, 10:00 am in the IC Church. No need to sign up—just come!

**ALL SAINTS' DAY—Sunday, November 1, 2020  
ALL SOULS' DAY—Monday, November 2, 2020  
All Soul's Day— Envelopes**

On the back tables at each church are the All Soul's Day Envelopes. Please return envelopes to Parish Office a.s.a.p.

**Remembering Our Faithful Departed**

If you would like to remember a loved one with these 8" Memorial Candles, order forms will be on the back tables at both churches. Please fill out the order form and return to Parish Office by **Tuesday, Oct. 27, 2020.**



**Father Lopez will bless all Memorial Candles at Mass, weekend of Oct. 31/ Nov. 1, 2020.** Candles will be at church for the blessing and can be taken home after Mass. These Memorial Candles can be used in your home at anytime. For example: All Souls Day, Anniversary of a Loved-One's Death, Birthdays, Special Occasions, and Religious Holidays. Please order now!

**2021 Church Calendars Available**

The 2021, full-size, 8" x 10" Appointment Calendars are available at both churches and at the Parish Office.

**IC Counters, Wednesday, Oct. 28, 2020,  
9:00 am at IC Hall (with masks) are:**



Tony Kuebel, Janann Sanderson, Joyce Zajicek

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Catholic Match Illinois (CatholicMatch.com/IL)**



**Wednesday, Oct. 28, 2020, 5:30-6:45 pm  
Confirmation Class ONLY in IC Hall**

**Wednesday, Nov. 4, 2020, 5:30-6:45 pm  
Both Sacrament Classes meet in IC Hall  
3, 4, 5 Grade Classes meet in IC Hall  
3, 4, 5 Grade Parents meet in IC Church**

**WEEKEND of OCTOBER 31st & NOVEMBER 1st, 2020 (All Saint's Day)**

	<b>Saturday, 4:30 pm @ IC</b>	<b>Sunday, 8:00 am @ SP</b>	<b>Sunday, 10:00 am @ IC</b>
<b>Lector:</b>	Brenda Woods	Phil Bruno	Kathy Kuebel
<b>Greeters:</b>	Marge Hook	Michelle, Dan & James Burke	Nick & Lisa Leonard
<b>Ushers:</b>	Irv & Mary Sanderson	Michelle, Dan & James Burke	Janann Sanderson

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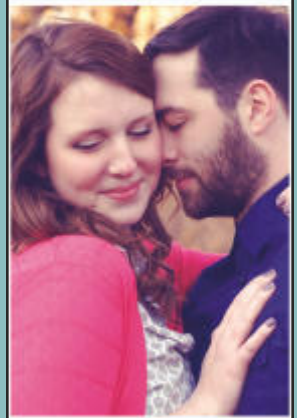
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