

# Immaculate Conception Old Monroe

PARISH

JUNE 09, 2024

10th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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He said to them in reply, "Who are my mother and my brothers?" And looking around at those seated in the circle he said, "Here are my mother and my brothers. For whoever does the will of God is my brother and sister and mother." - Mk 3:33-35

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### Now Accepting Parish Council Nominations!

Hello parishioners,

As summer begins, we conclude another year of service for our current Parish Council members. We are looking for nominations for 4 new parish council members to serve the parish. We wanted to open nominations to the whole parish.

**What is a parish council?** The parish council is an advisory council that helps the pastor make decisions about the parish. The members give advice regarding any major decision that affects parishioners, keeps the pastor informed about things important to the parish, and helps shape the vision, mission, and direction of the parish.

This year our parish council provided insights, feedback, and advice regarding the celebration of the Mass, FORMED and its use in our parish, start time for the Good Friday Service, discussion about a Picture Directory, assistance with foster-care, and more.

**What should new members expect at meetings?** Meetings will include a time of prayer, a time of formation, and then a time for business, discussion, and decision making.

**Who can become a parish council member?** Any registered parishioner 18 or older, who has received the Sacraments of initiation (Baptism, Confirmation, and Holy Communion), regularly attends Mass on Sundays (or Saturday evening) and Holy Days of Obligation, goes to confession at least once a year, has a personal prayer life, has a manner of life that is in harmony with the faith and the role to be undertaken, and if married, the marriage is canonically valid and recognized as such by the Catholic Church. Use of email and text messaging is important for council member communication.

**How is someone nominated?** Nominations are communicated to current parish council members, or directly to Fr. Lampe. Nominations can be made by email, phone call, note, or letter. Nominations made by paper can be placed in the collection basket, dropped off at the parish office, or mailed to the parish office. All parishioners who are nominated need to accept the nomination.

**What happens next?** If more people accept their nominations than we have openings for new members, then an election will take place.

Please contact me if you have any questions!

God Bless,  
Fr. Lampe



## MASS SCHEDULE:

Weekdays.....	7:45 am
First Saturday.....	7:45 am
Saturdays.....	5:00 pm (vigil)
Sundays.....	8:00 am and 10:00 am
Holidays.....	As announced



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**Bulletin Deadline - Tuesdays by 8am**

For the following Sunday submit requests to:  
[parish@icomparish.org](mailto:parish@icomparish.org)

**Thank you for your generous support!**

### Week ending June 02, 2024

Sunday Offering \$6400 | Online \$3646.25

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### In Your Prayers

Please pray for all who have died, especially:

**Ruthie Gnadé**



**May all rest in peace**



### Baptisms

Congratulations to those recently baptized, especially:

**Ivey Mae James**

Child of Anthony & Annie James

**Welcome to our faith community!**



Today, Jesus looking around those seated in the circle said, "Here are my mother and my brothers. For whoever does the will of God is my brother and sister and mother."

*Through your almsgiving you are indeed doing the will of God and your gift placed in the St. Vincent de Paul poor box indeed brings Christ's love and compassion to the poor.*



### Fr. Lampe's Podcast

The podcast can be found by going to [frlampe.podbean.com](http://frlampe.podbean.com) or it can be found on iTunes by searching for "Fr. Lampe's Podcast".

## A MESSAGE FROM FATHER LAMPE

### Quick Updates

Hello parishioners,

Thank you so much for your generous support of our fundraiser Pave the Way to Play. We raised enough money to move forward with the project and will try to have the new playground in place before the new school year.

We continue to search for a 5<sup>th</sup> grade teacher and a (part-time) technology teacher for this school year. Please spread the word and encourage anyone you think might be interested to apply by sending a letter of interest, resume, and 3 references to Mr. McGinley at [jmcginley@icomparish.org](mailto:jmcginley@icomparish.org).

Repair work on the exterior of the chapel is planned for July. Repairs to the interior of the chapel and a couple of spots in the church are being explored and might be addressed this summer.

The floors on the first level of the old convent, which is used as our Saint Vincent de Paul Food Pantry, will be replaced this June at no cost to the parish. The fixtures in the first level bathroom will be replaced so that the bathroom can be used again. Thank you to our generous donor(s) for this much needed maintenance.

Our Youth Group summer camp called the Passion Project starts the evening of June 10 and goes until June 14. This camp focuses on service to our local community and includes fun activities and prayer. Many parishioners, our school, and our parish benefit from this service of our youth who participate in this summer camp. Please thank them for their service.

*God bless,  
Father Lampe*



### PRO-LIFE HOLY HOURS

Enough signatures have been submitted to put the extreme pro-abortion petition on the November ballot. While we await the validation of these signatures, we will resume our weekly pro-life holy hours each Friday evening. Please join us for exposition, prayers, and benediction, beginning this Friday, June 7, from 7-8pm. We pray for the defeat of this radical legislation and that Missouri remains a pro-life state.

*"Only with prayer...will the culture of death that surrounds us today be replaced with a Culture of Life." (U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops)*

### New Low-Gluten Option for Holy Communion!

Anyone who wants to receive low-gluten please go to Father Lampe for communion with your hands one on top of the other and palms down, to indicate you would like the Eucharist that was consecrated using low-gluten hosts. When he reaches for the Eucharist in the pyx, you can either receive in the hand or on the tongue in the usual way. This option will be available at all Masses moving forward.



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### 4-Man Team Sporting Clay Tournament

Supporting Oasis Pregnancy Resource Center in Troy. At Blackhawk in Old Monroe.

Lunch Provided. \$280/Team. \$70/Person. Saturday, June 22, Sponsorship Opportunities or to Register: [Info@OasisResourceCenter.Org](mailto:Info@OasisResourceCenter.Org) or call 636-775-2711

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## DEACON NEAL'S REFLECTION CORNER

After reading today's gospel, I thought, "Man, I'm glad I'm not preaching this Sunday".

So I'm going to focus on Saint Paul's letter to the Corinthians. In it, he writes, " Although our outer self is wasting away, our inner self is being renewed day by day. For this momentary light affliction is producing for us an eternal weight of glory beyond all comparison. For what is seen is transitory, but what is unseen is eternal."

Saint Paul is telling us that this life that we're living is fading away. We have this opportunity to use this time on earth to bring us to our eternal reward. We all have a purpose. We are called to use it.

As human beings, we will be going through trials and afflictions throughout our lifetime. But as Saint Pope John Paul II stated that when we can take our sufferings and unite them with Christ, we share in Christ's redemptive work on earth for the good of the Church and for the whole world.

Christ allows us to share in that redemptive work because he wants us to share in his joy.

Saint Paul calls it a momentary light affliction, but many of us are going through sufferings that are not light. That is where, we, as members of the church are called to pray, and to assist whenever possible. This affliction is producing for us an eternal weight of glory beyond all comparison. For what we see is transitory, but what is unseen is eternal.

*May God Bless you all,  
Deacon Neal*

### **30 PRAYER DAYS FOR LIFE**

Our parish will observe a Day of Prayer for Life on Tuesday, June 11, during our regular adoration hours. All participants are asked to include the intention of keeping Missouri a pro-life state during their prayers before the Blessed Sacrament, including a special request for the Blessed Mother's intercession. Other parishioners are asked to come pray before the Blessed Sacrament any time during the day for this intention. The archdiocese has requested parishes adopt a day of prayer since the pro-abortion groups have submitted enough signatures to put an initiative on the November ballot. This initiative will erase all pro-life legislation in Missouri and make abortion legal all nine months of pregnancy. Our Secretary of State is currently in the process of validating that all signatures are valid. Please continue your prayers that the initiative is not on the ballot but, if so, we defeat this extreme measure soundly.

### **ICOM YOUTH - UPCOMING DATES**

06/05 - Encounter Outing  
06/10 - 06/13 - Passion Project -  
• Service Retreat  
06/19 - Hoots Baseball Game Outing  
06/26 - Sports Night (Soccer Field)  
07/03 - Encounter Outing  
07/12 - 07/14 - Steubenville Conference  
• High School ONLY  
07/17 - Adoration/Ultimate Frisbee Night  
    (Church/Field)  
07/24 - Game Night (Picnic Grounds)  
07/31 - Mini Golf/custard outing  
08/07 - Encounter Outing  
10/25 - 10/27 - AGAPE Retreat 2024



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### **2024 PARISH PICNIC**

### **SAVE THE DATES**

**Sunday, August 11, 2024**

*Please make every effort to schedule your  
vacations around our parish's biggest fundraiser!  
We really need EVERYONE'S help!*

**CLEAN-UP DATES: 8/1, 8/8, 8/10**

# 4TH QUARTER HONOR ROLL LIST

## Grade 4

### Highest Honors

Caroline Burkemper\*, Aubrey Hayhurst\*, Sophia Henke\*, Walter Hubbard\*, Waylon Kaimann\*,  
Kennis Keeteman\*, Karly Ostmann\*, Aubrey Struckmann\*

### First Honors

Sawyer Bennett\*, Leo Bentley\*, Carson Conoyer\*, Rhen Gorski\*, Ava Henke\*, Eden Hines\*, Kallie Kaimann\*,  
Jase Lowery\*, James Rottger\*, Emily Sheppard\*, Daniel Westhoff\*

### Second Honors

Tate Burkemper\*, Jolie Dailey\*, Cameron Galmiche\*, Violet Gorski\*, Gavin Schneider\*

## Grade 5

### Highest Honors

Sarah Bahr\*, Hattie Bals\*, Rose Eggering\*

### First Honors

Ty Henke\*, Will Kaimann, Millie Schellenger\*

### Second Honors

Ethan Gnade, Collin Gorski, Cooper Kaimann\*, Anna McDaniel\*, Kinley Meyer, Cora Ostmann\*,  
Megan Reed\*, Chase Schneider\*

### Responsibility Honors

Lucas Irvin, Stella Richardson

## Grade 6

### Highest Honors

Kenzlie Ferguson\*, Ben Mensinger\*

### First Honors

Wyatt Schneider\*

### Second Honors

Sianna Bals, Louis Bauer\*, Hudson Day\*, Maggie Edmiston\*, Landry Fagan\*, Liam Galmiche\*,  
Henry Gnade, Milly Keeteman, Lane Lancaster\*, Sam Lewis\*, Ell Lickteig\*, Callie Ostmann\*,  
Parker Westhoff\*, Zoey Westhoff\*

### Responsibility Honors

Garet Trempler

## Grade 7

### Highest Honors

Keeley Kaimann\*, Hannah Sheppard\*, Hazel Szarwinski\*

### First Honors

Leah Gorski\*, Penelope Gorski\*, Jessica Reed\*, Alexis Schneider\*, Adele Westhoff\*

### Second Honors

Easton Bennett\*, Kenlee Freise\*, Owen Keeteman\*, Evelyn Kerley\*, Gigi McDaniel\*, Avery McGee\*

### Responsibility Honors

Darren Cassinger

## Grade 8

### Highest Honors

Chloe Conoyer\*, Trudy Gorski\*, Luke Grupe\*, Theresa Rothweiler\*, Isa Vachalek\*, Maycie Westhoff\*

### First Honors

Ashleigh Henson, Taryn Smith\*

### Second Honors

Olivia Boettcher\*, Cooper Brown\*, Colton Day\*, Ryan Heppermann, Drew Karsten\*,  
Braeden Tiller\*, Reese Warren\*

### Responsibility Honors

Naturell Dailey, Nate Elsenrath, Evan Hines

### \*Responsibility Honors

## MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

### Monday, June 10

7:45 am Everett Rottger

### Tuesday, June 11

7:45 am Ed Freise

### Wednesday, June 12

7:45 am Daniel Doerr

### Thursday, June 13

7:45 am For the safety of the unborn

### Friday, June 14

7:45 am Bob Jungermann

### Saturday, June 15

5:00 pm Robb Brown

### Sunday, June 16

8:00 am Mel Westhoff

10:00 am People of the Parish

## LITURGICAL MINISTERS June 15/16

### Lectors

5:00 pm Terri Vandiver

8:00 am Deb Bauer

10:00 am Mary Johnson

### Gift Bearers

5:00 pm Chris & Anna Bosley

8:00 am Glenn & Katie Grupe

10:00 am Dan & Abby Gorski

### Eucharistic Ministers

5:00 pm Bill & Rita Kaimann

Maureen Kramer

8:00 am Rose Ann Heitman , Chris Kaimann

10:00 am Matt Scherbring, Judy Tiller

### Servers

### Week of June 10th - June 14th

Sarah Bahr & Stella Richardson

5:00 pm Penelope Gorski & Wyatt Schneider

8:00 am Liam Galmiche & Stella Richardson

10:00 am Cora Ostmann & Kinley Meyer

### Ushers

8:00 am Levi Bauer, Aaron Adams

Tom Hemmer, Mark Reller

10:00 am Vince Kaimann, David Reller

Jeff Stark, volunteer

*“While they were eating, he took bread, said the blessing, broke it, gave it to them, and said, ‘Take it; this is my body.’ - Matthew 26:26*



Knights of Columbus Queen of Hearts  
Drawing is every Wednesday at 7pm at the  
KC Hall. The pot is currently at \$11,400  
as of 06/04/24 Come join us!

## Immaculate Conception Old Monroe SCHOOL

### ICOM School Now Hiring 24/25 School Year

- ◆ **Grade 5 Classroom Teacher** (Full Time)
- ◆ **Technology / Enrichment Teacher** (Part Time)

Interested candidates should send a letter of interest, resume, and three references to John McGinley - [jmcginley@icomparish.org](mailto:jmcginley@icomparish.org)

### ICOM Preschool - Now Enrolling - 24/25 School Year

- ◆ We have openings in our Preschool Room (3s) for next school year. 2 Days (Tu, Th) or 5 Days.
- ◆ We have limited openings in our Pre-K Room for next school year, 3 Days (Tu-Th) or 5 Days.

Please contact John McGinley for more information - [jmcginley@icomparish.org](mailto:jmcginley@icomparish.org)

### SUMMER SCHOOL OFFICE HOURS

**School Office Phone Number:** (636) 665-5463

**Week of June 9:** Tu, W, Th - 8:30 am - 12:30 pm  
(Closed Monday 6/10, Friday 6/14)

**Week of June 16:** Tu, W, Th - 8:30 am - 12:30 pm  
(Closed Monday 6/17, Friday 6/21)

**Week of June 23:** Tu, W, Th - 8:30 am - 12:30 pm  
(Closed Monday 6/24, Friday 6/28)

**June 28 - July 31:** Office Closed

**Please email:** [jmcginley@icomparish.org](mailto:jmcginley@icomparish.org) with any needs. **August 1:** Office Reopens (9:00-2:00 M-F)  
**>>First Day of School** - August 20

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS WORKLIST

**June 8** Group 1 – Bartend, Dennis Heitman Captain

**June 9** Group 2 – Clean Hall, Eric Cassinger Captain

**June 15** Group 3 – Bartend, Joe Bauer Captain

**June 16** Group 4 – Clean Hall, Jasen Reed Captain

**June 22** Group 7 – Bartend, Aaron Adams Captain

**June 23** Group 6 – Clean Hall, Dave Gnade Captain

**June 29** Group 9 – Bartend, Kevin Schulte Captain

**June 30** Group 11 – Clean Hall, Rich Seigler Captain

# Immaculate Conception Old Monroe

PARISH

## SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Contact the Pastor for arrangements. Baptismal Prep Classes will be held the **1st Thursday of the month** at 7:00pm. Contact the parish to sign up for the class.

## SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Contact the Pastor at least six months in advance.  
Participation in a Marriage Preparation program is required.

## EUCARISTIC ADORATION

Tuesdays 8:30 am until 7:30 am Wednesday "Come Spend An Hour With Me" Participants are always welcome to come and pray at any hour. It is important to have someone present at all the hours. If you could help, call Barb 636-665-5482 or Bonnie 314-825-5134

## ROSARY

For Vocations, Fridays after 7:45 am Mass For world Peace, First Saturdays after 7:45 am Mass

## PERPETUAL HELP DEVOTIONS

Tuesdays after 7:45 am Mass

## WEEKLY READINGS AND OBSERVANCES

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 09, 2024

Sunday: Gn 3:9-15/Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 (7bc)/2 Cor 4:13—5:1/Mk 3:20-35  
Monday: 1 Kgs 17:1-6/Ps 121:1bc-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8/Mt 5:1-12  
Tuesday: Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6/Mt 5:13-16  
Wednesday: 1 Kgs 18:20-39/Ps 16:1b-2ab, 4, 5ab and 8, 11/Mt 5:17-19  
Thursday: 1 Kgs 18:41-46/Ps 65:10, 11, 12-13/Mt 5:20-26  
Friday: 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-16/Ps 27:7-8a, 8b-9abc, 13-14/Mt 5:27-32  
Saturday: 1 Kgs 19:19-21/Ps 16:1b-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10/Mt 5:33-37  
Next Sunday: Ez 17:22-24/Ps 92:2-3, 13-14, 15-16 (see 2a)/2 Cor 5:6-10/Mk 4:26-34

### OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 09, 2024

Sunday: 10<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Tuesday: St. Barnabas, Apostle  
Thursday: St. Anthony of Padua, Priest and Doctor of the Church  
Friday: Flag Day  
Next Sunday: 11<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time; Father's Day

## SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Sunday - 7:15 - 7:45am  
M, Tu, Th, F - 7:15 - 7:35am  
Wednesday - 3:30 - 4:30 pm  
Saturday - 4:00 - 4:45 pm  
First Saturday - 7:15 - 7:35am and after Mass

## LIVE THE LITURGY *Inspiration for the week*

God's family is not a country club - you don't need the right pedigree or the proper connections to join. Christ claims everyone who does the will of God. Let us call upon the Holy Spirit to fill our hearts, that we may live in kinship with Christ.

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