

St. Joachim & Immaculate Conception

OUR MISSION

St. Joachim Parish seeks to courageously proclaim the Truth and Love of Jesus Christ to all people through Word and Sacraments, and to live the Catholic Faith in loving service to our parish and community for the salvation of souls.

WEEKEND & DAILY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 4:30 PM at St. Joachim
Sunday 8:30 AM at Immaculate Conception
Sunday 10:30 AM at St. Joachim
Tuesday..... 8:30 AM at St. Joachim
10:30 AM at St. Isidore Chapel
Wednesday..8:15AM at St. Joachim
Thursday... 8:30 AM at St. Joachim
Friday..... 8:30 AM at St. Joachim

RECONCILIATION

Saturdays at 3:30 p.m. @ St. Joachim Church
Sundays at 7:45 a.m. @ Immaculate Conception Church

INFANT BAPTISM

A Pre-Jordan Class is required as preparation for first Baptism. Please call the Parish Office to arrange for the Baptism.

MARRIAGE

Arrangements are made by calling the Parish Office at least 6 months in advance.

RCIA

Questions about becoming Catholic?
Call Sharon Schouweiler at 507-534-3321 ext. 13.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

After any Mass or by appointment. Those confined by illness who desire the Sacraments should contact the parish office for arrangements.

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

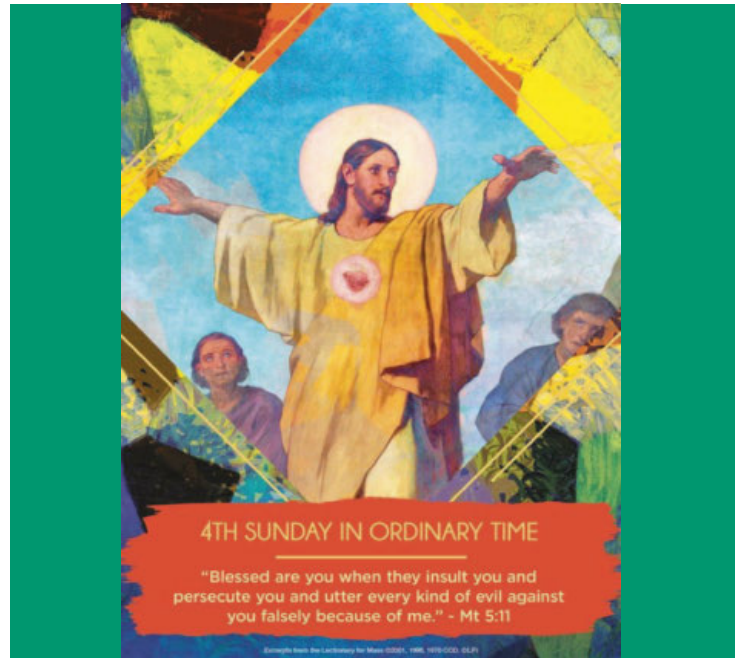
The Eucharist is exposed for Adoration in the church on Tuesdays from 5 am until 10 pm and Wednesdays from 5 am-8 pm

PRAYER CHAIN

If you have a special need for prayers (illness, surgery, etc.), please contact Bea Rahrman at 534-2027 for St. Joachim or Bonnie Meyer for Conception (bonitarahman@gmail.com).

NEW PARISHIONER

Come to or call the parish office to register. 507-534-3321



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JANUARY 29, 2023 (4TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME)

FROM FATHER TOM

Brothers and Sisters,

In the second reading at Mass today St. Paul asks us to humbly consider our calling. That is he is asking us to consider the reality that God created us because he wanted to know us, love us, and spend eternity with us. When you think about this reality it can be overwhelming. To know that God made us for the simple reason that he loves us. Not for any particular thing we can give to him or do for him. I encourage you to spend some time in prayer with this reality. You are because God loves you! That reality can bring freedom and joy to us.

A big thank you to Immaculate Conception Parish for the Christmas Basket! I am enjoying all the treats you put in that basket!

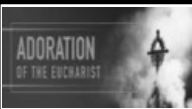
God bless you,
Fr. Tom



Please join us for the Rosary every Saturday at 4 pm before mass.

Support the collection for the Church in Latin America

Thank you for your generous support for last week's Collection for the Church in Latin America. The collection will be used to share the faith with our brothers and sisters in Latin America and the Caribbean, so they in return can share the Good News in their communities. If you missed the collection it's not too late to give. Just return your offertory envelope or any envelope marked Latin America-Catholic Communication and place in the collection plate. Your gift makes a difference! Thank You.



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BRUNCH AT IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

A delicious brunch will be served on **Sunday, January 29**, at Immaculate Conception Church hall after 8:30 a.m. Mass. Your free will donation will support the local Back Pack food ministry, faith formation programs, Food Shelf, vocations, and many other charitable projects. Thank you for your support!



JAN 30-FEB 5, 2023
(PRIEST'S PRIVATE INTENTIONS)

Tuesday 8:30 a.m. Bill Martin †
10:30 a.m. Jim Krusmark †
(St. Isidore Chapel)
Wednesday 8:15 a.m. Arvid Johnson †
Thursday 8:30 a.m. Everett Koenig †
Friday 8:30 a.m. Ed Krenik †
Saturday 8:00 a.m. Justin Kingsley (Not deceased)
(ICC)
Saturday 4:30 p.m. Arnold & Loretta Kohn †
Sunday 8:30 a.m. Terrik Miller (Not deceased)
(ICC)
Sunday 10:30 a.m. For the Parishes †
**If there is no daily mass,
Fr. Tom will be taking care of the Mass Intention**

PARISH CHURCH SUPPORT-ST. JOACHIM OFFERTORY & CHURCH SUPPORT JANUARY 28 & 29, 2023

Weekly Average to Date: \$3,213
Budget Amount: \$5,043
Building Fund for January: \$125
Initial Offering for 2023: \$140
Latin America: \$105
Mission Trip: \$1369



Pastoral Council: Next meeting is Tuesday, February 7th at 7 pm in the parish center.

Finance Council: Next meeting is 1/31/2023 at 6:45 pm in the parish center.

Meeting minutes are posted on the bulletin board in the carport entrance of the church.

Respect Life

Many people are unaware that someone they know personally is silently suffering from participation in abortion. If a friend confided in you tomorrow that she had an abortion, would you be able to respond in a way that brings her closer to healing?

Learn how in "How to Talk to a Friend Who's Had an Abortion": <http://bit.ly/friend-had-abortion>
USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities

LITURGICAL ROLES FOR ST. JOACHIM
February 4 & 5, 2023

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

4:30 PM Pat Haley
10:30 AM Cathy Reiter

LECTORS: 4:30 PM Jean Klavetter
10:30 AM Carla Tentis

GREETERS: 4:30 PM Carol Meyer
10:30 AM Mike & Ruth Hamilton

ALTAR SERVERS: 4:30 PM John Harrington
10:30 AM William Schmidt & Abby Eversman

MUSIC: 4:30 PM Men's Chorale
10:30 AM R.E.S.

GIFT BEARERS: 4:30 PM Pete & Sharon Schouweiler
10:30 AM Glenn & Linda Schmidt

USHERS: 4:30 PM Don Dose & Steve Schouweiler
10:30 AM Matt & Marshall Simon

LITURGICAL ROLES FOR CONCEPTION
February 5, 2023

LECTOR: Karen Miller

OFFERTORY: Philip & Kay Evers family

SACRISTAN: Maurie Young

USHERS: Garret Miller and Darrin Young

ROSARY LEADER: Janet Hall

SNOW REMOVAL: Philip Evers (2/1-2/13)

Catholic Daughter 500 Card Parties

Court St Charles Catholic Daughters are once again sponsoring 6 Sunday afternoons of card playing starting January 22 through February 26.

Card playing will begin at 1:00pm with a lunch served at 4:00pm. We will meet in the Senior Center at City Hall.

The cost is \$5 per person with prizes awarded!
Cancellations due to weather will be on KTTC.



Catholic Daughters
Plainview Court #497

Next Meeting: Monday, February 20 at 6:30 pm in St. Anne's Hall.

Cinnamon Roll Sale: February 4 & 5 after weekend masses.

Lenten Lunches: Starting February 23rd through March 30th. (Held during Lent immediately after the 12:05 pm Thursday weekday Mass.)

CDA National Education Contest:

2022-2023 Themes are "We walk by faith, not by sight" 2 Corinthians: 5;7 OR "When do I have to lean on my faith more than sight?" Entry categories include: Art, Essay, Poetry, Computer Art, Music and/or Photography. For additional information, feel free to contact Jean Klavetter at 507-534-2807.

Coups for Troops-donate manufacturers coupons in the collection box in the narthex to be used by military families.

For more information about the Catholic Daughters contact Jean Klavetter 507-534-2807

Diocese of Winona-Rochester - Child Sexual Abuse Policy Information

The Diocese of Winona-Rochester will provide a prompt, appropriate and compassionate response to reporters of sexual abuse of a child by any diocesan agent (employees, volunteers, vendors, religious or clergy). Anyone wishing to make a report of an allegation of sexual abuse should call the Victim Assistance Coordinator at 507-454-2270, Extension 255. A caller will be asked to provide his or her name and telephone number. Individuals are also encouraged to take their reports directly to civil authorities. The Diocese of Winona-Rochester is committed to protecting children, young people and other vulnerable people in our schools, parishes and ministries. The diocesan policy is available on the diocesan web site at www.dowr.org under the Safe Environment Program. If you have any questions about the Diocese of Winona's implementation of the Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People, please contact Mary Hamann, at 507-858-1244, or mhamann@dowr.org.



The Knights of Columbus

Next meeting and Rosary: Thursday, February 9th at 7 pm in St. Anne's Hall.

Pancake Breakfast: Sunday, March 19th, 9am-noon
For more information on the Knights of Columbus, Please contact Steven Schouweiler, Grand Knight, at 507-251-1406 or stevenschouweiler@gmail.com



GOSPEL

Jesus taught the crowds of children. Be fair when playing with others. Follow the rules of the game. Take turns. Do not whine when you are not first. Be forgiving when others hurt you. Do not hit back. Find a different way to stop others from hurting you again. Be a peacemaker. Talk and talk and talk until you come to a way to solve your problems in a peaceful way.

PRAYER

Lord, help me forgive myself and others.



PUZZLE

Unscramble words from today's Gospel.

blessed	mercy	kingdom
meek	pure	reward
filled	peace	heaven

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MISSION

God loves peacemakers. The next time you are tempted to argue with someone, think of ways to get along instead.



ON THE LIGHTER SIDE

~Why didn't they play cards on the Ark?
Because Noah was standing on the deck.

Bulletin Bloopers

~Eight new choir robes are currently needed, due to the addition of several new members and to the deterioration of some older ones.

~For those of you who have children and don't know it, we have a nursery downstairs.

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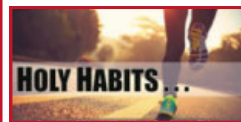


Faith Formation



2nd Grade Families

Our next Growing-Up Catholic session will be **Wed., Feb. 1st** from 6-7pm in St. Anne's Hall. A parent or grandparent should attend with the 2nd grader. We will begin our preparation for 1st Communion.



Confirmation Class

*The 10th grade Faith Sharing Groups meet on **Wed., Feb. 1st** from 7-8pm. t the home of your faith sharing group leaders.

*Your letter to the Bishop is due Feb. 28th.

*Work on your Holy Habits that last a lifetime—some of which are...

Prayer, attending Mass each weekend, reading or listening to scripture, serving, giving, confession., have friends in faith, etc.



9th Grade Parent/Student Confirmation Orientation Meeting

Feb. 8th from 6-7pm in St Anne's Hall. Both the student and a parent needs to attend. We'll go over all the requirements for Confirmation. Come Holy Spirit!



Plainview Area Youth Night

Mark your calendars for this FREE teen event coming to Plainview on **Sat., Feb 18th** from 6pm to 12am at the Immanuel Lutheran School.

Fun games & activities including crafts, yard games, dodgeball, speed ball, and more!

Worship time with a full band made up of local musicians and a talk about Feeding the 5,000.

Walking tacos and snacks provided.

This event has been coordinated by several clergy and youth ministers in the Plainview area.



Faith Formation Calendar 2021-2022

Children's Liturgy of the Word (CLOW) ages 3 through 2nd grade ~ during Sunday 10:30 Mass

Grades 1 ~ Tuesday 1:35-2:35pm

Grades 2 & 3 ~ Wednesday 1:35-2:35pm

Grades 4, 5 & 6 ~ Wednesday 8:00-9:00am

Grades 7-10 ~ Wednesday 7:00-8:00pm

Growing Up Catholic (2nd grade families) ~ Wednesday 6:00-7:00pm

Jan.	Tues	31	Classes (Grade 1)
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Feb.	Wed	1	Classes (Grade 2-9) <i>Growing Up Catholic</i> <i>10th Faith Sharing Groups</i>
	Sun	5	CLOW
	Tues	7	Classes (Grade 1)
	Wed	8	Classes (Grade 2-10) <i>9th Grade Confirmation Orientation</i> <i>(Parents/students) 6-7pm</i>
	Sun	12	CLOW
	Tues-Wed	14-15	<i>No Classes – Winter Break</i>
	Mon-Wed	20-22	<i>5th & 6th Grade Learning Centers</i> <i>open from 3-7pm</i>
	Sun	19	CLOW
	Tues	21	Classes (Grade 1)
	Wed	22	Classes (Grade 2-10) - <i>Ash Wednesday</i>
	Sun	26	CLOW
	Tues	28	Classes (Grade 1)

March	Wed	1	Classes (Grade 2-9) <i>Growing Up Catholic</i> <i>10th Faith Sharing Groups</i>
	Sun	5	CLOW
	Tues	7	Classes (Grade 1)
	Wed	8	Classes (Grade 2-10) <i>Family Night- no evening classes</i> <i>Mass, Meal & Speaker 6:30-8:00pm</i>
	Sun	12	CLOW
	Tues	14	Classes (Grade 1)
	Wed	15	Classes (Grade 2-8 & 10) <i>9th Faith Sharing Groups</i>
	Sun	19	CLOW
	Tues	21	Classes (Grade 1)
	Wed	22	Classes (Grade 2-10)
	Sun	26	CLOW
	Tues	28	Classes (Grade 1)

Please Sharon with any ideas or questions at 534-3321

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