

Welcome to the Communities of
Immaculate Conception & St. Joseph's
 July 16, 2023



"THE SEED SOWN ON RICH SOIL IS THE ONE WHO HEARS THE WORD AND UNDERSTANDS IT." —MT 13:23

15TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Holy Mass

Tuesday	5:30 PM (ICC)
Wednesday	8:30 AM (ICC)
Thursday	8:30 AM (ICC)
Friday	8:30 AM (ICC)
Saturday	5:00 PM (ICC)
Sunday	8:00 AM (SJ) 10:00 AM (ICC)

Adoration

Thursdays

Exposition at 9:00 AM to
 Benediction at 6:00 PM

Immaculate Conception Church

Confession

Tuesday	4:30 PM	ICC
Saturday	4:00 PM	ICC
Sunday	7:30 AM	SJ

Rosary

Monday	9:00 AM	ICC
Saturday	4:25 PM	ICC

For the intentions of Vocations,
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ICC Office Hours

Monday ~ 8:00am-1:00pm

Tuesday ~ 9:00am-5:30pm

Wed, Thurs & Friday
 8:00am-1:00pm

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Financial Blessings

ICC	July 9		July 9	St. Jos
67	\$ 3,607.00	Envelopes	\$ 630.00	
	\$ 321.00	Plate	\$ 182.00	
	\$ 665.00	Building Fund		
	\$ 462.50	UCA	\$ 100.00	
	\$ 47.00	Rainy Day		
	\$ 0.00	Full of Grace		
	\$ 0.00	Peter's Pence	\$ 30.00	
Monthly E-Giving ~ June				
	\$ 4,245.00	Offertory		
	\$ 405.00	Building Fund		
	\$ 50.00	UCA		
	\$ 50.00	Rainy Day		

Mass Intentions this Week

Tue	7/18	5:30 pm	† Margaret Bible
Wed	7/19	8:30 am	† Jim & Mark Kempenich
Thu	7/20	8:30 am	Jack Kirchberg ~ 90 th Birthday
Fri	7/21	8:30 am	† Vince Cahill & David Perrizo
Sat	7/22	5:00 pm	† Milo & Viola Babolik
Sun	7/23	8:00 am	† Gerald & Jane Klinkhammer
		10:00 am	People of Our Parish

Liturgical Ministers

Saturday, July 22	5:00 PM ~ ICC
Lector:	Kathy Wimmer
MHC:	Vicki Pixley
Ushers:	* Robert Noyes Brad Pixley
Sunday, July 23	8:00 AM - St Joseph's
St. Joseph's Ministry:	Shelley Worrel
Sunday, July 23	10:00 AM ~ ICC
Lector:	Mike Ausmus
MHC:	Deacon Mark
Ushers:	*Dennis Howard Mike Erickson Sheila Hughes Sandi Frerich
Altar Servers:	Kimberly Locher Joe Locher

Parish News

Backpack Food Program

In July we will be collecting **Individual Goldfish Packets** for the Pine City Backpack Food Program. The Basket for your donation can be found in the St. Anthony Commons. Thank you!



ICC Altar Flowers

This Weekend

*Donated by Mike & Pat Erickson
in loving memory of*

*Jim Kempenich &
Mark Kempenich*



Upcoming Weekends

*July 23 ~ Vince & Irene Cahill
July 30 ~ Arnold & Evelyn Pistulka*

Meetings/Activities This Week

Sun	7/16	11:00 am	Donut Sunday
Mon	7/17	1:00 pm	Rosary Makers
Tue	7/18	6:30 am	Men's Group
Thu	7/20	9:00 am	Adoration
Thu	7/20	9:00 am	Widow & Widower's Group
Fri	7/21	9:00 am	Legion of Mary

Prayer Chain

Please keep David Gray, Karla Jean Becvar, George Haberman, Steven Theisen, Iver Peterson, Roger Plessel, Myron Haug, Nancy Berquist, Cindi York, Laura Pulkrabek, Darlene Biever, Lenny Piha, Paul Gospodarek Jr., Jeff Stevens, Gary Voigt & Carol Skluzacek in your prayers.



Mission Statement

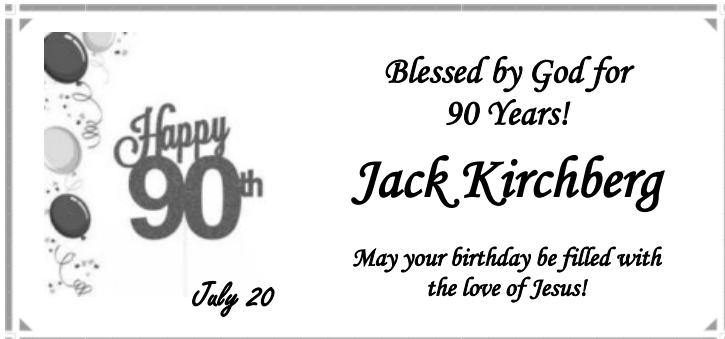
With Christ as its center and empowered by the Holy Spirit in union with Mary, Mother of the Church, the mission of Immaculate Conception Parish is to be an evangelizing community that teaches, sanctifies and serves the people of God.

Parish News

Art Fest Pie Social THANK YOU!



Thank you to every one who brought in a pie, donated towards the ice cream, volunteered to help at the stand or came and enjoyed the Pie Social on Saturday of this weekend! Your generosity of time and talent made this fundraiser possible and was greatly appreciated! A huge THANK YOU once again!



Donut Sunday THIS Weekend!

Please join us for donuts, coffee, and fellowship after the 10:00 AM Mass THIS Sunday, July 16! Your free will donation will be used to help cover the cost of youth activities for a number of our youth. Thank you Knights of Columbus for donating the Donuts!



Congratulations!

Jason & Marion (O'Neill) Rarick

Sacrament of Marriage on Tuesday, July 4!

Wishing you many years of God's blessings together!!

Prayer Shawls Available



Blessed Prayer Shawls are available to those who are:

- Homebound
- Suffering from an illness
- Recovering from surgery

Experiencing grief, stress or other difficult situations? Pick up a prayer shawl for yourself or a loved one from the St. Anthony Commons Area.

Message from the Pastor

One of the natures of both of our parishes is volunteering. There is no doubt about it. Parishioners are always ready to devote their time and talents to looking after our church and church yard, decorating our churches, maintaining the beauty of the liturgy by serving in many liturgical functions, and taking care of our vestments and liturgical vessels. They also support many different charities, local initiatives, preparing and serving food etc., and raising funds for noble causes. It is truly remarkable, that in a middle-sized community like ours, so many things get taken care of. Parishioners also care about the spiritual well-being of our communities. Two of the most important ministries are Prayer Chain and visiting our shut-ins with Holy Communion.

Before the pandemic we were able to visit more parishioners and do it more often. There were several Ministers of the Eucharist who rotated every two or three weeks and brought Communion to our shut-ins practically every Sunday. Today we make Eucharistic visits to our shut-ins the First Friday of every month and one Minister brings Communion to our parishioners in Northern Pines Assisted Living every Sunday.

As you know, The National Eucharistic Revival is underway in our country. Its purpose is to renew the Church by enkindling a living relationship with our Lord in the Holy Eucharist. Ministering to those who are not able to attend a Mass in a church is a great way to enkindle devotion to our Lord in the Holy Eucharist as well as an additional opportunity to volunteer.

Here is, what I would like to encourage you to do:

If your parent, grandparent, other relative, friend or neighbor is not able to worship with us in the church, please consider bringing them Holy Communion every Sunday on your way back from the church. Please contact me or one of the Deacons to instruct you how to do it properly and reverently and to get a copy of the short Rite of the Communion Outside the Mass.

Please consider joining a group of Eucharistic Ministers to bring Communion to the homebound. The more Ministers, the larger group of people we will be able to assist or visit more often. At the moment, we visit them once a month on the First Fridays and on Sundays at Northern Pines Assisted Living.

I am the living bread that came down from heaven; whoever eats this bread will live forever; and the bread that I will give is my flesh for the life of the world.

JOHN 6:51

Msgr. Aleksander Suchan



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Youth Ministry

Camp Survive Final Days to Register: If your child will be entering 7th through 9th grades this Fall and would like to attend Camp Survive, registrations are still being taken until Tuesday, July 18th at Noon, but please email Lynette for details and the coupon code to take advantage of the Parish covering half the cost of registration. If you preregistered, you must still complete the registration process and make your payments to be fully registered to attend.



Summer Time Faith Building

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Feast Days This Week



Pray for Us

The Move Begins!

The physical First steps to the moving of the house have begun! The house is scheduled to be lifted off the foundation this week and the move should be completed by the end of July.

Swing by often to watch the progress!



Save the Date!

Fall Jamboree

Sunday, September 24

At Immaculate Conception Church

Mark your calendars NOW to plan on helping with this fundraiser as well as coming to enjoy the Brass Rail Chicken!

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