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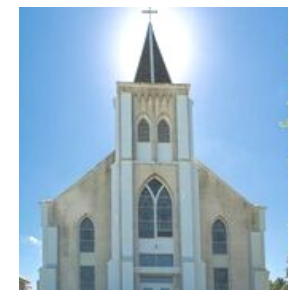
Thank you St Jude

We still have room for more ads!
If you would like to place an ad or be a sponsor, please contact Dawn Kaufman

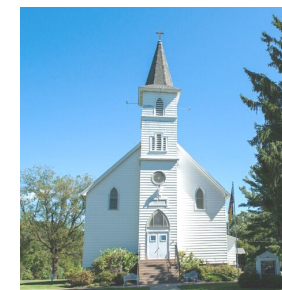
DON'T FORGET THOSE ADDRESSES AND OLD PHOTOS FOR ST JOSEPH'S 150TH! If you wait until the last minute, we won't have time to put the pics in the video presentation.

MASS INTENTIONS NEEDED FOR WEEKDAY MASSES
We are in need of intentions for weekday Masses. They can come from any parish, and will be said at the weekday Masses at Immaculate Conception.

HOME VISITS
If you or someone you know is homebound or in the hospital or nursing home, or not feeling well and unable to attend Mass, and would like to receive a visit or Communion, please contact:
Fr Dan at (715)964-5201 or (715)218-8391



Immaculate Conception Parish
341 W Main St PO Box 188
Alma Center WI 54611-0188
715-964-5201



St. Joseph Parish-Fairview
N13740 Fairview Rd
Fairchild WI 54741-8514
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St. John Cantius Parish
306 2nd St.
Fairchild WI 54741-8514
715-964-5201

Dear Parishioners of Immaculate Conception, St Joseph, and St John Cantius!

I grew up in a parish very similar to our own three small parishes. In my hometown parish we had about fifty families. Through this small community we learned about Jesus and fostered relationships of faith.

The many blessings I experienced in my hometown parish allowed me to see the Church as a place of community and encounter with Christ. However, it was not until I entered seminary that I began to see the universality of our Faith and how integrally close we are bound to the apostles and through them to Christ through apostolic succession. Growing up I knew that we prayed for the Pope and believed in his authority. I also knew we had a Bishop and that he visited our community every other year for Confirmation. But beyond this my understanding of the universal Church was quite limited.

Now that I am a priest I see everything from a different angle. I see how vital the diocese is and how important our Bishop is in guiding our local parish. I am frequently visiting the diocese and value greatly its support. However, the importance of the diocese goes far deeper than administration. At its core the diocese is what links us to Christ himself, since our Bishop who administers the parishes within our diocese follows in the direct line of apostolic succession.

In the past three weeks I have travelled to La Crosse to visit the Diocese on four separate occasions. Last week myself, Lawrence Anibas, and Marcel Kujak attended a very informative conference on cemeteries. A week prior, myself, along with other priests and deacons of our diocese, attended an excellent conference addressing the misuse of technology in the area of sexuality. As I write this column I am waiting to enter the Bishop's residence for a bi-monthly meeting of priests on the Presbyteral Council. Following Masses this weekend, I will again join our Bishop, along with twelve other young priests for our quarterly meeting of Junior Clergy.

Every time I visit the diocese and greet our bishop I am reminded of our direct link to the apostles and to Christ himself. This knowledge assures me that Christ is always close and that we as a parish cluster are carrying on the work that he started some two-thousand years ago when he walked the Earth in the flesh.

Please keep me in prayer as I continue the beautiful blessing of shepherding your parishes! I am definitely keeping you all in prayer!

Fr Dan Thelen

<p>PARISH SECRETARY, BOOKKEEPER Dawn Kaufman 715-334-3931 or 715-533-8344</p> <p>DIR. OF SACRED MUSIC Jolene Janke 715-964-6334</p> <p>TRI-PARISH FACEBOOK Immaculate Joseph John</p>	<p>PASTOR Fr. Daniel Thelen 715-964-5201 or 715-218-8391</p> <p>OFFICE PHONE 715-964-5201</p> <p>TRI-PARISH EMAIL ID icjosephjohn@hotmail.com</p> <p>TRI-PARISH WEBSITE www.catholic-parishes-of-almacenter-fairchild.org</p>	<p>REGULAR MASS SCHEDULE</p> <p>Sun 8:30 am SSJJ 10:15 am IC</p> <p>Tue 5:30 pm IC Spanish</p> <p>Wed 9:00 am IC</p> <p>Thu 9:00 am IC</p> <p>Fri 9:00 am IC</p> <p>Sat 4:30 pm IC Spanish</p> <p>CONFESSION</p> <p>Sat 4:00-4:30 pm at IC</p> <p>Sun 8:00-8:30 am at SSJJ</p>
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Saturday November 2, All Souls Day
10:30 AM Mass Immaculate Conception
 †Deceased Members of the Raupp Family (T Thompson)
4:30 PM Mass Immaculate Conception - Hispanic
 †Members of All Three Parishes

Sunday November 3 Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time
DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME BEGINS
8:30 AM Mass St Joseph
 Health & Recovery of Noreen Holthaus (J&S Janke)
10:15 AM Mass Immaculate Conception
 †Claire & Laura Esser (G&K Esser)

Monday November 4
No Mass

Tuesday November 5
5:30 PM Mass Immaculate Conception - Hispanic
 †Chad Stanley
6:30 PM Parish Council Meeting— Immaculate Conception

Wednesday November 6
9:00 AM Mass Immaculate Conception
 †Frank Traczek (M&C Kaufman)
6:30 PM CCD Immaculate Conception

Thursday November 7
9:00 AM Mass Immaculate Conception
 †Nichal Family (T Thompson)
6:00 PM Bible Study Immaculate Conception
7:15 PM-8:30 PM Adoration Immaculate Conception

Friday November 8
9:00 AM Mass Immaculate Conception
 †Deceased Members of the Statz & Walter Families (K&S Statz)

Saturday November 9
4:30 PM Mass Immaculate Conception - Hispanic
 †Members of All Three Parishes
 Baptism of Manuel and Yaneri Hernandez, Confirm. for Manuel

Sunday November 10 Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:30 AM Mass St Joseph - Blessing for Veterans
 Health & Recovery of Elias Penry and for his doctors, family and medical team (M&C Kaufman)
10:15 AM Mass Immaculate Conception - Blessing for Veterans
 †Martin & Dorothy Kalina (B Meacham)

Remember your parish when you write your will!


PARISH SOCIAL MEDIA
 Please visit our Facebook page—Immaculate Joseph John
<https://www.facebook.com/immaculate.conception.7796420>
 Like our page, request to be a friend. You will get notices from other friends in the parishes, get news about local church events, things happening in the Diocese, etc.
 We also have a website:
www.catholic-parishes-of-almacenter-fairchild.org

PRAYER CHAIN REQUESTS
 Contact Jolene Janke at 715-964-6334 or stevenmj@centurytel.net to ask for prayers. If you would like to be a part of the prayer chain and pray for others, contact Jolene. The Power of Prayer is Amazing!
 Please pray for all on the Prayer Chain, as well as our Active Military: Geralyn Janke, Joseph Janke, Katie Kotschi-Nelson, Frank Ueker, Derek Laufenberg, Logan Meacham, Madeleine Searles, Michelle Thompson, Luke Hansen, Brandon Ripp, Alex Ripp, Andrew Elfering and Holden Mitchell.

IF YOU CANNOT SERVE—PLEASE FIND A SUBSTITUTE
 Occasionally there are changes to the schedule—watch the bulletin for the latest and correct schedule

Sun. Nov. 3, 8:30 am, St Jos R: Bonnie Firkus S: Sierra Mayer, Elise Theiler U: Dave Kaufman, Bill Connelly EM: B Firkus, D Elfering G: John & Sheila Kutchera MC: J&D Elfering, T Baumann	Sun. Nov. 3, 10:15 am, IC R: Joan Esser S: C Pineda, Andin C. G Janke U: J Hayden, C Cray, K Ristow, G Seichter EM: John E, Kathy E, B Meacham G: Chris & Carrie Trautlien MC: M Peterson, M&J Esser
Sun. Nov. 10, 8:30 am, St Jos R: Rozanne Traczek S: D Scheffer, R Dimmitt U: Tim Mayer, Tom Baumann EM: R Traczek, P Connelly G: Jeff & Jeanie Smith MC: C Eisberner, J Smith, P Connelly	Sun. Nov. 10, 10:15 am, IC R: Barb Meacham S: Ariana & Annika C, E Esser U: M Kujak, L Boehnen, C Shramek, M Schroeder EM: P Gower, J Kujak, K Laudon G: George & Kathy Esser MC: C Hagedorn, D LaCost, M Kujak
Sun. Nov. 17, 8:30 am, St Jos R: Jan Elfering S: V Firkus, G Eisberner U: Rick & Pam Dimmitt EM: A Baumann, J Scheffer G: Tim & Bethany Mayer MC: R&P Dimmit, J Scheffer	Sun. Nov. 17, 10:15 am, IC R: JoAnn Kujak S: C Pineda, J&J Rowekamp, Emily Janicki U: B Leis, L Boehnen, M Esser, C Trautlein EM: M&J Esser, M Seichter G: Janicki Family MC: J Esser, J Hayden, B Meacham

CALLING ALL READERS!!
 We are interested in starting a Catholic Book Club. If you like to read and are interested in discussing some great Catholic literature, sign up on the sheet that is at the back of the church at St. Joseph's and in the entry way at Immaculate Conception. We could possibly meet once or twice a month. Once people have signed up, we can decide on a time and place and choose our first book!


 Our thoughts and prayers are with the family of
Betty (Kohn) Vojtik
 May God grant her eternal rest. Amen.

WEEKLY TITHING				
10/26&27	IC OTHER	IC SUN	ST. JOS	ST. JOHN
ADULT	125.00	555.00	447.00	80.00
PLATE	85.00	146.00	58.00	350.00
TOTAL	911.00	505.00	505.00	430.00
BUDGET	1531.00	998.00	998.00	332.00
DIFFERENCE	(697.00)	877.00	877.00	(147.00)
BUDG DIFF YTD	5850.60	(1428.10)	(1428.10)	156.00

Sunday Fund Day Winner!!
 Sunday, Oct. 27, 2019 \$50 winner is Corbin Stratton



Congratulations to Dominique D'Huyvetter and Michael D'Amato who were married at St Joseph's last Saturday. Dominique is the daughter of Pascal and Donna D'Huyvetter


IC PARISH COUNCIL MEETING
 Tuesday, Nov. 5 at 6:30 PM at Immaculate Conception

SUNDAY FUNDAY 2020
IC PARISHIONERS -Immaculate Conception is selling Sunday Funday tickets again this year. We did so well last year and the funds were very helpful to pay for maintenance of the church. There are still many things that need repair. Each book is \$100. You pay for the tickets and then sell them and you keep the money and hand in the stubs. **Please make sure that all information is filled out on the stubs.** No return stickers should be used. Any questions please call Joan Esser 715-964-1745

Black Creek Lodge, LLC S13231 County Road H Fairchild WI 54741 715-313-0906 blackcreeklodge@hotmail.com	Bertrang Roofing Scott Bertrang 715-210-4422	Advertiser Of The Week We thank this week's Advertiser of the Week, Black Creek Lodge/Bertrang Roofing for their ad. The Lodge has great food, a camp ground, swimming hole and you can watch the deer. Contact Scott Bertrang for all your roofing needs.
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ADULT FAITH FORMATION OPPORTUNITIES
Parish—Bible Study Every Thursday Evening - 6pm-7pm *Check bulletin for cancellations *Currently studying St Matthew in the New Testament *Meet at the Alma Center Rectory
FALL AND WINTER 2019
Nov. 10, Sunday-Blessing of Veterans
Nov. 23, Saturday, Hunter's Mass 6:00 PM Mass at St Joseph
Nov. 28, Thursday-Thanksgiving 9:00 AM Mass at Immaculate Conception
Dec. 12, Thursday-Our Lady of Guadalupe 6:30 PM Mass at Immaculate Conception
Dec. 15, Sunday-CCD Christmas Play 10:15 AM Mass at Immaculate Conception
Dec. 18, Wednesday-Penance Service 9:30-11:00 AM Immaculate Conception 6:30-8:00 PM Immaculate Conception
Dec. 24, Tuesday-Christmas Eve 4:00 PM Mass at Immaculate Conception 8:00 PM Mass at St Joseph
Dec. 25, Wednesday-Christmas Day 9:00 AM Mass at Immaculate Conception
Jan. 1, Wednesday-Solemnity of Mary-Holy Day of Obligation 9:00 AM Mass at Immaculate Conception 6:00 PM Mass at St Joseph 7:30 PM Mass at Immaculate Con. Bilingual

Don't forget to return your Annual Appeal pledge card!
 Talk to Dawn if you have misplaced your card, or didn't receive one

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St. John Goal - \$1840
Pledged - \$1000