

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH



MARCH 31, 2024

WELCOME!

Parish Information

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Mass Schedule

Immaculate Conception

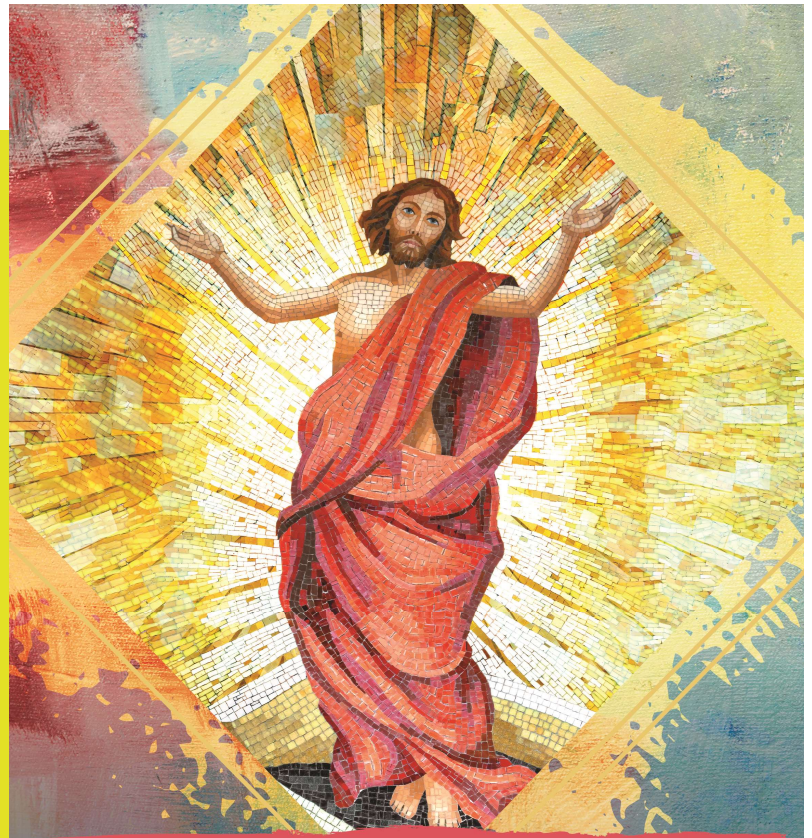
Weekdays: 8:00 a.m.
Saturday: 5:15 p.m.
Sunday: 10:30 a.m.
Holy Day: 8:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.

St. Dominic

Sunday: 8:30 a.m.
Holy Day (Vigil): 6:00 p.m. Reconciliation: 8 a.m.
Sunday

Reconciliation

Saturday: 4:30 p.m. (IC),
also by appointment



EASTER SUNDAY

Then the other disciple also went in, the one who had arrived at the tomb first, and he saw and believed. - Jn 20:8

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MORE PARISH INFORMATION...

Sacrament of Marriage

By appointment. A six-month preparation period is required.

Sacrament of Baptism

By appointment. Please call the rectory for information.

Sacrament of the Sick

Please call the rectory if anyone in your family is hospitalized or is a shut-in.

Parish Membership

Membership in the parish is required to be a sponsor for a Sacrament, to be married in the parish, or to have a child baptized. Please notify the rectory office of a change of address or phone number.

Religious Education Classes

Sunday: 9:00 a.m. - 10:15 a.m. (*All Grades*)

***Bulletin Deadline: Monday at 9:00 a.m.**

THE CHURCHES OF IMMACULATE CONCEPTION AND ST. DOMINIC

MASS INTENTIONS

Schedule for the Week

MONDAY, APRIL 1

Monday Mass is offered privately
Harold Zulick

TUESDAY, APRIL 2

8:00 AM Donna Kinol by her Family

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 3

8:00 AM Mary Laska

THURSDAY, APRIL 4

8:00 AM Mary Ann Manfroni by Steve and Ruth Rowan

FRIDAY, APRIL 5

8:00 AM Deceased members of the William and Grace
Sidwar Family by the Pallone Family

SATURDAY, APRIL 6

5:15 PM Margaret Mineweaser
by Don and Amy Jonischek

SUNDAY, APRIL 7

8:30 AM (St. Dominic) Parish Family of Immaculate
Conception and St. Dominic

10:30 AM Frank Gresock by John and Marian Palmer

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE—APRIL 6 & 7

Altar Servers

Saturday, 5:15 p.m. | Please volunteer if you attend this
Mass

Sunday, 10:30 a.m. | Ethan Lauer

Lectors

Saturday, 5:15 p.m. | Mike Chestnut

Sunday, 10:30 a.m. | John Pozza

St. Dominic | Jo Schrecongost

Rosary Leaders: Denny Kinol, Steve Rowan

PRAYER SERVICE FOR VOCATIONS

On Tuesday, April 9, Holy Spirit Parish in DuBois will host Eucharistic adoration along with a special service for vocations from 6 to 7 pm. The event will be held at St. Catherine of Siena Church, 118 S. State Street, DuBois. Father Ben Dagher, parochial vicar at Holy Spirit Parish, will preach on vocations. The service is for the intentions of an increase in vocations as well as to pray for Bishop Lawrence Persico and Father Scott Jabo, vocations director for the Diocese of Erie, as they visit DuBois Central Catholic and host a St. Andrew's dinner in McGivney Hall on April 10th. The dinner is open to young men in 8th grade and older who are considering the priesthood. Those interested in attending the St. Andrew's Dinner are invited to contact Father Jabo at 814.824.1198 or by email at SWJabo@eriercd.org.



The Sanctuary Lamp burns in memory
of Janice Kerr. Requested by the Kerr Family.

EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

In today's Gospel, Mark reports the names of three women who go to the tomb to anoint Jesus' body. They are Mary Magdalene, Salome, and Mary, the mother of James. According to Mark, these are the same women who were among those watching Jesus' Crucifixion from a distance. Mark reports that these women were followers of Jesus in Galilee and that they ministered to him. Mark also reports that Mary Magdalene and Mary observed where Jesus' body was laid. After his death, these women come again to minister to Jesus.

Mary Magdalene, Salome, and Mary, the mother of James, go to the tomb to anoint Jesus' body. It is clear from Mark's report of their conversation that they had not worked out all the necessary details. They know that a very large stone was used to seal Jesus' tomb, but they do not know how they are going to remove it. When they arrive at the tomb, they find that the stone has already been rolled back. Upon entering the tomb, they meet an angel who tells them that Jesus has been raised from the dead. The angel then recalls Jesus' promise to his disciples that he would go before them to Galilee.

Amazement would seem to be a natural reaction to the experience that the women had that morning. Yet the angel chides them for being amazed. Perhaps the reason is found in the words that follow, as the angel reminds them that Jesus himself had told his disciples that he would see them again in Galilee. If the women had listened and heeded Jesus' words, they would not have been surprised to find the tomb empty. This highlights a theme of Mark's Gospel: the disciples of Jesus are often clueless about the true identity of Jesus and confounded by his message to them.

Nonetheless, we can find some hope for the disciples, just as there is hope for us when we find ourselves unsure about Jesus. The disciples in today's Gospel were faithful followers of Jesus and remained present through Jesus' death on the cross. In fact, they came to the tomb that morning expecting to minister to Jesus once again. Instead, they were sent to minister in a different way, as apostles to Peter and the other disciples. Because we hear this Gospel proclaimed today, we know that they honored Jesus by accepting this mission.

USHERS SCHEDULE

April 6 Rick Cherico, Bob Deter

April 7 Brien Alexander, Steve Hoak



Easter Flower Memorials 2024

David Croxton
Jane and Harry Richards
Betilla and John Karlo
Donna Kinol
Janet Varole
Meghaan Weber

Marguerite Bachtell
Jessica Joanne
Mary Jo Petulla
Michael Schrecongost
Diane Jonischek
The Brant Family

Marilyn and Duane Beals
Thelma and Adam Berg
Bill Ransel
Jim Yeane
The Benedictine Sisters of
St. Marys

Mary & Daniel Laska
Daniel Laska, Jr.
Emery Mayanchick
Fr. Richard Lynch
Josie Bonfitto
Dianna Kerr
Bill Kerr
Janice Kerr
Clint and Cate Clark
George and Stella Kerr
Robert L. Northey
Pam Cook
Edward and Frances Sitsoky
Bob and Joann Yanoschick
Martha Porter
James Dougherty, Sr.
Tom and Clair Dougherty
Mr. and Mrs. Louis Zuckett
Mr. and Mrs. Martin Maloney
Rob Connor
Laurie Connor Butler
June Zanot
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Allgeier
Mr. and Mrs. John O'Donnell
Mary Wolfe
David Kennedy
Ross Ananea
Charles and Margaret Rowan
Fred and Gloria Wain
James and Aliene Dunlap

Mary Chestnut
Brian Michael Crissman
Brian Robert Crissman
Joe and Pearl Guthrie
Steve and Anna Mester
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Steele
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thompson
Richard C. Thompson
Rosemary McFarland
Raymond Seitz
The Helmheckels
Thomas Wyble
Debra Cowden
George A. Morey, Jr.
Craig A. Morey
The Marino and Hagg Families
Blake Rowan
The Richard Boozer Family
Robert and Vivian Heberling
Newt Nosker
Doug Heberling
Griffin Anderson
Rita and Rogelio Mojares
Ron Bowen
Milo Milford
The John Mineweaser Family
The Lee Snyder Family
Ethel Reynolds
Donna Harbison
Fran Gula

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Schnitski
Bob Receski
John and Margaret Saks
Charles and Anna Receski
Fr. Joseph Ciaiola
Gene and Rachel Melillo
Mike Melillo
Betty Cherico
John and Larue Prezestrzelski
Jim and Myrla Carberry
Jim Carberry, Jr.
Steve and Charlotte Koladish
Brian Koladish
James and Joy Carberry
Jeanne T. Carberry
Walter and Sarah Holibaugh
Lex and Mary Stuchell
Lloyd Wolfe
Joe and Vista Talleri
Ray Pevarnik
The Michael and Aline Pallone
Family
The William and Grace Sidwar
Family
Anthony and Pete Caun
Carolyn and Firmino Marocco
The Armanini and Kutsch Families

CONGRATULATIONS

We congratulate our Candidate and Catechumens who were received into the full communion of the Catholic Church on Holy Saturday night. Those who became full members of the Church are: Beverly Alexander, Brien Alexander, Daniel Cable, Sarah Graziano, Luke Sorek and Jacob Wyble. Please welcome them to our parish and keep them in your prayers as they continue their faith journey.

