



Immaculate Conception Catholic Church

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ACTIVITIES CALENDAR

MONDAY—MARCH 21

Monday of Holy Week

7:30 a.m. Eucharist [*William Kisting+*]
- Movable
8:00 a.m. Morning Prayer - Kingsley
2:00 p.m. Chrism Mass - Cathedral

TUESDAY—MARCH 22

Tuesday of Holy Week

8:00 a.m. Morning Prayer - Movable
8:00 a.m. Eucharist [*Robert/Patricia Stratton+*] - Kingsley
TBA Visitation (*Kay Miller+*) - Movable
7:00 p.m. Prayer Service (*Kay Miller+*)
- Movable

WEDNESDAY—MARCH 23

Wednesday of Holy Week

7:30 a.m. NO Eucharist - Movable
8:00 a.m. Morning Prayer - Kingsley
10:30 a.m. Funeral (*Kay Miller+*) - Movable
4:00 p.m. Faith Formation [PS-5] - Movable
4:00 p.m. Adoration - Movable
7:00 p.m. Faith Formation [6-9] - Movable
7:00 p.m. CICC - Movable
7:00 p.m. Adoration/Stations of the Cross
- Movable

THURSDAY—MARCH 24

Thursday of Holy Week (Holy Thursday)

7:00 p.m. Eucharist [*Robert/Patricia Stratton+*] - Kingsley
8:00-9:30 p.m. Adoration/Night Prayer
- Kingsley

FRIDAY—MARCH 25

Friday of the Passion of the Lord (Good Friday)

OFFICES CLOSED

9:00 a.m. Decorate Church - Movable
1:00 p.m. Good Friday Service - Movable

SATURDAY—MARCH 26

Holy Saturday

8:00 p.m. Eucharist [*Farrell W. Wright+*]
- Movable

SUNDAY—MARCH 27

Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

7:00 a.m. Eucharist [*Larry Spencer+*]
- Movable
9:00 a.m. Eucharist [*Robert/Patricia Stratton+*] - Kingsley

Please visit the **WFCC website** to find more information about both parishes, to read and/or download this weekly bulletin, to read the latest news, and to learn more about our faith.
<http://www.westforkcatholiccommunity.org>
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20 March 2016

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

In our opening gospel, St. Matthew quotes the prophet Zechariah, who foretold the arrival of the Messianic king. Part of Zechariah's prediction was a judgment against the failed line of kings of Judah and Israel whose inadequacies and vanity had brought ruin upon the Jewish people. Zechariah predicts that the "true king" would not come as a dictator robed in power and might, but as a gentle and humble ruler, riding on a donkey. In other words the Messiah would not seem like a king at all, and his coming would be so modest that it would be possible to miss it.

Jesus' entry to Jerusalem, with its joyful abandon, was a parody of the great Roman triumphal processions of the day. Jesus came not in a chariot or on a warhorse, but on a donkey, not fitted with the trappings of majesty and banners of victory, but greeted with the waving of palm branches and piles of dusty cloaks spread on the road. As Holy Week progresses, the contrast between the imperial events of Caesar, the earthly Lord of the World, and Jesus, the Lord of all creation, becomes ever more manifest. At his trial, Jesus is dressed in the parody of the imperial purple clothing. He wears a thorny wreath as a mock crown and is handed a reed as a bogus scepter. Pilate presents him to the crowds for their acclamation and they shout for his death, and in the end Jesus is seated not on a throne but nailed to a cross. Finally, at the foot of the cross, instead of a multitude of followers shouting acclamations of praise, a motley crowd mocks Jesus with insults. The drama of Holy Week is a true parody.

The powerful of our world emphasize their majesty and domination by inflicting punishment and humiliation on those who oppose them, little do they realize that in Jesus' Passion and death the joke is on them. Their earthly pretensions are shown to be vain and empty. Jesus Christ, the Lord of Glory, in his humility, renders impotent the foundations on which all earthly power is founded. At the end of Matthew's crucifixion scene the Centurion declares "truly this man was the Son of God." The Centurion, representative of Caesar, standing beneath the throne of the cross, acclaims the true king whose identity is now clear for all who have eyes to see. By his words, the Centurion acknowledges there is a better way to live than what the world aspires to and that there is a greater king than Caesar.

Fr. Brad Pelzel

WFCC PARISH LIFE TEAM is looking for new team members. If interested please contact Kathy Myres or the parish office.

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DIVINE MERCY NOVENA is one way to prepare for the great Feast of Divine Mercy (Sunday after Easter). It is nine days of praying the Chaplet of Divine Mercy as dictated to St. Faustina by Our Lord. The novena begins on Good Friday. Our Lord told Faustina. "By this novena (of chaplets), I will grant every possible grace to souls" (Diary 796). A pamphlet with the prayer intentions for the novena is available in your churches or at Trinity Heights gift shop. You are invited to pray the novena on your own Good Friday, Holy Saturday, and Easter Sunday and then join others for public prayer at **Trinity Heights Queen of Peace** Monday through Saturday (March 28-April 2) in the Marian Center at 7:00 p.m. The public prayer will include the chaplet, a homily, benediction, and opportunity for private confessions (Mon-Fri. only). For a schedule of speakers, see your parish bulletin board. ALL are welcome and encouraged to attend.



MINISTERS' ASSIGNMENTS

THURSDAY MARCH 24 7:00 P.M.

- Altar Servers:** Jeana Hamman, Michael Nafe, Anthony Baird, Ryan Putze
- Reader(s):** Trent Lammers, Bill Langel, Carol Glackin
- Cantor:** Angie Haggin
- Organist:** Jolene Spooner
- Communion:** Cindy Beelner, Marie Benedix, Cindy Hesse
- Ushers:** Jerome Gollhofer, Helen Coulter

SUNDAY MARCH 27 9:00 A.M.

- Altar Servers:** Jackson Boustead, Trent Lammers, Abbie Martensen
- Reader(s):** Austin Grubb, Lois Galles
- Cantor:** Angie Haggin
- Organist:** Jolene Spooner
- Gifts:** Cindi Koch Family
- Communion:** Jeanine Haggin, Millie Hamman, Jerry Seuntjens
- KNH:** Alice Seuntjens
- Greeters:** Charlene Nafe, Jena Schmid
- Ushers:** Marv McDermott, Dan Mockler
- Collection Counters:** Shelly Krieg, Linda Schlotman

INCOME/EXPENSES LAST WEEK

Adult Envelopes \$1,085.00 (30 Envelopes)
 Youth Envelopes*\$9.00 (0 Envelopes)
 Loose \$193.25
 Flower Fund..... \$170.00 (8 Envelopes)
Total Income\$1,457.25
 Needed Each Week..... \$2,877.89
Total Expenses\$0.00
 *Time/Talent quotes from youth envelopes: none

BUDGET REPORT 2015-2016

Income needed by 30 June 2016: \$143,090.78
Income needed each week: \$2,751.75
Income received since 1 July 2015: \$101,371.51

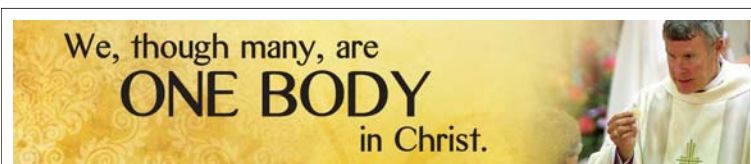
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SMC SANCTUARY LIGHT [MARCH 20-26] burns for Joe & Virginia Otterpohl+ at the request of Rick, Susie & Nikki Ahlquist. Weeks available until December 25.

FROM THE DESK OF BARB SITZMANN, DRE:

- WEDNESDAY, MARCH 23RD- NO FF CLASSES AT ST MICHAEL- EASTER BREAK!
- Wednesday, March 30th- 4th BCC class from 5:30-6:30 at the FF Center. If you are a catechist and need this class yet, please plan to attend. A light meal will be provided
- Wednesday, March 30th 7pm- IC in Moville will be having Adoration.
- Wednesday, March 30th- CONFIRMATION STUDENTS- ALL MASS REPORTS AND SERVICE HOURS ARE DUE.
- Monday, April 4th- 4-7 pm- 1st Communion Learning Stations at the FF Center. Come and go event lasting approximately 1-1 1/2 hours. All 2nd graders and their parents are to attend.
- Wednesday, April 6th- 5:30-6:30 pm at the FF Center. If you are a catechist and need this class yet, please plan to attend. A light meal will be provided.
- Wednesday, April 13th 7 pm- Confirmation practice in the church. Candidates, parents and sponsors need to be present.
- Sunday, April 17th- 11 am- Confirmation Mass.
- Wednesday, April 20th 7 pm- First Holy Communion practice in the church. All 2nd grade students and their parents are to be present.
- Sunday, April 24th 11 am- First Holy Communion Mass.
- Wednesday, April 27th- LAST DAY OF 2015-2016 FAITH FORMATION CLASSES! Guild scholarships for graduating seniors are due! Barnyard Roundup vacation bible school registration forms are due for K-4 students!
- Sunday, May 15th 9 am Mass- Baccalaureate for graduating seniors.
- Contact info: St. Michael FF Center 378-2021, Barb's cell 712-251-8567, home phone 378-2052, work phone 378-2861. Emails- FF stmikedre@gmail.com, home barbsitzmann@yahoo.com, work bsitzmann@k-pcsd.org.

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	2014	2015
\$ Goal:	\$11,000.00	\$12,000.00
\$ Pledged:	\$9,009.00	\$9,212.50
\$ Given:	\$9,009.00	\$8,696.25
Pledges Goal:	168	166
Participants:	103	98
Participant Rate:	63%	59%



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FRIDAY MARCH 25 1:00 P.M.

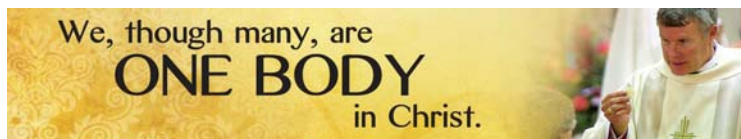
- Altar Servers:** Anna Schmid, Ryan Bormann, Michelle Putze
- Reader(s):** Karen Malm, Dan Bormann
- Cantor:** Gene Handke
- Organist:** Laura Krajicek
- Communion:** Becky Moodie
- Ushers:** Tim Carlson, Mike Ketelsen

SATURDAY MARCH 26 8:00 P.M.

- Altar Servers:** Sydney Seuntjens, Michelle Putze, Brayden Sanford, Volunteer
- Reader(s):** Dan Bormann, Rita Conry, Lois Galles, Judy Gruis, Nick Hytrek
- Cantor:** Amanda Seuntjens, Julie Leekley, Sally Schultz, Angie Williams
- Organist:** Laura Krajicek
- Gifts:** Barb Smith
- Communion:** Mary Schultz, Bart Boustead, Cindy Hesse
- Ushers:** Mark Schroeder, Helen Coulter

SUNDAY MARCH 27 7:00 A.M.

- Altar Servers:** Jake Kuntz, Aidan O'Mara, Madeline Schultz
- Reader(s):** Carol Glackin
- Cantor:** Gene Handke
- Organist:** Volunteer
- Gifts:** Wally Kuntz Family
- Communion:** Becky Moodie, Chris Hoelker, Chuck Hoelker
- CharMac:** Elaine Ketelsen
- Ushers:** Butch Grell, Jim Gries, Mike Ketelsen
- Collection Counters:** JoAnne Jenness, Marcia Sailer



	2014	2015
\$ Goal:	\$10,000.00	\$11,000.00
\$ Pledged:	\$10,770.50	\$8,722.50
\$ Given:	\$10,465.50	\$8,417.00
Pledges Goal:	154	151
Participants:	119	90
Participant Rate:	79%	60%

ICC SANCTUARY LIGHT [MARCH 20-26] burns for the People of WFCC.
Weeks available until December 4.

FROM THE DESK OF ANGIE DUFFY, DFF:

- Wednesday, **March 23** Adoration for the 4:00 p.m. Faith Formation Students
- Wednesday, **March 23** Stations of the Cross and Adoration for 7:00 p.m. Faith Formation students. CICC students are to be in attendance. Public is welcome to attend also.
- **March 30 Confirmation hours are due.**
- **Wednesday, April 6** 5:30-6:30 pm at the Kingsley FF Center. If you are a catechist and need this class yet, please plan to attend. A light meal will be provided.
- **Monday, April 11** 6:30-8:00 p.m. First Communion Learning Stations at IC Church. All 2nd graders and their parents are to attend.
- **Wednesday, April 13** Confirmation Practice for Confirmation student, parents, & sponsors at 5:45-6:45 followed by Potluck meal for grades 6-12 Faith Formation students, families, and Confirmation Sponsors. This is a scheduled class so students must be present from 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.
- **Sunday, April 17** Confirmation at IC at 1:30 p.m. with a reception following Mass.
- **Saturday, April 21** First Holy Eucharist rehearsal at 6:00 p.m. 2nd grade Faith Formation students and parents are **required** to attend.
- **Sunday, April 24** First Holy Eucharist Mass at 1:30 p.m. at IC Church with a reception following Mass.
- **Wednesday, April 27** Last night for Faith Formation classes. CICC students are required to attend.
- **Saturday, April 30** Baccalaureate Mass at 5:00 p.m. at IC Church.
- Looking for individuals who would love to share their Faith with our youth. We are in need of Catechists for the school year 2016-2017. Please take time to pray about being a Catechist and possibly accepting Jesus' invitation to be a Catechist.

INCOME/EXPENSES LAST WEEK

Adult Envelopes	\$1,969.00 (44 Envelopes)
Youth Envelopes*	\$47.46 (11 Envelopes)
Loose	\$171.02
Catholic Relief Services.....	\$23.00 (3 Envelopes)
Flower Fund.....	\$140.00 (3 Envelopes)
Holy Land.....	\$5.00 (1 Envelope)
Retired & Infirm Priest	\$5.00 (1 Envelope)
Total Income	\$2,360.48
Needed Each Week.....	\$2,859.23
Total Parish Expenses.....	\$0.00

***Time/Talent quotes from youth envelopes:** "cleaned my Room.", "Played with my little brother", "I helped my mom and Dad."

BUDGET REPORT 2015-2016

Income needed by 30 June 2016:	\$148,679.57
Income needed each week:	\$2,859.23
Income received since 1 July 2015:	\$94,723.85



PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS: Ella Bahmer, Leonard Beaver, Juanita Beaubien, Jim Berens, Rose Brown, Tom/Donna Clark, Virginia Connelly, Hilda Dragoo, Mary Drevs, Pauline Dugan, Kara Funk, Charlotte Honkomp, Virginia & Walt Kabisch, Millie Kisting, Harold Kloewer, Veronica Koebel, Joan McCain, Patricia McConnell, Beverly Petekavich, Bob/Patricia Rogers, Kay Sands, Judy Schroeder, Sylvesta Slota, Dan Strachan, Bernice Timmins, Marcella Thomas, Jeune Vondrak, Gerry Weinriech, Emmet Woltman, Millie Wycoff, and the men and women serving in the military and police.

IMPORTANT DATES

- March 28: OFFICES CLOSED
- April 2: Men’s Conference [LeMars]
- April 4, 4:00-7:00 p.m.: SMC First Eucharist Learning Stations [K]
- April 6, 10:00 a.m.: Eucharist [KNH]
- April 9, 6:00 p.m.: Fellowship Dinner (Guild) [M]
- April 11, 6:30-8:00 p.m.: ICC First Eucharist Learning Stations [M]
- April 12, 7:00 p.m.: Eucharist [M]
- April 12, 7:30 p.m.: KC8232 Meeting [M]
- April 13, 11:00 a.m.: Eucharist [CharMac]
- April 13, 5:45 p.m.: ICC Confirmation Rehearsal [M]
- April 13, 7:00 p.m.: CICC [M]
- April 13, 7:00-8:00 p.m.: ICC Family Potluck [M]
- April 13, 7:00 p.m.: SMC Guild Meeting [K]
- April 13, 7:00 p.m.: SMC Confirmation Rehearsal [K]
- April 14, 7:30 p.m.: ICC Faith Formation/Youth Ministry Team Meeting [M]
- April 16, 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.: Hall Rental [M]
- April 17, 11:00 a.m.: SMC Confirmation [K]
- April 17, 12:00-3:00 p.m.: Hall Rental [K]
- April 17, 1:30 p.m.: ICC Confirmation [M]
- April 20, 7:00 p.m.: SMC First Eucharist Rehearsal [K]
- April 21, 6:00 p.m.: ICC First Eucharist Rehearsal [M]
- April 23, 6:00 p.m.: Fellowship Dinner (KC8232) [M]
- April 24, 11:00 a.m.: SMC First Eucharist [K]
- April 24, 1:30 p.m.: ICC First Eucharist [M]
- April 26, 7:00 p.m.: WFCC Parish Life Team Meeting [M]
- April 27, 4:00 p.m.: ICC FF Spring Picnic [M]
- April 27, 7:00 p.m.: ICC FF Spring Picnic [M]
- April 30: Marriage Date Night [SC]
- April 30, 5:00 p.m.: Baccalaureate [M]
- May 1, 9:00 a.m.: Baccalaureate [K]
- May 3, 7:00 p.m. ICC Guild Meeting [M]
- May 4, 10:00 a.m.: Eucharist [KNH]
- May 5: ASCENSION OF THE LORD
- May 5: OFFICES CLOSED
- May 6: Marriage Date Night [Carroll]
- May 7, 6:00 p.m.: May Crowning [M]
- May 10, 7:00 p.m.: Eucharist [M]
- May 10, 7:30 p.m.: KC8232 Meeting [M]
- May 11, 11:00 a.m.: Eucharist [CharMac]
- May 11, 7:00 p.m.: SMC Guild Meeting [K]
- May 14, 6:00 p.m.: Fellowship Dinner (Guild) [M]
- May 21: Hall Rental [K]
- May 28, 6:00 p.m.: Fellowship Dinner (KC8232) [M]

WEST FORK CATHOLIC COMMUNITY INFORMATION

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Jolene Spooner / **Custodian-FF Center:** Sonya Hamman

Groundskeeper: Jerome Gollhofer

WFCC [MOVILLE] OFFICE HOURS:

Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri. 8:15 a.m.-noon, 1:00-4:15 p.m.

Wed. 8:15 a.m.-noon, 1:00-5:30 p.m., 6:30-8:45 p.m.

Other times by appointment

EUCHARIST:

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.-Moville

Sunday: 9:00 a.m.-Kingsley

Monday, Wednesday: 7:30 a.m.-Moville

Tuesday, Thursday: 8:00 a.m.-Kingsley

RECONCILIATION:

Saturday: 4:00-4:45 p.m.-Moville

Sunday: 8:00-8:45 a.m.-Kingsley

Other times by appointment

MORNING PRAYER:

Tuesday, Thursday, Friday: 8:00 a.m.—Moville

Monday, Wednesday, Friday: 8:00 a.m.—Kingsley

BAPTISM is to be arranged with the pastor in order to prepare for the child’s baptism after completion of Baptism Class held quarterly (March, June, September, December).

MARRIAGE preparation is to begin 6-12 months before the wedding day. Please contact the pastor so that all preparations can be completed in time for the wedding and marriage.

Remember, a wedding is just a day, a marriage is a LIFETIME!

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: By appointment; last Sunday of October during Sunday Masses.

PERSONS WISHING TO JOIN THE CATHOLIC CHURCH, whether baptized in another faith or unbaptized and over the age of seven [7], should contact the pastor to begin the process known as RCIA at anytime of the year.