



WEST FORK CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

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8 March 2015

Third Sunday in Lent

WFCC MISSION STATEMENT: WE, the members of **Immaculate Conception Parish of Moville** and **St. Michael Parish of Kingsley**, being clustered in the Diocese of Sioux City, Iowa, ARE a Catholic Christian people, living the Paschal Mystery, united in creed, worship, and love for each other.

Our Mission is: ...to worship and praise our God. ...to educate and promote spiritual growth of our people of all ages. ...to serve each other within the Church, helping all members grow in their relationship with God and with one another. ...to live the Gospel through a ministry of hospitality with all our sisters and brothers in the global community.

VISIT <http://www.westforkcatholiccommunity.org> 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.

FROM THE PASTOR:



-to everyone who took advantage of the time for the Sacrament of Reconciliation especially Tuesday March 3 at Immaculate Conception for the Diocesan "The Light is On for You" and at St. Michael on March 4

-to all of our ministers who are faithfully present or find a substitute when unable to serve and who are present in the sacristy 5 minutes before Mass to pray with the other ministers.

-to everyone who shares your time, talent, and treasure with the church community.

Today is the Third [3rd] Sunday of Lent. God gave Moses the Ten Commandments so that we could direct our behavior in ways that help us to grow in our love of God and in our love of neighbor. Given that we have received these commandments, you would think it would be easy to live as beloved children of God. However, sometimes the things we want are not the things we need and we can become distracted by what culture would command us to do. The wisdom of God helps us to make decisions for our lives that keep us growing in our love of God and others.

Please come to the communal celebration of the Sacrament of Reconciliation on Wednesday March 11 at 4:00 or 7:00 p.m. at Immaculate Conception. Do not be afraid. Christ's mercy awaits for you. The light is on.

May God bless you.

Fr Mark

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THE SOCIETY OF OUR LADY OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

(S.O.L.T.) is a community of disciples of Jesus and Mary composed of all vocations: priests, deacons, brothers, sisters and single and married laity. The Society was founded in 1958 by Fr. James Flanagan. Sr. Marie Hesed, SOLT, and Sr. M. Amata Aumell, SOLT, residents of Domus Trinitatis, Latin for "Home of the Trinity", a Center for Spirituality, Retreats, and New Evangelization located on 31 acres outside of Carroll, Iowa [who were scheduled to visit us on January 7] will be visiting the St. Michael Parish on Wednesday April 15 to speak about their work. Sr. Amata, originally from Seattle and served as a house mother for 70 orphan children in Mexico for two years, will be talking with the kindergarten-4th grade students 4:00-5:00 p.m. Sr. Marie, who worked with the Blessed Mother Teresa for 27 years, will be speaking at 7:00 p.m. All parishioners are welcome to attend the presentation which will be given in St. Michael Church.

MOVILLE COMMUNITY LENTEN BREAKFASTS, sponsored by the Moville Ministerial Association will be held to observe the Lenten season with Lenten breakfast/devotions on Wednesdays, 6:30-7:00 a.m.:

- March 11 Immaculate Conception Church
- March 18 Trinity Lutheran Church
- March 25 New Hope Church

Participants are invited to bring a can of soup for Community Basket.



CATHOLIC SCRIPTURE STUDY is held every Wednesday 9:15-11:00 a.m. in the library at Immaculate Conception and participants are studying the SYM-

BOLON lessons. This is free and everyone is invited to join us. Next class is March 11 as we study Episode 12: The Eucharist: Source & Summit of Christian Life.

SUNDAY SCRIPTURE STUDY is held every Thursday 6:30-7:30 p.m. in the library at Immaculate Conception and studies and discusses the next Sunday's readings. Everyone is invited to join us. The next session is March 12.



ADORATION/BENEDICTION is a great resource we have as Catholics. Prayer is our way to communicate our praise, thanks, petition, and contrition to God; and God's way to communicate His will with us. Please join us, Friday April 10, 7:00 p.m. at Immaculate Conception.



LIGHTHOUSE CD OF THE WEEK: "Overcoming the New Age Movement" by Matthew Arnold, a former new ager and Catholic convert who shares his incredible journey from darkness into the light. Learn how this magic consultant and performer in the entertainment industry came to the truth that set him free from the powers of the occult as he talks about new age practices and their incompatibility with the timeless teachings of Christ and His Church. A recommended \$3 donation is suggested for each CD. Please check out the Lighthouse display in each church and pick up a copy, listen, and share with family and friends.



STEUBENVILLE NORTH ROCHESTER is July 10-12, 2015 at the Mayo Civic Center in Rochester, Minnesota for 2015-2016 high school students. Total cost is \$215. Basic cost is \$160/person which includes all conference fees and lunch & dinner each day at the conference. Additional cost will be charged for the two night hotel stay July 10 and 11 [\$50] and transportation [\$5]. We will depart Friday July 10, 9:00 a.m. and return Sunday July 12, 9:00 p.m. This event is sponsored by the WFCC Youth Ministry Core Team. If you are interested in attending please contact Fr. Mark, Carol Glackin, or Marie Washburn for more information and registration information.

HAVE YOU UPDATED YOUR E-MAIL ADDRESS in the last twelve [12] months and not informed the parish office? If you would like to receive e-mail and/or text notifications from the parish office [i.e. schedule updates, important announcements, weather related announcements, etc.] please complete this form and return it to the parish office:

____ e-mail address: _____
____ cell phone/text: _____
Name of provider: _____

Please check the box in front of your preferred means of notification.

NAME: _____



SYMBOLON ADULT FORMATION VIDEO SERIES

SYMBOLON is a 20 episode video series covering all aspects of our Catholic faith and Church. The WFCC has purchased the

DVD set, learning guides, and a 24/7/365 online subscription to all the videos. If you would like a FREE subscription to Symbolon, please send Fr. Mark an e-mail request.

FROM THE GLOBE: Lent has started and so has the journey for many who wish to embrace the Catholic faith. Read about the Rite of the Elect in the March 5 edition. You may know someone! Got news? Email news@scdiocese.org or call (712) 255-2550 or (800) 352-9035.

DIVINE MERCY CHAPEL Are you looking for some quiet time to pray this Lent? Come spend time with Our Lord on Fridays or Saturdays in the Divine Mercy Chapel at Trinity Heights, Queen of Peace. Adoration will take place from 8:00 a.m.-8:00 p.m. "Adoration is essentially an embrace with Jesus in which I say to Him, 'I am yours, and I ask you, please stay with me always.'"--Pope Benedict XVI



MEMORIAL MASS FOR BABIES on Tuesday, March 10 at 7:00 p.m. at the Cathedral of the Epiphany. This Mass, celebrated by Bishop Nickless, commemorates all children who died before baptism due to miscarriages, ectopic pregnancies, abortion and other before birth or infant fatalities. To have a child remembered during the Mass, please list their name online at www.scdiocese.org/memorialmass. A candle will be lit in his or her memory and his/her name read aloud during the Prayers of the Faithful.



MEN'S CONFERENCE is scheduled for Saturday, March 21 at All Saints Parish in LeMars! All men, ages 16 and older are invited to attend this event and hear keynote speaker Bob Rice as he shares his stories of "Being A Son Of God." Registration for the conference is \$25 per person or a Father / Son package for \$40. Registrations can be made online at www.scdiocese.org/mensconference. The Knights of Columbus in LeMars also invite attendees to join them for a Fish Fry the night before on March 20 from 6:00-9:00 p.m. \$8.00 per person with a cash bar available. Why not make a weekend of it? Baymont Inn & Suites in LeMars is offering a discount rate for all attendees—rooms just \$79! Call (712) 548-4910 and mention the *Diocesan Men's Conference* and reserve your room today!



TUITION ASSISTANCE of nearly \$3 million was distributed to families last year for Catholic Education in the Diocese of Sioux City. Funds came from the Monsignor Lafferty Tuition Foundation and the Bishop's Education Fund! (This does not include funds that are available locally.) Applications are due April 1 with notification of awards sent in the spring. Think you don't qualify?

YOUCAT QUOTE: The Youth Catechism, written in language suitable for young people, deals with the entire Catholic faith as it was presented in the Catechism of the Catholic Church. The numbers after each question/answer refer to more extensive and in-depth treatments in the Catechism of the Catholic Church, CCC for short.

QUESTION #123: What is the task of the Church?

The Church's task is to make the kingdom of God, which has already begun with Jesus, germinate and grow in all nations.

Wherever Jesus went, heaven touched earth: the kingdom of God was inaugurated, kingdom of peace and justice. The Church serves this kingdom of God. She is not an end in herself. She must carry on what Jesus started. She should act as Jesus would act. She continues the sacred signs of Jesus. She hands on Jesus' words. That is why the Church, for all her weakness, is a formidable bit of heaven on earth.

You might be surprised. Fill out the application online or download the paper form at www.scdiocese.org/tuitionassistance



YOUTH 2000 is a unique retreat opportunity is open to students in 7th-12th Grades. Hear presentations from Franciscan Friars and Sisters of the Renewal as they help teenagers develop a closer relationship with Christ through Eucharistic Adoration and Prayer. This retreat is open to students from all four diocese in Iowa—sign up today as space is limited! Join us April 17-19 at St. Edmond Catholic School in Fort Dodge for YOUTH 2000! Registration cost is \$50/person and can be made online at www.scdiocese.org/YOUTH2000



WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES 2015 Want to see the Pope?!? The Diocese of Sioux City has partnered with Legacy Tour & Travel of LeMars and created three packages for people of all ages!

- **"Student Package"** is for teenagers 14 – 18 years old (chaperoned tour)
 - **"Family Express Package"** is for those who wish to travel as a family
 - **"Journey of Faith Pilgrimage"** spans 11 days and tours many significant sites such a stop at the University of Notre Dame!
- You may find more at www.scdiocese.org/2015wmf.

DISCERNMENT RETREAT AT SACRED HEART MONASTERY

You know God is calling you to serve. But where? How? Come to Finding My Path, March 20-22, 2015, explore your vocation possibilities and listen for God's voice at this discernment retreat. For Catholic Women, ages 20-45. Go to <http://tinyurl.com/ou3zedg> to download the brochure with more information and registration details for this retreat at Sacred Heart Monastery in Yankton. For information on other upcoming vocation opportunities, go to <http://yanktonbenedictines.org/vocation-events/>.

WHAT IS NFP?

Archbishop Charles Chaput published in his diocesan newspaper after he issued his pastoral letter *Of Human Life* in 1998 to following which is excellent material for reflection.



Isn't a couple's method of family planning a matter of personal conscience? Yes it is. Catholics, like all people, are always obligated to follow their consciences — on birth control and every other matter. But that's not where the problem lies. The problem lies in the formation of one's conscience. A conscientious person seeks to do good and avoid evil. Seeing the difference between good and evil, though, can sometimes be difficult. As Pope John Paul II has said, the basic moral law is written in the human heart because we're created in the image and likeness of God. But we bear the wounds of original sin, which garbles the message and dims our ability to judge and act according to truth. Truth is objective. In other words, it's real, is independent of us, and exists whether we like it or not. Therefore, conscience can't invent right and wrong. Rather, conscience is called to discover the truth of right and wrong, and then to submit personal judgments to the truth once it is found. Church teaching on the regulation of births, like all her moral teachings, is a sure guide for forming our consciences according to the truth. For we have the certainty of faith, as Vatican II reminds us, that the teachings of the Church on matters of faith and morals are "not the mere word of men, but truly the word of God." (Lumen Gentium n. 12) Too often, we use "conscience" as a synonym for private preference, a kind of pious alibi for doing what we want or taking the easy road. We only end up hurting others and ourselves.

Find out more by taking part in a class offered at Mercy Medical Center in Sioux City and many other locations around the Diocese of Sioux City or contacting the parish office or visiting <http://www.usccb.org/issues-and-action/marriage-and-family/natural-family-planning/index.cfm> or <http://ccli.org/>

ST. MICHAEL CHURCH—KINGSLEY

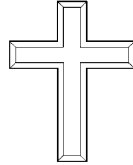
Est. 1888

MISSION STATEMENT: The mission of St Michael's Parish is to respond to our baptismal call, serve God, congregation and community with our talents and resources. With the leadership of our pastor, our values of prayer, liturgy, stewardship, family, education and evangelization shall be the focus of this parish.

CHURCH HALL RENOVATION/REMODEL continued this past week with completion of dry walling the west kitchen wall, 'mudding' the dry wall, and painting began. Work will continue this week with painting and installation of new counter tops. Check out the parish website and Facebook page for photos of progress.

FROM THE DESK OF MARIE WASHBURN:

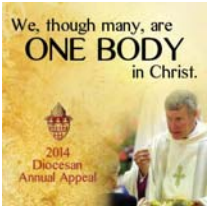
- The host for the 8:30 AM book study group on Thursday, March 12th will be Jan (Ed) Meister. They will be studying **"Our God is Not Boring"**.
- **"Being Disciples of Jesus"** week #5 bible study will be held at 7 PM on Thursday, March 12th at Washburn's home.
- **"Walking with Purpose"** book study by Lisa Brenninkmeyer will start up the middle of March. This book study is aimed at mothers of school age children. Please contact Barb Sitzmann (378-2052) if you are interested in joining this book study.
- There will be **Adoration on Wednesday, March 18th** from 4-5 PM for the elementary students. We will have adoration from 7-8 PM (Steubenville style with music) for the evening classes. The whole parish is welcomed to join us for adoration.
- The **Remsen St. Mary's team will come and talk on pro-life** for the 7th-12th grade students from 7-8 PM on Wednesday, March 25th. All are welcomed to join us.
- **Sr. Amata and Sr. Hased** will be coming to St. Michael's Church on Wednesday, April 15th to talk from 4-5 PM to the elementary youth and 7-8 PM for the 5th-12th grade youth. All parishioners are encouraged to join us.
- **Camp Totus Tuus** (originally named Camp Cayoca) for those students who are **currently in grades 3rd- 5th** will take place July 25th-27th. The cost is \$175/camper.
- **Camp Totus Tuus** (originally named Camp Cayoca) for those students who are **currently in grades 6th-11th** will take place



July 27th-29th. The cost is \$175/camper.

DIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL [DAA]...if you have not returned your pledge card, please do so in the WEEKLY COLLECTION BASKET or drop it off at the parish office. If you have lost your pledge card, you may call the office for a new card or make out a check to THE DIOCESE OF SIOUX CITY and send it to the office without a pledge card. Thank you for sending these pledges to the parish office for recording before being forwarded to the Diocese. We need everyone to return their pledge card and donation in the envelope whether you are giving \$0 or \$1,000 or more. Persons not returning their pledge card will receive reminders from the parish and Bishop Nickless. Thank you for your assistance to achieve a 100% participation goal.

2014 Diocesan Annual Appeal	
KINGSLEY	
\$ Goal:	\$11,000.00
\$ Pledged:	\$8,684.00
\$ Given:	\$7,906.50
Pledges Goal:	168
Participants:	103
Participant Rate:	61%



Thank you to Everyone who has returned a Pledge Card!

BUDGET REPORT 2014-2015	
Income needed by 30 June 2015:	\$149,650.10
Income needed each week:	\$2,877.89
Income received since 1 July 2014:	\$89,478.52

3/5/2015

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH—MOVILLE

Est. 1892

MISSION STATEMENT: Immaculate Conception Parish strives to make the Catholic Christian life available to the people of God within the parish by opening up the rich heritage of the teachings of Jesus Christ, thus enabling them to experience more fully the presence of God in their lives and the peace, love and the joy of following him.

FROM THE DESK OF Carol Glackin, DFF:

- **Basic Catechist Recertification:** A group study of the *Catechism of the Catholic Church* will be coming up soon in partial fulfillment of the Diocesan recertification process. Be watching for dates and times. If you do not have a copy of the *Catechism of the Catholic Church*, consider purchasing one prior to the study.
- **Registered children of the parish who receive envelopes are encouraged to drop their envelopes in the donation baskets.** Children are encouraged to donate money OR to share their good deeds by writing them on the envelopes. Talk with your children about ways they can give of their time, talents or treasures!
- **Faith Formation students in grades K-8** are involved in an *Earth Day Shoe Drive* competition to support *Soles4Souls*. Children can bring used or new shoes to their Faith Formation classrooms until Earth Day, April 22. Classes that collect the most shoes will receive a prize. Sponsored by the WFCC Parish Life Team. Help fight poverty!
- **Camp Totus Tuus 2015:** Students entering grades 4 – 6 can attend Camp Totus Tuus from July 26 – 28; those entering grades 7 – 12 can attend from July 28 – 30. Mark your calendars!

LADIES GUILD:

- Because of the success of the silent auction the ladies of the Guild have voted to eliminate the Soup and Pie Supper and

the No-Bake Bake Sale. Please continue to support the Guild by participating in the next Silent Auction to be held at the fish fry on March 27. Items will be available for bidding on March 14.

- **"WINE AND ROSES" SILENT AUCTION**, sponsored by the Guild, is planned for March 27th, in conjunction with the Knights of Columbus fish fry. All the women of the parish are members of the Guild, and everyone is expected to participate in this fund raiser by donating items to auction, or cash, or helping in some other way, such as setup, etc. You should be contacted by your circle leaders. Please be generous with your time and treasures. Items/cash need to be dropped off at the church office before March 17th. If you have questions, contact JoAnne Jenness, 873-3785.



BUDGET REPORT 2014-2015	
Income needed by 30 June 2015:	\$141,678.70
Income needed each week:	\$2,724.59
Income received since 1 July 2014:	\$102,953.63

3/5/2015

ACTIVITIES CALENDAR

MONDAY—MARCH 9

Third Monday of Lent

8:00 a.m. Morning Prayer (III) - Movable
8:00 p.m. Morning Prayer - Kingsley

TUESDAY—MARCH 10

Third Tuesday of Lent

8:00 a.m. Morning Prayer - Movable
8:00 a.m. Eucharist [*People of WFCC*] - Kingsley
7:00 p.m. Eucharist [*Vocations*] - Movable
7:30 p.m. KC8232 Meeting - Movable

WEDNESDAY—MARCH 11

Third Wednesday of Lent

6:30 a.m. Lenten Breakfast - ICC
8:00 a.m. Eucharist [*Michael J. Mullen+*] - Movable
8:00 a.m. Morning Prayer - Kingsley
9:15 a.m. Catholic Scripture Study - Movable
4:00 p.m. Reconciliation - Movable
4:00 p.m. Faith Formation [PS-4] - Kingsley
4:00 p.m. Faith Formation [PS-5] - Movable
7:00 p.m. Reconciliation - Movable
7:00 p.m. Faith Formation [5-12] - Kingsley
7:00 p.m. Faith Formation [6-12] - Movable
7:00 p.m. SMC Guild Meeting - Kingsley

THURSDAY—MARCH 12

Third Thursday of Lent

8:00 a.m. Eucharist [*Lorraine McDermott+*] - Kingsley
8:00 a.m. Morning Prayer - Movable
12:30 p.m. PieceMakers - Movable
6:30 p.m. Sunday Scripture Study - Movable
7:00 p.m. PieceMakers - Movable
7:31 p.m. WFCC Youth Ministry Core Team Meeting - Movable

FRIDAY—MARCH 13

Third Friday of Lent

7:30 a.m. Eucharist [*People of WFCC*] - Movable
1:15 p.m. RCIA Class - Movable
4:30 p.m. Stations of the Cross - Kingsley
7:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross - Movable

SATURDAY—MARCH 14

Third Saturday of Lent

4:00-4:15 p.m. Reconciliation - Kingsley
4:30 p.m. Eucharist [*Robert Honkomp+*] - Kingsley
6:00-6:15 p.m. Reconciliation - Movable
6:30 p.m. Eucharist [*People of WFCC*] - Movable

SUNDAY—MARCH 15

Fourth Sunday of Lent

7:30-7:45 a.m. Reconciliation - Movable
8:00 a.m. Eucharist [*Living/Deceased Members of Guild*] - Movable
9:00 a.m. Coffee/Juice/Rolls (Guild) - Movable
9:30-9:45 a.m. Reconciliation - Kingsley
10:00 a.m. Eucharist [*People of WFCC*] - Kingsley
11:15 a.m. RCIA - Kingsley

**WHAT'S HAPPENING
IN OUR PARISH**

MINISTERS' ASSIGNMENTS

St. Michael, Kingsley

SATURDAY MARCH 14 4:30 P.M.

Altar Servers: Allison Bailey, Abbi Bailey
Reader(s): Austin Grubb, Val Sitzmann
Cantor: Volunteer
Organist: Morgan Cronin
Gifts: Volunteer
Communion: Amy Bailey, Monica Eldridge, Bill Sitzmann
Greeters: Shelly Bohlke, Dan Mockler
Ushers: Tim & Debbie Dirksen

SUNDAY MARCH 15 10:00 A.M.

Altar Servers: Hanna Koch, Sydney Seuntjens
Reader(s): Shayley Haggin, Lois Galles
Cantor: Juile Leekley
Organist: Morgan Cronin
Gifts: Volunteer
Communion: Jan Meister, Barb Sitzmann, John Galles
KNH: Alice Seuntjens
Greeters: Bob & Ann Plendl
Ushers: Jon Neumann, Jamie Sitzmann
Collection
Counters: Linda Schlotman, Amber Schweitzberger



Immaculate Conception, Movable

SATURDAY MARCH 14 6:30 P.M.

Altar Servers: Anthony Baird, Volunteer
Reader(s): Nick Hytrek
Cantor: *A Junior Mint*
Organist: Laura Krajcicek
Gifts: Michael Baird Family
Communion: Allyson Bennett, Volunteer
Ushers: Volunteer, Volunteer

SUNDAY MARCH 15 8:00 A.M.

Altar Servers: Erika Kuntz, Suzanne Putze
Reader(s): Jenny Crew
Cantor: Gene Handke
Organist: Millie Wycoff
Gifts: Eilene Foster
Communion: Chris Hoelker, Chuck Hoelker, Kim Treiber
CharMac: Elaine Ketelsen
Ushers: Arnold Grell, Jim Gries
Collection
Counters: Matthew Putze, Lorrie Reinsch-Boothby

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS: Ella Bahmer, Leonard Beaver, Juanita Beaubien, Jim Behrens, Bud Busch, Donna Clark, Virginia Connelly, Mary Drevs, Pauline Dugan, Kara Funk, Charlotte Honkomp, Virginia & Walt Kabisch, Wes Keller, Millie Kisting, Dale Leekley, Joan McCain, Patricia McConnell, Kay Miller, Shirley Neustrom, Amy Niewohner, Bob/Patricia Rogers, Judy Schroeder, Sylvesta Slota, Dan Strachan, Bernice Timmins, Marcella Thomas, Jeune Vondrak, Gerry Weinriech, Emmet Woltman, Chuck Wilcox, Millie Wycoff, and the men and women serving in the military and police.

ICC SANCTUARY LIGHT [MARCH 8-14] burns for **Leona Barcus+** at the request of **James & Cindy Hesse**.

Weeks available after March 28.

SMC SANCTUARY LIGHT [MARCH 8-14] burns for **Joe & Virginia Otterpohl+** at the request of **Susie Ahlquist**.

Weeks available after March 14.



RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA) and RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF CHILDREN (RCIC) is the process by which the Catholic Church prepares and welcomes new members who are over the age of [7] seven and who

have either not been baptized or have been baptized in other faith communities and who were baptized in the Catholic Church but not raised Catholic and wish to join the Catholic Church. This process includes learning sessions and prayer with the catechumens (those who have not been baptized) and with the candidates (those who have been baptized).

PRAY ESPECIALLY FOR:

Virginia C. Otterpohl, mother to Susie (Rickie) Ahlquist, grandmother to Nikki Ahlquist, who passed away February 25.

Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her. May her soul and all the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

IMPORTANT DATES

- March 17, 7:00 p.m.: ICC Pastoral Council Meeting [M]
- March 18, 6:30 a.m.: Lenten Breakfast [TLC]
- March 20, 4:30 p.m.: Stations of the Cross [K]
- March 20, 7:00 p.m.: Stations of the Cross [M]
- March 21: Diocesan Men's Conference [LeMars]
- March 21, 10:00 a.m.: Community Basket Distribution [TBA]
- March 21, 7:30 p.m.: WFCC Trivia Night [M]
- March 24, 6:30-8:00 p.m.: ICC First Eucharist Learning Stations [M]
- March 24, 7:00 p.m.: ICC Faith Formation Team Meeting [M]
- March 25, 6:30 a.m.: Lenten Breakfast [New Hope]
- March 25, 4:00 p.m.: Adoration/Benediction [M]
- March 25, 7:00 p.m.: Adoration/Benediction [M]
- March 26, 3:30-8:00 p.m.: SMC First Eucharist Learning Centers [K]
- March 27, 4:00-7:00 p.m.: KC8232 Fish Fry [M]
- March 27, 4:00-7:00 p.m.: ICC Guild Silent Auction [M]
- March 27, 4:30 p.m.: Stations of the Cross [K]
- March 27, 7:30 p.m.: Stations of the Cross [M]
- March 29, 9:00 a.m.: WFCC YM Breakfast [M]

INCOME/EXPENSES LAST WEEK
IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH

Adult Envelopes \$2,185.00 (63 Envelopes)
 Youth Envelopes* \$13.50 (17 Envelopes)
 Loose \$259.25
 Black & Indian Mission..... \$30.00 (4 Envelopes)
 Catholic Relief Services..... \$5.00 (1 Envelope)
 Interest Income \$4.14
Total Income..... \$2,496.89
 Needed Each Week \$2,724.59
Total Parish Expenses..... \$3,399.46

ST. MICHAEL CHURCH

Adult Envelopes \$1,623.00 (38 Envelopes)
 Youth Envelopes* \$14.00 (10 Envelopes)
 Loose \$723.11
 Black & Indian Mission..... \$5.00 (1 Envelope)
 Cemetery Income..... \$525.00
 Flower Fund \$5.00 (1 Envelope)
 Interest Income \$6.87
 Rent..... \$425.00
 Sale of Basement Equipment .. \$100.00
 Youth Ministry-NET Ministries.... \$25.00
 Youth Ministry-Steubenville \$75.00
Total Income..... \$3,526.98
 Needed Each Week \$2,877.89
Total Expenses..... \$6,165.21

***Time/Talent quotes from youth envelopes:**

Movie: none

Kingsley: "Helped clean", "Helped make breakfast"

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GIFTS!

RATINGS FOR MOVIES IN LOCAL THEATERS

American Sniper [A-III; R]
 Big Hero 6 [A-II; PG]
 Black or White [A-III; PG-13]
Chappie [TBA; R]
 The Duff [A-III; PG-13]
 Fifty Shades of Grey [O; R]
 Focus [L; R]
 The Hobbit: The Battle of the Five Armies [A-II; PG-13]
 Hot Tub Time Machine 2 [O; R]
 The Imitation Game [A-III; PG-13]
 Into the Woods [A-III; PG]
 Jupiter Ascending [A-III; PG-13]
 Kingsman: The Secret Service [A-III; R]
 The Lazarus Effect [A-III; PG-13]
 McFarland, USA [A-II; PG]
 Night at the Museum: Secret of the Tomb [A-II; PG]
 Paddington [A-II; PG]
 Penguins of Madagascar [A-I; PG]
 Project Almanac [A-III; PG-13]
The Second Best Exotic Marigold Hotel [A-III; PG]
 The SpongeBob Movie: Sponge Out of Water [A-I; PG]
 Still Alice [A-III; PG-13]
 Taken 3 [A-III; PG-13]
Unfinished Business [TBA; R]
 The Wedding Ringer [O; R]

A-I -- general patronage

A-II -- adults and adolescents

A-III -- adults

O -- morally offensive

L -- limited adult audience; films whose problematic content many adults would find troubling.

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Bolded Movies/Ratings are new this week

FIND THE ANSWER GAME (Answer is hidden this week's bulletin and on the parish website.): What chocolate-covered candy did *Seinfeld's* Kramer accidentally drop into a patient during an operation?

DID YOU KNOW THAT...Earth orbits the sun at an average speed of 29.79 km/s (18.51 miles/sec), or about 107 000 km/h (about 67,000 miles/hour)?

A THOUGHT: "I can write better than anybody who can write faster, and I can write faster than anybody who can write better." - A. J. Liebling (1904-1963)

RESPECT FOR LIFE: How ... do we best respond to couples struggling with infertility? First, we must acknowledge their pain and accompany them in their suffering. — "Children as Commodities?", 2014 Respect Life Program USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities

From the Code of Canon Law (the law of the Roman Catholic Church) ON THE TEMPORAL GOODS OF THE CHURCH

can. 1260 The Church has an innate right to require from the Christian faithful whatever is necessary for the ends proper to it.

VOCATION VIEW: Do we demand signs or do we hear the Lord speaking to our heart? (1 Corinthians 1:22-25)

STEWARDSHIP: "You shall not covet" is perhaps a difficult commandment to keep in our consumer-oriented society. But as Christian stewards, we know that we are the recipients and caretakers of God's many gifts. May this understanding that *all* is gift help us be less resentful of the gifts of others.



IF YOU ARE HOSPITALIZED: Because of privacy laws, when you or a family member is hospitalized, hospitals are not permitted to contact your pastor unless you inform the admitting personnel you wish to have your pastor notified. Otherwise, you or a member of your family should contact the parish office if you wish a visit. Please keep the parish office informed of your pastoral needs so your needs can be addressed in a timely fashion and you can be remembered in prayer.

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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

EUCCHARIST:

Saturday: 4:30 p.m.-Kingsley; 6:30 p.m.-Moville

Sunday: 8:00 a.m.-Moville; 10:00 a.m.-Kingsley

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

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

RECONCILIATION:

Saturday: 4:00-4:15 p.m.-Kingsley, 6:00-6:15 p.m.-Moville

Sunday: 7:30-7:45 a.m.-Moville, 9:30-9:45 a.m.-Kingsley

Other times by appointment

MORNING PRAYER:

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

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.

THOSE DISCERNING GOD'S CALL to be a priest, deacon, sister, or brother, may speak with the pastor or call the Diocesan Vocation office at 712-255-7933.

WEST FORK CATHOLIC COMMUNITY RENTAL POLICY: Persons wishing to rent out either parish hall for non-parish functions (i.e. meetings, showers, dinners, etc.), need to call the parish office to check on availability and make arrangements. Signing a Hall Rental Agreement and fees are due before using the hall.

NEW PARISHIONERS should contact the parish office to register in the parish.

ALL PARISHIONERS are asked to contact the parish office if you have a change in address, school, parish, marital status, etc. Thank you!