



WEST FORK CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

Immaculate Conception Catholic Church

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St. Joseph Catholic Church

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ACTIVITIES CALENDAR

MONDAY—JULY 17

Fifteenth Monday in Ordinary Time
MOVILLE OFFICE CLOSED
7:30 a.m. Rosary - Merville

TUESDAY—JULY 18

Fifteenth Tuesday in Ordinary Time
7:30 a.m. Rosary - Merville
8:00 a.m. Eucharist [Mary Dreves+] - Merville

WEDNESDAY—JULY 19

Fifteenth Wednesday in Ordinary Time
7:30 a.m. Rosary - Merville
8:00 a.m. Eucharist [People of WFCC] - Anthon

THURSDAY—JULY 20

Fifteenth Thursday in Ordinary Time
7:30 a.m. Rosary - Merville
8:00 a.m. Eucharist [Norma Sheehan-Tentinger+] - Kingsley
7:30 p.m. ICC Faith Formation/Youth Ministry Meeting - Merville

FRIDAY—JULY 21

Fifteenth Friday in Ordinary Time
All Day Steubenville Conference - St. Louis
7:30 a.m. Rosary - Merville
10:00 a.m. Eucharist [People of WFCC] - Correctionville Specialty Care

SATURDAY—JULY 22

Saint Mary Magdalene
All Day Steubenville Conference - St. Louis
8:00 a.m. ICC Fair Stand Clean-Up - WCFCG
5:00 p.m. Eucharist [Mary Yanacheak+] - Anthon

SUNDAY—JULY 23

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
All Day Steubenville Conference - St. Louis
8:00 a.m. Eucharist [Joseph L. King+] - Merville
9:00 a.m. Coffee/Juice/Rolls (KC8232) - Merville
10:00 a.m. Eucharist [People of WFCC] - Kingsley

WHAT'S HAPPENING
IN OUR PARISH

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>
LIKE US ON FACEBOOK! Search for West Fork Catholic Community.

16 July 2017

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS if you are wishing to put an announcement in the bulletin please email icmerville@wiatel.net by 5:00 p.m. on the Thursday before the weekend.

ACH GIVING NOW AVAILABLE! For all of our Parishioners at West Fork Catholic Community is now offering an alternative to writing a weekly or monthly check. Join our Automated Giving Program and have your financial stewardship offering transferred directly to the parish account. Call the parish office for more information.

AMAZONSMILE - Support Immaculate Conception, St. Joseph or St. Michael when you shop at <http://smile.amazon.com>. Amazon donates a percentage of the sale to the church of your choice. Visit the cluster website under About\Support our Mission page for an easy link.

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WANTED: GROUNDSKEEPER FOR ST. MICHAEL IN KINGSLEY to mow and trim the parish and cemetery lawns and grounds. Contact the parish office if you are interested or know someone who would have an interest in this position at 712-873-3644 for an application and job description. Position is open until filled.

FEAST OF OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL- JULY 16

The feast of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel was instituted among the Carmelites in c.1880 as a feast of thanksgiving in commemoration of favors received through the intercession of the Blessed Virgin. It was assigned to 16 July, the traditional date on which the Blessed Mother appeared to Saint Simon Stock and gave him the brown scapular (1251). Sixtus V approved the feast, 1587, and 1609 it became the patronal feast of the Carmelite Order. Pope Benedict XIII extended it to the entire Latin Church, 1126.

WW.FORMED.ORG To learn more, register/login at Formed.org. Use the parish code f8d652. Here are a few suggestions relating to Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, you may find interesting.

Video: No Greater Love

Audiobook: The World's First Love

Audio: Mary: Handmaid of the Lord



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MASS OFFERINGS AND SANCTUARY LIGHTS for West Fork Catholic Community Parishes will be scheduled and taken care of at the Movable Parish Office. If you have questions please contact the parish office at 712-873-3644.

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!**

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!

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).

TRINITY HEIGHTS/QUEEN OF PEACE:

- **Trinity Heights and the Diocese of Sioux City** are presenting a special ticketed event to mark the 100th anniversary of the apparitions of Our Lady of Fatima. **The Pathway to Peace Conference** will be held at the Sioux City Convention Center on August 5 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Advance registrations are now being offered for \$25, lunch included. For more information, call the Queen of Peace Office at 712-239-8670.
- Unique opportunities to serve the Lord as a volunteer at Trinity Heights/Queen of Peace at the St. Josephs Center are available now. We are open 7 days a week and are in need of your time and talent. Please call Margie Lancaster at 712-239-9158. Thank you! God will reward you!

RACHEL'S VINEYARD RETREAT Still hurting after an abortion? God has forgiven you but you can't forgive yourself? Confidential, caring Rachel's Vineyard Retreat for post-abortion healing; women, men, and couples July 28-30, near Carroll, IA, \$200 per person. Email rachelshelpersofiowa@gmail.com or call 712-943-5550 for more information.

St. Joseph Church - Anthon

INCOME/EXPENSES LAST WEEK

Adult Envelopes	\$775.00
Loose	\$123.00
Total Income	\$898.00
*Time/Talent quotes from youth envelopes: none	

OUR PRAYER LIST/TREE contact person is Beth Sauser, 373-5585.

"PRAYERS FOR THOSE IN SERVICE TO OUR COUNTRY" Please keep our service men & women on active duty in your prayers: and if you wish to write: Sgt. James F. Moody 6939A Shaw Valley R.D. STFT Campbell, KY 42223"

WELCOME GATHERING St. Joseph's - Anthon is planning a Welcome Gathering for Msgr. Duchaine and our new parishioners. Our gathering will be on Saturday, July 29th, after the 5:00 p.m. Mass and will be held in our church basement. Everyone is invited to attend!

SJC SANCTUARY LIGHT [JULY 16-22] burns for the **People of WFCC.**

Weeks available until January 2018.

St. Michael Church - Kingsley (Est. 1888)

INCOME/EXPENSES LAST WEEK

Adult Envelopes	\$1,244.00 (30 Envelopes)
Youth Envelopes*	\$9.00 (6 Envelopes)
Loose	\$317.00
"Save Our Windows"	\$3,540.00
Total Income	\$5,110.00
Needed Each Week.....	\$3,208.31
Total Expenses	\$2,767.96
*Time/Talent quotes from youth envelopes: none	

BUDGET REPORT 2017-2018

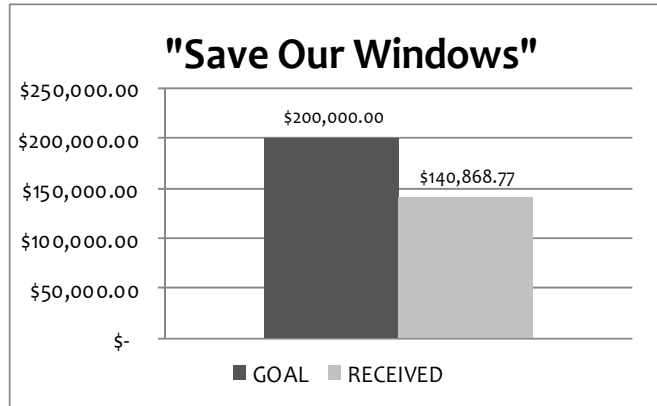
Income needed by 30 June 2017:	\$166,832.14
Income needed each week:	\$3,208.31
Income received since 1 July 2016:	\$4,095.00
	7/14/2017

**SMC SANCTUARY LIGHT [JULY 16-22] burns for
the People of WFCC.**

Weeks available until January 2018.

FROM THE DESK OF BARB SITZMANN, DRE:

- SAVE THE DATE- Sunday, August 20th at the 10 am Mass we will be having a backpack blessing for students and also a teacher/school employee blessing to kick off the new school year. We will also be having a hamburger/hot dog church social in the park after Mass. More details to come!
- I am in need of teachers for Faith Formation this coming fall. I need a 1st grade, 6th grade and 8th grade teacher. I am also in need of middle school and high school aides for the afternoon classes. Please consider doing this as a service to the youth of our parish.
- July 21st-23rd Steubenville MidAmerica Conference. Please prayer for the youth of our parishes (Sarah, Stephanie, Anthony, Austin, Shelby and Rachel) and for myself, as we will be attending the conference this coming weekend.
- November 16th-18th NCYC 2017



Immaculate Conception Church - Merville (Est. 1892)

INCOME/EXPENSES LAST WEEK

Adult Envelopes	\$1,806.00 (31 Envelopes)
Youth Envelopes*	\$6.00 (6 Envelopes)
Loose	\$138.00
DAA Refund.....	\$2,331.00
Interest Income	\$2.76
Peter's Pence	\$185.00 (5 Envelopes)
Total Income.....	\$4,468.76
Needed Each Week.....	\$3,617.40
Total Parish Expenses	\$3,927.54
*Time/Talent quotes from youth envelopes: none	

BUDGET REPORT 2017-2018

Income needed by 30 June 2017:	\$188,104.71
Income needed each week:	\$3,617.40
Income received since 1 July 2016:	\$6,969.76
	7/14/2017

**ICC SANCTUARY LIGHT [JULY 16-22] burns for
the People of WFCC.**

Weeks available until December 17, 2017.

FROM THE DESK OF ANGIE DUFFY, DFF:

- In search of catechists! If you know anyone who would like to model their faith by working with our youth, encourage them to become a catechist. Have them contact Angie at the Parish Office at 873-3644.
- YOUTH, are you interested in being a Faith Formation aid? If so please contact Angie or Alicia at the Parish Office, 873-3644.
- **July 21-23** Steubenville MidAmerica Conference.
- **September 6** Faith Formation Registration and Open House at 6:30 p.m. with parent meeting at 7:00 p.m.

FAIR STAND ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- If you are not able to work the day and time assigned, please make arrangements to switch with someone else, hire a substitute, and/or contact your shift chair. A list of volunteers is located at the sign up table in the parish hall. Report all changes to your Shift Chairman. If no Shift Chairman is available, please contact the Day Chairman. Thank you for not contacting the parish office to make shift changes.
- Fair Stand Cleaning will be done July 22, 8:00 a.m.-? at the fair stand. Everyone is welcome to assist with this initial major cleaning.
- **Fair Stand Final Cleaning and Setup will be done July 29, 8:00 a.m.-? at the fair stand. Everyone is welcome to assist with this final cleaning and major setup. Please meet at the north doors of the church at 8:00 a.m.**
- If you are willing to volunteer your help at an extra time, please sign up on the sheet in the parish hall.
- If you want to work for pay, please sign up on the sheet in the parish hall.
- If you are interested in making pies for a charge or for free, please sign up on the sheet in the parish hall.
- **OUR FAIR STAND IS A WAY TO BRING PEOPLE TOGETHER TO BECOME BETTER ACQUAINTED AND HAVE A GOOD TIME.**
- **OUR FAIR STAND HAS A GOOD REPUTATION AND IT IS ALL BECAUSE OF YOUR EFFORTS. KEEP UP THE GOOD WORK!!!!**



MINISTERS' ASSIGNMENTS

St. Joseph-Anthon

SATURDAY JULY 22 5:00 P.M.

Altar Servers: Cameron O'Connell, Hannah O'Connell
Reader(s): Donna Cunningham
Organist: Kathy Clarkson
Guitarist: Jim Rusch
Gifts: Kevin Clausen Family
Communion: Skip Welte, Ruth Groth, Bernie Ketelsen

St. Michael-Kingsley

THURSDAY JULY 20 8:00 A.M.

Altar Servers: Kaylinn Seuntjens, Emma Sitzmann
Altar Servers: Teagan Eickholt, Zach Korynta, Emma Sitzmann
Reader(s): Austin Korynta, Jan Meister
Cantor: Julie Leekley
Organist: Jolene Spooner
Gifts: Neal Rolling Family
Communion: Monica Eldridge, Corey Sitzmann, Marie McClure
KNH: Karen Malm
Greeters: Lisa Carlson, Barb Sitzmann
Ushers: Perry Slota, Tim Carlson
Collection Counters: Shelly Krieg, Becky Sitzmann

Immaculate Conception-Moville

SUNDAY JULY 23 8:00 A.M.

Altar Servers: Paige Glackin, Charlee Petersen, Brand Beaver
Reader(s): Carol Glackin
Cantor: Del Mandl
Organist: James Gates
Gifts: Steve Bechen Family
Communion: Cindy Hesse, Becky Moodie, Richard Sands
CharMac: Kay Sands
Ushers: Butch Grell, Volunteer
Collection Counters: Matthew Putze, Julia Brockhaus

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS: Clarice Bainbridge, Leonard Beaver, Juanita Beaubien, Jim Berens, Tom/Donna Clark, Hilda Drago, Pauline Dugan, Kara Funk, Charlotte Honkomp, Virginia & Walt Kabisch, Millie Kisting, Harold Kloewer, Veronica Koebel, Max McConnell, Patricia McConnell, Stanley Nilles, Beverly Petekavich, Patricia Rogers, Jim Roger, Shane Sampson, Glen Schlotman, Judy Schroeder, Sylvesta Slota, Harlan/Fairy Steffe, Marcella Thomas, Jeune Vondrak, Gerry Weinriech, Emmet Woltman, and the men and women serving in the military and police.

WEST FORK CATHOLIC COMMUNITY INFORMATION

ADMINISTRATOR/PASTOR: Msgr. Mark Duchaine 712-873-3644
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IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH: 712-873-3644
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Custodian-Church & Rectory: Consetia Carley
Maintenance: Bob Weatherly

ST. JOSEPH CHURCH HALL: 712-373-5696
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ST. MICHAEL CHURCH HALL: 712-378-2722
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Director of Faith Formation: Barbara Sitzmann **cell:** 712-251-8567
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Custodian-Church: Jan Meister / **Assistant Custodian-Church:** Jolene Spooner / **Custodian-FF Center:** Sonya Hamman
Groundskeeper: TBD

WFCC [MOVILLE] OFFICE HOURS:
Mon.—Fri. 8:30 a.m.-noon, 12:30-4:30 p.m.
 Other times by appointment

EUCCHARIST:
Saturday: 5:00 p.m.-Anthon
Sunday: 8:00 a.m.-Moville, 10:00 a.m.-Kingsley
Tuesday: 8:00 a.m.-Moville
Wednesday: 8:00 a.m.-Anthon
Thursday: 8:00 a.m.-Kingsley

ROSARY:
 Monday-Friday: 7:00 a.m.—Moville

IMPORTANT DATES

- July 28, 11:00 a.m.: Eucharist [CharMac]
- July 29, 8:00 a.m.: ICC Fair Stand Setup [WCFG]
- July 29, 6:00 p.m.: SJC Welcoming Gathering [A]
- July 31-August 6: Woodbury County Fair
- August 4, 10:00 a.m.: Eucharist [KNH]
- August 8, 7:00 p.m.: Eucharist [M]
- August 8, 7:30 p.m.: KC8232 Meeting [M]
- August 11, 11:00 a.m.: Eucharist [CharMac]
- August 12, 8:00 a.m.: ICC Fair Stand Preclean/Winterize [WCFG]
- August 13, 9:00 a.m.: Coffee/Juice/Rolls (KC8232) [M]
- August 15, 6:30 p.m.: ICC Pastoral Council Meeting [M]
- August 15, 8:00 p.m.: ICC Finance Council Meeting [M]
- August 17, 6:30 p.m.: SMC Parish Council Meeting [K]
- August 17, 8:00 p.m.: SMC Finance Council Meeting [K]
- August 18, 10:00 a.m.: Eucharist [Correctionville Specialty Care]
- August 18, TBA: Wedding Rehearsal (Brown/Roepke) [M]
- August 19, TBA: Wedding (Brown/Roepke) [M]
- August 20, 9:00 a.m.: Coffee/Juice/Rolls (Guild) [M]
- August 22, 7:00 p.m.: SJC Parish/Finance Council Meeting [A]
- August 22, 7:00 p.m.: ICC Building/Grounds Team Meeting [M]
- August 25, TBA: Wedding Rehearsal (Cotter/Seuntjens) [K]
- August 26, TBA: Wedding (Cotter/Seuntjens) [K]
- August 27, 9:00 a.m.: Coffee/Juice/Rolls (KC8232) [M]
- September 3, 9:00 a.m.: Coffee/Juice/Rolls (Guild) [M]
- September 5, 7:00 p.m.: ICC Guild Meeting [M]