

# Mary Immaculate Parish



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28<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time  
October 14 and 15, 2017

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## Mass Schedule



**Saturday Mass: 4:00pm**

Months of October - March at St. Mary's

Months of April - September at Immaculate Conception

**Sunday Mass: 8:00am at St. Mary's**

9:30am at Immaculate Conception

**Recitation of the Rosary 1/2 hour before Weekend Masses**

**Daily Mass: 8:30am**

Tuesday & Thursday at Immaculate Conception

Wednesday & Friday at St. Mary's

**Holy Day Mass Schedule:** as announced in the bulletin

**Confessions:** 3:15 – 3:45pm Saturdays at Saturday Mass Site  
or by appointment.

## *Welcome!*

No matter what your present status in the Catholic Church; no matter your current family or marital situation; no matter your personal history, age, income, background, gender, race, ethnicity or spirituality; no matter your own self-image of holiness or virtue –

You belong to Jesus Christ and you belong to us! You are invited, accepted and respected here at Mary Immaculate Parish.

We want to share our Roman Catholic way of faith and life in Christ with you!

***“Mother Mary; I Love You! Help me at the hour of my death! Amen!”***

## MASS SCHEDULE

### WEEKEND:

#### Saturday, 4:00pm – October 14 in Pavilion

Intention: Stephanie Colantonio  
(Anniversary of Death)  
By: David and Ron Colantonio

#### Sunday, 8:00am – October 15 in Pavilion

Intention: Eleanor Sepor (RIP)  
By: Dawn & Gus Bertrand

#### Sunday, 9:30am – October 15 in East Bethany

Intention: Larry Muscarella (RIP)  
By: Geraldine Dougherty

#### Saturday, 4:00pm – October 21 in Pavilion

Intention: Mary Immaculate Parishioners – For  
their intentions  
By: Father Innocent

#### Sunday, 8:00am – October 22 in Pavilion

Intention: Jerry Rider, Sr.  
(9 year Anniversary of Death)  
By: The Rider Family

#### Sunday, 9:30am – October 22 in East Bethany

Intention: Robert Blakeslee (RIP)  
By: Mom, Dad, Brothers & Sisters

### DAILY MASS: 8:30 am

**Tuesday and Thursday in East Bethany**  
**Wednesday and Friday in Pavilion**

#### Tuesday, October 17 – St. Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop and Martyr

Intention: The Amberger Family - For what they ask  
of God the most  
By: Father Innocent

#### Wednesday, October 18 – Saint Luke, Evangelist

Intention: Mark Cupicha – Thanking God for the  
gift of his faith as a Catholic  
By: Father Innocent

#### Thursday, Oct. 19 – Sts. John de Brubeuf and Isaac Jogues, Priests

Intention: William & Stacy Corcoran – For the  
repose of the souls of their departed loved ones  
By: Father Innocent

#### Friday, October 20 – Weekday

Intention: Daniel & Margaret Logsdon – For the  
grace of good health of mind and body in the family  
By: Father Innocent

### PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK:

Roberta Graney, Joan Dowdell, Rose Gould, Cindy  
Bishop, Tom Gulczynski, Julia Barniak, Debbie  
Paschke, Cathleen Vania, Joseph Dean, Donald  
“Gene” Toal, David Welliver, Emma Burkell,  
Father Richard, Father Kemp and Father Innocent

### PLEASE REMEMBER OUR NURSING HOME

PARISHIONERS: Audrey McNulty, Martha  
Morgan and Allan Carlson.

### PRAY FOR THOSE SERVING IN THE

MILITARY: Joseph Stanley, Maj. Jason Palermo,  
W2 Christian Koch, Dan Murphy, Alex Roth, Tim  
Stalica, Jady Gray, Jakob Kosiorek, Paul Agan Jr.,  
Mst. Sgt. Nicholas Boyer, Brett Sheffer,  
Captain Mathieu Philie, SFC Jay Knower, Michael  
Rigoni, Mark Wilkinsen and Sgt. Mike Steffenella

PARISH COUNCIL MEETINGS: All interested  
persons are welcome to attend:

**October 19, 2017 – 7:00pm – East Bethany**

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: Held at Immaculate  
Conception Hall - Starting in September.  
Time: 10:40 AM – 12:10 PM

### MARY IMMACULATE PARISH COLLECTION REPORT

<b>Regular Collection: (10/7 &amp; 10/8)</b>	\$2,851.00
<b>Cemetery: (Cumulative)</b>	\$ 982.00
<b>Hurricane Harvey: (Cumulative)</b>	\$ 661.00

*Please make checks payable to  
“Mary Immaculate Parish”*

**If you, O Lord, should mark iniquities, Lord,  
who could stand? But with you is found  
forgiveness, O God of Israel.**

*Psalm 130 (129): 3-4*

**Lector**  
**Altar Server**  
**Eucharistic Minister**  
**Schedule:**

**Saturday, October 14 - 4:00pm - Pavilion**

**Lector:** Pat Tiede  
**Altar Servers:** Elijah & Jacob Iten  
**Eucharistic Ministers:** Bruce & Samantha Platek

**Sunday, October 15 - 8:00am - Pavilion**

**Lector:** Dawn Bertrand  
**Altar Servers:** John Callari  
Cathy Johnson  
**Eucharistic Ministers:** Patty Bodine  
Nellie Colvin

**Sunday, October 15 - 9:30am - East Bethany**

**Lector:** Lisa Bernard  
**Altar Servers:** Oscar Stringham  
Haley Nearhood  
Nathan Nearhood  
**Eucharistic Ministers:** Carol Wittman  
Debbie Schmidt

**Saturday, October 21 - 4:00pm - Pavilion**

**Lector:** Brian Dills  
**Altar Servers:** Sara & Samantha Platek  
**Eucharistic Ministers:** Christine Dailey  
Rae Snyder

**Sunday, October 22 - 8:00am - Pavilion**

**Lector:** Carol Pursel  
**Altar Servers:** John Callari  
Cathy Johnson  
**Eucharistic Ministers:** Cathy Johnson  
John Callari

**Sunday, October 22 - 9:30am - East Bethany**

**Lector:** Kathy Shepard  
**Altar Servers:** Shea Amberger  
Joey Forti  
**Eucharistic Ministers:** Ryan Shormann  
Debbie Schmidt

**PARISH BREAKFAST**

Our annual Parish Breakfast  
is today!!!

Please join us from 8:00am - noon at  
the Pavilion Firemen's Recreation Hall,  
Route 19 in Pavilion for an ALL YOU  
CAN EAT BUFFET BREAKFAST!!!

We will have our \$500.00 cash drawing,  
Basket Raffle, and Lottery Basket Raffle

Adults - \$8.00  
Children 5-12 - \$6.00  
under 5 - free

*Without the support we the parishioners give  
to our fundraisers, they are bound to fail.*

*Please plan to attend the Parish Breakfast in  
one weeks' time on Sunday, October 15<sup>th</sup>.*

*Thank you!*

*Father Innocent*

**BAKED FOOD SALE:** The Ladies of Charity will  
once again be having a baked food sale at the  
annual Mary Immaculate Parish Breakfast. The  
parishioners have always been very generous  
donating their time and baking expertise. I hope  
you will help us again this year.

*God Bless you,*

*Chairlady Nellie Colvin*

**UPCOMING RELIGIOUS EDUCATION DATES:**

October 22<sup>nd</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup>

**COLLECTION REMINDER:** If there is a situation  
where you have to attend weekend mass  
elsewhere, remember to use your collection  
envelope for Mary Immaculate Parish. In that  
way, the parish you attended mass at, will mail it  
back to us. This is very important because we  
need every DIME you are able to support the  
church with. Thank you!

*Father Innocent*

**PARISH COUNCIL:** There will be a Parish Council meeting next Thursday, October 19<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm at Immaculate Conception in East Bethany. All are welcome.

**ALL SOULS DAY:** Brothers and Sisters, it is once again that time of the year when we remember with love and nostalgia our departed loved ones. By that I mean, November – the month for the dead, beginning from November 2<sup>nd</sup>.

We will NEVER be done loving and remembering them, until we meet again with them in paradise.

Meanwhile; they need our help to make up for paradise. They need our masses, prayers and penance to make up for whatever remains of their guilts.

November is the most perfect month to do this. Are you ready to meet their longing expectations of you?

PLEASE; remember also the lonely: those who have nobody to remember and pray for them. God will certainly remember you for remembering them. Thank you! *Father Innocent*

**TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME:** Righteousness with God cannot be sought after with a sense of entitlement – only with humility and appreciation. What attitude accompanies your sense of vocation? If God is calling you to a Church vocation, call Fr. Andrew Lauricella at 716-847-5535. You can also check out the “Priest of the Month” stories on our website – [www.buffalovocations.org](http://www.buffalovocations.org).



**REQUESTING FOR MASSES:** If you would like to request a mass to be said, please contact the church office or use the monthly blue Mass Request envelopes that come with your envelope mailing. When you schedule a Mass, please remember that Masses are not just for praying for the repose of the souls of our departed loved ones. Masses can be said for your needs, or the needs of someone you know, for his or her recovery of health, for wedding anniversaries, birthday blessings, or in thanksgiving to God for favors received. It is one of the most gratifying things to do.

**SECOND COLLECTIONS FOR DISASTER RELIEF:** We are all aware of the terrible hardships people are facing because of recent hurricanes and earthquakes and their need for help. Aware in this Year of Mercy of our need to care for each other, Bishop Malone has authorized three special collections for the disaster victims.

**The collection for Hurricane Irma will be: Saturday and Sunday, October 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup>**

**The collection for Hurricane Maria and Mexican Earthquake will be: Saturday and Sunday, October 28<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup>**

May we please be touched by the extreme difficulties these people are going through and so give as generously as you can.

**MARRIAGE MOMENT:** Ways to Turn Your Beloved Off #3 - Let Noise Surround You. Some noises are happy and express life. But sometimes noise is just a distraction or an irritation. Is there enough quiet space in your relationship to simply be present to each other's graceful being?

**PARENTING PERSPECTIVE:** With Halloween approaching, we are immersed in "fake scariness." But sometimes children have real fears. Talking about ways that you overcame your own childhood fears can give your child hope. Movies/TV can often exaggerate danger and trigger fears.

**REGENERATE(d) 2017:** Sponsored by Branches Catholic Ministries, Regenerate(d) 2017 will take place again at the Scotiabank Convention Centre in Niagara Falls, Ontario on Saturday, November 18<sup>th</sup>. This year's theme is based upon one of the most important questions of our time, "What is Truth?" and how and where do we find it? In a culture that promotes that truth is relative how do we as Catholics respond? Keynote speakers such as Jennifer Fulwiler, Trent Horn, Dr. David Anders and Steve Weidenkopf will address atheism, relativism, the historical divisions in Christianity and how to discuss this with family and friends. For the first time Regenerate(d) Youth 2017 will run concurrently for ages 12 to 18 years. Early bird tickets are available now! To purchase tickets and more information about these conferences visit [www.branchesoftheword.org](http://www.branchesoftheword.org) or call Branches at 905-685-7000. If you are in need of financial assistance please contact [info@g02branches.com](mailto:info@g02branches.com).

**PANCAKE BREAKFAST:** The Knights of Columbus Kirby Council 0325 will be having an Open to the Public Pancake Breakfast Fundraiser

Sunday November 5th, 2017

St. Mary's Church Hall  
18 Ellicott St. Batavia NY  
8:00am - 11:00am

Breakfast includes all you can eat  
pancakes, sausage, eggs, juice, coffee, tea, milk

Adults \$5.00  
Children 4-12 \$3.00  
3 & under free

Door raffles and 50/50 drawing available

**FAITH MOMENT REFLECTION:** In today's gospel, Jesus tells the parable of a king whose invited guests refused to attend a wedding feast he had prepared for his son. Why in the world would they refuse to accept an invitation to a sumptuous banquet? Jesus uses the refusal of the king's invitation as a metaphor for our response to God. We are invited to God's abundant feast to share a special, loving relationship with him. But often we refuse to accept God's invitation to share in his feast and the eternal life he promises. Our refusal weakens our relationship with God and one another. Let's instead accept God's invitation and respond to it with love for one another. We give our relationship with God priority when we donate time, energy and resources to others in need. When we attend Mass and celebrate together. When we share our values and spirituality.

*Today's Faith Moment was provided by Christ the King Seminary. You can listen to Faith Moments on WLOF 101.7 FM, WBEN radio 930 AM, or at [www.faithmomentsonline.org](http://www.faithmomentsonline.org).*

*Silent Witness...*

*A rural church attender found himself in New York City on the Lord's Day. Right across the street from his hotel was a huge gothic church with the tallest steeple he had ever seen. He decided to attend service there. Entering the sanctuary he found an atmosphere far different from his country church back home. The pipe organ and formally dressed ushers seemed strange, but they didn't deter him from shouting out "amen" when the minister made a particularly good point. Everyone in the church turned around and stared, and an usher came running down the aisle.*

*"You must not talk out loud," warned the usher.*

*"But", protested the rustic visitor, "I've got religion."*

*"Well," said the usher, "you did not get it here!"*



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TO BE BROUGHT TO THE ATTENTION OF YOUR PEOPLE IN A  
SIGNIFICANT MANNER THE WEEK BEFORE THE COLLECTION

September 25, 2017

Dear Friends in Christ,

On **World Mission Sunday, October 22**, our celebration leads us to hear of our Christian faith – leads us to mission, as Pope Francis explains in his message for this year's celebration.

The collection on the next-to-last Sunday in October is unique. It is truly a global effort for the entire Church. It is a central moment each year to provide for the building up of over one thousand local churches in Asia and Africa, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe.

I invite all of us in the Diocese of Buffalo, to see World Mission Sunday as a special moment of encounter with the Pope's missions throughout the world. Meeting the priests, religious and lay leaders who, day in and day out, witness to the Gospel and serve the poor, will, as Pope Francis says, *"enable the missionary heart of Christian communities to join in prayer, testimony of life and communion of goods, in responding to the vast and pressing needs of evangelization."*

I echo the words of our Holy Father, asking you to open your hearts as you connect on World Mission Sunday with every corner of the globe.

Grateful always for your generosity of spirit and heart, and confident of your missionary commitment to share the joy of the Gospel and help the poor.

Yours sincerely in Christ,

Most Reverend Richard Malone  
Bishop of Buffalo

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