

Mary Immaculate Parish



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Our Lord Jesus Christ,
King of the Universe
November 25 and 26, 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 – November 25 in Pavilion

Intention: Daniel Laurie (RIP)

By: Ralph & Betty Worthington

Sunday, 8:00am – November 26 in Pavilion

Intention: Daniel & Katherine Connor (RIP)

By: Louise Lynch

Sunday, 9:30am – November 26 in East Bethany

Intention: Howard Schmidt (RIP)

By: Family

Saturday, 4:00pm – December 2 in Pavilion

Intention: Mary Immaculate Parishioners -
For their intentions

By: Father Innocent

Sunday, 8:00am – December 3 in Pavilion

Intention: Pete & Mary Jane Logsdon (RIP)

By: The Bodine Family

Sunday, 9:30am – December 3 in East Bethany

Intention: Gregory Moscicki (RIP)

By: Family

DAILY MASS: 8:30 am

Tuesday and Thursday in East Bethany
Wednesday and Friday in Pavilion

**NO FURTHER DAILY MASSES
UNTIL FRIDAY, DECEMBER 15th.**



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: Next meeting, December 21st at Immaculate Conception. All interested persons are welcome to attend:

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

MARY IMMACULATE PARISH COLLECTION REPORT

Regular Collection: (11/18 & 11/19)	\$2,632.00
All Souls: (Cumulative)	\$ 452.00
Campaign for Human Development: (Cumulative)	\$ 586.00

*Please make checks payable to
"Mary Immaculate Parish"*

How worthy is the Lamb who was slain, to receive power and divinity, and wisdom and strength and honor. To him belong glory and power for ever and ever.

Revelation 5:12; 1:6

Lector
Altar Server
Eucharistic Minister
Schedule:

Saturday, November 25 – 4:00pm – Pavilion

Lector: Pat Tiede
Altar Servers: Sara & Samantha Platek
Eucharistic Ministers: Bruce & Samantha Platek

Sunday, November 26 – 8:00am – Pavilion

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

Sunday, November 26 – 9:30am – East Bethany

Lector: Kathy Shepard
Altar Servers: Shea Amberger
Hailey & Nathan
Nearhood
Eucharistic Ministers: Carol Wittman
Debbie Schmidt

Saturday, December 2 – 4:00pm – Pavilion

Lector: Brian Dills
Altar Servers: Emma & Eric Cline
Eucharistic Ministers: Christine Dailey
Rae Snyder

Sunday, December 3 – 8:00am – Pavilion

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

Sunday, December 3 – 9:30am – East Bethany

Lector: Mike Jackson
Altar Servers: Francine Stringham
Joey Forti
Eucharistic Ministers: Ryan Shormann
Carol Wittman

UPCOMING RELIGIOUS EDUCATION DATES:

December 3rd and 10th

WELCOME! We welcome Father Jim Fugle at our weekend masses who will be filling in for Father Innocent while he is away. Thank you Father Fugle, we appreciate you giving your time to our parish!

COFFEE HOUR: There will be a coffee hour after 8:00am Mass *next Sunday, December 3rd* at Conlin Hall. All are welcome!

WINTER WEAR COLLECTION: Pavilion United Methodist is holding their annual collection of men's hats/mittens/gloves FOR MEN at the Community Mission in Niagara Falls. A group of their parishioners will take the items down to the Mission on Saturday, December 16th. Last season the parishioners of Mary Immaculate Parish were a very large part of the collection and the Methodist community welcomes our help again this year.

LECTOR BOOKS: The 2018 Lector Books are available at the back of each church. If you are a lector, please take the book with your name on it. Thank you.

ATTENTION SNOWBIRDS! If you are a snowbird, please be sure to let the office know if you want your envelopes held until your return. If you prefer, you can mail in your contributions during your time away.

CHRISTMAS CAROLING: On Saturday, December 9th at 2:00pm, there will be Christmas Caroling in the Town Park's Gazebo. There will also be hot cocoa and cookies. This event is hosted by Pavilion United Methodist Church. All are welcome!

THANK YOU! Thank you to all the folks that celebrated this year's Ecumenical Service at Pavilion's Methodist Church! There were about 50 neighbors from our community and surrounding areas in attendance. It was a lovely service with beautiful music and a very meaningful Thanksgiving Message for us all to begin our Holidays with! We look forward to making this a yearly celebration so please keep the date November 18th, 2018 on your calendars for next years' Service!

THE GIVING/GARLAND TREE: The Giving Tree and Giving Garland is now under way. Hurray!!! Our Giving Tree/Garland will provide us with an opportunity to give to needy families at Christmas time. Gifts that are collected will be distributed to families in Pavilion, LeRoy and Genesee County. Anyone is welcome to take a tag and purchase a gift/gifts for the person described on the tag. Each person does have more than one tag (sometimes three or four tags) but the families are pleased to receive gifts for their children. Please do **NOT** wrap the gifts. We will leave that task to the parents. The Giving Tree/Garland will be up the weekend of November 25th and 26th. **Please return all gifts on or before Sunday, December 17th.**

If anyone is interested in helping with some of the "behind the scenes" tasks it would be welcomed.

Some of the tasks include:

- Fill out the Giving Cards
- Decorate the tree at St. Mary's on November 25th at 11:00am
- Place Giving Cards on the garland on November 26th at 9:00AM at Immaculate Conception.
- Help organize the gifts on Dec. 17th

If you have any questions, please call Mary Eisenhard at 584-3814. Our parishioners are a very loving, giving group. Thank you in advance for your generosity. The receiving families are very appreciative.

FAITH MOMENT REFLECTION: Imagine a king, splendid in all his glory, coming down from his throne to invite the least among us to join him in his kingdom. That is exactly what we celebrate today on the Feast of Christ the King. In the gospel, Christ invites those who are "blessed by his Father" to share in his kingdom, that of eternal life. To be blessed means nothing less than to share in God's holiness, to be *of* God and act toward each other as God acts toward us, especially the least among us. Jesus tells us, "Whatever you do for one of the least brothers of mine, you do for me." Christians believe we honor Christ the King by acknowledging that he is within others and within us. We help to build up his kingdom by our caring for one another. Let's be *of* God and act *like* Christ. *Today's Faith Moment was provided by Christ the King Seminary. You can listen to Faith Moments on WBEN radio 930 AM, WLOF 101.7 FM, or at www.faithmomentsonline.org.*

"WINTER ESCAPE": This will be our second year with our new fundraiser. On **February 3rd** we will start with a delicious Turkey Dinner at 5:30 pm. After dinner, at 6:30 pm, **Red Creek Band** will perform numerous numbers for your listening and/or dancing enjoyment. Along with great food and great music, we will have a Gift Basket raffle and begin selling tickets for our annual Lottery Basket.

If you would like to be a part of this exciting fundraiser and help your church out, please leave a message at the church office or contact Cheryl at 343-9184. We will be asking for donations of new or gently used items to make up our gift baskets. Keep this in mind as you do your fall cleaning or if you should get a gift that just doesn't suit you this holiday season (we don't mind re-gifting!).

Remember, tickets are limited so get yours early so you don't miss out!! If you are able to sell tickets for this event, please contact Cheryl at 343-9184.

Tickets will be sold after all Masses this weekend, please see Gina Szczesny if you are interested!

CHRISTMAS NATIVITY SETS ON DISPLAY: Father Roy Herberger invites you to experience a display of 580 nativity sets from 58 countries. These international crèches will be shown at SS. Columba-Brigid Church, 75 Hickory & Eagle Streets (one block south of Clinton Street). The building is handicap accessible. The hours are from 1-4pm every Saturday and Sunday from the weekend of November 25-26 until the weekend of January 6 & 7 (except for the weekend of December 23-24). There is no charge and there is a special section for children. If anyone would like to view the display during the week with a large group (e.g. school children, senior groups, church organizations, etc.), please call Father Roy at 716-852-2076. This is the last year they will be displayed at SS. Columba-Brigid.

EMERGENCY CONTACTS: In case of emergency while Father is away, please contact:

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Cell – 585-993-1697

e-mail – wszczesny@rochester.rr.com

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

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.

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 2nd.

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**

GENESEE CHORALE: “Christmas Memories” is the theme for this year’s concerts being held by the Genesee Chorale. The program includes some new, some old and some old favorites with a new twist, sung by approximately 70 singers under the direction of Ric Jones and with accompaniment by Doug Hanson.

Sunday, December 2nd

7:00pm

St. James Episcopal Church
405 East Main Street, Batavia

and

Monday, December 4th

7:00pm

First Presbyterian Church
522 South Main Street, Medina.

Tickets are \$8.00 presale and are available from Chorale members or online at www.GeneseeChorale.com. Tickets are \$10.00 at the door.

FEAST OF CHRIST THE KING: How blest are we to be heirs of the one eternal kingdom! As heirs, we have each been given unique gifts and talents, and have unique roles to play for the kingdom. What is YOUR role? 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.

Henpecked...

A new group of male applicants had just arrived in heaven. St. Peter looked them over and ordered, “all men who were henpecked on earth, please step to the left, all those who were bosses in their own homes, step to the right.”

The line quickly formed on the left. Only one man stepped to the right. St. Peter looked at the frail little man standing by himself and inquired, “What makes you think you belong on that side?”

Without hesitation, the meek little man explained, “Because this is where my wife told me to stand.”

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