



The Parish Community of
IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

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**Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time
 November 15, 2015**

Pastor: Very Reverend, Father Jerry Schetter

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Deacon Senior Status: Deacon Jose' Flores

Coordinator of Religious Education:

Mrs. Jean Byrne (419) 453-3702

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Mrs. Renee Kelch (419) 236-4006

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Mrs. Anne Landwehr (419)453-3391

Director of Music:

Mrs. Irene Miller (419) 453-3275

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Mrs. Sue Beining (419) 453-3826

Maintenance:

Mr. Dave Koester (567) 204-3181

Parish Center Manager:

Mr. Jim Eickholt (419) 231-1146

Business Manager/Secretary:

Mrs. Tina Weber (419) 453-3513

Parish Office: Located in the Parish Center

Office hours Monday through Friday, 8 AM–3 PM

Parish Council:

Mr. Bradley Beining-President

Mr. Robert Bonifas Mrs. Doris Brinkman

Mr. David Fischbach Mrs. Nancy Hohlbein

Mrs. Cheryl Honigford Mrs. Tina Koester

Mr. David Ricker Mrs. Jenny Turnwald

Miss Carly Kortokrax Miss Madalyn Herman

Cemetery Sexton: Nancy Vetter – (419) 453-3131

Cemetery Board President:

Mr. Jim Eickholt – (419) 453-3684

REGULAR PARISH SCHEDULE:

Weekend Masses: Saturday: 4:00 PM

Sunday: 10:30 AM

Daily Masses:

Monday: NO MASS

Tuesday: 7:00 PM – 2nd & 4th & 5th Tuesday
of the month

Wednesday and Thursday: 8:10 AM

Friday: 8:00 AM

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday: 3:15 PM

Baptism Instruction: First-time parents need to attend instruction on the 2nd Wednesday at 7 PM or the 2nd Friday at 3 PM of each month. It is recommended that you attend instructions before the birth of your child.

Please call the office to schedule your instruction.

Baptisms: Baptisms are celebrated anytime agreeable with Father Jerry. To arrange a Baptism, please call Father Jerry at (419) 453-3513.

Marriage: The Diocese of Toledo requests all marriage dates be set at the parish office at least 6 months prior to the wedding date. Couples must make an appointment to speak with Fr. Jerry before the date is scheduled.

Engaged Couples Conference: Held the first Sunday of March and November. The next Conference will be November 1, 2015 at Immaculate Conception.

New parishioners may register as members of our parish family by calling the Parish Office.

Please Note: Deadline to submit items for the weekly bulletin is Wednesday at 3:00 p.m. Please submit in writing, by email, or fax to (419) 453-2513.

BAPTISMS: **Brody Michael Leach**

Son of Mike and Michelle (Vorst) Leach

BANNES : The following couple asks for your prayerful support as they prepare for their upcoming marriage:

(1) **Brad Eickholt and Kelsey Hoersten**

A MEN'S DISCERNMENT RETREAT WILL BE HELD FROM 4:00 P.M. ON FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 27TH UNTIL 2:00 P.M. ON SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 28TH AT LIAL RENEWAL CENTER IN WHITEHOUSE, OHIO. THIS RETREAT IS FOR HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS AND SINGLE, CATHOLIC MEN TO AGE 25 WHO ARE CONSIDERING THE PRIESTHOOD OR RELIGIOUS LIFE. REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS NOVEMBER 23RD. FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO REGISTER, CONTACT MONSIGNOR CHARLES SINGLER AT THE DIOCESE OF TOLEDO OFFICE FOR DIOCESAN PRIESTLY VOCATIONS AT (419) 244-6711 OR BY EMAIL AT CSINGLER@TOLEDODIOCESE.ORG.

The next **Serra Club** meeting will be **Thursday, November 19th**. Mass will be at 5:45 p.m. in the Lima Central Catholic High School Chapel, followed by dinner and a presentation from Msgr. Dennis Metzger on "same sex marriage." Fr. Metzger currently serves as pastor of St. Joseph Parish/School in Sylvania, Ohio. We welcome everyone as we hear about and discuss this issue.

33rd Sunday of Ordinary Time...Living the Paschal Mystery. On this second-to-last Sunday of the Liturgical Year we begin to play out the last climactic rhythm of the paschal mystery. This Sunday we consider the end of this world as we know it... dying. Next Sunday we consider the triumph of Christ and what comes to all of us who live in conformity with the Word...Everlasting Life. **Dying and rising.** This is what the whole liturgical year is about. This is what the whole Christian mystery is about. There's a lot at stake in this gospel...it's not a future for our descendents but for ourselves. We have been faced with a choice throughout our journey during this past liturgical year: to be rooted in this world or in the words of Jesus. Our choices do make a difference.

-Father Jerry

PARISH COUNCIL VACANCIES – The Parish Council is seeking 3 parishioners to fill seats beginning in January, 2016. The term is for 3 years. Please consider stepping forward to assist our Pastor and Council members in making the best decisions to ensure that our Parish continues to grow spiritually, financially, and in numbers. If interested, contact Cheryl Honigford at (419) 204-9432.

A Knights of Columbus produced documentary film on Our Lady of Guadalupe is airing across the country from now through December 10th as part of ABC's Visions and Values Series. Narrated by actor Jim Caviezel, **Guadalupe: The Miracle and the Message** paints a comprehensive and inspiring picture of the history, facts, legacy, and continued relevance of Our Lady of Guadalupe throughout the western hemisphere and beyond. For information about the film including broadcast times, visit www.guadalupefilm.com.



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LITURGIES

Sat (14th) 4:00 p.m. Valeta Siebeneck
 Sun (15th) 10:30 a.m. Ed Luersman
 6:00 p.m. Elizabeth Ricker
 YOUTH AND FAMILY MASS
 Tues (17th) 7:00 p.m. At St. Barbara's in Cloverdale
 Wed (18th) 8:10 a.m. Regina Knippen
 Thur (19th) 8:10 a.m. Alice & Leo Heitmeyer
 Fri (20th) 8:00 a.m. Mary Miller
 Sat (21st) 4:00 p.m. Edna & Cornelius Birkemeier
 Sun (22nd) 10:30 a.m. Bob and Ruth Beining

60th Wedding Anniversary - Robert & Louise Miller

NEXT WEEKEND'S MINISTERS OF MASS SERVERS:

Weekday Mass Servers (11/18, 11/19, and 11/20):

Cayden Burgei, Alyson Saxton, Chad Schnipke

SATURDAY (11/21)

Mass Servers: Tyler Birr, Cameron Calvelage,
 Emerson Calvelage

Lector: Jill Wenzlick

Eucharistic Ministers:

Host - Bonnie Beining, Kathleen Beining,
 Jan Eickholt, Ann Hemker

Cup - Deb Lindeman, Sharon Meyer

Choir - Elizabeth Luersman

Ushers: Ralph Burgei, Ron Hemker,
 Jerry Kaverman, Bob Weber

Gifts: Jerry and Dorothy Landwehr

SUNDAY (11/22)

Mass Servers: Brice Schroeder, Josh Thorbahn,
 Drew Williams

Lector: Rose Wenzlick

Eucharistic Ministers:

Host - Ann Beining, Rose Brickner, Jean Byrne,
 Julie Nussbaum

Cup - Emma Eickholt, Mike Ricker

Choir - Joe E. Miller

Ushers: Brian Beining, Walter Brickner,
 Mike Byrne, Otto Wenzlick

Gifts: Robert and Louise Miller

*Interested in taking up Offertory Gifts? Please contact:
 Lenora Ball – 419-453-3861 for dates January thru June
 Deb Cross – 419-453-3682 for dates July thru December*

PRAY THE ROSARY - Irene Bullard, Lisa Burgei,
 Carol Byrne, Melissa Burnett, Jean (Mike) Byrne,
 Jayne Byrne, Margie Byrne

NEXT WEEKEND'S READINGS:

Daniel 7:13-14; Revelation 1:5-8; John 18:33b-37

ALTAR/SANCTUARY CLEANING: Nancy Vetter

COLLECTION REPORT: (Week of 11/7-11/8/15)

Budget: \$5,200.00

Sunday Collection: 4,839.76

UNDER BUDGET: \$ -360.24

All Saints Day \$21.00 - Parish Center \$227.00

Catholic Communications \$440.00-Church Repair \$5.00

CELEBRATE NATIONAL ADOPTION MONTH WITH CATHOLIC CHARITIES - Catholic Charities Family Connections Ministry invites all members of adoption - adoptees, adoptive parents, and birth mothers - to celebrate Mass with Most Reverend Daniel E. Thomas, Bishop of Toledo. Mass will begin at 5 p.m. on Saturday, November 21st at Our Lady, Queen of the Most Holy Rosary Cathedral. A reception will follow Mass. Everyone is invited. To RSVP or for more information, contact Lynette Worthy at lworthy@toledodiocese.org or call (419) 244-6711, extension 227.

The *Ottoville Mother's Club* will be hosting the 5th annual **Mom-to-Mom sale** on Saturday, November 21st from 8:00 a.m. to noon in the Ottoville Parish Center. A \$3.00 donation is requested for admission. Refreshments, donuts, and pizza will be available for purchase. To purchase a table contact Angie Grothouse at (419) 302-9784 or Jen Walston at (419) 302-9461. Table rental fees are 1 table/\$10, 3 tables/\$25, or 6 tables/\$50. All proceeds go to the Ottoville Playground Equipment Fund.



* To Daniel & Mary Warnimont for their donation to St. Mary's Cemetery in memory of Valeta Siebeneck.

* To the Ottoville Knights of Columbus for their generous donation to the Parish Center.

LOOK GOOD, FEEL BETTER - November 16th at

Putnam County Ambulatory Care from 3:30-5:30 p.m. Registration is required for this FREE program by calling 1-888-227-6446 (press #2). Each woman attending receives a free makeup kit and shares laughter with others going through the cancer journey.

Is your baby bottle filling up? It is hoped that you will return it full to a mass the weekend of November 21st and 22nd. Change, bills, and checks are accepted. Return boxes are at all church entrances. Thank you in advance for your participation in this Rosary Altar Society project to benefit Heartbeat of Lima.



The annual **Knights of Columbus** monetary collection for the Continental Food Pantry will be during the 7:00 p.m. mass on Thanksgiving Eve, November 25th. During the holidays, more than 65 local families will need assistance and would greatly benefit from your generosity. The K of C thanks you for your continued support.



The **Ottoville ICY Group** is asking for your support in the **CHRISTMAS ANGELS** program for needy children in Putnam County. From now until December 4th, Angels will be available on the tree in the back of church. Please take an Angel, purchase a gift, and return the unwrapped gift with the Angel attached to the gift no later than December 6th. ICY group members will collect the items and deliver. Thank you for your generosity and your willingness to help make Christmas nice for those in need.

CONGRATULATIONS to the Ottoville grade 6 **CYO** girls volleyball team for winning the Putnam County championship tournament. A special thank you to all the coaches, volunteers, and parents for your time and hard work!



Support Our Retired Priests: Please consider a donation to Perpetuate The Gift. Your gift benefits our retired diocesan priests and your Parish. Once a priest retires he is responsible for his own personal expenses: medical, housing, car, clothing and food. All funds contributed between October 1 and December 31 help reduce the amount the parish contributes to the fund. A gift of cash or check can be sent to Perpetuate The Gift, PO Box 954, Toledo, OH 43697 or placed in the parish collection. Gifts may also be made online at www.ourpriest.org. If you would like to give a gift of stock or designate a bequest to help our retired priests, please contact Karen Szymanski at 419-244-6711 or email at kszymanski@toledodiocese.org.

The ladies from the Rosary Altar Society would like to thank all that attended and supported the annual Craft Show last weekend. Many vendors and volunteers helped make the Craft Show a great success.



National Catholic Youth Conference 2015 is November 19-21. Please

keep the following students in your prayers as they travel to Indianapolis, Indiana: Cody Kemper, Jessica Calvelage, Kara Landin, Katlyn Kelch, Trevor Fischer, Madi Herman, and Ashley Herman. Thank you to so many parishioners and organizations for your support and donations so that the youth of our parish may attend and grow a closer relationship with Christ and the large church on this pilgrimage.



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