

Monday, August 15 The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:00 a.m. Gloria Stone †

Tuesday, August 16 St. Stephen of Hungary

8:00 a.m. For the sick and suffering

Wednesday, August 17

8:00 a.m. Donna South †

Thursday, August 18

8:00 a.m. Rev. Engelbert Koster †

Friday, August 19 St. John Eudes 8:00 a.m. Nancy Schleicher †

Saturday, August 20

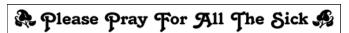
5:00 p.m. The Parish

Sunday, August 21

8:00 a.m. Marie Vohs † 10:30 a.m. Clint Dunn †

The Rosary is recited 25 minutes before Sunday 8:00 Mass

Because it falls on a Monday this year, August 15th, the **Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary**, is NOT a HolyDay of Obligation. Come to the 8:00 am Mass anyway.



Due to privacy laws, only names requested by a family member will be added to the sick list.

Ken and Mary Agnew, Greg Ambrose, Richard Anderson, Brian Baumgardner, Mike Caswell, Roxanne Casaert, Joseph Collard, Helen Collins, John Duke, Debbie DuFour, Steve Edgar, James Fladung, Freddie Gant, Jeanne Watrous Gardner, Rosemary Gardner, Mike Hake, Sherman Harlow, Linda Fladung Hofstad, Lisa Johnson, Hunter Knop, Jerry Lambertz, Bonnie Martin, Ella McNeil, Ruthie Mathewson, Denton Meek, Gerald Ernest Meier, Lester Miller, Patricia Miller, Betty O'Brien, Richard Pfannes, Chris Pottorff, Jim Seck, Shirley Seck, Jim Seuferling, Kyson Seth, Mary Kay Sillyman, Laura Simmons, Abby Werth, Madison Smith, Temperance Smith, Oliver Smith, Janice Stevens, David Vallacqua, Tony Vallacqua, Elaine Williams, Raymond Wood, Ethan Workman, Jim Wise, Ann Yoakum, Alice Zeller.

Contact the parish office to add / delete a name on the prayer list

Stewardship

August 7, 2016

Sunday Contributions\$ 4,578.00Capital Improvements\$ 895.00Votive\$ 31.00Altar Society\$ 50.00

This Week's Activity Schedule

Monday 8/15 Parish Council, 6:30 pm
Tuesday 8/16 Bible Study, 7:00 pm, rectory
Wednesday 8/17 Choir Practice, 7:00 pm, church

Friday 8/19 "Friday Piece Makers" Quilt Group, 12-4

Sunday 8/21 SOR Teacher Meeting

No Altar Society meeting in August.

Bulletin notices: iccc@mokancomm.net

Mass Ministries

August 13-5:00 p.m.

Servers—Emma Goering, Tryntin Goering

Lectors—Kathy Vogel

Ministers of Communion—Kris Goering, Kay Gentges

Greeters—Carla and Ron Fields

Choir—Adult

August 14-8:00 a.m.

Servers—Dylan DeShazer, Ambrose Stefan

Lector-Maddie DeShazer

Ministers of Communion—Amy Goode, Bob Calvert

Greeters—Tara and Mike Callahan

August 14-10:30 a.m.

Servers—Josh Waldron, Michael Waldron

Lectors—George Waldron

Ministers of Communion—Megan Lemke, Teresa Lemke

Greeters—Shirley and George DiCapo

Cantor—Roger

Counters—Jackie/George Waldron, Sherry Stefan

August 20-5:00 p.m.

Servers—Allison Loomis, Dana Mattison

Lectors—Jim Hartsock

Ministers of Communion—Karen Wood, Amy Loomis

Greeters—Judy and Phil Dixon

Cantor—Tony

August 21-8:00 a.m.

Servers—Aidan Cannon, Emily Williams

Lector-Mark Bloustine

Ministers of Communion—Blaise Vallejo, Kathy Vogel

Greeters—Kathy and Bruce Ewalt

August 21—10:30 a.m.

Servers—Ryan Haight, Deven Wieland

Lectors—Jim Stambaugh

Ministers of Communion—Dara Stambaugh, Roger Hartmann

Greeters-Linda and Phil Haight

Cantor—Mary

Counters—Virginia Jarsulic, Kathy Dee

Please get a sub if you cannot be there for your assigned time

Music Ministry—Practice Wednesday

If you like to sing and want to learn new songs to enhance our worship, come join us! We welcome new instrumentalists, cantors, and choir members.

Practices are generally on the 1^{st} and 3^{rd} Wednesday of the month from 7:00-8:00 pm in the church.

For more information, please contact:

Donna Overbay, dotoaro@aol.com 913-837-4616.

<u>Rite of Christian Initiation</u> for <u>A</u>dults (RCIA)

Are You Interested in Learning More About the Catholic Church?

RCIA classes begin in September. If you or someone you know is interested, please contact Msgr. Bergman, 913-837-2295, iccc@mokancomm.net or Deacon George Karnaze for more information.

Faith Formation for Youth

Enrollment for 2016-2017 **School of Religion** classes for those who did not enroll in the Spring has begun. Forms are located at the East entrance of the church. Please fill out a form for each of your children even if they were enrolled in previous years. Classes begin September 11.

School of Religion teachers will meet next Sunday, August 21, to prepare and assign rooms, complete student rosters, distribute materials and supplies, etc. It is important that you have your child enrolled as soon as possible.

For more information, contact Cindy, cindy.apple05@gmail.com or Deanell Wieland.

The parish bulletin is available online at: www.parishesonline.com/find/immaculate-conceptionchurch-66053

Ice-Cream Social August 21st, 4:00 p.m.

The social will be outside, weather permitting, or in the church basement.

Sponsored by the Altar Society and ICCC Youth Group. The Youth would like to share stories and pictures of their experiences at the Steubenville Youth Conference

Everyone is invited. Come gather with our parish family, hear from our faith-filled youth, and eat ice-cream!

Christmas in October

The Knight of Columbus would like to help low income residents with home repairs. The person does not have to be Catholic, only a resident of Louisburg.

If you have questions or would like to nominate someone, please contact Steve Jones at KCSteveJones@gmail.com or least the parish office, 913-837-2295.

College Freshman Retreat: St. Isidore's, the Catholic Campus Center at Kansas State University, is hosting a retreat, "Resting in Christ", for all incoming Freshman at Kansas State University. This retreat focuses on building strong friendships and encouraging students to maintain their Catholic faith in college, while also demonstrating all that St. Isidore's has to offer. The retreat is Friday, August 26 and Saturday, August 27. It is NOT an overnight retreat. For additional information, contact Robbie Jennings: rjennings@stisidores.com

To sign-up, visit the website www.stisidores.com

Pray For Our Military

TSGT Micaelee Neubert SGT Sharnise Krumm **PV2 Whitney Stevens** CPT Nathan Valle LCPL Michael Beals SGT Matt Smith FC1SW Ali Zalekian AC Robert Jacob Herbert Capt. John P. Warson LT Katrina Stegner SSGT Jeremiah Krumm Maj. Neilson Wahab SPC Cody Richardson Seth Miller E2 Coleman Griff Capt Mark Edgar & Co. CMDR Erik C. Estenson AMN Cheyenne Williams LT Col Todd Giefer AMN Stone Williams SPC Richard Stouder LT Matthew Zeller 2LT Paul Speckin TSGT Scott Klusman PFC Coleman Unthank

Everyday Martyrdom

The witness of others has a decisive impact. And our witness to others is a vital part of Christianity.

In fact the term "martyr" means "witness." And we are all called to martyrdom. Most of us won't die a violent death for our faith, but each one of us is called to set the world on fire for Christ through a little death to our own selfishness towards others.

The poet T.S. Eliot speaks of a "Lifetime's death in love, ardor and selflessness, and self-surrender." St Therese of Lisieux wrote about the hundreds of tiny pin-pricks we endure every day, which are a call to love.

There's an everyday martyrdom to which we're all called. It means smiling at someone when we feel lousy.

It means a kind word when we feel like biting someone else's head off.

It means refusing to give in to bitterness or hatred towards someone who's hurt us, and instead choosing to forgive that person.

Those little acts of witness to Christ's love – of martyrdom – help to set the world on fire with love.

As we receive Jesus in the Eucharist, let's ask him to set our hearts on fire with his love for us and for all people, and to give us the strength to reveal that love in everything we do.

Wea Community News

Parent's Morning Out:

Tuesday and/or Thursday mornings—\$16 per morning—for ages 2-4, Contact stsmith@qhrwea.org to sign up or for more information.

Job Openings

For more information on these positions, or to apply, call Fr. Gary Pennings at 913-533-2462.

Parish Accountant—30 hrs/wk position. Applicant should have at least four years of business accounting experience with proficiency in QuickBooks financial accounting system and Microsoft *Excel* spreadsheet program.

Parish Secretary/Administrative Assistant—Full-time parish secretary/administrative assistant needed to oversee the parish office, reception and parish correspondence. This individual will work closely with the pastor to maintain effective communication with parishioners and parish organizations/ ministries. Applicants should have experience as an administrative assistant and be proficient in Microsoft Word; Publisher, Excel and Access experience would be beneficial. Ability to respect confidentiality is essential.

New Parishioner (Please Print)
Last Name
First Name
Home PhoneCell
Address
Email Address