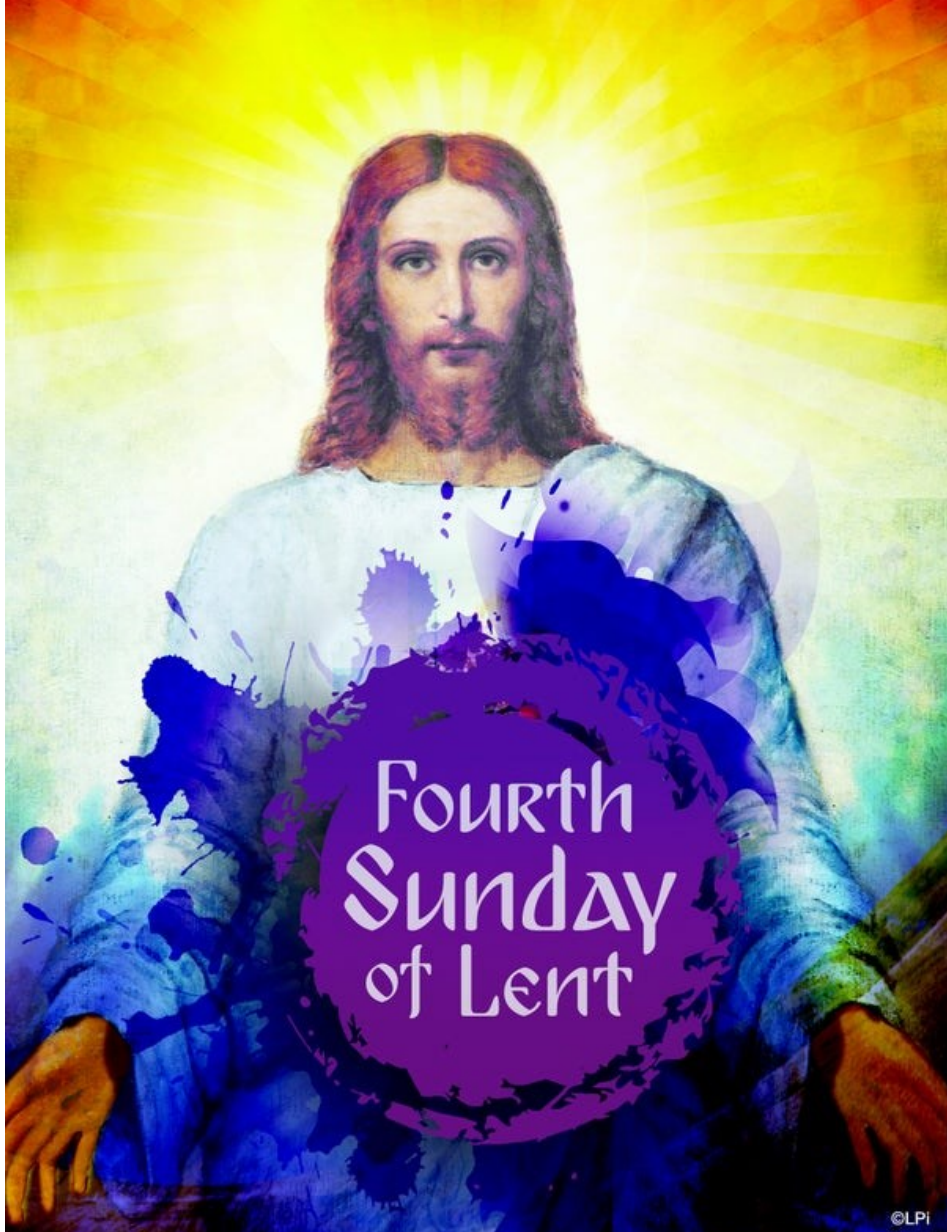




The Parishes of

Immaculate Conception Parish | St. Lawrence Parish | St. Boniface Parish



SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Contact the pastor 1-2 months
Prior to date.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Arrangements to be made 6 months
in advance. Contact the Pastor.

RCIA

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Adults desiring baptism, confirmation or full
membership in the Catholic Church, contact
Deacon Wendt. Sessions begin in Fall.

NEW PARISHIONERS

Please call the parish office or fill out one of
the Family Registration sheets in the back of
church. They can be handed in the weekend
collection

VISITATION

Please notify the pastor when a hospitalized /
homebound parishioner desires holy communion.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Call the church office or the Pastor.

MARCH 10, 2024

4TH SUNDAY IN LENT

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Mon, Wed, & Fri | 9 am - 2:30 pm

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Connie Sweno, Office Administrator

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 4:30 pm (SB)

Sunday: 8:00 am (SL) & 10:00 am (IC)

Tuesday: 5:30 pm (IC)

Wednesday: 8:00 am (SL)

Thursday: 8:00 am (SL) & 5:30pm (SB)

Friday: 8:00 am (IC) & 11:00 am (SB)

CONFESSIONS

Saturday: 3:45 pm (B)

Sunday: 7:30 am (L)

Sunday: 9:30 am (IC)

KEY Immaculate Conception Parish = (IC) | St. Lawrence Parish = (SL) | St. Boniface Parish = (SB)

FROM OUR PASTOR

Dear People of God,

Good morning to you all. The Fourth Sunday of Lent is called Lætare (Rejoice) Sunday, from the first words of today's liturgy. It calls us to rejoice in the hope of our salvation through the grace of God in Christ Jesus.

Our first reading of today presents the wrath as well as the mercy of God. These are revealed in both, the exile and liberation of his people. Three complaints were made against Israel and their leaders. These include: "That they were unfaithful; they defiled the temple; and, they laughed at the prophets." This merited them deportation and exile. In spite of this, God decided to restore them at his own time. Hence, this reading is essentially a message of hope, grounded on the grace of our loving, merciful and sovereign Lord. This is an indication that history is a process, not only of destruction, but of selection, redemption and of restoration. Also, it shows us how God chose to save humanity through his only son Jesus Christ.

The gospel of today presents us with one of the most quoted verses of the bible: "For God so loved the world that he gave his only son, so that everyone who believes in him might not be perished but might have eternal life" (Jn 3, 16). This is good news and a great source of joy for all of us. However, it is important to note also

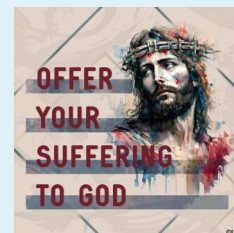
that this is an offer. So, one can accept, or reject it. God has made grace available this season. The most amazing thing about this grace is that, even though it was immeasurably costly for God to express, yet it is unconditionally free to all of us. It is God's favor, freely offered to us but, expensively expressed! Therefore, our state of salvation is dependent upon one thing. This is only, on our appreciation and acceptance of the grace of God through our Lord Jesus Christ. He has made redemption and salvation available this season. On our part, we must be ready to accept it. We must be ready to believe in Him, and to live the good life.

In conclusion, we must make use of the opportunity presented to us this season to better our lives. What we simply need to do is to believe and live the good life which God created us to live from the beginning. Good life means living as committed and faithful children of God, rather than as infidels and stubborn children. This is the only way our joy can be complete.

Have a great and Blessed Sunday!

Yours in Christ Jesus

Fr. Doss



MASS INTENTIONS

Monday – 3/11/24

NO MASS

Tuesday – 3/12/24 Immaculate Conception

5:30 pm † William Balk by Derek & Ruth Fogel

Wednesday – 3/13/24 St. Lawrence

8:00 am † Gladys Herold by Ellie Taverna

Thursday – 3/14/24 St. Lawrence

8:00 am † Delbert Earney by David & Pam Earney

Thursday – 3/14/24 St. Boniface

5:30 pm † George & Louise Salwey by Darlene Slaby

Friday – 3/15/24 Immaculate Conception

8:00 am † All Entrusted To Our Pastor's Care

Friday – 3/15/24 St. Boniface

11:00 am † Rita Bork by Marcel & Karla Pronschinske

Saturday – 3/16/24 St. Boniface

4:30 pm † Verlaine Averbek by Family

Sunday – 3/17/24 St. Lawrence

8:00 am † Norman Rotering by Rosemary & Family

Sunday – 3/17/24 Immaculate Conception

10:00 am † Florence Kupietz by Rod & Karen Bagniewski

MINISTRY SCHEDULE | MARCH 16-17

SATURDAY | 4:30 PM

Eucharistic Ministers: Brenda Pronschinske

Lectors: Mary Hildebrand

Servers: Kailey Knight

Jackson Knight

Ushers: Willie Pronschinske

Howard Misch

SUNDAY | 8:00 AM

Eucharistic Ministers: Stacy Haigh

Lectors: Lori Wendt

Servers: Volunteers

Ushers: Bruce Auseth

Mark Noll

SUNDAY | 10:00 AM

Eucharistic Ministers: Jim Killian

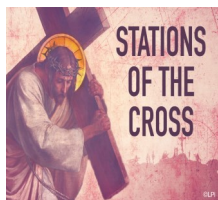
Lectors: Patrick Goetting

Servers: Goettings

Ushers: Peter Schaffner

Donnie Bjorge

ANNOUNCEMENTS



There will be two opportunities to join in for the Stations of the Cross during Lent each week.

Each Thursday, you can join the St. Boniface Students for the Stations of the Cross at 2:30 pm in the church.

Each Friday, Stations of the Cross will be held at Immaculate Conception Church at 5 pm.

EASTER DEANERY CONFESSIONS

There will be confessions held next Sunday, March 17th from 3pm to 4:30pm at Holy Family Church in Arcadia. Everyone is most welcome to use this opportunity for repentance.

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION PCCW SOUP AND SANDWICH

The PCCW invite you to enjoy some spiritual reflection during this season of Lent with their soup and sandwich dinner. Mass will be held on Tuesday at 5:30 pm and the meal will be held after in Hansen Hall in the Immaculate Conception church basement. Free will offering. This year's proceeds will be split between Randy Knecht and Aaron Bronk.



Carry outs available. This week's menu will be Chili, Bologna Sandwiches, veggies/dip and Sweet Rolls. Check the flyer on the board in the back of church for the following meals.

They will also be selling tickets for their Quilt raffle with some extra prizes. \$1.00 each or 6 for \$5.00

JESUS AND THE EUCHARIST SERIES

Please join us for the Fourth Session of our Lenten Discussion. This week's topic "God Is With Us". All sessions are held at St. Lawrence on Sundays at 6:00pm. Bring a dish to pass or come as you are.



ST. BONIFACE CATHOLIC SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE

Please join us for the open house on Thursday, March 14th from 3:30-5:30 pm. You can learn more about the exciting and amazing benefits of St. Boniface Catholic School. You will have a chance to meet teachers, visit classrooms, tour school, and ask any questions. For more information call the office at 608-626-2611.

ANNUAL DIOCESE APPEAL

Immaculate Conception

Goal: \$21,560

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36 donors

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Goal: \$13,580

Received: \$10,310

Under: \$3,270

34 donors

St. Boniface

Goal: \$8,105

Received: \$16,430

Over: \$8,325

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"We make a living by what we get, but we make a life by what we give."
- Winston Churchill.



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**As you take "steps forward,"
your faith in Jesus' true
Presence in the Eucharist
will grow.**

We cannot simply convince ourselves through reason that Jesus is truly present in the Eucharist. One of the best ways to grow in this faith is to spend some time in conversation with Jesus, truly present in a Catholic Church. Go there and share something with the Lord that is on your heart. You will notice that probably without saying or feeling anything special, you will leave with a quieted heart. Let's pray this right now and every day this week:

*Jesus, help me commit to
spending some time in
conversation with you in
Church.*

This week, read about how we can always find Jesus in His Father's house in Luke 2:41-51.

SACRED HEART PARISH—DODGE CHARCOAL CHICKEN DINNER

They will be celebrating on March 17th with a sit down or take out Charcoal Chicken dinner from 11am until gone. Also available our signature coffee cakes. More info in the back of church on the board.

PARISH FINANCIALS

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION		ST. LAWRENCE		ST. BONIFACE	
54 Env	\$ 1,576.00	34 Env	\$ 1,110.00	21 Env	\$ 642.00
Plate	\$ 77.00	Feb Auto Deposit		Feb Auto Deposit	
Flowers	\$ 275.00	Plate	\$ 209.00	Plate	\$ 116.00
Energy	\$ 10.00	Flowers	\$ 65.00	Flowers	\$ 45.00
Total	\$ 1,938.00	Energy	\$ 75.00	Total	\$ 803.00
Attendance	98	Total	\$ 1,466.00	Attendance	63
		Attendance	92		

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

ELEMENTERY 1-6TH GRADE

They meet every Wednesday until 5pm at
St. Mary's Parish Life Center in Fountain City.

HIGH SCHOOL 7-10TH GRADE

The next class will be held Wed, March 20th at 7 pm at
Immaculate Conception, Fountain City.

If you have any questions, please contact
Carrie Adams at 608-687-3228.



SAINT LAWRENCE

NEXT SUNDAY BRUNCH

March 17th on St. Patrick's Day after the 8am
Mass. Parishioners with last names beginning
with K - Z are asked to bring the egg or French toast
bakes, rolls, breads, etc. Fresh fruit and beverages will
be provided. Sponsored by our KC's and PCCW.



PCCW

The next PCCW meeting will be held on Sunday,
April 7th after the 8am Mass. ALL WOMEN from
our parish are invited! We will be planning upcoming
events and looking for other ideas our group and also for
our parish family! Please plan to join us, your input would
be greatly welcomed!



QUILTING GROUP



St. Lawrence Quilting Group meet the 1st
and 3rd Wednesdays at 1pm in the church
basement. Anyone is welcome to join!
Questions call Louise at 608-685-4188.

ST. BONIFACE CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Spring Fundraiser April 6th, 2024



Dinner tickets are \$25 and a limited number of Live
auction tickets are \$50 are still available. Live
auction tickets include a meal, drinks and your seat.
Silent auction and raffles will be open to all in the
church breezeway. Please contact Emily if you would
like to buy tickets or reserve your seat or make a
donation for the fundraiser at 608-445-3021.

Thank you for supporting our Catholic School!

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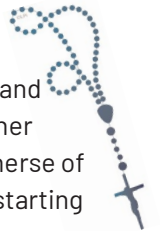
K of C OMELET BREAKFASTS



Today is the Omelet and French toast break-
fast at the Immaculate Conception Parish Life
Center from 8am—noon. Please come and
support the Knights of Columbus and all the
good things they do. Mark your calendars for the last
breakfast - April 14th.

ROSARY

"The Rosary is a long chain that links heaven and
earth. One end of it is in our hand and the other
end is in the hands of the holy Virgin..." St. Therese of
Lisieux. Please join us in saying the rosary starting
around 9:35 during Sundays during lent.



PCCW

There is a sign-up sheet for Desserts or Veggies
& Dip for our Tuesday Soup and Sandwich meals
on the bulletin board in entry way if you would like to bring
one or more to the meals. Takeouts for the meals will
begin at 5 p.m. before mass or after mass (around 6 p.m.).



ST. MARY'S QUILTING GROUP

St Mary's Quilt group will not be meeting again until after
Easter. See you in April.

March is devoted to St. Joseph.

SAINT BONIFACE

MASS & TOURNAMENT

Healing Mass, Lasagna Dinner, Bake Sale
& Euchre Tournament following Mass on
Saturday March 16th.



UPCOMING PCCW EVENTS:



**PCCW meeting on Monday, March 11th at
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