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

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GOOD NEWS.



PSALM 117

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 Father. 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.

ANOIDTING OF THE SICK

Call the church office or the Pastor.

AUGUST 24, 2025

21 ST SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME

PARISH OFFICE

Email: tresecclesiae@gmail.com

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Office Hours

Immaculate Conception:

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

St. Boniface:

Tues & Thurs | 9 am - 2 pm

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- St. Lawrence Catholic Church
- St. Boniface Church

PARISH STAFF

Fr. Albert, Pastor

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Connie Sweno, Office Administrator

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 7:30 pm (SB)

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

Tuesday: 5:30 pm (SB)

Wednesday: 8:00 am (SL)

Thursday: 8:00 am (SL)

Friday: 8 am (IC)

CONFESSIONS

Saturday: 7:00 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

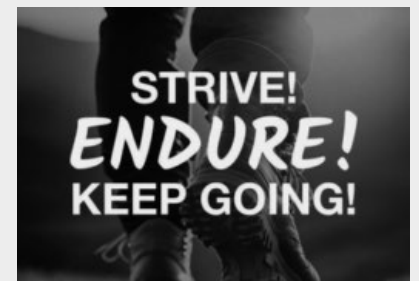
In Today's Gospel, Jesus answers a seeker who asks, "Will only a few be saved" with "Strive to enter through the narrow gate..." Here, the seeker is on the outside and Jesus is on the inside, but in both stories about entrance to life with our God, some effort is required of us who want to be on the same side of the door as Jesus. Whether it is by turning the doorknob and opening it or by walking through the gate, something is required of us.

Jesus says that the master does not know where the petitioner comes from. Jesus is surely not talking about geography. He speaks of the necessary "striving" to enter. He adds that some will not be strong enough. He says that he recognizes those who are coming from the same place as he. The "same place" - again, not geographical - includes those who have taken on his mindset, his heart and strive to love everyone. This story reminds us of His saying that the sheep recognize the good shepherd's voice.

So, the question for us today is whether we are among those who strive to enter, whether we "will be in that number when the saints go marching in". This is what the first reading from Isaiah is about. The prophet is telling the Jews that God will use every imaginable means of transportation used for both war and commerce. Chariots and carts and mules and camels sound like mass transportation, not the saving of only "a few".

Entering the door will be a question of whom we know, but not in the politically correct sense. knowing and empathizing with Jesus in his mind and heart convert our minds and hearts. conversion will make us recognizable to Him. He knows us if we are like Him, living Jesus. servants are expected to do things. The fact that we are servants of the Lord means that much more is expected of us than the worldly, minimum daily requirement of decency.

The "last" by worldly reckoning will be "first" through the door in Jesus' view and the firsts from the worldly perspective will find themselves at the back of the line Jesus tells us. Each of us can rejoice in the fact that we have been invited. we have been offered the gift of faith with its expectations. we can rejoice that Jesus walks with us each step of the way. Our task is to be attentive, to listen for the Lord and to respond with our continued "Yes, Lord" to our daily invitations. This is our task, turning the knob on our side of the door; walking toward the gate by "striving" to identify with the mind and heart of our Master. Striving to live Jesus is what we are called to do.



MASS INTENTIONS

Monday – 8/25/25

NO MASS



Tuesday – 8/26/25 - St. Boniface

5:30 pm † Bernadette Shaffer by John & Sharon Bradburn

Wednesday – 8/27/25 - St. Lawrence

8:00 am † Glenn Lehman by Gertrude & Family

Wednesday – 8/27/25 - St. Boniface—First day of school

11:00 am † Healing for All Those In Need by Tom
Sendelbach

Thursday – 8/28/25 - St. Lawrence

8:00 am † Ernie Duda by Leon Duda

Friday – 8/29/25 - Immaculate Conception

8:00 am † Jim Staak by Bobbe Staak

Saturday – 8/30/25 St. Boniface

7:30 pm † All Entrusted To Our Pastor's Care

Sunday – 8/31/25 St. Lawrence

8:00 am † LaVonne Bechly Meyers by Debbie, Cindy,
Sherry & Sue

Sunday – 8/31/25 Immaculate Conception

10:00am † Dennis Speltz by His Family

MINISTRY SCHEDULE | AUGUST 30-31

SATURDAY | 7:30 PM

Eucharistic Ministers: Amanda Burrow

Cletus Foegen & Karen Engstrand

Lectors: Faith Pronschinske

Servers: Bree Pronschinske - Abby Pronschinske

Ushers: Willie Pronschinske - Howard Misch

SUNDAY | 8:00 AM

Eucharistic Ministers: Mary Lisowski

Lectors: Bryce Lisowski

Servers: Volunteer

Ushers: Volunteer

Volunteer

SUNDAY | 10:00 AM

Eucharistic Ministers: Karen Bagniewski

Lectors: Doris Killian

Servers: Goettings

Ushers: Jim Semling

Roman Kujak

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Every week all three parishes will have Eucharistic Adoration.

St. Boniface— Tuesday 4:30-5:30
St. Lawrence— Thursday 7—8am
Immaculate Conception—Friday 7-8am



ORGANIST/PIANIST WANTED

Immaculate Conception is looking for someone willing to play either the organ or the keyboard. St. Boniface will also be looking for a new organist. Janice has decided to retire and her last day will be Sept 27th. If you know someone able and willing, please let Connie know.

HEALING SERVICE – CASHTON

Come and experience God's supernatural love! Join us at Sacred Heart Church, 1223 Front St., Cashton on Friday, Sept. 12 for Adoration & Confession at 4:30 PM, Mass at 5:30 PM, and Healing Prayer to follow. This evening is not only about physical healing but also about encountering Jesus and meeting the Divine Physician, who heals the heart, mind, and soul. Jesus promised, *"They will lay hands on the sick, and they will recover."* (Mark 16:17) Contact: Sara Clements, 608-385-5285

WE ARE HIRING

We are hiring in the St. Boniface daycare. If you would like hanging with fun & cute kiddos, this is the job for you! Part time, flexible scheduling and no weekends or holidays. Contact Olivia for more information at 715-530-1434 or owick@stbonschool.com



THE TRAIN IS COMING.....

Alma Council 6789, Knights of Columbus, is sponsoring it's second annual Mini-train ride fundraiser. Event happens on Saturday, September 27, 8:00 am till Noon.

Don't miss an opportunity to ride this historic mini-train, the only one like it in the United States. Teamed with area history, Train, and DNR presentations.

Cost is \$40 per person, with only 60 seats available. If interested, or for more information, call or text; 715-495-0488, or email; blisowski@tds.net, with "train ride" as subject.



ST. BONIFACE CATHOLIC SCHOOL



Everyone is invited to join the St. Boniface students on the first day of school for mass at 11 am. Come and pray for a wonderful new school year!

The students have new playground equipment to play with this year with the benefit of the Spring Fundraiser Fund-A-Need. Thank you to everyone that donated.



Have you started your school shopping?

If you are starting your school shopping, please consider using St. Boniface School Scrip. It is really easy to set up and use. If interested in enrolling online at shopwithscrip.com using enrollment code: **16B2L53F5915**



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION SIGN UP

If you need to sign up your child/children for religious education classes for grades 1st grade to 8th grade, there will be a sign up day on Wednesday, September 3. Please plan on coming any time between 4-7 pm that day to fill the registration forms and pay fees. Please share with others so we can get a student count so we can order enough books for everyone.

There will be a **mandatory parent & student** meeting for grades 9th & 10th on Wednesday, September 10th from 7-8pm at St. Boniface Rippley Hall. Both, a parent & the student, must be present.

All grades will start on Wednesday, Sept 10th.

If you have any questions, please contact the office or Carrie Venner-Adams at 608-687-3228 or email at treeclisiae.red@gmail.com.



PARISH FINANCIALS

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION		ST. LAWRENCE		ST. BONIFACE	
30 Env	\$ 1,720.00	21 Env	\$ 935.00	12 - 7 Env	\$ 197.00 - \$ 1,400.00
Plate	\$ 103.00	Plate	\$ 137.00	Plate	\$ 123.00 - \$ 264.00
Total	\$ 1,823.00	Totals	\$ 1,072.00	Totals	\$ 320.00 - \$ 1,664.00
Attendance	84	Attendance	60	Attendance	64 - 94

THANK YOU TO ALL OUR VOLUNTEERS AND THOSE WHO CAME AND CELEBRATED AT THE ST. BONIFACE CHURCH FALL FEST

FALL FESTIVAL WINNERS



Raffle Winners:

\$500—Abby Rotering	\$50—Ethan Frank
\$300—Robert Baecker	\$25—John Sendelbach
\$200—Tim Pronschinske	\$25—Ross Stendahl
\$100—John Smith	\$25—Dan Brommer
\$50—Ashley Pronschinske	\$25—Brian Pronschinske

Duck Winners:

\$500—Maverick Auseth	\$25—Sheila Rotering
\$400—Karley Burman	\$25—Howard Misch
\$300—Avery Losinski	\$10—Norma Herold
\$100—Jodie Bagniewski	\$10—Rosie Rotering
\$50—Gary Benusa	\$10—Evelyn Paschke
\$25—Gerry Mueller	\$10—Miriam Ellis
\$25—Leslie Sendelbach	\$10—Connie Pronschinske
\$25—Mike Schmidt knecht	Last Duck—Janet Abts

Bucket Raffle:

Ruger Rife—Staci Bremer
Bissell Carpet Cleaner & Supplies—Tad Schock
Handbag & \$50 GC—Gennah Bremer
Embroidered Dish Towels—Mary Rotering
Scentsy Bundle—Tad Schock
Hoover Wind Tunnel Vacuum—Leslie Sendelbach
12 cup Electric Fondue Pot—Karen Deck
Adult Grinch Tote—Ada VanderWyst
Kid's Grinch Tote—Ann Auseth
Green Tractor Spinner—Mary Rotering
Water Balloons & Hoola Hoop—Britney Peterson
Grandma's Garden Sign & Garden Globe—Melanie Pronschinske
Handmade Pillows—Gretchen Pronschinske
Fleece Blanket—Lisa Lipinski
Dump Truck & Toys—Maverick Auseth
Wine Basket & Treats—Brenda Suchla
Scentsy Bag—Brindle Ellis
Fantastic Sam's Basket—Janet Amundson
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SAINT BONIFACE



Lonnie Earney

July 30, 2025

May his soul and the souls of
all the faithful departed rest
in peace.

Thank you to the Catholic Order of Foresters Lay Court 966 of Waumandee for their generous donation to cover the cost of custom built new side church steps for the St. Boniface Church building. Bork Welding of Waumandee, constructed and completed installation of the new side door church steps and sacristy steps recently. All that is left now is to re-install a storm door on the outside of the sacristy door and refinish the original wood sacristy door.



ST. BONIFACE GROUNDS

The new sidewalk was on display with the Fall Festival last week and changes continue to the upper playground area with addition of new equipment. RKdian Concrete completed the sidewalk at a cost of \$6,800.00 along with prep work of crushed rock base and black dirt finish work with Scenic Landscape and parishioners. Please use caution around the sidewalk until grass grows back. Funds used for these projects included school "Fund A Need" monies from the school spring fundraiser the past two years and minimal parish cash funds.

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION



Welcome to our newly baptized !
Grayson Tullius
son of Collin & Erin Tullius
Congratulations!

SAINT LAWRENCE

SUNDAY BRUNCH



The next KC?PCCW breakfast social will be on Sunday, August 24th. Parishioners with a last name beginning with A-L are asked to bring an egg bake, French toast bake, etc. Fruit and beverages will be provided.

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