

Immaculate Conception Parish

November 19th, 2017

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

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MASS INTENTIONS

Monday - 7:00pm - †Helen Flynn
Tuesday - 7:00pm - K of C Mass for Vocations
Wednesday - 7:00pm - †Patricia Ann Ripley
Thursday - 7:00pm - Special Intentions
Friday - 8:00 am - †Bob O'Connor
Sunday - 9:00am - For all Parishioners Living & Dead

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday

4:00pm - Immaculate Conception

Sunday

9:00am - Immaculate Conception, Truro

11:30am - St. Michael's Brule, Nov 26, 11:30am - **Liturgy of the Word with Communion**

Sacred Heart Millbrook, Nov 26 - **Mass**

COLLECTION UPDATE

November 12th Collection was \$4,321.80 (**Budgeted \$4,442.30**) **Immaculate Conception** = \$3,805.65; **St. Michael's** = \$187.25; **Sacred Heart** = \$328.90 & **Capital Campaign** = \$617.80 Thank you for your continued support. The total contribution toward our Sanctuary is \$65,495.43. Our plan is to raise \$75,000 by the end of this year. **We still have \$9,504.57** to raise and we only have one Capital Collection ahead of us. Let's make it happen!

We are accepting donations "In Memory of " for the Sanctuary Project. If you would like to make a donation In memory of someone special, please see Louise at the Parish Office.

DIVINE MERCY WEEKLY

Reflections from Diary of Saint Maria Faustina Kowalska

Meditation: Jesus: *Well, My child, this time you have told Me a good deal. I realize how painful it is not to be understood, and especially by those whom one loves and with whom one has been very open. But suffice it to know that I understand all your troubles and misery. I am pleased by the deep faith you have, despite everything, in My representatives. Learn from this that no one will understand a soul entirely — that is beyond human ability. Therefore, I have remained on earth to comfort your aching heart and to fortify your soul, so that you will not falter on the way. You say that a dense darkness is obscuring your mind. But why, at such times, do you not come to Me, the light who can in an instant pour into your soul more understanding about holiness than can be found in any books?* (Diary, 1487). Soul: Your response.

My Prayer Response: Thank You, Jesus, for understanding all my troubles and miseries. Help me to come to You for light and comfort that only You can give me.

Diary passages in italics and bold is Jesus speaking.

FAMILY FAITH FORMATION

Nov. 20th @ 5pm: Level 9 class

Nov. 20th @ 7pm: Level 7 & 8 classes

Nov. 26th @ 10am: *Advent Family Gathering* for Levels 1 to 6

Announcements

K of C - Knights of Columbus 4th Degree meeting **Sunday, November 19th @ 2.30** Kennedy room.

CWL General Meeting: Sunday, Nov 19 at 2:30pm. Members are asked to bring gift items for Intellectually Challenged to this meeting (wrapped if possible, marked – man or woman).

Bible Study - Bible study continues on **Monday, November 20th @ 9:30am**, in Kinsella 2. With one of the Crown Jewels of the New Testament - the First Letter of John - Five short chapters which if understood and experienced will transfigure our lives! All are welcome! Especially beginners. Tony Harvey (902) 977-0808.

Pastoral Care Meeting - Pastoral Care meeting will be held **Tuesday, November 21, @ 1:30** in Kinsella Room I.

Gifts For Needy Children - Every Christmas our Immaculate Conception Church helps over 40 needy families through the Society of St Vincent De Paul. In Campbell Hall following Masses on **November 25 & 26 and December 2 & 3** is a small tree with the names of the children and possibly the parents from our sponsored families. If anyone would care to help out by selecting and donating a gift to a child or parent, would you, after Mass, proceed to Campbell Hall where one of our St Vincent De Paul members will assist you in choosing a child's name. Please make sure before leaving you leave your name and phone number with the St Vincent DePaul member.

CWL Christmas Tea & Sale: Saturday, November 25, 1- 3 pm. We are asking parishioners who are willing and able to provide us with any of the following: Baked goods, fudge (may be taken to Campbell Hall on **Friday, November 24th between 6-8 pm**) ; Costume jewelry, books, Gift Certificates, items for: Arm's length, Silent Auction, Door Prizes, Anything Goes Table – these items may be taken to Parish Office. (during office hours). More information call Marie Fraser @ 902-895-8790.

Kitchen Ceilidh – The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul will be hosting a Kitchen Ceilidh on **December 1st** at 7:00p.m. in Campbell Hall. Tickets will go on sale after weekend Masses (Saturday and Sunday) in Campbell Hall, starting November 18th to 26th. **Tickets \$15.00**, Proceeds go toward supporting the Christmas Index Program.

CWL Annual Meeting/Election/Banquet: Sunday, Dec 3, 2017 @ 2:30 pm. Short meeting at 2:30 followed by elections, followed by Roast Beef Dinner at 5 pm. Tickets are \$10, will be sold at meeting on Nov 19 or put on hold for members until Nov 29 by calling Jane Allen @ 902-843-0490.

The ICC Parish Players are starting their preparations for another production to take place on the last weekend of April 2018. Once again we are offering a program where you can purchase a ticket as a gift for a special someone. The ticket comes in the form of a voucher that can be exchanged for a choice of night and seating when tickets go on sale in April. To purchase a voucher follow the link on our Facebook page or call Gail at 902-907-2786.

ICC Grief Support Group - The Grief support group will be cancelled until further notice. If you would like more information or would just like to talk to someone about grief you can call Peter or Jackie at 902 - 893 - 3185.

Chase the Ace - Thank you for your continued support for this Youth Fundraiser. Excitement continues...Jackpot is rising, this week starting at **\$4,628.00** with **only 16 cards left** in the deck! Ticket sales on Saturday from 5-5:30pm; and Sunday from 10-10:45am. Draw time is Sunday at 11am - **no need to be present**. Congratulations to last week's winner: Rita Johnson.

Kane's Kitchen Accepting Donations - Kane's Kitchen are looking for donations of bags of Potatoes, Onions, 2 lbs. bags of peas and carrots, for their Christmas Dinner.

Veritas Catholic Books & Gifts - Veritas Catholic Books and Gifts are open each Thursday 11am - 4pm, Friday 10am to 5pm & Saturday 10am - 1pm. Advent and Christmas items are arriving weekly. Entrance located in the Prince Street foyer.

