

OUR LADY OF LOURDES CATHOLIC CHURCH

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St. George Mission
1881-2011

Immaculate Conception Church 202 E Green Roberts, IL 60962

March 25, 2012 Fifth Sunday of Lent

WELCOME

We welcome all our visitors and friends to our Parish. We are glad that you are here with us today. If you would like to join our Faith Community, please call (217) 784-4671, or stop by at the Parish office at any time.

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| Rev. John Phan | Pastor |
| Rev. Mr. Jeff Volker | Deacon |
| Parish Secretary: | Patti Meunier |
| Director of Rel. Education: | Alyce Hafer |
| Director of Youth Ministry: | Bruce Killian |
| Musicians: | Michele Fackler Corey Fields |
| Parish Council President: | Matt Doran (O.L.L.) |

For Confession: By appointment—any time
At Our Lady of Lourdes: Saturday - 4:30 p.m.

For Baptism: Call the Rectory at least four weeks before the baptism. Baptismal instruction for the parents and the god-parents is required.

For Marriage: Call the Rectory at least six months before. A six month preparation time is required.

Mass Schedule

Our Lady of Lourdes:

Saturday - 5:00 p.m.; Sunday - 7:00am & 10:30 a.m.
Monday - 8:00 am; Tues 8:00 am
Thursday 6:30 pm Friday - 8:00 a.m.
Holy Days: 7:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.

Immaculate Conception :

Sunday— 8:30 a.m.

Eucharistic Adoration 8:30-9:30 am on Tuesdays
7-8pm on Thursdays



Lenten Confession Schedule

Saturdays during Lent from 4:00-4:45 pm

Thursday, March 29th after 6:30 pm mass

We Are Called To Share Our Time, Talent, & Treasure

Looking for another way to share your treasure with Our Lady of Lourdes and Immaculate Conception? If you have stocks, bonds, or mutual funds that you would like to donate, please consider gifting to Our Lady of Lourdes and Immaculate Conception. Please also consider Our Lady of Lourdes and Immaculate Conception when you review your Estate Plan and/or Will. For more information or assistance, contact Father John at 217-784-4671 or pastor@ololgc.org

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| Mon—3/26/12 | 8:00 am | Fr. John's Intention |
| Tue—3/27/12 | 8:00 am | Fr. John's Intention |
| Wed—3/28/12 | | No Mass |
| Thurs—3/29/12 | 6:30 pm | Fr. John's Intention |
| Fri—3/30/12 | 8:00 am | Fr. William Smith |
| Sat—3/31/12 | 5:00 pm | Paul Huth |
| Sun—4/1/12 | 7:00 am 8:30 am Palm Sunday 10:30 am | For the People (OLL) For the People (Imm. Conception) For the People (OLL) |

Thank You For Your Gifts!

| | O.L.L. | I.C. |
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| Envelopes | \$1945.50 | \$407.74 |
| Loose | \$441 | \$65 |
| Special—CRS | \$515 | \$55 |
| Other (Capital Improvements) | \$320 | |

Week 76 of our Capital Campaign Pledge Drive

Pledged \$175,139.00 Received \$146,835.04
81 Families Participating

Diocesan Catholic Annual Appeal

O.L.L. (Goal: \$9,741): Received \$9,585

I.C. (Goal: \$941) Received \$255

| Date | Altar Servers | Lectors | Euch. Minister | Ushers |
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| Saturday, March 31 5:00 pm | Giles Volker Andrew Laughery | Madonna Fletcher Stan Alt | | Jerry Lynch Stan Alt |
| Sunday, April 1 7:00 am | Altar Servers for Palm Sunday Masses will be contacted. | Kathleen Reum | | |
| Sunday, April 1 10:30 am | | Paul Sarantakos Jim Meyer | Deacon Jeff | Steve Killian Darrin Ray |

Father John's Corner

Welcome back those who were away for Spring Break. I hope you have had a good time and are now refreshed and ready to roll.

As the Holy Week is approaching, there are several activities continuing to take place. There will be communal confession this Thursday March 29th, after the evening mass, and at 4pm on Saturday. Stations of the Cross led by the Choir is on Friday night at 7 pm.

On Sunday evening, the Catholicism Series continues to take place starting at 5pm with a light meal and finishing before 7pm. This is open to everyone. I hope you will take time to make some substantial sacrifices to imitate the suffering of Christ as we commemorate his passion and death. And in solidarity with those who are suffering around the world because of religious persecution.

Holy Week Calendar

Palm Sunday April 1

Regular schedule

Holy Thursday April 5

7:00 pm Mass of the Lord's Supper

Good Friday April 6

3:00 pm Stations of The Cross

7:00 pm Passion of the Lord and Veneration of the Cross

The Cross will stay in the church until Saturday morning for individual adoration

Holy Saturday April 7

7:30 pm Easter Vigil

Easter Sunday Masses April 8

7:00 am

8:30 am Mass at Immaculate Conception

10:30 am

Catholicism Series This Sunday

A BODY BOTH SUFFERING AND GLORIOUS THE MYSTICAL UNION OF CHRIST AND THE CHURCH

Clearly answering the question: What is the Church? Father Barron presents the reality of the Church as one, holy, catholic and apostolic. The Body of Christ can be seen on earth from the Church's center in Rome to the cities of New York, Sao Paulo, Manila, Namugongo and Uganda, while still escaping total understanding as the mystical union between Christ and his Church.

Father Barron also explores the Catholic conviction that the life and presence of Christ continues to embrace humanity in all its joys and sorrows through the presence of the Church.

This Week in Our Parish:

- **TODAY Sun, March 25th:**
After 10:30 Mass Totus Tuus
Planning Meeting at Fr. Kirk Hall
5 pm Catholicism Series at Fr. Kirk Hall
- **Wed, March 28th at 7 pm:** Parish Council Meeting
- **Thurs, March 29th:** Lenten Penance Service after 6:30 pm mass
- **Fri, March 30th at 7 pm:** Stations of the Cross led by the Choir
- **Sun, April 1st:**
5 pm Catholicism Series at Fr. Kirk Hall

CALLING ALL DADS...

Enjoy a special night out with your daughter at the
Daddy-Daughter Dance

on

April 28, 2012

from

7:00 to 9:00 pm

at

Father Kirk Memorial Hall

Sponsored by C.A.L.M.

SAVE THE DATE.

Join OLL's Caring Team!

Many dates are still available to clean our beautiful church. Simply sign up on the calendar in the vestibule for the week you'd like to clean. The parish will contact you with more details.

Thank you!



