

OUR LADY OF LOURDES CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church

Established -1875

Immaculate Conception Catholic Mission



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Immaculate Conception
202 E. Green Street

March 31st, 2013 Easter Sunday

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.

Rev. John Phan Pastor 217-784-4671
Mr. Jeff Volker Deacon 217-781-8238

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



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 Fr. John at 217-784-4671 or pastor@ololgc.org

Mon—4/1/13	8:00 am	Tom Duffy
Tue—4/2/13	8:00 am	Lyla Hutchcraft
Wed—4/3/13		
Thurs—4/4/13	6:30 pm	Tom Duffy
Fri—4/5/13	8:00 am	Lyla Hutchcraft
Sat—4/6/13	5:00 pm	Tom Duffy
Sun—4/7/13	7:00 am 8:30 am 10:30 am	For the People (OLL) Genevieve Schwarz (Imm. Conception) For the People (OLL)
Divine Mercy Sunday		

If you wish to have a mass intention for a loved one, anniversary or other occasion, please contact the parish office. Mass intentions are \$10.

Thank You For Your Gifts!

	O.L.L.	I.C.
Envelopes	\$2687	\$223
Loose	\$212	
Special		
Other (Capital Improvements)	\$180	

Even though we have reached our goal due to generous donations and memorials, if you are still able, please don't forget to keep fulfilling your pledge.

2013 CMAA TOTALS TO DATE

OLOL: \$6,885 (Goal: \$10,715)

IC: \$460 (Goal: \$1,044)

With your support, we can reach and exceed these goals.

Date	Altar Servers	Lectors	Euch. Minister	Ushers	Homebound Ministry
Sat, April 6 5:00 pm	Tyler Killian Baillie Killian	Lisa Heap Mary Fairfield		Leo Chapman Stan Alt	Bob & Fran Mardis
Sun, April 7 7:00 am	Axel Doran	Jim Freehill			
Sun, April 7 10:30 am	Sam Groover Alison Andreae	Paul Sarantakos Jim Meyer	Deacon Jeff	Brett Beyers Paul Volker	

Ministry Schedules & Religious Education photos can be viewed on our *newly designed* website: www.ololgc.org

Father John's Corner



Happy Easter! May the Risen Lord dispel the darkness, and shine into our hearts the spirit of joy and happiness.

Congratulations to Craig Davis who joined into full communion with us at Easter Vigil.

A special word of Thanks to all those who helped make our Holy Week and Easter Celebration an expression of Faith and Life. The choir, deacon, servers, lectors, ushers and art and environment volunteers helped make all possible. *Thank you.*



The Lord is Risen. Alleluia, Alleluia!

From the RE Desk

SAFE ENVIRONMENT INSTRUCTION 2012-13

DEAR PARENTS,

The Diocese of Joliet Safe Environment Instruction is a yearly age-appropriate personal safety curriculum to provide your child with basic skills to help keep them safe from dangerous or abusive situations. Our Parish will be providing instruction to children and youth on **Sunday, April 14th** during regularly scheduled Religious Education class time. You will receive a Safe Environment Response form in the mail. Please read the form and fill in the appropriate response for your child. Then, PLEASE SEE THAT YOUR CHILD'S RESPONSE FORM IS RETURNED VIA the manila envelop at the back of the church OR to your child's Religious Education teacher OR directly to Alyce *by the instruction date*. We are required by the Diocese to have the response form on file for your child. Thank you for your cooperation.

Parents are invited to view and discuss the Emmy Award winning video *What Do I Say Now?* which gives great tips on how to listen to your child and how to talk to your child about awkward topics, specifically those relating to sexuality and touching safety. The video will be shown in the hall on **Thursday, April 11th @ 6:30pm**. If you have any questions about the program, still need to turn in your response form, or need a new form, Alyce will be available Thursday evening. To learn more about Safe Environment education visit the United States Council of Catholic Bishops website at:

<http://www.usccb.org/issues-and-action/child-and-youth-protection/safe-environment.cfm>

Alyce 217 745-2411 or joenalyceh@cawi.org

Parish Events

Tue, April 2

- C.A.L.M. Meeting 6:30 pm at the hall

Thurs, April 11

- Parents' Meeting for Safe Environment Training at 6:30 pm at the hall

Sun, April 14

- Safe Environment Training during RE class, Parents: Don't forget to turn in your response forms!
- YOUTH MASS at 10:30 am

Tue, April 16

- C.A.L.M. Meeting 6:30 pm at the hall

Sun, April 21

- First Communion Retreat from 11:30-3:30 at the hall

Sun, April 28

- First Communion at 10:30 am Mass

First Communion Retreat

Sunday, April 21st
from 11:30 am to 3:30 pm

First Communion

Sunday, April 28th
at 10:30 am Mass



Please pray for our children and their families as they prepare for this Most Holy Sacrament. If you have any questions, please call Alyce: 217 745-2411



Lighthouse Catholic Media provided our parish with a selection of audio CDs, which are located in the narthex and categorized for your convenience. A \$3 donation per CD is suggested. For more information on Lighthouse Catholic Media or to sign-up for the CD of the Month Club, visit

<http://www.lighthousecatholicmedia.org/>

