

Welcome

Welcome to Our Lady of Lourdes and Immaculate Conception! We are glad you are here with us today. If you would like to join our Faith Community,

Our Lady of Lourdes

Established - 1875
534 N. Wood Street
Gibson City, IL 60936

Mass Schedule

Saturday 5 pm
Sunday 7 am & 10:30 am
Monday 8 am
Tuesday 8 am
Thursday 6:30 pm
Friday 8 am
Holy Days: 7 am & 7 pm

Eucharistic Adoration

Tuesday 8:30-9:30 am
Thursday 7-8 pm

Confession

Saturday 4:30 pm (OLOL)
Any time by Appointment



Immaculate Conception

202 E. Green Street
Roberts, IL 60962

Mass Schedule

Sunday 8:30 am

Confession

Sunday 8:15AM (IC)



Parish Office

Phone & Fax:
(217) 784-4671
General Information
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Address:
534 N. Wood St.
Gibson City, IL 60936
Website
www.ololgc.org

February 16, 2014 Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time



**Our Lady of Lourdes
Catholic Church**



**Immaculate Conception
Catholic Mission**

Pastor

Rev. Thomas Theneth, CMI

Deacon

Jeff Volker

Parish Secretary

Patti Meunier

Religious Education

Alyce Hafer

Youth Ministry

Bruce Killian

MusiciansMichele Fackler
Corey Fields**Parish Council
President**

Matt Doran (OLOL)

THIS WEEK'S INTENTIONS

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.

MON Feb 17	8:00AM	No Mass
TUE Feb 18	8:00AM	No Mass
WED Feb 19		No Mass
THU Feb 20	6:30PM	No Mass
FRI Feb 21	8:00AM	No Mass
SAT Feb 22	5:00PM	Lyla Hutchcraft
SUN Feb 23	7:00AM(OLOL) 8:30 AM (IC) 10:30 AM (OLOL)	Eleanor Kerber For Parishioners Noble Hutchcraft

**Thank You
For Your Gifts****OLOL**

Envelopes \$1809.40

Loose \$323.00

Capital Imp. \$130.00

Imm. Conception

Total \$202.00

MINISTRY SCHEDULES

<u>Date</u>	<u>Altar Servers</u>	<u>Lectors</u>	<u>Euch. Minister</u>	<u>Ushers</u>	<u>Homebound Ministry</u>
Sat, Feb 22 5:00PM	Andrew Laughery Braden Roesch	Lisa Heap Patti Huppert	Jerry Brown	Jerry Lynch Jerry Lynch Jr.	Deacon Jeff
Sun, Feb 23 7:00AM	Remi Astronomo	Kathleen Reum			
Sun, Feb 23 10:30AM	Nathan & Ethan Garard	Lisa Volker Jack Kollross	Deacon Jeff	Greg Laughery Bob Bode	

Volunteers are always needed for our parish ministries. For more information on how to join, contact the parish office.

Baptism

Call the Rectory at least four weeks before the baptism. Baptismal instruction for the parents and God-parents is required.

Sick??

If you or a family member is sick or admitted to the hospital or makes a trip to the Emergency Room, please contact Fr. Thomas at (630) 639-0502 or Deacon Jeff at (217) 781-8238.

Marriage

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



Paul and Sarah Sarantakos invite you to write any need you have in the *Prayer Book* located at the back of the church. You and your needs will be kept in their prayers as they travel to and from Joliet for Paul's diaconate classes.

SMALL GROUP DISCUSSION

Our next installment will be **THIS WEEKEND**, Sunday, February 16, from noon to about 1PM. We would like to invite you to our house (120 West 11th Street) for lunch, discussion of the Mass, readings homily, and ending with a rosary. For your part, listen, ponder, and maybe even take notes during Mass about what the Word is saying to you or how the homily impacted your thoughts. Then come to our house to talk about, listen to and reflect on the insights and questions of others. This is not a long term commitment, come to one, to them all, or just every once in a while when the reading strikes you.

PAUL AND SARAH SARANTAKOS**Pray for the Sick
& Homebound**

Tony Coons
Mary Cothorn
Jesse Cervelli
Vicky Stuckey
Dick Walter
Doris Benter
Penny Campbell
Loretta Bode
Rita Benefiel
Chuck Kemmer

If you wish to add the name of a loved one who is sick, please contact the parish office at 217-784-4671 or pastor@lolgc.org.

A Note from Deacon Jeff

RCIA

Classes for the rite of Christian Initiation for Adults will begin Sunday, February 23rd at 3PM in the Father Kirk Memorial Hall. These sessions are designed for those adults interested in joining the Catholic church this Easter Season. We also welcome anyone simply seeking to develop a deeper understanding of their Faith as well as any Catholic adult who has yet to receive the Sacrament of confirmation. For more information, please contact Deacon Jeff 781-8238 or deaconvolker@yahoo.com.

Women's Cursillo Weekend

The Catholic church has something very special to help us know Christ and ourselves in a new way. It is called Cursillo. It is three days away from the world with other Christians and our Lord Jesus Christ. We know people are busy and your plate is so full and three days seems like a long time to sacrifice...but isn't your faith worth it? Are you going to tell Jesus that you don't have three days for Him? Didn't He spend three days in the grave for you!

On March 27-30, 2014, there will be a Women's Cursillo at Our Lady of the Lake Church in Mahomet. Sign up now while there is still room and give your three days to Jesus.

To sign up, contact one of the following: Lisa Volker, Andi Killian, Sarah Sarantakos, Lisa Heap, Marj Brown, Becky Doran

From the RE Desk

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 March 9th 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 vanilla envelope at the back of the church OR to your child's Religious Education teacher OR directly to Alyce by/on 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, March 6th at 6:30PM. If you have any questions about the program, still need to turn in your response for, 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 www.usccb.org.

ON THE WAY- THE LONG WALK TO SANTIAGO
ASH WEDNESDAY, March 5, 2014
American Evangelical Lutheran Church, Gibson City, IL
8:30AM Registration and 9:00AM Welcome
Continental Breakfast

LISA VOLKER WILL BE THE SPEAKER
"ON THE WAY-THE LONG WALK TO SANTIAGO"

All are invited. A nursery will be provided. Please state in your message if you will be bringing a little one. For reservations, please call 217-784-4841 by Wednesday February 26th. Please leave message on answering machine of number in your party and a telephone number in case of cancellation.

Parish Events

Tues. Feb 18

- C.A.L.M. Meeting

Sat. Feb 22

Confirmation Retreat
10AM-3PM @ Paxton

Wed. Feb 26

- Staff Meeting 6PM
- Parish Council Meeting 7PM



Several of you that had submitted your own family

photos for the directory have asked how to handle the \$10 submission fee. You can feel free to drop it in the mail to 534 N Wood, Gibson City, IL 60936 or drop it in the collection basket with Patti on the envelope. I just



THOUGHTS

for the week of
February 16, 2014
6h Sunday
in Ordinary Time

Stewardship involves more than just the gift we bring to the altar. Today's readings say clearly that it is fidelity to God's law that makes our offering acceptable.