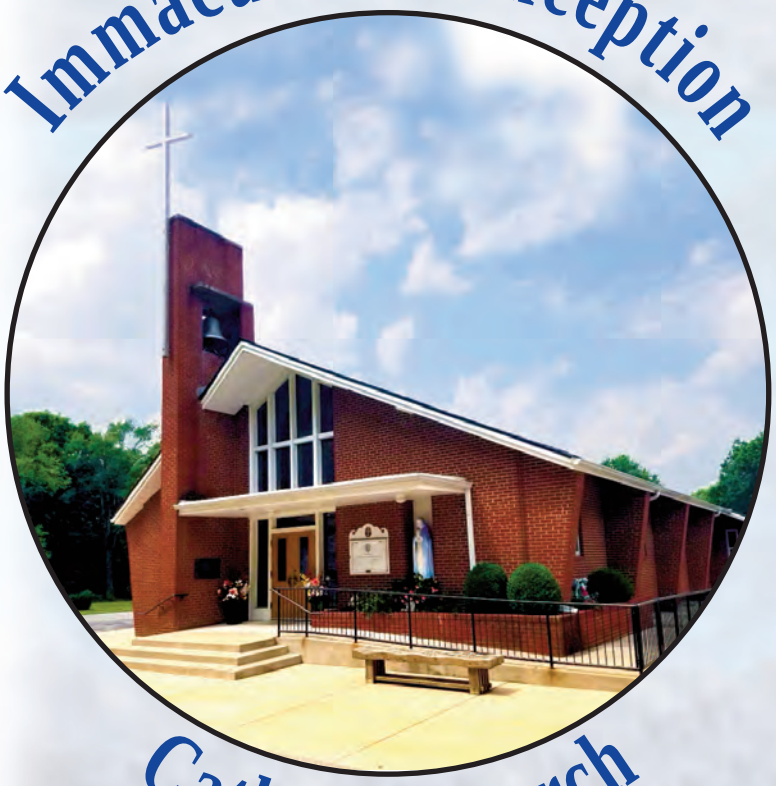
# Immaculate Conception Catholic Church



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## PARISH OFFICE

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***Administrative Assistant***
***Catie Lemke***

***Monday - Thursday***
***9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.***

### MASS SCHEDULE

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| Saturday | 5:00 p.m. |
| Sunday | 8:00, 10:30 a.m. |
| Tuesday-Friday | 8:00 a.m. |

### RECONCILIATION

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| Saturday | 4:00 - 4:45 p.m. |
| Wednesday | 7:30 a.m. |

Available upon request or by appointment.

### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Sunday 9:00 - 10:00 a.m.
DRE: Holly Kuhlman, hkuhl3@hotmail.com

### BAPTISMS

*Preparation Necessary*
Call office weekdays to schedule.

### WEDDINGS

*Preparation Necessary -*
*Wedding policy on Parish Website*
Please make arrangements six months prior.

## NEW PARISHIONERS, VISITORS, "WELCOME!"

Please stop by or call the Parish Office to register as soon as possible.
If moving, please notify the Parish Office.

Immaculate Conception Catholic Community, Louisburg

Immaculate Conception School of Religion

# Mass Schedule

**Monday, October 26**
No Mass or Communion Service
**Tuesday, October 27**
8:00 a.m. Ladda Mittenfelner †
**Wednesday, October 28 Sts. Simon and Jude, Apostles**
8:00 a.m. Raymond Grybos †
**Thursday, October 29**
8:00 a.m. Rev. Francis Pottgieser †
**Friday, October 30**
8:00 a.m. Joanie Krumm †
**Saturday, October 31**
5:00 p.m. James Gray †
**Sunday, November 1 All Saints**
8:00 a.m. People of the Parish
10:30 a.m. Shirley DiCapo †

Confessions are heard in the Confessional at the front of the church on Wednesdays at 7:30am and on Saturdays 4:00-4:45pm.

## Please Pray for Us

Vincent Ackerman, Adelaide Anderson, Mary Jane Budney, Roxanne Casaert, Ann Capuro, Helen Collins, Shirley Cook, Heather Crescini, Molly Downs, Teresa Dunn, Bobbe Ewalt, Madilyn Farris, Peggy Gradberg, Brittanie Farris Phyllis Green, David Greene, Teresa Henry, Norma Hennigh, Lisa Johnson, Louise Kratzer, Jean Lambertz, Sherry Stefan, Gerald Meier, Loretta Miller, Clayton Nash, Bill Noel, Cecilia Otter, Roger Obermeier, Ralph Parise, Brian Patterson, Travis Pretz, Mary Pretz, Jerry Pretz, Missy Purdon, Steve Reed, Debbie Dobbins, Barbara Roberts, Carol Saporito, Rick Stone, Jim Seuferling, Marcia Smith, Kelly Smith, Charlene Smotherman, Mary Spielbusch, Megan Stevens, Tammy Swenson.

**Contact the parish office to add/remove a name on the prayer list**

## UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday, October 25, 9:00 a.m.~ SOR, Classrooms

Wednesday, October 28, 7:00 p.m.~ *Choir Practice, Church*

Sunday, November 1, 9:00 a.m.~ *Altar Society, Parish Hall*

Monday, November 9, 6:45 p.m.~ *K of C Meeting, Parish Hall*

Monday, November 9, 7:00 p.m.~ *Grief Group, Old Rectory*

Thursday, November 12, 7:00 p.m.~ *Bingo, Parish Hall*

# Mass Ministries

**October 24 —5:00 p.m.**
**Servers**—Oliver & Sullivan Goering
**Lector**—Kath Vogel
**Greeters**—Linda & Benny Rice

**October 25 —8:00 a.m.**
**Servers**—Grant Bloustine, Graham Kern
**Lector**—Patti Wagner
**Greeters**—Sarah & Mark Bloustine

**October 25—10:30 a.m.**
**Servers**—Edith Law, Carter Schneider
**Lector**—Holly Kuhlman
**Greeters**—Ashley & Matt Lemke
**Counters**—Amy Loomis, Brett Silance, Benny Rice

**October 31 —5:00 p.m.**
**Servers**—Oliver & Sullivan Goering
**Lector**—Bradley Hennigh
**Greeters**—Chuck & Becky Golba

**November 1 —8:00 a.m.**
**Servers**—Elly Downs, Graham Kern
**Lector**—Mark Bloustine
**Greeters**—Sarah & Mark Bloustine

**November 1 —10:30 a.m.**
**Servers**—Amelia Lemke. Colin Schleicher
**Lector**—Doreen Hull
**Greeters**—Pat & Tom York
**Counters**—Frani Akins, Sherry Stefan, Leo Handzlik

***The monthly schedule is also posted on the bulletin boards at the North and East entrances of the Church and on our website.***

## Stewardship

**October 18, 2026**

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| *Regular Collection* | *$4308.00* |
| *Capital Improvement* | *$100.00* |
| *World Mission* | *$255.00* |
| *Catholic Education* | *$20.00* |

*Thank you for your generous gifts to your parish!*

**Progressive Jackpot is now $550!!**
Bingo is held on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays at 7:00 p.m. in the parish hall. Doors open and food is served at 6:00 p.m. $15/ Pack of Cards
Bring friends and enjoy a fun evening with us. Proceeds help fund the Knights of Columbus service activities. Minimum age of 16 to play!

**Mass Intentions**~ To remember a loved one who has died, or to honor and pray for intentions of another is a beautiful way to call upon God's blessing. The typical sacrificial offering is $10 a Mass. Request a Mass intention for someone by contacting the parish office.

## Office Hours

The office will be opened
Monday - Friday: 9:00 a.m. to 12 p.m.
12:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

**Mark your Calendars!**
**Knights of Columbus Spaghetti Dinner**
**Saturday, November 14, 5-7 p.m.**
Please join us for a delicious free will spaghetti dinner hosted by our Knights of Columbus.
Enjoy great food and visit with fellow parishioners.
We look forward to seeing you there!

**CALLING ALL ACTIVE, RETIRED, AND RESERVE MILITARY**
6TH ANNUAL VETERANS DAY LUNCHEON
THURSDAY NOVEMBER 5, 2026
LUNCH 11:00 a.m.- 12:30 p.m.
**WHERE:** HOLY ROSARY CATHOLIC SCHOOL,
227TH & OLD METCALF, BUCYRUS KS 66013
Knights of Columbus 4th degree assembly

**MENU:**
Salad, Brisket, Cheesy Potatoes,
Cake and Ice Cream

**RSVP**
TEXT: 816.820.9588 or EMAIL kimhoffman6@icloud.com

Leave the total number of people you are bringing and their names, so we can have a name tag waiting for each person.

EVERY MILITARY ATTENDEE CAN BRING A GUEST!!!

## Pray For Our Military

Ryan Asbury ANG
LCPL Michael Beals
LCPL Cody Calvert, USMC
SGT Aidan Cannon
PFC Mitchel Conner
LT Col Mark Edgar
SGT Alexis French
LCPL Seth Garner
2nd LT Holden Giefer USAF
1st LT Isaak Giefer USAF
CW3 Tim McDermed USA
Seth Miller
SPC Cody Richardson
Molly Rison USN
Matthew Rison USN
2nd LT Joseph Sladek USAF
CDR Katrina Stegner
SPC Richard Stouder
LT Col Neilson Wahab
AMN Cheyenne Williams
AMN Stone Williams
LT. Ali Zalekian, USN
SSG Matthew Zeller
ENS Zachary Martin

**Rosary** ~ The Rosary starts at 7:30 a.m. on Sunday. This allows for its completion by 7:50 a.m.

## ASK FATHER
COLUMN

**Q:** If you are baptized in another Church, why can't you receive Communion?

**A:** Although we recognize baptisms of some communities of faith, we do not have open communion out of respect for their beliefs and especially ours where we believe in the real presence, namely, that the bread and wine, after the consecration, changes into the body and blood, soul and divinity of Jesus Christ (Transubstantiation- Council of Trent). The Eucharist is not a sign nor a symbol, but the reality of the being/person of Christ. Other Christian communities do not hold to this truth/mystery. Therefore, they are not admitted to come forward to receive Holy Communion.

Furthermore, the Church holds that to receive the Eucharist we must believe ***all*** that the Catholic Church officially teaches as coming from Christ and must be a fully initiated Catholic in good standing. For example, it is necessary for Catholic to believe in apostolic succession (the line of bishops stretching back to the apostles) and that the Virgin Mary was immaculately conceived. Other Christian communities do not hold to these teachings, hence are unable to partake in communion.

Because this bread and wine have been made Eucharist ("eucharisted," according to an ancient expression), "we call this food Eucharist, and no one may take part in it unless he believes that what we teach is true, has received baptism for the forgiveness of sins and new birth, and lives in keeping with what Christ taught." (*CCC*, no.1355)

In short, Communion is more than feeling welcomed or excluded, it is an outward and public witness to all that the Catholic Church teaches and proclaims to be true in Christ.

## New to the parish? Welcome! Please Register.

Please fill out or call the office, 913-837-2295.

Last Name _____

First Name _____

Home Phone _____ Cell _____

Address _____

Email Address _____

**Complete registration materials will be e(mailed).**

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*Altar Society*
All Ladies of the Parish are members
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## Knights of Columbus

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KofC

*The Knights are a volunteer organization that supports our Church, community, and those who can't help themselves. All men of the parish, 18 years and over are invited to join. Contact the church office to reach us, or join online:*

https://www.kofc.org/join

BINGO

2nd and 4th Thursdays every month
Church basement
Food at 6:00pm, Bingo starts at 7:00pm
$400 minimum progressive pot

Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus
Proceeds raised are used to support our community

## The Mysteries of the Rosary

***Joyful Mystery of the Rosary*** *Monday & Saturday*
I. The Annunciation of the Lord to Mary
II. The Visitation of Mary to Elizabeth
III. The Nativity of our Lord Jesus Christ
IV. The Presentation of our Lord
V. Finding Jesus in the Temple at age 12

***Sorrowful Mystery of the Rosary*** *Tuesday & Friday*
I. The Agony of Jesus in the Garden
II. The Scourging at the Pillar
III.Jesus is Crowned with Thorns
IV. Jesus Carried the Cross
V.The Crucifixion of our Lord

***Glorious Mystery of the Rosary*** *Wednesday & Sunday*
I. The Resurrection of Jesus Christ
II. The Ascension of Jesus to Heaven
III. The Descent of the Holy Ghost
IV. The Assumption of Mary into Heaven
V. Mary is Crowned as Queen of Heaven and Earth

***Luminous Mystery of the Rosary*** *Thursday*
I. The Baptism in the Jordan
II.The Wedding at Cana
III. The Proclamation of the Kingdom
IV. The Transfiguration
V. The Institution of the Eucharist

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