

Mission Statement

We as members of the Body of Christ, through our thoughts, words and deeds, celebrate the presence of God in all people. As a community of believers, we answer Christ's call to feed the hungry, clothe the naked, shelter the homeless and love one another.

May 27, 2018
Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity

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WEEKEND CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Sat 4:00PM Immaculate Conception Sat 5:30PM Holy Redeemer Sun 7:30AM Immaculate Conception Sun 9:00AM Holy Redeemer Sun 10:30AM Immaculate Conception

WEEKDAY CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

7:30AM Immaculate Conception 8:30AM Holy Redeemer 5:30PM Immaculate Conception (during Lent)

CONFESSION

Saturday 3:00PM - 3:30PM Immaculate Conception Monday 5:45-6:45PM Immaculate conception (during Lent)

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Wednesdays 9:00AM - 10:00AM Holy Redeemer

Gluten Intolerant?

If you cannot tolerate gluten, please receive communion on the tabernacle side of the church and let the person distributing communion know you need gluten free.

May 27, 2018

Readings/Responsorial #1083

Gathering: #567 Offertory: #566 Communion: #930 Recessional: #984

Weekly Collection May 20, 2018

\$8,724.00

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Second Collection This Weekend

At all Masses this weekend, we will take up the Catholic Communication Campaign collection. Through Internet, social networks, television, radio, and print, the Catholic Communication Campaign (CCC) helps the Church spread the Gospel message through the media locally and nationally. Half of all donations to the CCC collected in our diocese *stay* in our diocese to support our local communications needs. Thank you, in advance, for your generosity.

Rectory Office Closed

In observance of Memorial Day on Monday, May 28th, the rectory office will be closed.

Thank you!!

Father Angelo Messina wishes to extend his thanks to everyone who took the time to plan and all who attended the wonderful parish celebration for his 50th Anniversary of his Ordination to the Priesthood.

New Ministry Schedules

In the next few weeks, we will be printing a new ministry schedule. Altar servers, EM's and lectors, if you know days when you will be unable to serve or if you wish to make changes to your Mass serving preference, please contact one of the following coordinators by Wednesday, June 6th. The new schedule which will run from June 23-24 thru August 25-26 will be available for pickup the weekend of June 9-10. Thank you.

Altar Servers: Donna Mason 570-903-9142 mmason8589@aol.com
Lectors: Rosalie Cullagh 570-430-7319 rosan814@comcast.net
Donnie Minnick 570-212-8774 sokach-minnick@verizon.net

EM's: Teresa Crossin 570-357-3985 tacross5@comcast.net

New Altar Serving Training

Once they have received the Sacrament of First Eucharist, all boys and girls are eligible to become altar servers. We scheduled 2 sessions for new altar server training at Immaculate Conception Church...Tuesday, May 29th and Tuesday, June 5th both at 6:00PM. If your child would like to become an altar server and cannot make either of these days, please contact Joyce at 570-6564-2753 or jcecconi50@gmail.com, so we can make other arrangements for training your son/daughter.

Corpus Christi Car Show
Sunday, May 27, 2018
(rain date Monday, May 28th)
11:00AM to 4:00PM
Grounds of Holy Redeemer Church

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Car Registration begins at 11:00AM

All ae welcome! Awards presented at 3:00PM. Enjoy car corral...food trucks.... Raffles.... give-a-ways.....music all day!!

Seniors Meeting

All are welcome to join us on <u>Wednesday, May 30th at 1:00PM</u> in the rectory for an afternoon of cards, lively chatter and refreshments.

Liturgy Meeting

Members of our liturgy committee are asked to attend a meeting on <u>Tuesday</u>, <u>May 31st at 6:00PM</u> in the rectory.

Corpus Christi Parish Bazaar June 21, 22, 23, 2018

Grounds of Immaculate Conception Church

Bazaar Volunteers

Thank you to everyone who has already completed a volunteer form for our parish bazaar. If you would like to volunteer at our bazaar, please take a form (can be found in the vestibules of the churches), fill it out and return to the rectory. A week or so before the bazaar, a person from the volunteer committee will call to confirm your working schedule. Thank you for volunteering!!

•Flea Market Hours

Shop our flea market and bake sale Saturdays from 8:00AM to 12 Noon this Saturday thru June 16th. During our parish bazaar, June 21, 22 and 23 the flea market will be open during bazaar hours. To volunteer baked goods for our bake sale, contact Loretta at 570-654-2655.

New Food Items

This year we are adding a couple of new food items to "tempt your taste buds" at our parish bazaar.....homemade cannoli and homemade meatballs. Last year, with great success, we added clams in the bar area. This year at our ever popular ice cream stand, you will be able to buy authentic cannoli with delicious homemade cream. This year our menu will include homemade meatballs /w Italian bread and broccoli & shells.

•Gift of the Week

To help keep bazaar costs down, each week we will be asking for donations of paper or cleaning products, etc. Our request for "gift of the week" is **any kitchen cleaning products**. Donations may be left in the vestibules of the churches. Thank you!

Bountiful Basket Donations

Every year, parishioners and visitors come to our bazaar looking forward to taking chances on winning one of our beautiful "theme baskets". If you can help by donating a basket, just pick a theme, purchase the items, display and wrap it up. Some theme suggestions could include: lottery tickets, car care theme, your favorite sports team, lawn & garden, any holiday theme, summer picnic or beach theme, etc. Remember, GIFT CARDS any amount, from anywhere are always a welcome attraction! Donations may be left in the church vestibules or dropped off at the rectory.

Donations for Children's Games

Once again, in the vestibules of the churches you will find plastic Dollar Store buckets. If you can help, please take one home and fill it with a variety of items suitable for prizes for the Children's Games at our bazaar. Examples of items would include: bubbles, sidewalk chalk, balloons, water toys, sandbox toys, all of which can be found in the Dollar Stores. Filled buckets can be returned to the vestibules of the churches. Thank you for your help.

How to become a Bazaar Sponsor

A sponsorship to our parish bazaar is a great way to advertise your business, memorialize a deceased family member, or honor loved ones special occasions. We have 3 levels of sponsorship: Bishop Level...\$50.00 (black & white 8.5"x14" sign) - Cardinal Level...\$150.00 (full color 8.5"x14" sign) - Pope Level...\$500.00 (professionally printed 2'x6' nylon sign which is renewed yearly for \$350.00). To become a sponsor, just take home a sponsor form which can be found in the vestibules of the churches.

"Spring Fling" Lottery Winners

5/17	JoAnn Stiles	#852	\$50.00
5/18	No Winner	#707	\$50.00
5/19	No Winner	#451	\$50.00
5/20	Angela Green	#371	\$125.00
5/21	Gina Chipolis	#178	\$50.00
5/22	No Winner	#858	\$50.00

Special drawing winners: Michael Lumley \$50.00 5/18, Len/Kerrie Basara \$50.00 5/19, Jane/Norm Roskowski \$50.00 5/22

Altar Candles at Immaculate Conception

Which will burn this week in loving memory of **Frank Skibinski** are donated by his wife, Betty and daughter Joanne.

Holy Family Candle at ICC

Which will burn this week in loving memory of **Deceased Members of Brown, Bishop, Serafin & Paster- nak Families** are donated by John & Maryellen Serafin.

Holy Cross High School

The annual Lady Crusader Girls Basketball Camp will be held July 23 through July 27 at Holy Cross High School, Dunmore from 9:00AM to 1:00PM. Instruction will include offense, defense and individual shooting. Instructors include high school coaches and players. The camp is open to girls entering grades 4 through 9. Cost is \$60.00 which includes camp, commemorative t-shirt and end of camp pizza party.

For information contact Coach Bob McCormack at 570-309-1635 or rmack0423@comcast.net.

Mass Intentions May 28 thru June 3, 2018

Mon	7:30AM	Marilyn Fessler by Loretta Anderson
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Tues	7:30AM	Mary & James English
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 	8:30AM	Matthew James Domato
Wed	7:30AM	by John Stasienchuk, Jr. Rev. Leo P. cummings
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Thurs	7 :30AM	Honor of Donna & Nelson
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 	8:30AM	Lisa Marconi
Fri	7:30AM	by Nancy Paremba Ann J. Bell Family
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 	8:30AM	Amy Ide
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Sat	4:00PM	Mark Kleback
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Sun	7:30AM	by daughter, Mary Reeves & family Michael Lino Stallone
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i	9:00AM	James Kosloski
 		by Joseph & Ann Kosloski
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 		by Jack & Susan Carr