



## 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.**

**June 10, 2018**

**Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

### Immaculate Conception Church

#### Holy Redeemer Church

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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)

#### EUCCHARISTIC 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.

June 10, 2018

Readings/Responsorial #1120

Gathering: #848 Gather Us In

Offertory: #964 The Master Came to

Bring Good News

Communion: #939 Behold the Lamb

Recessional: #658 Seek Ye First

#### Weekly Collection

June 3, 2018

\$9,679.00

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### Second Collection This Weekend

This weekend at all Masses, please welcome, Fr. James Kariuki (Priest from Kenya, East Africa) who will speak to us on behalf of the Diocese of Nakuryu. In the Northern enclaves of Baringo and East Pokot, drought is ravaging thousands and dangerously leaving many more to be dependent on food aid. There are reports of human and livestock deaths because of acute food shortage. There is also an increased migration of pastoralist communities due to depletion of pasture and water for livestock. This situation has sparked conflict over dwindling pasture and water resources. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.

### New Ministry Schedules

Altar Servers, EM's, Lectors and Cantors are asked to pick up a copy of the new ministry schedule, which can be found in the sacristies of the churches. The new schedule runs from June 23-24 thru August 25-26.

### First Eucharist Pictures

If you ordered First Eucharist pictures, they can be picked up in the vestibule of Immaculate Conception Church.

### Car Show .

Thank you to everyone for your support of our annual "car show" which was held on the grounds of Holy Redeemer Church on Memorial Day. As always, the committee did a great job of recruiting sponsors, vendors, and of course a good number of car owners and enthusiasts from around the valley. In spite of the fact that inclement weather forced the committee to move the car show to their selected rain date, a grand time was had by all.

### Father's Day Deliveries

Father's Day is Sunday, June 17th. On Saturday, June 16th at 10:00AM, Social Concerns will be delivering gifts to some 25 plus men from our parish who are homebound or residing in nursing homes. If you can help deliver, please contact Joyce at 570-654-2753 or [jceconi50@gmail.com](mailto:jceconi50@gmail.com). Thank you!

## Corpus Christi Parish Bazaar

### Grounds of Immaculate Conception Church

**Thursday, June 21 6:00PM—10:00PM (WATERSTREET)**

**Friday, June 22 6:00PM—10:00PM (Handsome Devils)**

**Saturday, June 23 5:00PM—10:00PM (Orange Whip)**

Rain or shine, we all are looking forward to this 3-day fun filled parish community building event. We have something for everyone...games, prizes, great food and entertainment! There is plenty of seating so bring the family, have dinner, play some games and enjoy mingling with fellow parishioners and friends.

### •Volunteers Needed

If you have not yet done so, please return your bazaar volunteer form. Forms can be dropped off or mailed to the rectory or turned in the collection next weekend.. Beginning this week, everyone who has turned in a form will be contacted to confirm their volunteer time. We welcome families with children to sign up to work the children's games. Volunteers are needed for ground set up beginning next Saturday, June 16 at 8:30AM and for food prep beginning Monday, June 19th at 10:00AM in the church hall.

### •Bazaar Set up

Mark your calendars....the first day for bazaar set up will be Saturday, June 16th. On that day we are asking for young men and boys to be at Holy Redeemer Church at 8:30AM where we will load up stands, etc and transport to Immaculate Conception Church grounds. If you have a truck or a trailer, please bring it. Thank you!!

### •Winners' Circle Raffle Tickets

Beginning next weekend, raffle tickets will be available at all Masses. Donation is \$30.00 for a book of 15 tickets or \$2.00per ticket. **Make your returns by June 18th and your name will go into an early lead drawing where you can win \$250.00.** All tickets sold will be entered in the final drawing during our bazaar on June 23 for a chance to win: 1st Prize \$1,000.00, 2nd Prize \$500.00 or 3rd Prize \$250.00. If you would like additional raffle tickets, just stop by or call the rectory @ 5 70-654-2753.

### •Sponsorships and Monetary Donations

Thank you to everyone who is a "sponsor" for our parish bazaar. The monies raised by sponsorships, as well as monetary donations, are used as start up money for the bazaar. Each year we reach out to businesses & individuals in our parish and local community to become "sponsors" for our parish bazaar. You too can become a sponsor to advertise your business, in honor or memory of a loved one or simply to show your support to your parish. If interested, stop by or call the rectory. Once again, thank you for your support!

### •Flea Market Shopping

We have had a couple of "banner" Saturdays! Thank you to everyone for your donations and for shopping our flea market. Shop with us **Saturday, June 16th 8:00AM to 12 Noon**. During our parish bazaar, June 21, 22 and 23, the flea market will be open during bazaar hours. Flea market questions can be referred to **Kathy Cikota at 570-592-1925 or kathleencikota@frontier.com**.

### •Gift of the Week

Our request for "gift of the week" is **ketchup & mustard**. Donations may be left in the vestibules of the churches. Thank you!

### •Gift Basket Donations

The baskets are beginning to flow in. We now have at least 16 "baskets" each very different with values ranging from \$50.00 to \$200.00. We call them "gift baskets", but, everything does not have to be in a basket. Be creative: how about a bike, a wagon or perhaps a grill....sports items geared to kids or adults, Penn State, Yankees, etc. The gift cards are also coming in...we all know you can never have too many of these!! Thank you to everyone for your donations!! Donations may be dropped off at the rectory. For more information contact **Rosalie Cullagh at rosan814@comcast.net or 570-655-5422**.

### •Children's Games

Have you ever made slime? Well you can learn how at the children's booths at our bazaar. If you can help, we are asking for donations of the following ingredients used to make slime..... Glue (any size), saline solution, baking soda, and men's foaming shaving cream (Dollar Store). Thank you.

### Bereavement Group

A 6-week session bereavement group will be held in our rectory at 7:00PM on Tuesday evenings beginning July 17th. The sessions will be led by Sr. Sarah Landis, IHM Therapist/Pastoral Counselor. For further information or to sign up for the group, call the rectory at 570-654-2753.

### "Spring Fling" Lottery Winners

5/31	Janine Chepalonis	#610	\$150.00
6/01	Patti Wiatrowski	#928	\$150.00
6/02	No Winner	#412	\$75.00
6/03	No Winner	#365	\$125.00
6/04	No Winner	#050	\$50.00
6/05	No Winner	#977	\$50.00
6/06	Michael Rollman	#328	\$75.00

Special drawing winners: Michalina Ciampi 6/2 \$75.00, Charles Alfano 6/3 \$125.00, Ed Doran 6/4 \$50.00, Carl Nocek 6/5 \$50.00

### Altar Candles at Immaculate Conception

Which will burn this week in loving memory of **Dr. Peter J. Andrews, Sr.** are donated by Betty Skibinski & Joanne Nerbecki.

### Holy Family Candle at ICC

Which will burn this week in loving memory of **Joseph E. Fedor** by wife, Rosella and daughter, Josette.

### ShurSave Community Rewards

Go online to shursavemarkets.com and complete the quick registration. Login to your account and click on the Community/School Rewards tab and select your group! ShurSave Community Rewards is an exciting program that allows local non-profit groups the opportunity to earn \$.03 for each purchase of family store brands by registered Gold Card members.

### Redner's Rewards

When shopping at Redner's, just use your card and save your register tape. Turn your tape into us and we will receive dividends. Today we received a check for \$146.78 from Redner's.

Mass Intentions		
June 11 thru June 17, 2018		
Mon	7:30AM	<b>Mary Brennan</b> by Loretta Anderson
	8:30AM	<b>Sean O'Keefe</b> by Jim & MaryLou Musto
Tues	7:30AM	<b>Health &amp; God's Blessings</b> <b>Jim Gelgot</b> by wife, Margie
	8:30AM	<b>John Cirelli</b> by family
Wed	7:30AM	<b>Ettore Aquilina</b> by Joe & Lena Scarantino & family
	8:30AM	<b>Claire Carr</b> by Peter Cusick & Diane Simoson
Thurs	7:30AM	<b>Fank Mirabelle</b> by Mikita Family
	8:30AM	<b>James D. Alco</b> by son, James
Fri	7:30AM	<b>Anna Mooney</b> by Burlong Family
	8:30AM	<b>Ann Ross</b> by M/M Harold Ash
Sat	4:00PM	<b>Father's Day Intentions</b>
	5:30PM	<b>Father's Day Intentions</b>
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