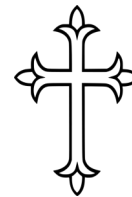


# Immaculate Conception Parish Saint Stanislaus Parish



*Jesus went across the Sea of Galilee. A large crowd followed him, because they saw the signs he was performing on the sick. Jesus went up on the mountain, and there he sat down with his disciples. The Jewish feast of Passover was near. When Jesus raised his eyes and saw that a large crowd was coming to him, he said to Philip, "Where can we buy enough food for them to eat?" He said this to test him, because he himself knew what he was going to do. Philip answered him, "Two hundred days' wages worth of food would not be enough for each of them to have a little." One of his disciples, Andrew, the brother of Simon Peter, said to him, "There is a boy here who has five barley loaves and two fish; but what good are these for so many?" Jesus said, "Have the people recline." Now there was a great deal of grass in that place. So the men reclined, about five thousand in number. Then Jesus took the loaves, gave thanks, and distributed them to those who were reclining, and also as much of the fish as they wanted. When they had had their fill, he said to his disciples, "Gather the fragments left over, so that nothing will be wasted." So they collected them, and filled twelve wicker baskets with fragments from the five barley loaves that had been more than they could eat. When the people saw the sign he had done, they said, "this is truly the Prophet, the one who is to come into the world." Since Jesus knew that they were going to come and carry him off to make him king, he withdrew again to the mountain alone.*

John 6: 1-15



## The Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time July 25 , 2021



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### Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil 5:00pm – Immaculate Conception  
7:00pm – St. Stanislaus  
Sunday 8:00am – St. Stanislaus  
10:30am – Immaculate Conception

### Daily Mass Schedule

IC Tuesday-8:00am  
SS Wednesday-8:00am  
IC Thursday-6:30pm  
IC Friday-6:15am  
Saturday-No Morning Mass

### SACRAMENTS

#### **RECONCILIATION**

Immaculate Conception: Thursday from 5-6pm, Friday, from 7-8am, Saturday from 3:30-4:30pm  
St. Stanislaus: Sunday 7:00am

**BAPTISMS AND WEDDINGS-** Please call Fr. Justin for an appointment, 437-2408, Ext 3

**I.C. and SS Confessions Info**

**IC: Thursday, 5-6pm**  
**Friday, 7am (Immediately following Mass)**  
**Saturday, 3:30-4:30pm**  
**St. Stanislaus: Sunday, 7am**

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**Team Cleaning**  
**IC Church Cleaning Schedule**  
**Team D 7-18-25 to 7-31-20**

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**Important Notes on Exhibit**

**(A) "Those attending should already have attended Mass or do not plan to attend the Mass at 7pm."**

**(B) Early seating is not available until after 5pm-Please be courteous to the wedding guests from 3-5pm.**

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**IC ALTAR SERVER APPRECIATION PARTY**

**Friday, July 30th at 6:30 pm**  
**South of the school building**  
**Food and Games will be provided .**

**Weekly Mass Schedule**

(July 25- August 1)

<b>Sat. 7/24</b>	<b>5:00pm</b>	<b>IC</b>	<b>Joseph Muller (+)</b>
	<b>7:00pm</b>	<b>SS</b>	<b>John Jacobson, Sr. (+)</b>
<b>Sun. 7/25</b>	<b>8:00am</b>	<b>SS</b>	<b>Cletus Manhart (+)</b>
	<b>10:30am</b>	<b>IC</b>	<b>IC &amp; SS Parishioners</b>
<b>Mon. 7/26</b>		<b>IC</b>	<b>No Mass</b>
<b>Tues. 7/27</b>	<b>8:00am</b>	<b>IC</b>	<b>Lawrence &amp; Mary Mees (++)</b>
<b>Wed. 7/28</b>	<b>8:00am</b>	<b>SS</b>	<b>Ralph &amp; Mary Anne Pfannenstiel (++)</b>
<b>Thurs 7/29</b>	<b>6:30pm</b>	<b>IC</b>	<b>Keith &amp; Delaine Kidney(++)</b>
<b>Fri. 7/30</b>	<b>6:15am</b>	<b>IC</b>	<b>Makaylyn Aubert (+)</b>
<b>Sat. 7/31</b>	<b>5:00pm</b>	<b>IC</b>	<b>Dan Baumchen (+)</b>
	<b>7:00pm</b>	<b>SS</b>	<b>SS &amp; IC Parishioners</b>
<b>Sun. 8/01</b>	<b>8:00am</b>	<b>SS</b>	<b>Angela DeDonder Richardson (+)</b>
	<b>10:30am</b>	<b>IC</b>	<b>Bruce Dickson (+)</b>



Dear Family,

I have talked briefly with you about the many graces God pours into the soul of one who spends time with Him in Eucharistic adoration and this is the reason I have started a **holy hour of Eucharistic Adoration at our parish on the first Tuesday (@ Immaculate Conception) and Wednesday (@ Saint Stanislaus) of the month.** Part of my vision for our parish is for each of us to grow in devotion to Eucharistic Adoration, to make it a regular part of our life so that we become intimately familiar with it, and to have a deeper encounter with Jesus through it. Time spent with Jesus in the Eucharist changes everything; it transforms our life. I would like every family in our parish to have this essential devotion to Eucharistic adoration and especially those families that have never had the opportunity to make a formal "holy hour" with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament. Maybe you're unfamiliar with what this means, with some of the lingo, with what a holy hour entails, and why it is so important. Over the next few weeks in my pastor's corner, I will walk you through why you should make this a priority in your life, how to make a fruitful holy hour, where this tradition originated, and other key components of Eucharistic adoration. This week, I would like to explain some of the Catholic lingo we use to talk about adoration and holy hours since it can be confusing and sometimes we use words interchangeably.



**Pastors Corner**

**What is Eucharistic Adoration?**

*Eucharistic Adoration is the simple act of spending time in prayer before Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament.* Eucharistic adoration is prayer before the Blessed Sacrament housed within the tabernacle. The presence of the Body and Blood of Jesus in the tabernacle is noted by a constantly burning sanctuary candle near the tabernacle. This is a sign of the honor which is shown to the Lord. Therefore, whenever we are in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament (whether before or after Mass) it is appropriate to adore Him in silent prayer and meditation.

**What is Eucharistic Exposition?**

*Eucharistic exposition is the ritual by which the Blessed Sacrament is displayed outside of the tabernacle in a monstrance for the purpose of public veneration by the faithful.* It is this communal celebration of the glory of God in the Blessed Sacrament that enables us, the faithful, to perceive more clearly the relationship between the "reserved" Sacrament and the sacrifice of the Mass which is the origin of the purpose of our worship outside of Mass. Eucharistic exposition can provide a greater feeling of intimacy with Jesus as he allows himself to be "exposed" to our eyes so that we can gaze at His "face" even as he looks at us.

**What is a Holy Hour?** In Matthew 26:36 Jesus asks his disciples to stay awake with him and pray right before he enters into his passion. His disciples can't even stay awake one hour and Jesus gently chides them for their lack of fortitude and love. Traditionally, a Holy Hour refers to spending an hour of time in prayer with Jesus in answer to his call to stay awake. More specifically, *it most often refers to spending one hour of prayer with Jesus in Eucharistic Adoration,* although a Holy Hour of prayer could be done at home or anywhere.

**What is Perpetual Adoration?** Some chapels offer what is called perpetual adoration. Immaculate Conception church has offered this devotion for a number of years and in fact we are just finishing up our new perpetual adoration chapel where this will occur. This means that, with the exceptions of times for Mass, the Eucharist is exposed in the monstrance on the altar 24 hours a day, seven days a week and at least one person is present continuously to adore Christ. We will take more about perpetual adoration down the road.

**Office Hours- Both Parishes: Monday-Friday 9:00am-3:00pm**

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**July 18, 2021**

Offering: \$2,558  
Plate: \$125  
Needy: \$110  
Argentina Mission: \$75  
Total: \$2,868

**July Faith Direct:**

Offering: \$2,358  
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Ministers for July 31 & Aug. 1st

Sat., July 31

Lector: Mick Poell  
Servers: Kaden, Lilly & Kaycee  
SinghDhillon  
Ushers: Alex Johnson & Greg  
DeDonder  
Musicians: I.C. Musicians

Sun., Aug. 1st

Lector: Rich Schoenfeld  
Servers: Keira, Bailey & Isaac Aubert  
Ushers: John Simecka & Gary Roth  
Musicians: Rick & Diane Budden  
August 1-Homebound Mins: Steve Mees  
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**IC Parish Picnic**

Saturday, August 21st. Meal starting at 4pm. Games & Bingo starting at 5pm. Dance starting at 8:30pm.

Sign up sheets will be in the back of Church and Online very soon.

This year's picnic is facing some new challenges, so changes are being made to work around them. This does not change the reason for the picnic, which is the fellowship of our parish. Please, sign up, show up and come spend some time with your fellow Parishioners  
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A Special Thank You to all those who generously gave their support, their time, food, tools, donations & prayers to help make the ICWC such a success! Our 25 Confirmation Candidates and 20+ chaperones spent the week attending Masses, morning Rosaries, Night Prayers, listening to visiting speakers, and making improvements on 12 homes/sites-including the interior and exterior of our church. They had breakfast, lunch and dinner together everyday provided by parents, family, & friends. All Candidates attended a Confirmation Retreat offered by Fr. Justin and they even hosted a mini-carnival for parish families on Sunday. All of them were following our model for the Work Camp-St. Joseph, "a tireless worker!"  
**St. Joseph-Pray for us!**

**St. Stanislaus**

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**July 10-11**

General: \$1,450  
Plate: \$70  
Poor & Needy: \$110  
Building Maint. Fund: \$275  
Picnic Donation: \$140  
Total: \$2,045

**July 17-18**

General: \$645  
Plate: \$70  
Poor & Needy: \$15  
Peter Pence: \$10  
Maint Fund: \$147  
Picnic Donations: \$180  
Total: \$1,067

**July Faith Direct**

General: \$2,010  
Building Maint Fund: \$785  
Gross FD: \$2,795  
FD Fees: \$95.78  
Net July FD: \$2,699.22  
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**Saturday, July 31**

Lectors Deana Cowan  
ExOrd Mins: Carroll Muller  
Ushers: Rod Cowan & Jim Heiman  
Servers: Paige & Troy Heiman  
Music: Helen & June  
Sacristan: Lana Biladeau

**Sunday, August 1**

Lector: Joe Roth  
ExOrd Mins: Deidre Michael  
Ushers: Alyssa & Alan Streit  
Servers: Tessa & Ali Gerber & Claire Erb  
Music: Adult Choir & Julie  
Sacristan: Deidre Michael  
Homebound Min:  
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**The Knights will be taking pizza orders after Mass. They will be made fresh on Sat., Aug. 28th**  
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**Mark Your Calendar:**  
**St. Stanislaus Parish picnic, Saturday, August 7th**

**All Parishes**

Up coming Blood Drive - August 13<sup>th</sup> at SMJSHS from 12:00 until 6:00. Register early to get the time you desire. [savealifenow.org/group](http://savealifenow.org/group) - then group code is TPJB. Contact John for more details 785-213-0567  
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*"We felt like we did when we were first married!"*  
*The Living in Love retreat is back in person and better than ever! Now called the Weekend Immersion offered by our friends at "EverMore in Love," this weekend will help married couples experience the wonder of being more in love. A great way to start off the new school year! (Aug. 28-29) at Mother Teresa in Topeka (October 2-3) at St. Joseph in Shawnee*  
*More info, other dates and special coupon code for our Archdiocese found at [www.archkck.org/livinginlove](http://www.archkck.org/livinginlove)*  
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**EXPOSITION OF SACRED RELICS (Treasures of the Church)**

St. Stanislaus Parish welcomes you to a teaching and exposition of Sacred Relics by Father Carlos Martins of the Companions of the Cross. It will be held in St. Stanislaus Church Saturday, July 31 at 5:30pm. Among the treasures will be relics of St. Joseph, St. John the Baptist, St. Mary Magdalene, St. Maria Goretti, St. Therese of Lisieux (the "Little Flower"), St. Francis of Assisi, St. Anthony of Padua, St. Thomas Aquinas, and St. Faustina Kowalska.

There will also be a fragment of the Veil that belonged to Our Lady and some of the largest remaining pieces of the Wood of the True Cross in the world.

Address: St. Stanislaus Church, 703 Main St, Rossville, KS 66533. Telephone: 785-584-6612.  
See [www.treasuresofthechurch.com](http://www.treasuresofthechurch.com) for more info.



**Services Provided Parishes and Communities:**

St. Marys Food Pantry:  
Ministry to the Sick:  
Hall Rentals:

Prayer Chain Coord.:

SS Music Ministry

Community Care Ministries

Please contact Mary Poell @ 437-2448 or Tina Roth @785-584-6466 for assistance.  
Parish contacts are: Betty Aubert, IC (437-6118) Janet Wehrly, HC (458-9544); Colette Peel, SS (582-5846).  
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**Holy Cross**--Janet Wehrly (458-9544), **St. Stanislaus**--Shirley Gustafson (554-3028),  
**Immaculate Conception**--Mary Ellen Reese (437-6163).  
(Youth Choir) Angie Bittner, 221-2644 or Jen Womack, 969-5882  
(Adult Choir) Helen Lytle, 584-6335 or June Burgett, 584-6080  
407 Ash St. Wamego, KS 66547; Telephone Number 456-7872



**PLEASE PRAY FOR THESE INTENTIONS REQUESTED THROUGH OUR PRAYER CHAIN**

Contacts: Mary E. Reese: 437-6163  
Anita Marstall: 437-6117

**Pray for These People Who Are on the Prayer Chain**

**For God's mercy and healing of our country.**

**Glenda Weaver:** Prayers for healing of Sepsis after surgery.

**Jolie McDaniel:** Continued prayers needed for cancer that has spread throughout her body.

**Louise Manhart's sister Geneva & brother Mike:** For healing of serious medical problems

**Carolyn Hern:** Healing after hospitalization for chest pains.

Financial support and maintenance help **For a widow** on a limited income

**Thanksgiving for answered prayers for Mary Kaye Schoemann**

**Claire Bergman:** Healing of effects from a concussion and to return to normal activities  
**Diane (Cowan) Elevier:** Healing of multiple health issues

**Ann Durst:** Healing of cancer

**Jim DeSelms:** Healing after a stroke

**Louise Manhart:** Successful heart surgery July 23 and healing

**(update) Mary Ellen Reese:** Prayers of thanksgiving for successful surgery and continued healing

**Please Pray for the Repose of the soul of Gary Harpe** and please pray for his family

**Please Pray for the Repose of the soul of David Kritchner & for his Family**

**Please pray for the repose of the soul of Jacob Thompson**

**Mary Jane Downey** successful treatment of epilepsy & healing after a seizure

**Abby Hoffman** for her health & for her twins born at 24 wks who suffer from a life threatening heart & lung problems

**ST. MARYS FOOD PANTRY**

**Any food or monetary donations would be greatly appreciated.** We are in continuous need of: peanut butter, jelly, applesauce, canned fruit, tomatoes, tomato sauce, corn, tuna, mac & cheese, spaghetti and sauce, egg noodles, cream soups, cereal, pancake mix and syrup, soda crackers, pork & beans, peas, green beans, toothpaste, dish soap, laundry detergent, T-paper, shampoo, bar soap. Send monetary gifts to Community Food Pantry, 503 N. 5th Street, St. Marys, KS 66536. Thank you for helping meet these needs. **Please save your Best Choice labels for the Food Pantry.** Thanks Also, please remember St. Marys Food Pantry if you have extra harvested garden produce that you need to get rid of. We are open the 2nd and 4th Wed. afternoons of each month. Produce can be dropped off at 1:15pm on those days at the Food Pantry. If you have any questions, please contact Tina, 785-584-6466 or Mary, 785-437-2448.

*Take the Time*

*Take the time, enjoy a sunrise,  
Pink clouds brightening the sky,  
Fragrance from a lovely garden  
Where the roses please the eye.*

*Take the time, enjoy all Nature-  
It is always worth your while.  
You'll be grateful for the beauty  
That will cause your heart to smile.*

*Take the time to show a kindness-  
Just a drop you give today  
Has a special kind of sweetening  
That can help in many ways.*

*There is magic in each droplet-  
You will know that this is true;  
For a portion of its magic  
Will return to sweeten you.*

*Take the time to travel slower,  
Enjoy each moment that you live,  
Then you'll really know the fullness  
Of the blessings God can give.*



*Rachel Hartnett*

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**Immaculate Conception**

**Finance Council Members:**

Rick Reese (Chair.), Steve Denton, John Simecka, and Pat Verschelden, Doyle Pearl.

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Royce Muller ( Ex Officio)



**Knights of Columbus**

**St. Marys Council #657:**  
**Grand Knight:**  
**Alex Johnson**

**St. Stanislaus Council #10755:**  
**Grand Knight:**  
**Mark Wilt**

**#10755 Knight for the Month of July is Bill Ebert. Knight of the Year is Calvin Lytle Congratulations!**

**#657Knights of Columbus**

**Family of the month for July is: Larry and Mary Lenherr and Family**

**Knight for the Month of July is: Larry Lenherr**

**Feast Days**

**Sun., July 25, Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Mon, July 26, Sts Joachim & Anne, Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

**Tues, July 27, Weekday**

**Wed., July 28, Weekday**

**Thurs., July 29, St. Martha**

**Fri., July 30, St. Peter Chrysologus, Bishop and Doctor of the Church**

**Sat, July 31, St. Ignatius of Loyola, Priest**

**Sun., Aug. 01, Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Healing Mass:**

**Mass with Prayers for Healing is to be held at MPH M Church, 3601 SW 17th St., on Thursday, July 29th, at 7pm, sponsored by Glory to God Community. Fr. Ratna Swamy, assistant pastor at Most Pure Heart, will be our celebrant. Confessions will be offered from 6pm to 6:50pm. Fr. Swamy will also offer the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick. Refreshments following Mass in O'Connor Hall. Any questions call Allan or Vickie Holthaus, 862-9738.**