



THE SEASON OF LENT + PRAYER + FASTING + ALMSGIVING



**IMMACULATE  
CONCEPTION**  
CATHOLIC CHURCH

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COLUMBUS, OH 43214

PARISH OFFICE  
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SCHOOL OFFICE  
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Leading people to Jesus through Worship, Community, Service, and Devotion to Mary

### Celebration of Holy Mass

SUNDAY MASSES  
Saturday Vigil: 4:00 p.m.  
Sunday: 8:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

DAILY MASSES  
Monday: 8:30 a.m., Tuesday: 6:15 p.m.  
Wednesday-Friday: 8:30 a.m.

HOLY DAY MASSES  
8:30 a.m., 7:00 p.m. or as announced

### Sacraments

RECONCILIATION  
Tuesdays: 5:30-6:00 p.m.  
Fridays: Following the 8:30 a.m. Mass, 9:15-9:45 a.m.,  
or by appointment

BAPTISM  
For detailed information related to preparation and  
scheduling, please contact the Parish Office at  
(614) 267-9241, or at [icoffice@iccols.org](mailto:icoffice@iccols.org).

MARRIAGE  
Couples should inquire at least 12 months in advance  
of the intended date. A marriage preparation program is  
required. For information, contact Elizabeth DeLuca at  
(614) 267-9241 or at [edeluca@iccols.org](mailto:edeluca@iccols.org).

### ANOINTING OF THE SICK AND PASTORAL MINISTRY TO THE HOMEBOUND

If there is an emergency need for Anointing of the Sick,  
please call the Parish Office. If you get the voicemail  
message, press "1" and leave a message on the  
sacramental emergency line. For pastoral care needs,  
please contact the Parish Office at (614) 267-9241, or at  
[icoffice@iccols.org](mailto:icoffice@iccols.org).

### FUNERAL AND BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY

Family of the deceased loved one should contact  
the Parish Office at (614) 267-9241, or at  
[icoffice@iccols.org](mailto:icoffice@iccols.org).

### OCIA

OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation of Adults) is the  
formation program of inquiry, discernment and  
instruction for adults. If you are interested in learning  
more about our faith and becoming Catholic, please  
contact Mary Ann Rivera at (614) 267-9241, ext. 605  
or at [marivera@iccols.org](mailto:marivera@iccols.org).

#### PARISH

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#### SCHOOL

 [icschool.cbuc](https://www.instagram.com/icschool.cbuc)

 [@ICRamsColumbus](https://www.facebook.com/ICRamsColumbus)

\*Painting: The Expulsion of Adam and Eve from Paradise by Benjamin West (National Gallery of Art)

## MASS INTENTIONS

### SATURDAY, MARCH 14

Hos 6:1-6; Lk 18:9-14

4:00 p.m. Janet Vana Rummel †

### SUNDAY, MARCH 15

1 Sam 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a; Eph 5:8-14; Jn 9:1-41

8:30 a.m. For the People of  
Immaculate Conception Parish

11:00 a.m. Danny Fuchs †

### MONDAY, MARCH 16

Is 65:17-21; Jn 4:43-54

8:30 a.m. Jason Cwiekalo †

### TUESDAY, MARCH 17

Ez 47:1-9, 12; Jn 5:1-16

6:15 p.m. Annie Santos †

### WEDNESDAY, MARCH 18

Is 49:8-15; Jn 5:17-30

8:30 a.m. Larry Stephens †

### THURSDAY, MARCH 19

2 Sam 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16; Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22;

Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a  
8:30 a.m. Joe & Josephine Conti †

### FRIDAY, MARCH 20

Wis 2:1a, 12-22; Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

8:30 a.m. Demetrio Santos †

### SATURDAY, MARCH 21

Jer 11:8-20; Jn 7:40-53

4:00 p.m. Juan Luviano †

### SUNDAY, MARCH 22

Ez 37:12-14; Rom 8:8-11; Jn 11:1-45

8:30 a.m. For the People of  
Immaculate Conception Parish

11:00 a.m. For the Intention of  
the Ortlieb Family

† Deceased

## PASTORAL STAFF

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## LITURGICAL MINISTERS SCHEDULE – MARCH 21 & 22 2026

MASS TIMES	4:00 p.m.	8:30 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS	Bobbie Mitch Paul Duffy	Anne Beharry Chris Atzberger	Andy MacKinnon Janet Wilks
LECTORS	EJ Davis	Michael Shoenfelt	Anne Shea
ALTAR SERVERS	Grant McCallum Isla McCallum Elliot Reing-Hurley Sophia Reing-Hurley	Jack Abens Mia Abens Daniel Barnes Andrew DeLuca	Ava Ackerman Romy Adams Campbell Byrne
GREETERS	Joyce Francis Jeanne Stoker Molly Edwards	Mike Demko Bobby Clark Michele Sapp Tyler Johnston	Coleman Family April Byrne Inkrott Family
WELCOME DESK	Patty Conway	Suzanne Smith	Karen Cannell

## MINISTRY SCHEDULES

Ministry schedules are available on the parish website. To see complete schedules, go to iccols.org>Parish Life>Organization Schedules.

## SCHEDULING MASS INTENTIONS

One of the greatest acts of charity is to pray for the living and the dead (a spiritual work of mercy). The greatest and most powerful prayer we have is the Mass since the fruits of the Mass are the very fruits of Jesus' redemption. Mass stipends (offerings) are \$10.00 each with only one intention per Mass. Mass intentions are scheduled by calling the Parish Office at (614) 267-9241, emailing [icoffice@iccols.org](mailto:icoffice@iccols.org), or mailing your request to the Parish Office. We will do our best to honor the dates and times requested, but no day/time can be guaranteed. **Currently, we are scheduling Mass intentions through August 2026.**

## CONTRIBUTORS TO THE SANCTUARY LAMPS

The Sanctuary Lamps in the church burn constantly to proclaim the real presence of Jesus in the Tabernacle. For the month of **March**, the three Sanctuary Candles were donated by the **Mahler Family**. Thank you for your generosity.

## LIVESTREAMED MASSES

Immaculate Conception Parish livestreams 8:30 a.m. Sunday Masses and 8:30 a.m. Wednesday and Friday morning Masses for individuals who are unable to come to church. Go to [www.iccols.org](http://www.iccols.org) and scroll down to "Mass Schedule," then "See the Mass." Livestreamed Masses are archived and can be experienced at a later time.

## LOW-GLUTEN HOSTS

Using low-gluten hosts is an available option at Immaculate Conception. If you require low gluten hosts, please stop off in the Sacristy before Mass and talk to the priest or deacon.

## IN OUR PARISH



### NEW PARISHIONERS

We welcome our new parishioners to Immaculate Conception Parish: **M. Therese, Drew, Deacon and Ford Russell**. We invite and encourage you to join us as we pray, work, and play together and hope that you find a welcoming and spiritual home here at Immaculate Conception.

### SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

We welcome **Sutton Grace Stull**, the daughter of Nicholas and Abigail Stull who was received into the Church and our parish through the Sacrament of Baptism on March 7, 2026.

## OUR BEAUTIFUL ORGAN WAS TEMPORARILY SILENCED

During Lent, we tend to slim things down and create a more solemn Mass. This gives us a chance to fast and reflect in a way different from our everyday or weekly Mass-going habits. Sometimes, God has a way of doing that for us whether we want to or not. You may have noticed how more subdued and quieter the Masses have been these past couple of weeks. The blower to the organ was not firing because the relay that sends the signal to the starter, telling the blower to start, was no longer functioning. The Blower then pulls air from the outside into these reservoirs that look like bellows and sends it to the pipes, which is how the pipes in the organ make sound. For those who are not aware, part of the money you generously give goes to repairs, such as these, to keep our beloved organ in tip top shape. We are grateful that the organ has now been repaired. This is a great opportunity to give thanks to the remarkable talents of our music ministry. It is rare that one encounters a church choir of devoted volunteers with the ability to sing a cappella as beautifully and with the Holy Spirit as they do.

## ADDITIONAL VOLUNTEERS NEEDED – SERVICE HOURS AVAILABLE

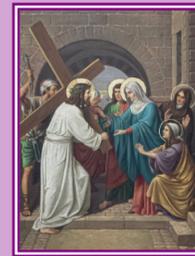
**LiveStream Ministry** – Additional volunteers are needed to operate the church livestream equipment for the 8:30 a.m. Sunday Mass for those who are homebound. Basic technical knowledge of computers, software, web browser, and/or video cameras is helpful, and on-site training is available for any interested parishioner. High-school age members or school parents with the skillsets and the need for service hours may also apply! For additional information or to sign up, please contact Tom Berryhill at [tberryhill@iccols.org](mailto:tberryhill@iccols.org).

**Welcome Desk Ministry** – The parish has a Welcome Desk Ministry to assist parishioners and visitors who have questions, would like to register, need a Baptism or wedding information form, need additional information about the parish, etc. A trained volunteer is at the desk in the Gathering Space after weekend Masses to help anyone seeking assistance. We are looking for volunteers to help with this important ministry. Training is available and volunteers serve on a rotating schedule. Please call Karen Cannell in the Parish Office at (614) 267-9241 or [icoffice@iccols.org](mailto:icoffice@iccols.org) for more information or to express an interest in this ministry.

## DIOCESAN 40 DAYS OF ADORATION

During Lent, the Diocese encourages parishes to have a day of Adoration. To see the complete Adoration schedule, go to <https://columbuscatholic.org/event/40-days-of-Adoration/>. Times vary, so please be sure to check with the respective parishes for the most up-to-date Adoration times. Some options this week are: St. Matthew, Gahanna on March 15; St. Peter St. Joan of Arc, Powell on March 16; Resurrection, New Albany on March 17; Christ the King, Columbus on March 18; St. Christopher, Columbus on March 19; St. Mary's German Village on March 20. **Our additional day of Adoration at IC is Wednesday, March 25. Seek the Lord wherever He is found.**

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CROSS



FRIDAYS  
7:30 P.M.

## IN ORDER FOR OUR PICTURE DIRECTORIES TO BE HARDBOUND, WE NEED 20 MORE FAMILIES TO GET THEIR PICTURE TAKEN

If you missed your photo appointment, want to have your photos retaken, or if you simply changed your mind – and would like to have your photo taken – you will get your chance on Wednesday, March 25. Photographers will be in Room A of the rectory from 2 p.m. to 9 p.m. **To sign up:**

- Go to [www.ucdir.com](http://www.ucdir.com)
- Click on **Photography Session Sign-up**
- Enter **oh2915** in the Church Code field
- Enter **photos** in the Church Password field
- Follow the prompts to schedule your family's appointment time. If you have five or more in your family, please use two consecutive time slots.

If you need help registering, contact Tom Berryhill at [tberryhill@iccols.org](mailto:tberryhill@iccols.org) or call the Parish Office.



*The Lord is my shepherd;  
there is nothing I shall want.*



**TIME, TALENT & TREASURE**

*Fostering Stewardship as a Way of Life*

**Fiscal Year 7/1/2025-6/30/2026 • Offertory Report 3/8/2026**

	<u>3/8/2026</u>	<u>YTD 2025/2026</u>
Recorded Envelopes/Checks	\$ 43,776	\$ 949,717
Loose Cash	\$ 893	\$ 33,548
TOTAL RECEIVED	\$ 44,669	\$ 983,265
Weekly Operating Expenses	\$ 27,000	\$ 972,000
Weekly Overage/ <i>(Shortage)</i>	\$ 17,669	\$ 11,265
Families Receiving Envelopes		838
Envelopes Received		105
Families on EFT		365



Manage your electronic contributions online! Visit [www.iccols.org](http://www.iccols.org) and click "Offertory & Stewardship" under the Giving menu. Alternatively, text "Give" to (614) 953-6436, or scan the QR code to the left. Thank you for your financial support of our Catholic faith here in our parish. We are grateful for your generosity.

*"For where your treasure is, there will your heart be also." (Matthew 6:21)*

**OLD FAITHFULS MONTHLY MEETING**

The IC Old Faithful's senior ministry group will gather Thursday, March 19 at noon in Marian Hall. In addition to lunch and fellowship, we will have a speaker from the Alzheimer's Society. The title of the presentation is *Healthy Living for Mind and Body*. We are having a soup lunch with bread and need help with a couple more soups, desserts, cleanup and setup. Please email your response to Molly at [dodane@yahoo.com](mailto:dodane@yahoo.com) by March 16.



This year we will continue to decorate our church and Sanctuary with Easter lilies and flowers in memory of our deceased loved ones. If you would like to contribute to our Easter lilies/flowers you may do so by placing your donation, including the name(s) of the deceased, in an envelope marked "Easter Lilies" in the collection basket or by sending it to the Rectory OR you can submit your donation online at <https://bit.ly/3P2s4VE>. Your \$10.00 donation will not only honor someone special in your life, but it will enhance the beauty of our worship space during the Easter season.

The names of those remembered will be published in the Easter bulletin. **Please submit all names by Monday, March 30, 2026.**

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- 2.) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3.) \_\_\_\_\_
- 4.) \_\_\_\_\_

Requested by: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # \_\_\_\_\_



**CRS RICE BOWLS ARE AT THE DOORS**

How do your Rice Bowl donations help people live better lives?

Fourteen-year-old Adriana, who lives in the remote village of Ermera in Timor-Leste begins her day by walking down a hill to collect water, feeding pigs or tending vegetable gardens. In a region where malnutrition is common among adolescent girls, Adriana's physically demanding routine shows how important adequate nutrition is for healthy growth. She faces long treks to school, seasonal foods and limited access to nutritious food. The family's income from coffee harvesting lasts only a few months each year, so balanced meals are rare outside of harvest season.

That's why Adriana attends monthly sessions put on by CRS and local organizations to learn about how to improve her nutrition and self-care. In these sessions, Adriana learns about how conditions like anemia, often caused by low iron levels, lead to fatigue and weakness. "When I eat good nutritious food, it will help me to grow healthy to support my brain [functioning], so I can learn more and achieve my dream. I want to be a doctor, to be healthy and help others because in our villages there is no doctor." Adriana also receives healthy snacks, comprised of **protein and carbohydrates**, at school during nutrition sessions to foster healthy eating habits. "The nutrition session with the adolescent girls at the schools has a massive benefit for the girls as they are key for the future. Your donations make a difference. **Your Rice Bowl box, with your donations, may be turned in on Palm Sunday weekend or go to [iccols.org](http://iccols.org)>Give Now>Drop Down box>Rice Bowl.**



**Fridays during Lent!**

(February 20 - March 27)  
5:00 - 7:30 p.m. in Marian Hall



**\$16 Adults**  
**\$6 Kids Meals**  
(Fish/Pizza/M&C)  
Carryout Available

**MENU**

Fried or Baked Fish, French Fries, Cole Slaw, Vegetable, and Roll. Complimentary Beverages, Adult Beverages & Dessert Available.

**WE NEED VOLUNTEERS!**

Sign up to volunteer or donate desserts at: [bit.ly/IC-Fish-Fry](http://bit.ly/IC-Fish-Fry)



**NEW THIS YEAR**  
← Reserve a table \$200  
Event Sponsor \$500 →  
(includes table, signage & announcement)

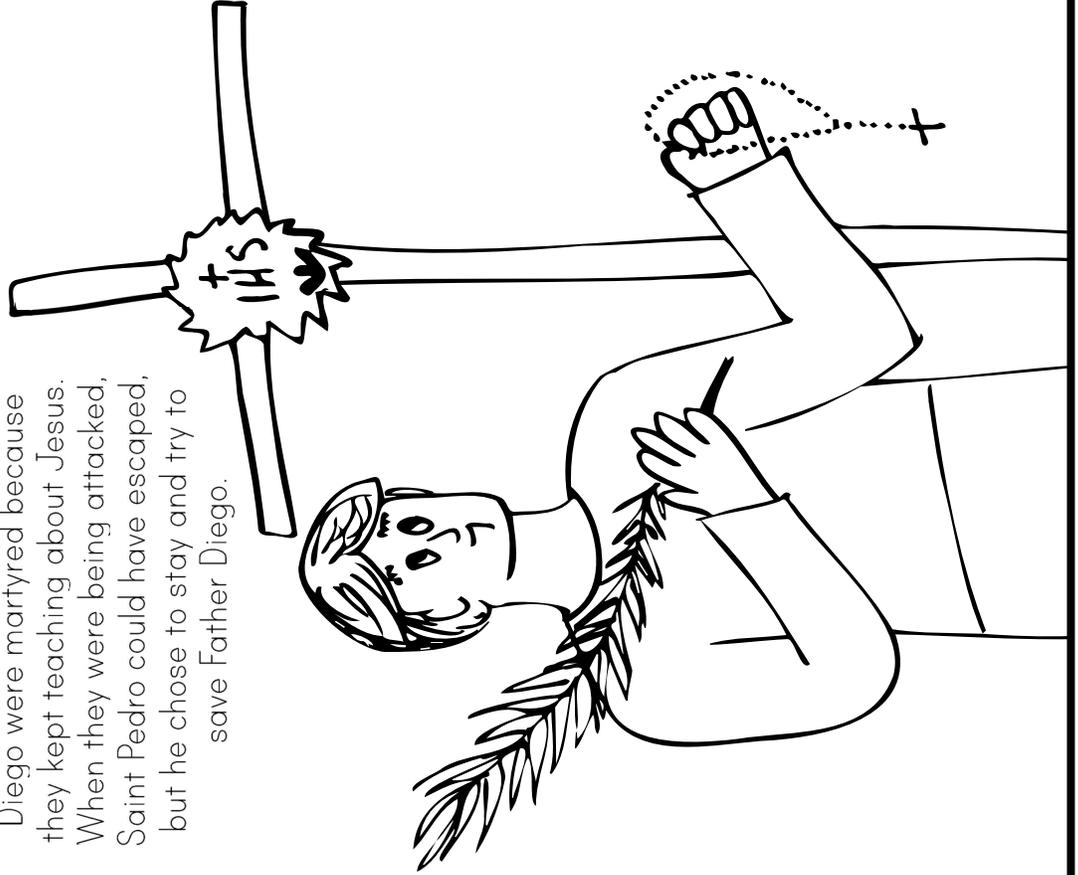


Our dine-in is Green, utilizing reusable plateware and utensils and recycling all waste. The meal is delicious, a great cause, and it's a lot of fun!

# Saint Pedro Calungsod

Saint Pedro Calungsod grew up in the Philippines and became a Catholic missionary. He traveled to Guam with a Spanish missionary, Father Diego Luis de San Vitores.

Both Saint Pedro and Father Diego were martyred because they kept teaching about Jesus. When they were being attacked, Saint Pedro could have escaped, but he chose to stay and try to save Father Diego.



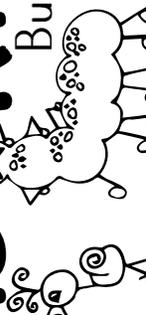
# Catholic Kids

Bulletin

March 15, 2026

Lent

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The Lord is  
my shepherd;  
there is  
nothing I shall  
want.

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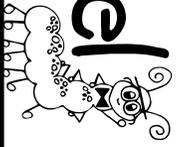
There are pictures or statues of the Stations of the Cross in your church. Ask your family to help you find them.



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# Gospel



Jesus performed a miracle by healing a blind man.  
The man learned that Jesus is the Son of God.

# FAITH FORMATION

Immaculate Conception Church

March 15, 2026

**The Fourth Sunday of Lent (Laetare Sunday) receives its name from the Latin word for “rejoice.” Many of us undoubtedly remember that this is the Sunday when rose is worn by the priest, when flowers once again decorate what was otherwise a barren sanctuary. A posture of joy may be the last thing many of us desire to assume right now, and yet, the Church calls us mourners to rejoice.**

Christian joy does not mean denying the existence of sorrow. Rather, Christian joy is our recognition that the world is meaningful, a space created for love rather than meaningless hatred or despair.

We lift up our heads to praise the living God, joyfully, because God has loved us into existence, redeemed us through the Death and Resurrection of the Son, and still is present through the power of the Holy Spirit, even as we suffer the minor and major tragedies of life.

Therefore, this Sunday, let us rejoice. Such rejoicing should not be a stoic disregard for the suffering so evident in our world. Rather, the rejoicing that breaks forth from our lips is the expression of hope. God is like a tender mother, who gathers her children into her arms, consoling us as a mom calms a newborn babe. We rejoice that this God exists.

If we take up this posture of rejoicing, we may begin to see anew why there are reasons for us to rejoice right now.

The redemption accomplished through the Word is wondrous (mirabiliter). The wonder of this redemption is that, although prophets spoke of the coming of the Messiah, no one could imagine the tender mercy that God would show to men and women through the Incarnation of the Word made flesh. How wondrous that God has joined himself in love to the human family through the Son, how marvelous that this God is still present among us in the Scriptures, in the poor, and in the Blessed Sacrament.

[mcgrathblog.nd.edu/](http://mcgrathblog.nd.edu/)

## LAETARE SUNDAY

### THE FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT

The name comes from the first words of the Entrance Antiphon for Mass, “Laetare Jerusalem” — “Rejoice, O Jerusalem”.

*St. John  
1900-1910*

**Isaiah 66:10-11: “Rejoice, Jerusalem, and all who love her. Be joyful, all who were in mourning; exalt and be satisfied at her consoling breast.”**

## COME AND BE INSPIRED

**MARCH 18 AT 6:30 PM IN MARIAN HALL.**



**“In an age that runs from pain and avoids the cost of love, Kolbe shows us another way. He is a saint for our time—and his story is one we all need to hear.” --Anthony D’Ambrosio Director of Triumph of the Heart**

In Triumph of the Heart, Kolbe enters the starvation bunker alongside nine condemned men and fights to forge a brotherhood of hope from their suffering and despair. St. Maximilian Kolbe was a Renaissance man—a friar, a founder, a creator. He built a thriving friary, launched a magazine that reached millions, pioneered advancements in modern press technology, and even organized the first public fire station run by a religious order.

But when faced with a truly apocalyptic war, Kolbe showed us something even greater: that Christian love can conquer the deepest horrors of the human condition. In the face of unimaginable suffering, Kolbe didn’t retreat—he stepped forward, offering his life to save another.



## THE STORY OF MAXIMILIAN KOLBE

Join us this Wednesday in Marian Hall at 6:30 p.m. for the movie *Triumph of the Heart*. In *Triumph of the Heart*, St. Maximilian Kolbe manages, through his life and death, to become a witness and conduit of God's love, even in a death camp built by hate. It is no surprise that he was later canonized as a saint by Pope John Paul II.

Maximilian Kolbe's words to them are as true today as in those dark days of 1941, "Love is the realest thing. No one can take that from us. Even now." **Suggested for those ages 13+.**

## SOCIAL CONCERNS

### YWCA FAMILY SHELTER DINNER – MARCH 20

Immaculate Conception is providing dinner for the YWCA Family Shelter Friday, March 20. Food donations are needed. Volunteers are also needed to help in the preparation and boxing of meals at the Family Center. For more information, or to sign up for food donations or time, go to [iccols.org](http://iccols.org), Quick Links, YWCA Shelter Dinner Sign-up.



## VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

July 13-17, 9 a.m.-12 p.m.

Open to children age 4 through upcoming 5th graders (for Fall 2026).

Cost: \$40/child, with a maximum fee of \$80 per family; Explore the Nature of God in Rainforest Falls!

**Registration is open now!** Register today at [www.iccols.org/vacation-bible-school/](http://www.iccols.org/vacation-bible-school/).

For questions, contact Veronica at [vdannemiller@iccols.org](mailto:vdannemiller@iccols.org). Parents of teenagers who would like to volunteer should register at <https://forms.gle/TqsBtvM8jwxjtAbQ6>.

Teen volunteers are rising sixth graders to 17-year-olds. Slots are limited; teen volunteers may be waitlisted.

Contact Elizabeth DeLuca at [edeluca@iccols.org](mailto:edeluca@iccols.org) with questions.

## WANT TO HELP ADULT LEARNERS?

Assisting adult learners on their academic journeys is one way to improve self-confidence and break the cycle of poverty. The Dominican Learning Center, a ministry of the Dominican Sisters of Peace, is seeking volunteer tutors to help adult learners in our community with GED preparation, Adult Basic Education, and English as a Second Language (ESL). No prior teaching experience is required – just a willingness to walk alongside someone as they learn. Training and all materials are provided, and tutoring can be in-person or remote. Visit [domlearningcenter.org](http://domlearningcenter.org) for more information, or to discover how to support the ministry financially. You can also contact Drew Archer at [drew.archer@oppeace.org](mailto:drew.archer@oppeace.org) or call (614) 444-7330, ext. 0.

## SCHOOL NEWS & ACTIVITIES

### IMMACULATE CONCEPTION



Our **Student Leadership Council** put faith into action. Using donations collected during Crazy Sock Day, our students headed to Target to purchase socks for those in need. Small acts of generosity can make a big difference. We are so proud of their leadership and servant hearts.

**Scholarship Opportunities** – Scholarship applications are now open for students in Grades 6 through 8 for the 2026-2027 school year. Contact the school office for information.



### Have You Considered Immaculate Conception School for Your Family?

As members of the Immaculate Conception parish community, we are blessed to have a Catholic school right here in our parish serving students from Preschool through 8th grade. Immaculate Conception School forms students in faith, academics, and character, helping

children grow in their relationship with Christ while receiving a strong academic foundation.

We are now welcoming families interested in the 2026-2027 school year. If you have school-age children or grandchildren, we encourage you to schedule a tour and learn more about our parish school community. Our preschool program for 3, 4, and 5-year-olds includes the beautiful Catechesis of the Good Shepherd program and offers flexible scheduling options.

Many families qualify for Ohio EdChoice scholarships and other tuition assistance, making Catholic education more accessible than they expect. **To learn more or schedule a tour, visit [ICSchool.org](http://ICSchool.org) or contact our Admissions Director, Mrs. Katie Lewis at (614) 267-6579**

**Referral Credit** – One of the best parts of our school is our families and we are grateful when you help us grow our community! For the 2026-2027 school year, we're offering a \$300 Referral Tuition Credit for any new family you refer who enrolls. Contact our Admissions Director, Mrs. Katie Lewis at (614) 267-6579 for more information.

## BISHOP WATTERSON

**BWHS Summer Camps** – Registration is open for Bishop Watterson's summer sports and wood shop camps! Sports offered are baseball, boys basketball, girls basketball, cheerleading, field hockey, football, boys soccer, girls soccer, softball, track & field, boys volleyball and girls volleyball. Go to [bishopwatterson.com](http://bishopwatterson.com) for dates, registration and other details.

## ST. GABRIEL RADIO DEACON CORNHOLE CHALLENGE: MARCH 18-20.

Deacon Chris Campbell is stepping up to the boards, warming up, and giving it his best shot to support local Catholic radio, AM 820. You can give him a head start right now with an early online gift at [StGabrielRadio.com](http://StGabrielRadio.com). Every early donation means extra tosses for our deacon when the tournament kicks off March 18, 19, and 20!

**SACRED ART AND MUSIC CAMP**

Dr. Richard Fitzgerald, Director of Music for the Diocese of Columbus, is happy to announce the upcoming Sacred Art and Music Camp hosted by Dawn Shininger and St. Matthew the Apostle Catholic Parish this summer from August 3-7, 2026. Children entering third grade and higher will have the opportunity to make music and art together during this fun and educational week.

For more details, visit <https://www.stmatthew.net/artmusiccamp>. Questions? Please contact Dawn Shininger, Director of Music at St. Matthew. Visit <https://stmatthew.net/people/dawn-shininger>.

**ECCLESIASTICAL NOTARY - OPEN POSITION**

The Tribunal of the Diocese of Columbus seeks to employ an Ecclesiastical Notary. This is a full-time position, with benefits, at the Diocesan Offices in Downtown Columbus. Free parking is available.

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