



Weekly NEWS

September 8th, 2024

Important Dates

- **Sept 15th Blessing of Teen Drivers all Masses**
- **Sept 29th Confirmation Declaration 11am**
- **Oct 20th Reconciliation Parent Meeting**

Reminders

IMMEDIATE OPENING: Immaculate Conception Parish seeks a **Director of Music & Liturgy** who will answer God's call to lead worship music and coordinate liturgical celebrations. This full time position includes managing coverage for weekend and holy day Masses, up to three weekday Masses with school children, as well as funerals, weddings and special occasions (be present or delegate). The position calls for a love of God and Church, the ability to play and lead choirs and congregational music, a spirit of collaboration, independent judgement and initiative, and liturgical experience. The ideal candidate will be proficient on piano and organ, and a strong cantor. To request a complete job description, contact Kara Dell-Hunt, parish business manager, at 618-281-5105 or mail kdell-hunt@iccmil.org.

What Are We Learning?



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Faith Reflection

Sunday, September 8
23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
Isaiah 35:4-7a
James 2:1-5
Mark 7:31-37

In today's first reading, the Prophet Isaiah foretells what we witness *Jesus fulfill* in the Gospel of Mark. Jesus opens the ears and mouth of a deaf man, and thus brings about profound change in his life. We, too, are offered the chance at transformation through the power of Christ.

Good News!

We had an amazing Picnic weekend! Lots of food, fun, and music.

Ss. Peter & Paul Parish invites everyone to join them at their church (in Waterloo) for the next XLT Adoration, Wednesday, September 25, from 7 – 8 pm. This form of Adoration includes contemporary Christian music, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Eucharistic procession in church, reflection/witness talk on the Eucharist, a brief period of quiet Adoration, and Benediction.

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