



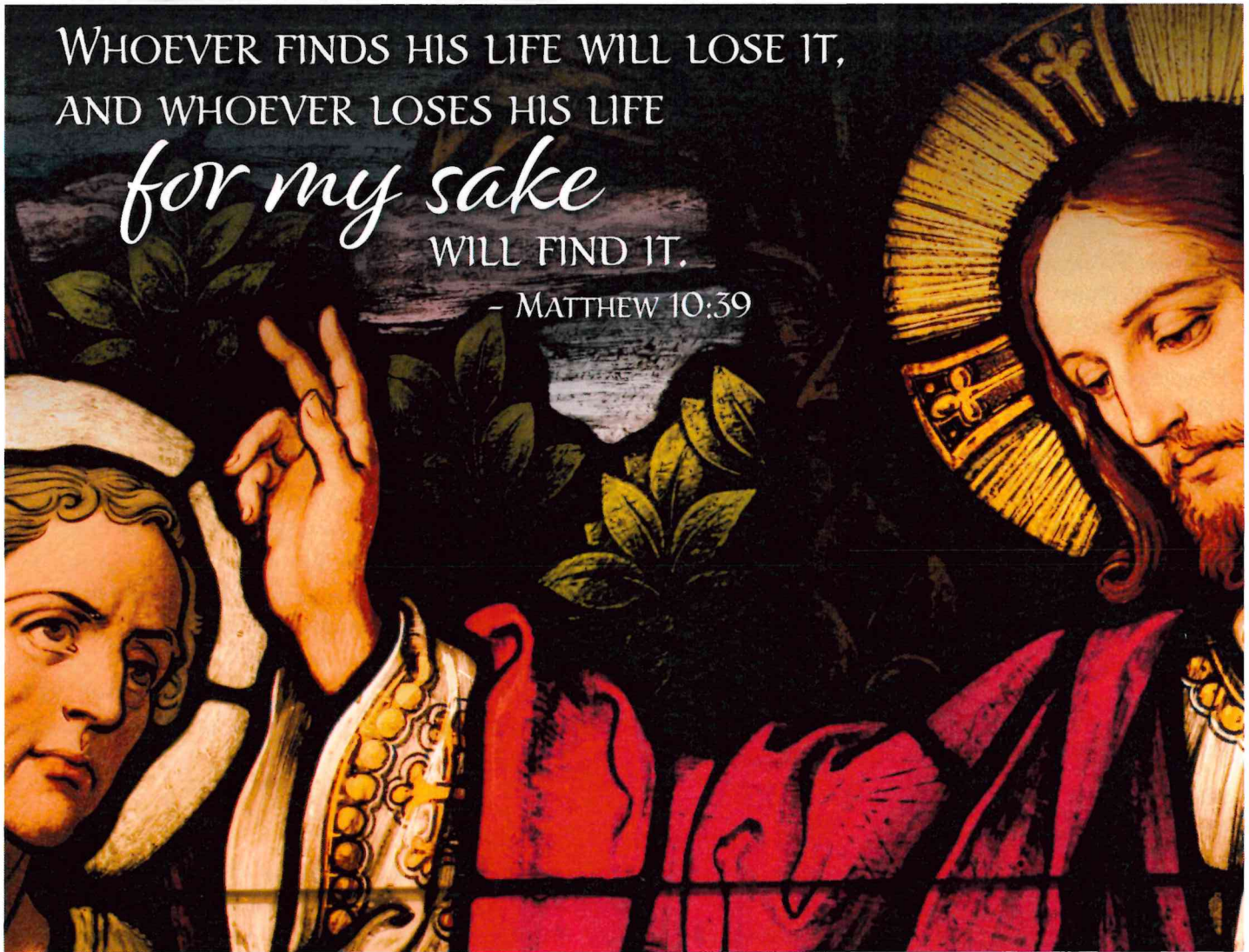
Immaculate Conception

A Full Stewardship Parish - Partner Parish of Sacred Heart of Jesus, Dupo, IL
411 Palmer Road, Columbia, IL 62236 | 618-281-5105

June 28, 2026

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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ROOTED IN THE GOSPEL OF CHRIST AND IN THE TRADITION OF CATHOLICISM AND UNDER THE PATRONAGE OF MARY IMMACULATE, WE COMMIT OURSELVES TO BE A WELCOMING COMMUNITY OF FAITH, WORSHIPPING WITH GENERATIONS OF BELIEVERS AND SERVING GOD IN ALL PEOPLE.

Welcome New Parishioners

If you are new to our parish and reside within the parish boundaries, and would like to be members, please call the Parish Office at 618-281-5105, and our secretary will be happy to help make that happen!

Hola y bienvenidos a la iglesia Catolica Immaculata Concepcion. ¡Tengas una semana bendita!

We livestream! To participate, please use this link:
<https://www.youtube.com/c/ImmaculateConceptionCatholicChurchColumbiaIL>

Summer Parish Office Hours

Monday-Thursday
8:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

Friday
8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

Phone: 618-281-5105

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Sacramental Information

Baptisms: Parents/guardians are asked to attend a Preparation Seminar scheduled on the second Sunday of the month after 9:00 a.m. Mass (approximately 10:00 a.m.) in the lower-level library. We celebrate Baptisms on the first Sunday of the month during any Mass, and the third Sunday of the month after the 11:00 a.m. Mass. (No Baptisms are scheduled during Lent.) Please call the office to schedule at 281-5105.

Weddings: The parish is happy to celebrate the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony with adults who are currently registered members of Immaculate Conception Church (bride or groom). If you are one of many who would like to “come home” to celebrate the Sacrament with family and friends, please provide the name of the parish where you are now a member, along with contact information. We ask that you contact the IC Parish Office a minimum of four months prior to Marriage, but in most cases, couples will need to allow time for Pre-Cana formation, and we suggest beginning to plan your Sacrament 12 or 18 months prior to Marriage.

Anointing of the Sick & Funerals: Since individual needs differ, please contact the Parish Office at 281-5105 for pastoral care. Do not hesitate to call; we are grateful for the opportunity to open our hearts to you and your family and offer these sacramental services.

OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation of Adults): OCIA (formerly known as RCIA) is for everyone who has been drawn by God to form a deeper relationship. Wherever you are in your faith practice – baptized in another Christian faith, starting from the beginning, or simply enriching your Catholic practice – consider the OCIA. Get to know God better and find out what it means to be Catholic. Individuals will meet with our director of faith formation (Lizanne Young) to discuss the process. We meet as a group on Sundays (from Autumn through the Triduum just before Easter), starting with “Breaking Open the Word” dismissal from 9:00 a.m. Mass, and catechetical sessions from 10:00-11:30 a.m. Contact Lizanne at the Parish Office, 281-5105, ext. 354, or email lyoung@iccmil.org.

Reconciliation: Reconciliation is offered from 4:00-4:30 p.m. on Saturdays and by appointment.

IMPORTANT VOLUNTEER INFO!

Anyone who wishes to volunteer at school or church when there are children present MUST be compliant with the Diocesan Child Protection Policy. Please be proactive! *EVERYONE must have an IL state background check, as well as doing the online refresher and filling out CANTS forms. *Coaches and employees will need to be fingerprinted in addition to the usual Child Protection paperwork. *The initial course is now available online. Please contact Michelle at the Parish Office for directions. *The refresher course for 2025-2026 IS AVAILABLE ONLINE! Follow the link on our website! If you can't find it there, it is also on the Diocesan website at <https://diobelle.safeenvironment.org/login/index.php>. Not sure if you are compliant, or have additional questions? Contact Michelle at the Parish Office at 281-5105. *Sexual Abuse Hotline: Anyone wishing to report an allegation of sexual misconduct by a Priest or other Diocesan personnel, please call the hotline at 800-640-3044.

*Purchase Scrip Gift Cards from all of your favorite stores,
restaurants, etc... in the Parish Office!*

This Week's Liturgical Celebrations

Masses – Saturday, 5:00 p.m. and Sunday, 7:00, 9:00, 11:00 a.m.

Monday, June 29	8:05 a.m.	We Remember Josh Ritter
Tuesday, June 30	8:05 a.m.	We Remember Jerome & Alma Buss
Wednesday, July 1	8:05 a.m.	We Remember James & Anna Lawlor
Thursday, July 2	8:05 a.m.	We Remember Raymond & Ruby Faust
Friday, July 3	8:05 a.m.	We Remember Albert Lampe
Saturday, July 4	5:00 p.m.	We Remember Jim Vogt
Sunday, July 5	7:00 a.m.	We Remember Carl & Bernice Riebeling
	9:00 a.m.	We Remember Leo & Evelyn Sander
	11:00 a.m.	We Remember Nancy Dailey



Please Pray For

Grant Koenigstein	Betty Schmieder	Thomas Oleski	Jim M.
Doug Mercille	Gary Hoeffken	Lindsey Proksha	Jessica Oertwig
Theresa Zeisler	Joyce Rose	Karin Bennett	Don Williams
Larry Greenfield	Tonya Richardson	Julie Beckert	Dolores G.
Beth Heisel	Jane Quernheim	Adam Brandt	James Glasscock
Arlene Kruse	Andy Amann	Tim Frierdich	Cheryl Cobin
Delores Deleveski	Nicole Hughes	Susie Settle	Chris Curtis
Susan Oswill	Laura Tasted	Larry Shuler	Irma Naumann
Teresa Dorshorst	Sarah Davis	Kasen Greer	Julie Beckert

If you need someone to continue to be on the prayer list, please contact Michelle at the Parish Office to add them back on.

Troops in Service... SGM Joseph Pope, Dustin Crawford, Kaiden Timmons, United States Army; Colonel Brian Schoellhorn, Samuel Campbell, Chief Petty Officer Seth Spencer, LT John Paul Winkler, LTJG William Winkler, United States Navy; Captain Benjamin Thoma, Captain Alex Kawalec, United States Air Force; Ensign Kalia Jerkatis, United States Coast Guard

Prayer List Guidelines: Please be mindful if your loved one no longer needs to be on the Prayer List and call the Parish Office at 281-5105.



Weekly Reflections

June 28, 2026

First Reading: Second Kings 4:8-11, 14-16a

Second Reading: Romans 6:3-4, 8-11

Gospel: Matthew 10:37-42



Our Sympathies...

To Dave Procasky and his Family on the death of his wife Ryta Procasky, 80, of Waterloo.

To the Family and Friends of Eugene Toenjes who passed away at the age of 88.



OUR CAMPAIGN PRAYER

Heavenly Father, You have created us in Your own image, to love, serve and honor You with our lives. You have tasked us with building Your Church, and passing from one generation to the next the treasure trove of our faith. Bless the work of our hands as we undertake our next phase in serving You. Keep us strong in faith, hope, and love, so that all we do may bring glory and honor to You, forever and ever. AMEN.



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Please join us for Eucharistic Adoration on Tuesdays from 3:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. Spend some quiet time with the Lord.

Stewardship...

Thank you for sharing your blessings with us!

June 21, 2026

Actual	12,026.81
Budget	22,000.00
Actual YTD	2,261,065.88
Budget YTD	2,322,668.00
Over (under)	(61,602.12)
Prior YTD	2,186,566.88
Over (under)	74,499.00
Guatemala	204.00
Votive	166.00
Newman Auxiliary	202.00
CSMA (Bishop's Mass)	763.00
Peter's Pence	75.00
Gibault	50.00
Capital Improvements	15.00
Phase 3	4,362.00



From Our Young Stewards:

I helped pull weeds in my backyard.

Treasure: 118.36

Thank You for Sharing Your Blessings!

HEALTHCARE DIRECTIVES

During an emergency or at the end of life, you may face questions about your medical treatment and not be able to answer them. You may assume your loved ones know what you would want, but that's not always true. In one study, people guessed nearly one out of three end-of-life decisions for their loved one incorrectly. Research shows that you are more likely to get the care you want if you have conversations about your future medical treatment and put a plan in place. It may also help your loved ones grieve more easily and feel less burden, guilt, and depression.

What is advance care planning?

Advance care planning involves discussing and preparing for future decisions about your medical care if you become seriously ill or unable to communicate your wishes. Having meaningful conversations with your loved ones is the most important part of advance care planning. Many people also choose to put their preferences in writing by completing legal documents called advance directives.

What are advance directives?

Advance directives are legal documents that provide instructions for medical care and only go into effect if you cannot communicate your own wishes. The two most common advance directives for health care are the living will and the durable power of attorney for health care.

- **Living will:** A living will is a legal document that tells doctors how you want to be treated if you cannot make your own decisions about emergency treatment. In a living will, you can say which common medical treatments or care you would want, which ones you would want to avoid, and under which conditions each of your choices applies.
- **Durable power of attorney for health care:** A durable power of attorney for health care is a legal document that names your health care proxy, a person who can make health care decisions for you if you are unable to communicate these yourself. Your proxy, also known as a representative, surrogate, or agent, should be familiar with your values and wishes. A proxy can be chosen in addition to or instead of a living will. Having a health care proxy helps you plan for situations that cannot be foreseen, such as a serious car accident or stroke.

Think of your advance directives as living documents that you review at least once each year and update if a major life event occurs such as retirement, moving out of state, or a significant change in your health. Contact your attorney to find out more about advance care planning and the various legal forms.

— *Immaculate Conception Planned Giving Council*

Parish Events & News...

REBECCA HUSMAN: OUR NEW DIRECTOR OF LITURGY

Beginning July 1, Mrs. Rebecca Husman will be taking on the role of Director of Liturgy in addition to her position as our PSR Coordinator. We are delighted to have Rebecca to fill this position, as she has already been participating in liturgy planning with the lower grades at ICS during the school year, and she has been Lizanne Young's right arm for a while now. Please give Rebecca a warm welcome and all of your prayerful support as you get to know her this summer!

THANK YOU!

We appreciate everyone who attended Bishop Godfrey's Mass of Thanksgiving for the Metro East Vicariate at Immaculate Conception Church, and we extend a special note of gratitude to all who brought snacks and drinks for the after-Mass reception. Thank you to the Council of Catholic Women, the Knights of Columbus, the Welcoming Committee, and Parish Council members who coordinated and hosted the reception. Guests were delighted with the beautiful atmosphere, warm hospitality, and delicious food and drinks. We have much to be grateful for - Thanks be to God!



BLOOD DRIVE: July 17, 2026 in the Garden Level

PSR

Is that still, small voice calling you? Volunteer for PSR. A love of God and children is all that is needed. We are looking for volunteers for the 2026-2027 school year to help our PSR program continue to grow. Contact Rebecca Husman at 618-281-5105, ext. 353 or Lizanne Young at 618-281-5105, ext. 354. We look forward to meeting you.

Parish Work Day! July 11, 2026

SCRIPTURE DISCUSSIONS FOR MEN AND WOMEN

How's this for a Plan: Come to Mass on Sunday ready to engage in the Gospel, Old and New Testament Readings and even the homily by spending an hour praying with them in advance, with friends!

Women's Bible Study meets every week in the Library on Tuesday evenings from 6:30-7:30 p.m.

The Pathfinders Men's Group meets every week in the Knights of Columbus Room on Saturday mornings from 7:30-8:30 a.m.

Just show up, you're more than welcome!


BULLETIN DEADLINE...

All submissions for the bulletin will need to be in to the Parish Office two Thursdays before you need it in the bulletin. Submissions will need to be sent to iccmil@iccmil.org. If you have any questions, please call the Parish Office at 618-281-5105.

D.C. PRETZEL AND DONUT SALES...

The next Pretzel and Donut weekend for the incoming 8th graders will be July 18 and 19. All proceeds go to the 8th graders' trip to Washington D.C.


Ministry News & Happenings



ICC Ministry Spotlight

Knights of Columbus

The Knights of Columbus George R. Kutterer Council 6165 is open to Catholic men aged 18 and up. The Order is dedicated to the promotion of Roman Catholic life, the support of our priests and seminarians, fraternity with our brother knights (within our parish and throughout the world), and service to our parish and community. We host a number of parish and community programs and activities guided by key principles of Charity, Unity, Fraternity, and Patriotism. Council meetings are held at 7pm in the Knights of Columbus room in the Garden Level of Immaculate Conception Church on the second Thursday of each month.



If you'd like to learn more about becoming a Knight, contact James Huch at gk@kofc6165.org

MEN'S CANCER SUPPORT GROUP

Immaculate Conception has formed a men's group to try to help other men who have cancer or who have encountered cancer in the past. We are also open to those with any disease, those undergoing special testing or experiencing prostate issues. We hope through bonding with one another we can ease your mind with your issues. Any questions, please call Kevin Glasscock at 314-565-4418. **Next meeting is July 14th at 6:30 p.m. in the Garden Level.**

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP

Do you or someone you know struggle with the loss of a loved one? ICC is looking to start a support group for those struggling to cope with grief in their everyday lives. Grief is an experience that can be deeply personal, but it is also an experience understood by many regardless of age, socioeconomic status, gender, or religion. Whether your loved one has been gone for days, months, or years – we hope that you join us for our next meeting **on July 8th at 6:00 p.m.** in the Library. Because no one should have to suffer alone. For further questions, please contact Shea Christensen (schristensen@icsmail.org).



Are you or someone you know unable to attend Mass?

Whether it be a temporary or ongoing injury or illness that keeps you away from joining us in person, our Homebound Ministers are ready to bring the Holy Eucharist to you on Sunday mornings.

Call the parish office at 618/281-5105 with questions or to get signed up.



ALZHEIMER'S AND DEMENTIA SUPPORT GROUP

Age Smart and the IC Alzheimer's and Dementia Support Group present "Laugh Lab" – an evidence-based experience to combat isolation and cognitive decline for older adults and individuals living with dementia. On Friday, July 10th, join us in the IC Garden Level at 1:00 p.m. for a series of guided group activities that promote meaningful connection, brain health, and overall well-being through laughter and creativity. Individuals with dementia are encouraged to bring their spouses or caregivers! Availability is limited, so register today by calling 618-222-2561. **Next monthly meeting is July 19th at 10:00 a.m.**

Snippet from Mrs. Shea

"Actions speak louder than words. Let your words teach and your actions speak."

– St. Anthony of Padua

MEALS FROM THE

Just a reminder that we have a group of parishioners available to make meals. So, if you're going through a rough time, let us help you out! We provide meals as needed on a temporary basis. Just call or text Robin Billmeyer at 314-604-4495 if we can help out!

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Tuesdays, 6:30 p.m. in the Library. All are welcome! Contact Lizanne for more info at 618-281-5105, ext. 354.

THE 2026 CATHOLIC SERVICE AND MINISTRY APPEAL

Those who are kind to the needy honor Him

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul truly serves the poorest of the poor through its Hubbard's Haven Soup Kitchen, SVDP Thrift Store, Help Center and Night Drop-In Center. Men, women and children are provided the basic necessities of life – food, clothing and shelter – and the hope and the tools they need for a better tomorrow. Help St. Vincent de Paul serve those who have no place else to turn. Please make your gift to The Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal today.

ICY ODD SUNDAYS

Every Sunday with an odd date is an
Odd Sunday ICY Meeting.
Check out the QR code
for more details.



Stay Connected with the ACTS Community!



Embrace the calmness and
reconnect with the ACTS
family. If you're not
receiving emails from
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list, simply send us an email
at acts@iccmail.org with
your latest contact
information. Let's keep you
in the loop and build a
stronger, connected ACTS
family together!



✦
Retreat for Women:
October 15-18
✦

Save the date!

BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY

Next meeting is September 10
at 6:30 p.m. in the GL Library.

Walk to Remember – October 4 at 3:00 p.m.

All Souls Mass/Annual Parishioner Memorial
Candlelighting – November 2 at 6:30 p.m.

VOCATION

“Growing up as a Protestant in southern Michigan, I was incredibly blessed to have parents who took seriously their responsibility of raising me with faith. I didn't think there was anything missing in my life until I met joyful Catholics for the first time when I was a teenager. Through their witness and friendship, I learned more about the faith – and found myself surprised by truth. These friends invited me to attend a Catholic family camp, and it was there I first came to believe in the true presence of Jesus in the Eucharist, learned to pray the Rosary, and felt called to religious life. There was only one problem – I wasn't even in RCIA yet! I was received into the Church about a year later, and I kept my heart open to the Lord's call. He led me to the Queenship of Mary Community in Ottawa, Ontario. I made my final vows in 2016.”

– Sr. Philomena, Daughter of Mary;
Columbia Magazine Dec. 2024

COMFORT WITH A PRAYER SHAWL

If you, or someone you know, needs comfort and prayers, consider bringing them a Prayer Shawl, handmade by Immaculate Conception parishioners. Each crocheted or knitted shawl is unique, and prayers are said throughout the process of the creation. The goal is to provide comfort to the recipient, knowing that they are wrapped in the prayers of the parish. The Prayer Shawl can be delivered to you, or you may stop in the Parish Office during business hours and pick up what you need. Prayer Shawls are available for children as well. Call Helen Csik at 314-651-5033 or the Parish Office at 618-281-5105.

Quilters' Corner

Join our super-fun quilters' group on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9:00-11:30 a.m. All skill levels welcome and appreciated, even beginners! Contact Carlene at 281-5877.



*The promises of the Lord
I will sing forever,
through all generations my mouth
shall proclaim your faithfulness.*

– Psalm 89:2



IMMACULATE CONCEPTION SCHOOL

409 Palmer Road - 281-5353

School Principal: Mike Crean, ext. 202 - mcrean@icsmail.org

School Administrator: Beverly Epplin, ext. 200 - beppin@icsmail.org

Administrative Assistant: Lori Deffenbaugh, ext. 201 - ldeffenbaugh@icsmail.org

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JOB OPPORTUNITIES

CO-DIRECTOR

ICS is looking to hire a Co-Director for our afterschool Latchkey Program! The ideal candidate will have a passion for working with children ages 3-13 and strong leadership skills! Hours will be 3:00-5:30 p.m. a few days a week. Please email Mr. Crean at mcrean@icsmail.org.

CAFETERIA WORKER – 3 DAYS/WEEK – MONDAY, TUESDAY, & FRIDAY, 10:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m.

Duties include: preparing cafeteria for lunch, monitoring students during lunch, clean up after lunch, running dishwasher, helping to serve lunches, taking out trash, mopping kitchen floor. Great work environment, free lunch. Please contact Connie Huebner at mrshuebner@icsmail.org or call the school office, 618-281-5353 for more information.



PRE-SCHOOL 2026-27

Enrollment is now open, but spots are filling fast!
Ensure your spot by registering online today. Must
be 3 years old by Sept 1, 2026 and fully potty
trained.

Highlights :

- Loving faith-filled environment
- Large playground for 3 & 4 year olds
- 3 full day or 5 full day option
- 1:10 teacher to student ratio

Enroll Now →

Contact us
618-281-5353

register online at
icscolumbia.org

What's Happening at Gibault?

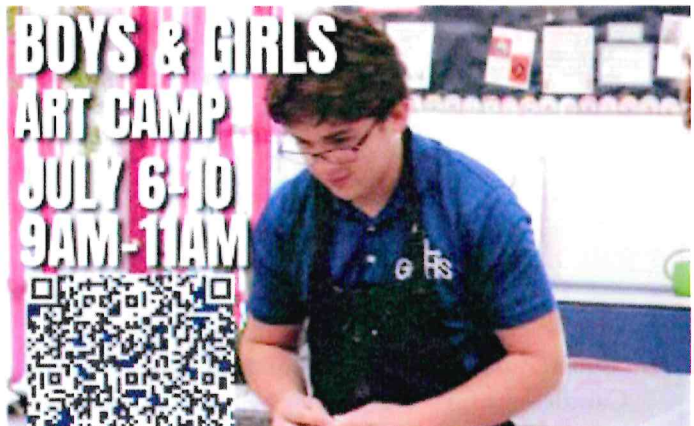
Gibault Catholic's GYM ENHANCEMENTS

Air Conditioning
Bleacher Handrails
New Lobby Flooring

HOW YOU CAN HELP



MAIL PAYMENT TO:
Gibault Catholic
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501 Columbia Ave
Waterloo, IL 62298



NEW AND RETURNING GIBAULT HAWKS STUDENTS

Mike Schaefer and Mike Braun ("The Two Mikes!") will be hosting summer runs on several Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m. Come on out and bring a buddy if you want. Runs will be easy and 1 to 3 miles in length. You can jog. You can walk. You can do a mix of both.

INTERESTED GCHS CROSS COUNTRY RUNNERS

EVENING SUMMER RUNS

June 17 | 6:30pm
Baum-Schuhkraft Park
Columbia, IL | Meet at
the Main Pavilion

1ST RUN

EASY RUNS (1-3 MILES)

JOG, WALK OR DO A MIXTURE OF BOTH

Runs are optional & open to friends of prospective runners
Information on practices will come later this summer, but
are expected to begin August 10th



WHY RUN?
Winter & Spring athletes who want to
get in better shape than ever before

For athletes who've always had a
passion for chasing personal bests

For students who are looking for a
place to fit and grow. A place where
everyone makes the team.

OTHER RUN DATES: JULY 1, JULY 8, JULY 22, AUGUST 5

Diocesan and Area Interests



Catholic Youth Program
**TOTUS
TUUS
2026**

SAVE THE DATE!

Totus Tuus summer youth program is back at Ss. Peter and Paul, Waterloo, and Immaculate Conception will help to host! Exciting weeklong

summer program for Grades 1-12! Totally Catholic program in a fun learning environment.

Grades 1-6* – July 6-10, Monday-Friday, 9:00 a.m.-2:30 p.m.
Bring a sack lunch.

Grades 7-12* – July 5-9, Sunday-Thursday, 6:30-8:45 p.m.
Dinner provided.

Registration info coming soon.

Students Grades 7-12 may apply to be volunteers for daytime.

**Grade entering in fall of 2026*

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Assistant Director of Outreach

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul Belleville, Illinois, Diocesan Council is seeking either two part-time or one full-time SVDP Charity Coordinator for their facility in East St. Louis. This position needs a compassionate and caring individual(s) committed to serving God and the poor. Requires a background in social service and at least 10 years' experience in the field; managerial and organizational skills required. This person will be working directly with those who are traumatized, homeless and suffering from physical and mental illnesses and supervising volunteers and ancillary staff at the SVDP Outreach Center. Interested individuals should email their resume to: officeassistant@svdpsouthil.net or drop it off at the SVDP Belleville Office at 8800 West Main Street any morning. More information about SVDP ministries can be found on the website at www.svdpsouthil.org.

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL NEEDS YOUR HELP!

Summer is here and the Belleville Diocesan Council of St. Vincent de Paul is in dire need of some basic summer pantry items:

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|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|
| Presweetened drink mixes | Napkins |
| Bottled Water | Cups – 8 oz disposable |
| Gatorade or similar drinks | (large boxes available from Sam's and Costco) |
| Tin foil (commercial rolls) | Tuna fish – #10 (large) size cans |
| Plastic T-shirt bags | Kleenex/tissues |
| Salad dressing, pickle relish, mayonnaise and | Coffee – large cans |
| BBQ sauce – gallon jars | Sugar |
| Toilet paper | Plastic liners for trash cans – 55 gallon |
| Paper plates – small, 6-inch | Bleach |
| Creamer – large jars | Laundry pods |
| Chips, cookies, fruit cups – individual sized | Dish Soap |
| Packaged cookies | Fun Fruits |
| Individually packaged food items: cookies, fruit cups, tuna and chicken snack packs, chips, crackers, cheese sticks, cereal, instant oatmeal, Pop Tarts, breakfast bars, soup or pasta in a cup | |

Items can be dropped off at:

St. Vincent de Paul Council Office
8800 West Main Street, Belleville, Illinois 62223
(across from Blessed Sacrament Church)

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 9:00 a.m.–Noon
or

SVDP Thrift Store / Hubbard's Haven Soup Kitchen
3718 State Street, East St. Louis

Monday-Friday, 9:00 a.m.–1:30 p.m.; Saturday 9:00 a.m.–12 Noon

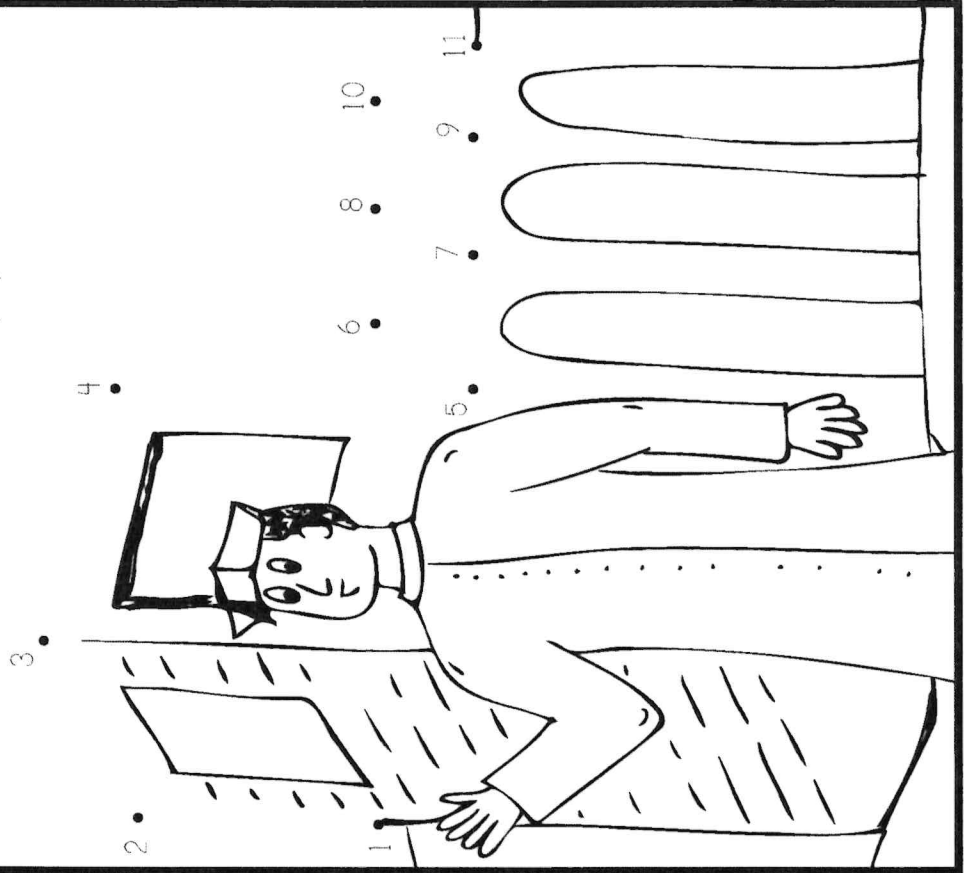
For additional information contact

Troy Herring or Pat Hogrebe at 618-394-0126.

Thank you and God bless you for your generosity which enables St. Vincent de Paul's life-saving ministry to the poorest among us.

Venerable Augustus Tolton

When Venerable Augustus Tolton was born, his parents were enslaved in Missouri. His mom took Augustus and his siblings and escaped to Illinois. Augustus wanted to become a priest but faced racism throughout his education. Eventually he traveled to Rome to go to a seminary and became a priest! When he came back to serve as a priest in the United States, some people weren't willing to listen to a him. However, Venerable Augustus continued to serve and pray.



Year A: Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Catholic Kids Bulletin

June 28, 2026
Ordinary Time
Color: Green

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PBOSINGOTKETHEOZJ

Forever I will
sing the
goodness of
the Lord.

BPOWIEJLORDIJWOI
BOSGOODNESSOFJTHOHEIZX

When a man becomes a priest, the Holy Spirit comes down to him so he can perform the Mass. When we say, "And with your spirit," we are remembering that the Holy Spirit is with him.



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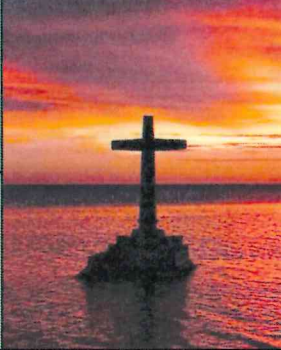
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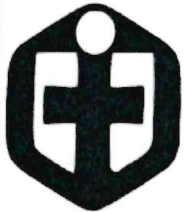
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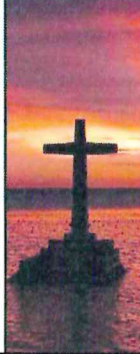
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