

OUR LADY OF LOURDES CATHOLIC CHURCH

534 N Wood GIBSON CITY, IL





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St. George Mission
1881-2011

Immaculate Conception Church 202 E Green Roberts, IL 60962

April 15, 2012 Divine Mercy Sunday

WELCOME

We welcome all our visitors and friends to our Parish. We are glad that you are here with us today. If you would like to join our Faith Community, please call (217) 784-4671, or stop by at the Parish office at any time.

Rev. John Phan	Pastor
Rev. Mr. Jeff Volker	Deacon
Parish Secretary:	Patti Meunier
Director of Rel. Education:	Alyce Hafer
Director of Youth Ministry:	Bruce Killian
Musicians:	Michele Fackler Corey Fields
Parish Council President:	Matt Doran (O.L.L.)

For Confession: By appointment—any time
At Our Lady of Lourdes: Saturday - 4:30 p.m.

For Baptism: Call the Rectory at least four weeks before the baptism. Baptismal instruction for the parents and the god-parents is required.

For Marriage: Call the Rectory at least six months before. A six

Mass Schedule

Our Lady of Lourdes:

Saturday - 5:00 p.m.; Sunday - 7:00am & 10:30 a.m.
Monday - 8:00 am; Tues 8:00 am
Thursday 6:30 pm Friday - 8:00 a.m.
Holy Days: 7:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.

Immaculate Conception :

Sunday- 8:30 a.m.

Eucharistic Adoration 8:30-9:30 am on Tuesdays
7-8pm on Thursdays



We Are Called To Share Our Time, Talent, & Treasure

Looking for another way to share your treasure with Our Lady of Lourdes and Immaculate Conception? If you have stocks, bonds, or mutual funds that you would like to donate, please consider gifting to Our Lady of Lourdes and Immaculate Conception. Please also consider Our Lady of Lourdes and Immaculate Conception when you review your Estate Plan and/or Will. For more information or assistance, contact Father John at 217-784-4671 or pastor@ololgc.org

Mon—4/16/12	8:00 am	Paul Moxley
Tue—4/17/12	8:00 am	Pearl Gale
Wed—4/18/12		No Mass
Thurs—4/19/12	6:30 pm	Special Intention—Alt Family
Fri—4/20/12	8:00 am	Nancy Taylor
Sat—4/21/12	5:00 pm	Paul Huth
Sun—4/22/12	7:00 am 8:30 am 10:30 am	For the People (OLL) Genevieve Schwarz (Imm. Conception) For the People (OLL)

Thank You For Your Gifts!

	O.L.L.	I.C.
Envelopes	\$2743.50	\$378
Loose	\$1052	\$151
Special		
Other (Capital Improvements)	\$1380	

Week 78 of our Capital Campaign Pledge Drive

Pledged \$175,139.00 Received \$151,725.04
81 Families Participating

Diocesan Catholic Annual Appeal

O.L.L. Goal Met!

I.C. (Goal: \$941) Received \$355

Date	Altar Servers	Lectors	Euch. Minister	Ushers
Saturday, April 21 5:00 pm	Claire Schmitt Brooks Schmitt	Lisa Heap Pete Hartford		Chuck Aubry Bob Mardis
Sunday, April 22 7:00 am	Giles Volker	Kathleen Reum		
Sunday, April 22 10:30 am	Tyler Killian Baillie Killian	Jim Meyer Doris Benter	Deacon Jeff	Paul Obert Dan Day

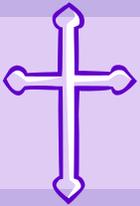
Ministry Schedules can also be viewed on our website: <http://ololgc.org/>

Father John's Corner

In your prayers, please remember Father Dominic Morrisette. He entered Eternal Life on April 9 in San Diego after 98 years of life and serving the Lord faithfully as priest for 67 years. Father Dominic was pastor of Our Lady of Lourdes from 1972-1978.

In the next couple weeks, our First Communion and Confirmation students are preparing to receive the sacraments. I ask you to please keep them in your prayers as they are about to enter this important part of their faith journey.

On Saturday May 12, Bishop Daniel Conlon will visit Our Lady of Lourdes parish and say mass at 5pm. Also on June 3, he will visit Immaculate Conception Mission and say mass at 8:30am. Please mark your calendars to attend mass and welcome him to our parish and this part of the diocese.



Condolences to Ray Hankes

For the loss of his mother
Shirley Hankes

This Week in Our Parish:

- **Sun, April 15th:**
5 pm *Catholicism* Series at Fr. Kirk Hall
- **Tue, April 17th:**
6:30 pm C.A.L.M. Meeting at Fr. Kirk Hall

Daddy-Daughter Dance

April 28, 2012

from

7:00 to 9:00 pm

at

Father Kirk Memorial Hall

Please RSVP on the sign-up sheet at the back of the church.

A photographer will be at the dance to make sure all couples/groups get their pictures taken at no charge. Light refreshments will be provided. Email song requests to Amy Killian at abkillian@prairieinet.net

Religious Education News

Parents of our First Communion and Confirmation students should have received their informational letters in the mail. If you did not receive a letter, please contact Alyce at 217 745-2411 (c) or 217 615-7844 (h).

First Communion—Sunday, April 29th at 10:30am Mass

The **First Communion Retreat** will be **Sunday April 22nd, 2012 from 11:30am to 3:00pm**. Second grade will not have Religious Education class that morning. The retreat is designed for the parents and the First Communion children to come together in preparation for the Sacrament. The retreat will start off with a potluck. We ask every family to please bring a dish and/or dessert to share. **On Saturday April 21st, Fr. John will offer the Sacrament of Reconciliation starting at 11am**. This is an opportunity for the children to receive the Sacrament one last time before First Communion. It's important that the children be free as possible from the stain of sin for the Sacrament. The Knights of Columbus will be leading the children's procession into the church for First Communion on April 29th. **Please arrive at the church by 10:00am for line-up.**

Confirmation—Sunday, May 6th at 10:30am Mass with Bishop Imesch presiding

Confirmation practice has been moved to Wednesday, May 2nd at 7pm to accommodate Confirmation students who have a mandatory band contest on April 28th. Please invite Confirmation sponsors to practice. Parents, if you or your child is unable to attend, please contact Alyce. Please also have your child attend Reconciliation any Saturday before Confirmation.

Dear parishioners, please keep all of our First Communion and Confirmation children & families in your prayers!!

Totus Tuus (TT)—June 16th - June 22nd

Our TT week at OLOL is set for the above dates. We had a very good response with helpers last year providing team meals, helping with registration, and providing housing for the Seminarians and college students who come and stay for the week to provide this phenomenal program to our children. If you would like to provide a lunch/dinner meal for team members please contact Helen Haynes at 217 784-2916. We're looking for a family (s) to provide housing for the TT members for the week. If you would like to welcome team members, please contact Alyce at 217 745-2411 or 217 615-7844 for specifics. Thank You!!

