

LITURGIES THIS WEEK

Saturday	December 25
10:00am	For The Parish
Sunday	December 26
8:00am	Ron Brady Jack Campbell
10:30am	Patricia Mahl Carl Iannello
Monday	December 27
	No Mass
Tuesday	December 28
5:30pm	Fr. Albert Bishop
Wednesday	December 29
8:30am	Living & Deceased Members of the Gase & Fuller Family
Thursday	December 30
8:30am	Florence Serraino Anthony & Marian Laviola
Friday	December 31
4:30pm	Walter Schneider Living & Deceased Members of William & Mary Kasuga Family
Saturday	January 1
4:30pm	Verna Magyar Al Lehmkuhl
Sunday	January 2
8:00am	For The Parish
10:30am	Harriet Connelly Frank Pliszka

Memorial Candles Intentions

Memory of DeBlase Family
Memory of Mira Family
Memory of Lisa Esposito
Memory of Sue Casali



Shut-in Gifts and Toys for Tots

A huge THANK YOU goes out to all our generous parishioners and the organizations who have truly embraced the Christmas spirit with donations to

Toys for Tots, shut-in gift bags and monetary donations. We are a truly blessed parish! Thank you so much!

December Raffle Winner

The \$500 winner for the December drawing is Martha Fritz. The ticket seller was Geralyn Gardner she will win \$100. This was the last drawing for 2021. The first drawing of the new year will be January 25, 2022.

Memoriam:

Mary E. Meyers

Sympathy and Prayers are extended to the Meyers family. Please pray for her and for all our departed loved ones.



LECTORS

Saturday	January 1	4:30 pm	A. Price
Sunday	January 2	8:00am	K. Dick
Sunday	January 2	10:30am	C. Strecker

SACRISTY LAUNDRY

Volunteer for 12-26-2021 is Carma McGuire. Laundry may now be picked up in the Sacristy after Mass. Thank You.

The Parish Office will be closed on Friday, December 24th through Friday, December 31st. The office will resume normal hours, 8am-4pm, on Monday, January 3rd.

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Saturday	1. H. Lambert	2. M. Bauman
1/1 4:30pm		
Sunday	1. R. Neill	2. G. Miller
1/2 8:00am		
Sunday	1. D. Fisher	2. L. Widman
1/2 10:30am	3. R. Widman	

ALTAR SERVERS

Sat.	Jan.1	4:30pm
	Ike Brown, Brooke Brown, Ellie Freitag	
Sun.	Jan. 2	8:00am
	JR Allen, Jacob Allen, Ethan Broadbent	
Sun.	Jan. 2	10:30am
	Isaac Good, Katelyn Turner, Sophia Turner	



Parish Support

Feast of the Immaculate Conception	\$	1,137.00
Offertory	\$	8,293.00
Offertory Weekly Budget	\$	8,600.00
Maint/School/Etc. Collections	\$	560.00
Maint/School/Etc. Weekly Budget	\$	1,420.00

Thank you for your generous support of our parish through your monetary donations.



Dates to Remember

Tuesday, December 28

4:45pm-5:00pm Confessions (Church)

Wednesday, December 29

7:45am-8:00am Confessions (Church)
No CCD Class Christmas Break

Thursday, December 30

7:45am-8:00am Confessions (Church)

Saturday, January 1

8:00pm AA Meeting (Church Basement)

Friday, December 24 – Friday, December 31
PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH

We're Hiring!

Immaculate Conception Church in Bellevue is looking to fill the full time position of business manager. Qualified candidates please submit cover letter, resume and salary expectations via email to pastor@icssaints.org or via mail to Father Kyle Gase 231 East Center St. Bellevue, Ohio 44811.

Perpetuate the Gift

Support our Priest's Retirement: Our priests have given their lives in service to us and our parish, and we are most grateful! Please offer your gratitude for those who faithfully served the Diocese of Toledo by donating to the **Perpetuate the Gift Appeal**. Your gift supports our retired diocesan priests, enabling them to pay for their living expenses, such as medical, housing, car, clothing, and food. All funds contributed between September 18 through December 31, 2021 assist our parish in its assessed contribution to the fund. A gift of cash or check can be sent to Perpetuate the Gift, PO Box 954, Toledo, OH 43697, or place in the parish collection. Please mark it with our parish name and city for us to receive credit. A gift may also be made online at www.toledodiocese.org.



BELLEVUE FISH & LOAVES is asking ICC parishioners to donate **Cereal** for the month of **December**. The Fish & Loaves baskets are located by the candle room.

Thank you for your generosity!

2022 Immaculate Conception Parish Monthly

Raffle: Tickets are now being sold at the parish office for the 2022 parish monthly raffle. **There are 12 Chances to win \$500.** The ticket cost is \$60. A \$500 winner will be drawn each month for 12 months. The ticket seller wins \$100. Only 500 tickets will be sold. Winning tickets will be placed back in the drum for the remaining months of the drawings. The first of the 12 month drawings will begin in January 2022 and end in December 2022. Drawings will be the 4th Tuesday of each month. The winners will be announced in the Sunday bulletin. You must be 18 years old to participate.

2021 Contribution Statements

For any registered parishioner who has made an offertory donation in 2021 a contribution statement will be mailed to them by the end of January 2022.

Sponsor of the Week:

Fox Cycle Works
1011 Fremont Ave.
Sandusky, Ohio
Dan and Dane Fox
Parishioners
419-621-5888
www.foxcycleworks.com

MESSAGE FROM FATHER GASE

My Dear Parishioners,

On behalf of myself and our entire parish staff please know of my sincere prayers and best wishes for a very Merry and Blessed Christmas! 2021 has been a trying year for many of us, but the Christ Child born for our salvation offers us reason to hope. It's one of the great mysteries of our faith: that the Second Person of the Blessed Trinity would take on human flesh in the womb of the Blessed Virgin and share in our human condition. Of course not only did He do that: He suffered and died for our salvation. Thanks be to God for the depths of His love for us!

Merry Christmas!

Father Gase

2022 Calendars courtesy of Auxter Funeral Home are available at each church entrance



Memorial Crosses of those members of our parish that died from November 2020 to October 31, 2021 are available to the family members. They can be picked up in the parish office from 8am to 4pm during the week.

A Christmas Prayer for God's Blessing

Heavenly Father, help us to honor the birth of Jesus.

May we join in the praises of angels,
the gladness of the shepherds, and the worship of the
wise men.

May the Light of your Son shine forth in this dark
world.

May His peace take away our anxiety and fear.

Help us to forgive and to be forgiven.

Teach us to love one another as you love us. Amen.

Merry
Christmas