

LITURGIES THIS WEEK

Weekend Mass March 21 & March 22

Marie Smith
Jane Kuhlman
For the Parish
Agnes Boesch
Theresa, Raymond, & William Weidinger

Monday, March 23

No Mass

Tuesday, March 24

Anthony Laviola
Florence Serraino

Wednesday, March 25 The Annunciation of the Lord

Margaret Swedersky
Patricia Mahl

Thursday, March 26

Bill Laub
Living & Deceased Members of the Eberly &
Bookmeyer Families

Friday, March 27

Kathy Seamon
Wernie Martin

Weekend Mass March 28 & March 29

Earl & Mary Dick
Albert Miller
For the Parish
Judith Phillips
Chuck Ruffing

Memorial Candles Intentions

Memory of Patricia Mahl
Memory of Wernie Martin
Memory of Jane Kuhlman
Memory of Judith Phillips



Through the sacrament of **Baptism**, we welcome: **Olivia Marie Allen**, daughter of Tod & Amber (Conley) Allen.



Easter Flower Memorial Donations: Please drop off or mail to the Parish office to be received no later than Wednesday, April 1st. Any donations received after this date will not be published in the Easter bulletin.

CYO Boosters Scholarship: Applicants must be a current high school graduating senior who will be continuing his/her education beyond high school. Applicant must also have participated in CYO sports at Bellevue Immaculate Conception Parish. Two students will be selected for this scholarship. Applications are available at the school and parish office and they must be sent to: ICS, Attn: Joy Tokarsky, 304 E. Main St. **Application deadline is April 24th.**

SCRIP

PLEASE CONTINUE TO SUPPORT OUR SCHOOL THROUGH SCRIP! The next Scrip order will be **March 23th**. Please have your Scrip orders to the parish office by 9am on Monday. During this time of no Masses for Scrip sales, please contact Diane Burr at (419)217-7720 *leave a message* for Scrip cards that we have on hand. Online ordering is encouraged. This will be the last order for the **2020-2021** school year. All purchases made by March 31st will be credited to the 2020-2021 school year. We now carry the following scrip card: Golden Corral **\$25**. Please remember, due to IRS regulations, the Parish staff cannot sell the Scrip cards.



Parish Support

Offertory	\$	5,979.00
Weekly Budget	\$	10,600.00
Over (Under)	\$	(4,621.00)
Year-To-Date Over (Under)	\$	(36,082.00)



Dates to Remember

Tuesday, March 24

5:00pm-6pm Confessions (Church)
6:30pm Finance Council Meeting (Sacred Heart Room)

Wednesday, March 25

6:00pm Confessions (Church)

St. Paul High School is now accepting registrations for the 2020-2021 school year. Call (419)668-7223 for more info.



BELLEVUE FISH & LOAVES is asking ICC parishioners to donate **(Bar Soap)** for the month of **March**.

The Fish & Loaves baskets are located by the candle room. Thank you for your generosity!

CEMETERY CLEAN UP is scheduled for **April 1st**. If you have any decorations you would like to have saved, please remove them before the April 1st deadline. Please, NO spring decorations before April 1st.

STAFF SSGT JON MARTIN SCHOLARSHIP:

Applications are now being accepted for the annual Jon Martin Scholarship. To qualify applicants must have graduated from Bellevue Immaculate Conception School. Applications are available at Bellevue High School, Immaculate Conception School and Immaculate Conception Parish office. Applications **must** be returned by **May 11th**.

FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

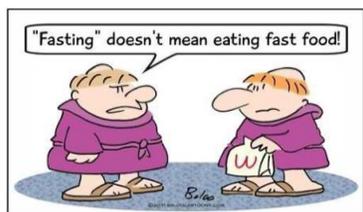


Immaculate Conception School in Bellevue is now enrolling for the 2020-2021 school year. We are accepting students for preschool through grade 8. Tuition scholarships are also available. Some of those are local scholarships (Northwest Ohio Scholarship Fund and Father Bishop Tuition Assistance). Others are offered by the state: EdChoice Expansion--based on the family's income, and Traditional EdChoice--based solely on where the student resides. This is only for new students to ICS. If the school district and specific school that the child resides in is one of 1200 schools that are included on the EdChoice Eligibility list, that child is eligible to have tuition paid in full for their entire school career. *This list includes many of our local school districts.* The entire list can be viewed on the ODE website. These are all great opportunities to assist you in paying for your child's education. Cost should not be a determining factor in choosing ICS.

Kindergarten Screening at ICS is scheduled for Tuesday, March 24. If you are interested in having your child screened for kindergarten, please call the school at (419) 483-6066 to schedule a time.

If you have any questions about ICS or would like to schedule a tour, please call the school. Come visit and see what we have to offer. We want to work with you to have your child be a part of the Saints' Family.

Mark Your Calendars! The 27th Annual Spring Fling Reverse Raffle will be **Saturday, April 18th**. Dinner will be provided by Catering by Design. There will be a drawing for a \$250 voucher for ICS tuition. This voucher may be used for any student for the 2020-2021 school year. Also, there is a chance to win a 70 inch RCA Class 4K Ultra HD LED TV, a Catawba Island Club round of golf for four people, cart and lunch valued at \$500 and the big cash raffle consisting of \$10,000. Tickets for the main raffle, TV, Golf and Tuition can be purchased in the parish office. The winners of any of these drawings need not be present to win.



MESSAGE FROM FATHER JONATHAN

Dear Parishioners,

In light of the unprecedented decision by the bishops of Ohio to suspend public Masses and liturgies through Easter, I want to let you know what is planned for our parish. I will offer Mass daily for the intentions listed in the bulletin. These Masses will be private, and will not be streamed or recorded. I will offer these Masses also for the intentions of our parish and for an end to this pandemic. I will offer Sunday Mass sometime on the weekend and this will be recorded and made available on our website. Please let others know about this, as it is a way to keep our parish united at the Altar during these difficult times. Streamed Masses are available at www.Mass-online.org. Click on Holy Mass in English, and you will find many Masses from the English-speaking world. Holy Communion will not be brought to our nursing care facilities, the hospital, nor home-bound parishioners. I invite you to make a spiritual communion. A good prayer for this from St. Alphonsus Ligouri is:

My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the most Blessed Sacrament. I love You above all things and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot now receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there, and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

I will continue to offer the Sacrament of Penance at the times listed in the bulletin. I invite those who wish to come to spread out in the church before and after and also to use the option of confessing behind the screen.

All other devotions (exposition, stations of the cross, etc.) are also cancelled. The church will be open for private prayer during the hours and as long as the office remains open. Again, please follow the guidelines of our state and country if you choose to visit.

We will continue to publish our bulletin and this will be available on-line.

Obviously, this crisis also affects our offertory. Please consider mailing your donation, giving on-line through the donate link, or setting up an automatic deposit. We also plan to have the reverse raffle, even if there is no dinner/gathering. If it is without a dinner, we will record the drawing and post it on our site. Our expenses will continue, so please do continue to be generous and do please consider buying an extra ticket or two.

These are indeed difficult and unprecedented times. Let us all continue to pray for each other and for an end to this pandemic. Mary Immaculate, pray for us!

Fr. Jonathan