



Immaculate Conception Parish, St. Marys

Holy Cross Church, Emmett

St. Stanislaus Parish, Delia/Silver Lake/Rossville

Congratulations and God's Richest Blessings to the Parishioners of St. Stanislaus Parish on their Groundbreaking this Afternoon and the Building Project!



**Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time
August 28, 2011**

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Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil 5:00pm – Immaculate Conception
7:00pm—St. Stanislaus
Sunday 7:00am – Holy Cross
9:00am – St. Stanislaus
11:00am – Immaculate Conception

Daily Mass Schedule

Tuesday – Thursday 8:00am – Immaculate Conception
Alternate Fridays 9:00am—Rossville Valley Manor
9:00am—St. Marys Manor

SACRAMENTS

RECONCILIATION Saturdays 3:15pm – Immaculate Conception
6:30pm—St. Stanislaus
Sundays 6:20am – Holy Cross (1st Sunday of the month only)
8:30am—St. Stanislaus

BAPTISMS You must be registered in one of the above parishes or have the permission of the pastor where you live. Required preparation classes are held monthly for both parents and godparents. They are encouraged to attend prior to the birth of the child. Please contact Peg at the office, 437-2408, ext. 8, for further information.

MARRIAGE You must contact the pastor **at least six full months** prior to the desired date of marriage and before making any other arrangements. Please contact the church office for a copy of the wedding policy or view online at www.marytownyouth.com.

Patience During The Renovations

As we embark on the renovation of Immaculate Conception Church, I would ask for everyone's patience and understanding. A renovation does not occur very often, and it is a relatively short period of time when things might not be exactly as we are used to them being. The reward for our patience will be great. We have worked with the contractors to make sure that we would still be able to have our regular weekend Masses in the Church. We will be having daily Mass in Centennial Hall. May the Lord bless this endeavor to enrich our Catholic church community. Thank you in advance for your patience.

Help Needed on at Immaculate Conception Church on Tuesday, August 30th

In order to prepare for the renovation to start, we need to move many items (large and small) either to the Centennial Building for daily Mass or to the basement of the Church for storage until the renovation is completed. We will begin moving most of the items from the Church on Tuesday, August 30, after the 8AM Mass. If you are available, please come help us.



Sacrament of Penance at Holy Cross (Emmett)

Beginning with the month of September, I will be hearing confessions at Holy Cross Church (Emmett) on the **first Sunday of the month only**. I will start hearing confessions on that Sunday at **6:20AM**.

Weekly Schedule

		(August 28 thru Sept. 4)	
Sat.	08-27	5:00pm	IC Dallas Diederich (+)
Sun.	08-28	7:00pm	SS Jack Bronaugh (+)
		7:00am	HC Anita Vande Velde (+)
		9:00am	SS Jacob Lloyd (+)
		11:00am	IC Parishioners
Mon.	08-29	8:00am	IC No Mass
Tues.,	08-30	8:00am	IC Kimberly Ann Truesdell (+)
Wed.,	08-31	8:00am	IC Mick LeBlanc (+)
Thurs.	09-01	8:00am	IC Jim Kolde (+)
Fri.	09-02	9:00am	SMM Mary M. Martin (+)
Sat.	09-03	5:00pm	IC Mary Pat Crewse
		7:00pm	SS Wayne Sebring (+)
		7:00am	HC Irene Robey (+)
Sun.	09-04	9:00am	SS Parishioners
		11:00am	IC Billy Wild (+)

Upcoming Events

Sun.	08-28	12:30pm	IC Theology of the Body for Teens-Girls
Mon.	08-29	6:00pm	IC Sr. High Youth Group
		8:00am	IC No Mass
Tues.	08-30	6:00pm	IC Cemetery Meeting
		7:00pm	IC Baptismal Prep, Rm 3
		6:30pm	St. Bernard's Virtus Training
Wed.,	08-31	7:00pm	SS Rosary/Chaplet
Fri.	09-02	9:00am	SMM Mass
Sun.	09-04	12:30pm	IC Theology of the Body for Teens-Girls
		6:00pm	IC Jr. High Youth Group

White-collar workers needed. Pray for priests.



Office Hours:

Monday through Friday 9:00am to Noon and 1:00 - 3:00pm

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H.C. Cleaners: August 29: Brenda Channel.

H.C. Sacristan: Sept. 4: Karen Mulligan.

Collection for IC / HC:

Aug. 21: Plate-\$238; Env.-\$2,100; Assumption-\$97. Total-\$2,435-.

Thank you for your stewardship and generous support of our parish!

Religious Education Info ~

Religious Education registration forms and parent packets are due. Parents, pick them up, read thoroughly, fill out the registration forms, and return to the office as soon as possible.

Birthdays ~ Any Immaculate Conception parishioners **over the age of 65** who would like to be honored with a birthday greeting during their birthday month, please sign the sheet in the back of church.



RCIA-Becoming a Catholic

If you would like to attend RCIA, or for more information, call 437-2408 or e-mail unity_pastor@oct.net; or Peg W. at

unity_reled@oct.net. We will be happy to assist you. **The next information session will be August 31 at 7 PM in Room #3 of the Office Building.**

Virtus Training

August 31st, 6-9pm at St. Bernard's required for all teaching staff, aides, and volunteers to learn more about protecting God's children. Michael Poderberac will also be there from 2-4pm to explain some changes.

Religious Education ~

***"Theology of the Body" for Teens ~** The next class for girls will be this Sunday, August 28, 12:30-2:30pm.



***Confirmation Class, will be**

held Wed., Sept. 7th, 6:30-8:30pm in the Centennial Hall. Saints reports and the letters to the Archbishop are due. Remember, Confirmation is Tuesday, Nov. 1 at I.C. All work must be completed by Oct. 5, which will be the next class.

St. Stanislaus, Rossville / Silver Lake/Delia

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Collection for St. Stanislaus:

Aug. 21: Plate-\$130; Env.-\$870. Total-\$1,000.

Bldg. Pledge Drive-\$542.

Curb Painting/Bldg. Fund-\$500

Fireworks Stand (Partial/taxes not withheld) \$1,523.

Thank you for your stewardship and generous support of our parish!

Please write a separate check for the building pledge donations, as we have to do a separate deposit.

CCD Enrollment

CCD Enrollment forms are in the back of the church for those who have not pre-enrolled. Classes begin on Sept. 18th after Sunday Mass.

Final Week ~ Deadline for submitting recipes for the parish cookbook is Sept. 1st. Find information at the back of the church for entering recipes on-line or drop them in the collection basket at Mass. Questions? Call Helen at 584-9919 or June, at 584-6080

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Groundbreaking on New Church Building . . .



. . . This Sunday at 3PM!

(Reception to follow in Dekat Hall)

Services Provided Parishes and Communities:

- Perpetual Adoration: Please contact the office if you wish to participate in this beautiful and prayerful devotion.
- Religious Education: Contact Peg Wehner (IC and HC), 437.2408 or Connie Fischer (SS) [cfischer@amcplus.com], 785-584-6262
- Youth Group: Contact Tina Schindler & Reid Downey (IC and HC), or Shelly Buhler (SS) 785.584.6617
- St. Marys Food Pantry: Please contact Mary Poell @ 437-2448 or Tina Roth @785-584-6466 for assistance.
- Ministry to the Sick: Parish contacts are: Judy Lundin, IC (584-6447); Janet Wehrly, HC (535-8021); Colette Peel, SS (582-5846).
- Counseling Services: Contact Fr. Ansems or our regional service at 233-6300 for an appointment.
- Hall Rentals: For rental information at any parish, please contact the parish office: 437-2408 or: for **SS**--Colette Peel (584-6612); for **IC**--e-mail to unity_general@oct.net; or for **HC**--Galen Rezac (535-2482).
- Prayer Chain Coord.: **Holy Cross**-Janet Wehrly (535-8021), **St. Stanislaus**-Darlene Berry (584-6258), **Immaculate Conception**-Mary Ellen Reese (437-6163) or Marj Guerich (437-2473).

WILL YOU PLEASE HELP?



Adorers of the Holy Eucharist:

- ✠ Sun., 1-2am; 2-3am (alternate) 4-5am; 8-9am; 11am-Noon; 7-8pm
- ✠ Tues. 12-1am; 1-2am,
- ✠ Wed. 2-3am;
- ✠ Fri., 12 Midnight-1am.; ((alternate); 1-2pm; 7-8pm
- ✠ Sat., 12-1am (alternate); 3-4am; 3-4pm; 4-5pm; 5-6pm

Please call Mary Ellen (437-6163) or Mary Alice (437-2408).

Feast Days for the Week

- Sun., Aug. 28, Twenty-second Sunday of Ordinary Time
- Mon., Aug. 29, Martyrdom of St. John the Baptist
- Tues., Aug. 30, Seasonal Week Day
- Wed., Aug. 31, Seasonal Week Day
- Thurs., Sept. 1, Seasonal Week Day
- Fri., Sept. 2, Seasonal Week Day
- Sat., Sept. 3, St. Gregory the Great



Note of Thanksgiving

Please remember to offer a prayer of thanksgiving for the generous gift of the late Henry Stueve, who remembered Immaculate Conception and Holy Cross parishes in his Last Will and Testament. In life and death, let us serve the Lord generously and joyfully.

Endowment Fund

Leave something to the I.C Endowment in your will or trust. This is a great way of leaving a legacy for future generations of families who will depend on the faith and community that Immaculate Conception provides.



Day of Prayer for Area Women

High School and older women are invited to participate in a Journey of Faith on Saturday, September 24th from 8:30-noon at St. Stanislaus. The morning will include Mass, brunch, music and speakers. Watch the bulletin for registration info or call Colette, 584-6612 or Deidre, 582-5851.

Marriage Engagement Encounter ~

Is your marriage strong? Do you have good communication skills? Do you want to make it better, but at the same time help other couples come closer to God? Catholic Engaged Encounter needs married couples willing to share your experiences of married life with couples preparing for marriage. CEE is a weekend retreat which helps engaged couples prepare for the sacrament of marriage, but also is a retreat for couples putting it on whether they are married 1 year or 40. To find out more about CEE please call Pete and Cathy Schneider (785-832-8984) or at luvour-dog@aol.com. We look forward to hearing from you.

****On The Lighter Side of Life****

A friend of mine who was leaving Church on Christmas morning was greeted by the priest standing at the door, as he always did. He took my friend by the hand and pulled him aside. "You need to join the army of the Lord," the priest told him.

"I'm already in the army of the Lord, Father."

"Then why do I only see you at Christmas and Easter?" the priest asked.

"I'm in the secret service," my friend told him.

~ K of C INFORMATION ~

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

K of C #657 Golf Tournament

The St. Marys Knights of Columbus thanks all participants, hole sponsors, and prize donors for helping make the 3rd annual golf tournament a great success. Also, thanks to everyone who supported the Knights' BBQ dinner which followed the tournament. Winners of the \$10 Froggy's gift cards drawn at the dinner were: Pat Schneider, Larry Tanking, LeAnn Brown, and Kathleen McNeive.

September 6 ~ 7:30PM-Council 657 Monthly Meeting

September 7 ~ 7-8PM-Knights, family of Knights and guests open house in the IC Church basement. Refreshments will be served. KU Basketball and KSU Football signed by the coaches will be available for a drawing donation of \$5. Details at the parish office.

September 11—Knights of Columbus World Day of Prayer
September 18 ~ 10:30AM Pro-Life Rosary. Rosary is recited by a Knights of Columbus member or family.

October 1st & 29th ~ 11AM Rosary at the Unborn Child Memorial, followed by a rally to end abortion at 12 noon.

October 30th ~ Soup supper and KSU & KU drawing.

ST. STANISLAUS

***At our last K of C meeting the name drawn for the attendance reward was not present so the amount will be \$15 at the next meeting.**

***Pizzas-**There are still some pizza orders to be picked up. We have extras made for anyone wishing to purchase some. We also have a few crusts and ingredients available.