

Immaculate Conception / St. Bridget's Church

A Roman Catholic Community of African American Tradition

"We've Come This Far By Faith"



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Mission Statement: The Parish of Immaculate Conception/St. Bridget's is a Roman Catholic faith community whose worship reflects and celebrates the cultural gifts and diversity of its members. We welcome all believers to worship God, love one another, evangelize the good news of Jesus Christ and serve those in need.

July 3, 2022

14th Sunday In Ordinary Time

Our encounter with Christ transforms us for the sake of the world.

The Gospel tells of Jesus sending out the first disciples with a mission of healing and peace - a task that now belongs to the baptized. As we gather today in worship, may our encounter with Christ change our hearts and strengthen us to be instruments of peace and mercy in our world.

Do Something Beautiful for God

The Essential Teachings of Mother Teresa

What is prayer? Prayer is oneness with God.

Holy Days: Consult bulletin or call the office.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: By Appointment.

Sacrament of Marriage: Pre-Cana is a Diocesan Requirement. Arrangements should be made at least six months in advance.

Baptism: Please call the office to make arrangements.

Catechumenate: Adults interested in joining the Roman Catholic Church, please call the office.

Sunday, July 3, 2022

Jack Corral

Requested by Maureen Corral & Ralph Destephano



Offerings for June 26, 2022

Offerings: \$1,232

Attendance: 60

Online Giving: \$170

Online Givers: 3

Peter's Pence: \$397

Thank you for your generous support.



Please pray for the sick of the parish and for family and friends of parishioners: Earl & Phyllis Barnes, Fr. Robert Bradler, Julie Coe, Fr. Giles Conwill, Maria Degnan, Morris Doucette, Tom Fugate, Denise McGowan, Carolyn Walker, Alice Walters

Bible Readings for Sunday, July 3, 2022

1 Kings 19:16b, 19-21

Galatians 5:1, 13-18

Luke 9:51-62



Bible Readings for Sunday, July 10, 2022

Deuteronomy 30:10-14

Colossians 1:15-20

Luke 10:25-37

Mon. July 4

Independence Day—Office Closed

Sat. July 9

Corn Hill Arts Festival—10am-6pm

Sun. July 10

Corn Hill Arts Festival—10am-5pm

Aid to the Church in Central & Eastern Europe Collection

Wed. July 27

Finance Council Mtg.—5:30 pm

July 

July Christian Action



- Pray for our leaders and for peace in our country.
- Thank a veteran/military person for their service and our freedom.
- Care of our earth: pick up litter, recycle, conserve water, and turn lights off when not in use.

LECTOR SCHEDULE

Sunday, July 3, 2022

Reader I & II—Marcia Fugate

Sunday, July 10, 2022

Reader I & II—Keith Parris

Sunday, July 17, 2022

Reader I & II—Joanie Fraver

Sunday, July 24, 2022

Reader I & II—Norma Thom

Sunday, July 31, 2022

Reader I & II—Don Toyer



Colleen Brade
Candice Lucas
Junior Nsabimana

Nadia Hicuburundi
Thierry Hicuburundi
Carolyn Walker

Happy Birthday!

Church in Central & Eastern Europe Collection

Next Sunday we will take up the Collection for the Church in Central and Eastern Europe. This collection supports the Church in more than 25 countries that still struggle to recover from former communist rule. Funds from this collection support pastoral care, catechesis, renovations, and seminary formation. Your support restores the Church and builds the future in this region. Please prayerfully consider how you can support the collection next week. More information can be found at www.usccb.org/ccee.

Living Faith A Vision of Heaven

When you see this, your heart shall rejoice and your bodies flourish like the grass. Isaiah 66:14

Margery Kempe—a fascinating woman—was a medieval mystic, wife, mother of fourteen children and pilgrim—one who traveled all the way from England to the Holy Land. Her spiritual life was intense and even controversial. She encountered, and sometimes clashed with, priests and bishops. Her most visible spiritual gift was weeping, which she did, copiously, garnering attention and suspicion.

My favorite passage from Margery Kempe reflects a vision of heaven—of life with God that the prophet Isaiah describes in today's reading. Margery was asleep in bed with her husband when she heard music so beautiful she thought she was in Paradise. She sat up and exclaimed: "Alas, that ever I did sin! It is full merry in heaven."

"It is full merry in heaven" - indeed!

Lord, guide my steps toward eternal, joyful life with you.

Amy Wellbom



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Corn Hill Arts Festival Next Weekend!

Saturday, July 9, 2022 ~ 10 am—6 pm

Sunday, July 10, 2022 ~ 10 am—5 pm

Sign up sheets are still available on the table in the gathering space to volunteer for the Corn Hill Arts Festival. If you have any questions, please see Don Toyer or Bill Castle.

Westside Farmers Market is
Now Open!

St. Monica Parking Lot
34 Monica Street on Tuesdays from 4:00—7:00 pm



St. Monica CYO Summer Basketball Clinic 2022



OPEN TO YOUTH
IN GRADES 3-6

AUG 3-5 2022,
9:00AM - 12:30PM
LUNCH INCLUDED

ST. MONICA
PARKING LOT

LEARN AND SHARPEN
YOUR BASKETBALL
SKILLS THIS SUMMER
WITH RAY SMITH FROM
NEXT LEVEL HOOPS

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THIS IS A FREE CLINIC.

Come ready to play with shorts,
sneakers, and water bottle!

SHOOTING
PASSING
DRIBBLING

Volunteers Needed!

We need helpers for check-in and food prep.
No basketball experience necessary!
All volunteers must be CASE-trained. To get trained
and sign up, contact jessica.tette@dor.org.

Want to Coach at the Clinic?
Contact tamidivers1019@gmail.com

<p>St. Joseph's House of Hospitality</p> <p>A Rochester, NY Catholic Worker Community 402 South Avenue, Rochester, NY 14607 585-232-3262</p>	<p align="center">BUCKMAN'S PLAZA 2590 W. Ridge Road, Rochester 14626</p> <p align="center">Visit our two new stores Twisted Dolls Hair Braiding Salon and Consignkids Clothing and more. City Mattress, Visionworks, Pino's Deli, Megan Nail Spa, Red Cross, Sign Impressions, Greece Chiropractic, Orville's Appliances.</p>	
<p>Corn Hill Neighborhood Association 133 S. Fitzhugh Street Rochester, NY 14608 www.cornhill.org</p>	<p>Mileage Master Center of Rochester 2488 Browncroft Blvd. Rochester, NY 14625 585-586-1870</p> <p><i>The perfect place for all of your grilling needs</i></p>	<p>Tom Zubert, Realtor RE/MAX REALTY GROUP 585-721-1313 zubert.tom@gmail.com (ICS Graduate)</p>
<p align="center">In Loving Memory of the QUAMINA & HARPER FAMILIES <i>Love Gail, Elise, Joyce, Richard</i></p>	<p align="center">In Loving Memory of My Wife ILONA WHITE <i>Alphonse White</i></p>	<p align="center">Skips on the Ridge 640 West Ridge Road Rochester, NY 14615 585-865-3896</p>
<p align="center">In Loving Memory of HENRY FAISON JR. <i>Love Mom, George, Adrian, Andre</i></p>	<p align="center">Prayerful Remembrance of the Gordons ARTHUR, SARAH, PEGGY, BUD, BOB, NANCY, GARY <i>Blessings Bill & Family</i></p>	<p align="center">In Loving Memory of JOE HAUSER <i>The Wingo Family</i></p>
<p align="center">In Loving Memory of DR. NATHANIEL HURST <i>The Wingo Family</i></p>	<p align="center">In Loving Memory of DAVID MILES <i>Love your Wife & Children</i></p>	<p align="center">In Prayerful Remembrance of the Deceased Members of the CULLEN & CORRAL FAMILIES <i>Love Ralph & Maureen</i></p>
<p align="center">In Loving Memory of JAMES STOKES <i>The Stokes Family</i></p>	<p align="center">LYNN FULMORE, MASTER INSTRUCTOR EPIC TRAININGS</p> <p>Phone: 585-615-4379 Email: mail@epictrainings.com WEB: www.epictrainings.com Facebook: EPIC Trainings CPR First Aid Classes for Lay/Professional Responders, Safety Classes for Children, Coaches, Scouts and Seniors, Certified Just Yell Fire Training Center</p>	
<p align="center">In Loving Memory of JAMES & JEFFREY WALTERS DOUGLAS SIMMONS</p>	<p align="center">In Loving Memory of GILBERT & CHARITY ADIELE <i>The Nwokelo Family</i></p>	<p align="center">All About Toastmasters...Your Path to Leadership Where Leaders are Made For more information contact Jean Pryor Meeting: 1st & 3rd Mondays except holidays E-mail-lyceumclub93@gmail.com</p>
<p align="center">In Loving Memory of CREÓLE MON'AE FONTENETTE <i>Love your Grandparents</i></p>	<p align="center">In Loving Memory of JOSEPH RONALD WEBER <i>Roxana C. Weber</i></p>	<p align="center">In Loving Memory of SARAH & DONALD GORDON & HENRY BELL SR. <i>The Gordon/Bell Families</i></p>
<p align="center">For all Deceased Families, Friends & Parishioners of Immaculate Conception / St. Bridget's Church <i>Love Rose Stokes</i></p>	<p align="center">In Loving Memory of JOANNE LESSLEY <i>Joanne Gordon</i></p>	<p align="center">In Loving Memory of MICHAEL NWOKELO SR. <i>The Nwokelo Family</i></p>
<p align="center">In Loving Memory of ALL THE DECEASED DOUCETTE FAMILY <i>Love Louise & Shannon</i></p>	<p align="center">In Loving Memory of SARAH ANN GORDON <i>Louise & Shannon</i></p>	<p align="center">SPACE AVAILABLE</p>