

# IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF MARY PARISH



June  
Month of  
The Sacred  
Heart of Jesus

June 27, 2021

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

HH - Hitch Hall MH - Maher Hall  
SB - School Basement  
R - Rectory CH - Church  
WH - Waldeisen Hall

Date	Observance	Mass Intention	Readings	Event
Mon June 28	Irenaeus, Bishop & Martyr	5:30 pm <b>Dorothy Gabelman</b> by Family	Gn 18:16-33; Mt 8:18-22	
Tues June 29	Peter & Paul, Apostles		Acts 12:1-11; 2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18; Mt 16:13-19	<b>Kenmore Free Store</b> 4 - 7 pm <b>SB</b> <b>Community Meal</b> 5 - 6:30 <b>WH</b>
Wed June 30	The First Holy Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church <b>Anointing of the Sick</b>	5:30 pm <b>Bob &amp; Vilma Saxon</b> by Ann Miller	Gn 21:5, 8-20a; Mt 8:28-34	
Thur July 1	Junipero Serra, Priest		Gn 22:1b-19; Mt 9:1-8	
Fri July 2		5:30 pm <b>Patrick Steurer</b> by Family	Gn 23:1-4, 19, 24:1-8, 62-67; Mt 9:9-13	
Sat July 3	Thomas, Apostle	5:30 pm <b>Wally &amp; Helen Langton</b> by Joe & Beth Langton	Eph 2:19-22; Jn 20:24-29	<b>Kenmore Free Store</b> 9 am - noon <b>SB</b> <b>Confessions</b> 9 - 10 am <b>CH</b>
Sun July 4	Fourteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time	8:30 am <b>Bob &amp; Vilma Saxon</b> by Ann Miller 11 am <b>Domenick Felice</b> by Doug & Barb Paulus	Ez 2:2-5; 2 Cor 12:7-10; Mk 6:1-6	

## COLLECTION REPORT

Week Ending	June 13	June 20
Sunday Offering -	\$4,302.00	\$2,953.00
Daily Offering-	\$450.00	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$4,752.00</b>	<b>\$2,953.00</b>
<b>Weekly operating costs</b>	<b>\$3,700.00</b>	<b>\$3,700.00</b>
(Shortfall) Overage	\$1,052.00	(\$747.00)
YTD Over (short) -	(\$8,721.44)	(\$9,468.44)
St. Vincent de Paul -	\$70.00	\$30.00
Capital Improvements -	\$1,590.00	\$620.00
Debt Reduction -	\$90.00	\$105.00
Envs used of 240 sent	67	54

**Stewardship of Treasure:** Your parish envelopes are a sign of your willingness to practice the Stewardship of Treasure assuring the continued ministry of Immaculate Conception to the people of Kenmore. If you visit another parish, please send in or drop off your envelopes. Thank you.

**Bingo** - Because the virus is still with us, we can not even begin to guess when it will be safe for workers and guests. With this continued loss of important income, please continue to use your envelopes as faithfully as you have been. You are all amazing!

**The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick** will be celebrated this Wed., June 30<sup>th</sup> at the 5:30 pm Mass.

**Rubber Ducks Outing** – RSVPs must be turned in by Tues., July 12 so be sure to fill out the flyer & return it by: collection basket, drop-off at rectory or by mail. Make checks payable to Immaculate Conception with “baseball” in the memo line. Game: Fri., July 23<sup>rd</sup>, 7:05 pm, \$10/person vs the Richmond Flying Squirrels, fireworks.

**Community Meal** - Our next take-out meal will be this Tuesday, June 29<sup>th</sup> from 5 – 6:30 pm or until we run out. Menu: ham sandwich, pasta salad, chips & a brownie.

**Rectory Hour Change (Temporary):** July 13 & 14, the rectory phones will be answered from 9 am – 4 pm. Monday, July 12 may also be a shortened day. Back to normal on July 15<sup>th</sup>. Thank you.

**Housekeeping** - Now that the pandemic is receding, the parish rectory is in need of a housekeeping service. Please call the rectory at 330-753-8429 with any referrals. Local service is preferred.

**Masses** - If you would like to schedule a Mass, please call the rectory; the stipend is \$10. The next available dates are: Fri., July 16, Sun., July 18 (8:30 am), Mon., July 19, Wed, July 21, Fri., July 23, Sat., July 24 & Sun., July 25 (11 am).

**Roof Repair:** Please use your Capital Improvement envelopes to help with this important project.

## History of Popes

#200 – Blessed Pope Urban V - Pope from Sept. 28, 1362 – death, Dec. 19, 1370. Guillaume de Grimoard was born in 1310 to a noble French family. He entered the Benedictine Order at the age of 17, became a priest in 1334 and went on to study both literature & canon law, earning his doctorate in the latter in 1342. Over the next two decades, he was sent on three different missions to Italy while also serving as vicar general in Clermont and Uzes, prior at Notre Dame du Pre, and abbot of two different monasteries. Not even a cardinal, Guillaume was chosen to become pope & took the name Urban. As pope, he preferred using peace rather than the sword and was opposed to the nepotism and corruption that tempted so many church leaders of the day. He was a great patron of education, consenting to the establishment of the Univ. of Krakow, now the Jagiellonian University, which would later educate the likes of St. John Cantius, Nicolaus Copernicus, and St. John Paul II. Urban is best known for returning the papacy to Rome, if only for a short time. Due to the work of Cardinal Alborno, the legate sent to reestablish papal authority in Italy by Innocent VI, Urban made a plan to return in 1366. Everyone approved except his French compatriots who threatened to desert him. Urban set sail from Marseilles on May 19 and reached Italy by June 4. He gathered an army and entered the city on October 16. It was as if new life had been breathed into the Italian Church, with restoration of both Church structures & parishioner morale. Sadly, by 1368, Alborno had died & civil unrest had begun to grow, making Italy insecure once again. Despite protests from his Roman envoys and a prophetic utterance by St. Bridget that Urban would die quickly if he returned to Avignon, Urban left Rome on September 5, 1370 & died in Avignon on December 19, 1370. He was initially buried there, but his relics were moved according to his wishes two years later to the Abbey Church of St. Victor in Marseilles, where he'd once served as abbot. Pilgrims began to venerate the holy site. Miracles were numerous & calls for his canonization reached Pope Gregory XI. Sadly, he wasn't beatified until 500 years after his death, when Blessed Pope Pius IX did so in 1870. Blessed Urban V is the patron of architects, educators, Benedictines, & missionaries. What else was going on in the world at the time? In 1366, records show a brewery being founded in the city of Leuven, Belgium. It became successful due to the founding the Catholic University of Leuven in 1426, and to the poor quality of drinking water at the time. Over 350 years passed before Sebastien Artois bought the brewery and renamed it. The brewery continued to thrive, and in 1926 came out with a Christmas beer that became so successful it would be brewed year-round and known the world over as Stella Artois.

## STEWARDSHIP THOUGHTS

“Do not be afraid; just have faith.” These words of Jesus to the synagogue official whose daughter had died seem so simple, but are, in truth, among the most difficult in all of scripture. Because of our frail human nature we fear and we fear many things from storms to insects and reptiles to rejection and heights, but our biggest fear probably centers around death. We are a people who want information immediately; we want to control things so that they fit into our plans, but death doesn't fit into this scenario because we don't know when, where or even how in some cases; we have no control and that is scary for us. In our stewardship of time, let us pray for greater faith knowing that our time on earth is brief, but our time in heaven is for eternity. Let us pray for courage & strength knowing that God is and will be with us every moment of every day. Let us live every day for the Lord by sharing our time, talent and treasure joyfully so that when our time comes we know where we'll be – in heaven with Jesus and our loved ones and then as Fr. Mike says, “What a homecoming there will be then!”

## STEWARDSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

**Church Housekeeping:** We are in desperate need of two more people to help one Monday or one Friday a month. Call Cherylyn at 330-825-5949 for information. All stewards are requested to send their email address to [cherylyn.gruic@gmail.com](mailto:cherylyn.gruic@gmail.com) to facilitate communications.

**Adopt-A-Plot:** The property is starting to take shape! Please be sure to check on weeds and care for your plots on a regular basis. If you've had a plot in the past, but can not tend it anymore, please let us know. Thank you.

**Property Beautification:** Help is needed to pull out dead shrubbery and clear out the beds in front of the school and the far end of Waldeisen Hall. Call the rectory to share your stewardship.

**CareCards:** Please keep them coming! To participate, purchase cards of encouragement, add a short note and sign your name. Put the cards into the envelope (do not seal) & place into the basket. Please do not drop off cards from various charitable/religious organizations.

**Kenmore Free Store:** Store hours are Tuesdays 4 – 7 pm & Saturdays 9 am – noon. Protocol: Masks must be worn if you have not been fully vaccinated. Hands must be sanitized as you enter the registration area. Five shoppers allowed in at a time. Shoppers will have 15 minutes to shop & 5 minutes to check out. Please send only one representative per family so we can serve more people. Donations may be dropped off in front of the school during store hours only – please place them in the red cart.

**K of C #3410 Cash Bonanza Raffle –** There were no winners from our parish. A full list of winners has been posted on the bulletin boards near the doors of the church.

## Other Events

• **Cath. Renewal Ministries Summer Conference:** 8:30 am - 3:45 pm, Sat., July 10<sup>th</sup>, SS. Cosmas & Damian Parish, Twinsburg. The theme is “Give New Signs - Work New Wonders”. Our speakers are Ralph Martin & Peter Herbeck from Renewal Ministries in Ann Arbor, MI, Fr. Michael Stalla, & Fr. Bob Franco. Matt Fafrak will lead contemporary praise music. Vigil at 4 pm. Limited capacity, so register early. Online access also planned. Registration closes on July 3<sup>rd</sup> or when capacity is met. Visit [www.crmweb.org](http://www.crmweb.org) for registration and info.