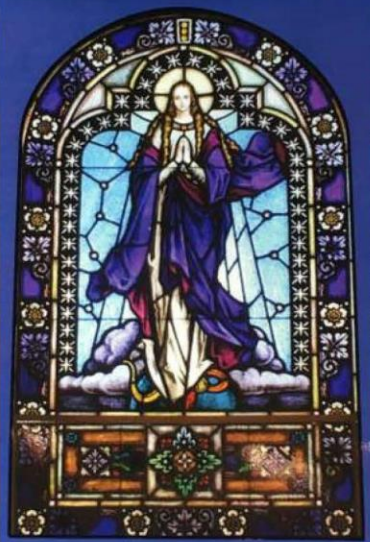


IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

CATHOLIC TRADITION IN
THE HEART OF GEORGIA



PASTOR

Rev. Jude T. Shayo, AJ

PAROCHIAL VICAR

Rev. John Stephen Ariko, AJ

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We, the faith community of Immaculate Conception, exist to worship God through prayer, good works, the sacraments, and to be one in Christ in Celebration of the Holy Eucharist. We are ambassadors of the Catholic tradition in the heart of Georgia. Our call is to nurture our individual spiritual growth and form one another in the values of the Gospel, with a sense of unity and hope, as we build the Kingdom of God.

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS

You enter this church not as a stranger but as a guest from God. We hope you will find a loving Christian community, and we look forward to benefiting from your uniqueness. Please contact the church office to register.

CHURCH: 1559 Hwy. 441 N., Dublin, Georgia 31021

PHONE: 478-272-0266

WEBSITE: www.immaculate-conception-church.net

EMAIL: iccdublin@immaculate-conception-church.net

OFFICE HOURS: Monday - Friday: 8:00AM - 1:00PM

MASS SCHEDULE

Monday thru Thursday: 8:30AM

Friday: 8:30AM & 12:10PM

Saturday Vigil: 5:00PM

Sunday: 10:00AM

Spanish Mass:

12:45 pm (Fall and Winter)

Holy Days: To be announced

CONFESSIONS

Saturday: 4:00 PM - 4:30 PM
& by appointment

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

September-May, Pre-K (4 year olds) thru 8th grade.
11:15 AM - 12:15 PM

ST. WILLIAM MISSION

CHURCH: 301 S. Smith Street, Sandersville, Georgia 31082 **PHONE:** 478-272-0266

MASS SCHEDULE: Wednesday, 6:00 PM, Sunday, 7:30 AM

HOLY DAYS: Mass times to be announced

CONFESSIONS: Wednesday, 5:00PM

HOLY REDEEMER

17 Telfair Ave, McRae, Georgia 31055 **PHONE:** 478-272-0266

MASS SCHEDULE: Sunday, 8:30 AM (bilingual)

CONFESSIONS: Sunday 10:45 or by appointment

ST. MARK

1687 Hawkinsville Highway, Eastman, Georgia 31023 **PHONE:** 478-272-0266

MASS SCHEDULE: Sunday 11:30 AM (bilingual)

CONFESSIONS: Sunday 10:45 or by appointment

**29th Sunday in Ordinary
Time
World Mission Sunday
October 18, 2020**

Mass Intentions

Saturday, Oct. 17 8:30 a.m. @ ICC
+Jones Daniel Brooks (Leslie Brooks)
5:00 p.m. ICC
+Larry Sengenberger (Tom & Nancy Davis)
Sunday, Oct. 18 7:30 a.m. @ SWC

8:30 a.m. @ Holy Redeemer

10:00 a.m. @ ICC
Nancy & Rick Mimbs (Patrick Mimbs)

11:30 a.m. @ St Mark

Pro Populo 1:00 p.m. @ ICC

Monday, Oct. 19 8:30 a.m. @ ICC
Dr. Jose Balbona (Heath & well-being)

Tuesday, Oct. 20 8:30 a.m. @ ICC
+Ann Caldwell (Jim Caldwell)

Wednesday, Oct. 21 8:30 a.m. @ ICC

6:00 p.m. @ St William
Mothers & Father of St. William faith
Community

6:00 p.m. @ Holy Redeemer
No Mass on Wednesdays

Thursday, Oct. 22 8:30 a.m. @ ICC
7:00 p.m. @ St. Mark

Friday, Oct. 23 8:30 a.m. @ ICC
12:10 p.m. @ ICC

Saturday, October 17, 2020

*Come & pray the Rosary 30 minutes before
Mass 5:00 p.m. Vigil @ ICC*

Ushers: Nilo Torres & Matthew Jacks

Lector: Robin Martin

Altar Servers:

EM of Communion: Only Priest will
distribute Holy Communion

Sunday, October 18, 2020

*Come and pray the Rosary 30 minutes
before Mass @ 10:00 a.m. @ ICC*

Ushers: Glenn Johnson, Jim Caldwell, Bob
Wallace, Harold McLendon

Lector: Karen Hightower

Altar Servers:

EM of Communion: Only Priest will distribute
Holy Communion

1:00 p.m. Mass in Spanish

Ushers:

Lector:

Altar Servers:

EM of Communion: Only Priest will
distribute Holy Communion

Saturday, October 24, 2020

*Come & pray the Rosary 30 minutes before
Mass 5:00 p.m. Vigil @ ICC*

Ushers: Nilo Torres & Matthew Jacks

Lector: Jonathan Rogers

Altar Servers:

EM of Communion: Only Priest will
distribute Holy Communion

Sunday, October 25, 2020

*Come and pray the Rosary 30 minutes
before Mass @ 10:00 a.m. @ ICC*

Ushers: Glenn Johnson, Jim Caldwell, Bob
Wallace, Harold McLendon

Lector: Carole Edenfield

Altar Servers:

EM of Communion: Only Priest will distribute
Holy Communion

1:00 p.m. Mass in Spanish

Ushers:

Lector:

Altar Servers:

EM of Communion: Only Priest will distribute Holy Communion

Weekly Contributions and Expenses
(Expenses for 07/2020 thru 07/2021)

Immaculate Conception

(242 Registered Families)

Weekly Expense	\$5,435.98
Offertory	\$5,214.00
Parish Center Campaign	\$ 420.00
Southern Cross	\$ 350.00
ACA Goal for 2020	\$23,380.00
Total Given:	\$15,844.11

St. William Mission

(29 Registered Families)

Weekly Expense	\$1,134.56
Offertory	\$ 115.00
Southern Cross	\$ 15.00
ACA Goal for 2020	\$4,872.00
Total Given:	\$5,341.00

Holy Redeemer

(45 Registered Families)

Weekly Expense	\$ 656.56
Offertory	\$ 908.32
World Mission Sunday	\$ 10.00
ACA Goal for 2020	\$ 4,817.00
Total Given:	\$ 300.00

St Mark

(39 Registered Families)

Weekly Expense	\$1,013.63
Offertory	\$ 760.75
ACA Goal for 2020	\$4,016.00
Total Given	\$1,580.00

ICC Parish Ministries

Parish Council President - Garrett Cannon

Finance Council - Tony Ingrando

Bereavement Committee - Tiffany Taylor

Fellowship/Receptions - Ruella Ricaza

Knights of Columbus - Patrick Mimbs, GK

Dir. of Religious Education - Leanna Magluilo

Altar Guild Coordinator- Vivian Thompson

Lectors - Mary Louise McRae

Usher/EM of Communion - Lorraine Ackerson

Youth Ministry Chairperson - Helen Martin

Hispanic Ministry Coordinator - Alice

McLendon

Religious Education

Registration for CCD

Classes will begin on Sunday Oct. 4th

@11:30 a.m. Registration still continues

Parents whose children are enrolled in the 1st Communion and Confirmation preparation programs for this Religious Education school year are required to present a copy of their Baptismal Certificate. Contact the baptizing church now to get your copy if you don't already have.

Additional classes:

Confirmation: Thursdays @ 5:30-6:30 p.m.

First Communion: Wednesdays @ 5:30-6:30 p.m.

A medida que continuamos adhiriéndonos a las Pautas de Covid establecidas por la Diócesis de Savannah, ofreceremos dos clases adicionales de educación religiosa este año en la Iglesia:

Confirmación: jueves alas 5:30-6:30pm.

Primera Comunion: miércoles a las 5: 30-6: 30 pm

Baptismal Classes are scheduled for the 4th Tuesday of each month in the Narthex at ICC. You must contact the Church Secretary to begin the registration process for Baptism. Our next class will meet on Tuesday, October 27th at 6:00 p.m.

Fr. John Stephen will begin meeting with the First Holy Communion students at St Mark's each Thursday evening at 6:00 p.m.

We will be streaming 5:00 p.m. Vigil Mass in English live on Saturday. The recorded version will be available on YouTube on Sunday.



October 2020

20-AnnaMaria Lleras, Nina Bayani
21 Anthony Watford
22 Mayra Melendez
24-Susan Grabiak



October 2020

18-Rick & Nancy Mimbs (40 yrs.)
20-Mark & Kathy Zimba (30 yrs.)

Jesus says "Come to Me"

Confessions Thursday evenings 6:00-6:30 pm @ ICC

Eucharistic Adoration: Thursday @ 6:30 pm

Eucharistic Adoration for the Hispanic Community is available the 1st Wednesday of each month at 6:00 p.m. at ICC

Friday @ 10:30 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration @ ICC

Every 1st Friday – Eucharistic Adoration @ St. William Mission – 1:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m.

Upcoming Events

The Knights of Columbus are selling car wash tickets for a Tidal Wave Auto Spa Car Wash. The tickets are \$10.00 each and you get the "top of the line" \$20.00 wash. Tickets are good until June 31, 2021 and are accepted at any Tidal Wave Auto Spa. Every ticket sold supports the Knight's mission for our church and community.

Thank you for your support!!!!

Church Stained-glass Window

Would you like to leave your mark on Immaculate Conception Church and honor a loved one in doing so? We are looking for an individual or family who would like to donate funds for a special project! We will be replacing the two clear windows at the front of the church with two new stained glass windows as part of marking the 10th Anniversary of our church building (2009-2020) and to further enhance the beauty of our Church. The estimated cost of each window is \$12,000.

A plaque will be made and displayed for the donor to honor his/her family or a loved one who has passed. For more information, please call the church office at 478-272-0266. Thank you for your consideration and we look forward to sharing the finished product with you all!

Altar Flowers are a lovely way to remember special occasions such as birthdays, anniversaries, birth of a child, baptism, etc. A donation of \$40.00 will cover the cost associated with Altar flowers. Note: We have dates available. Please contact the office at 478-272-0266 Monday thru Friday from 8:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. to schedule your Altar Flower donation. All flower arrangements must be made and confirmed with Julie Brooks, the church secretary.

Immaculate Conception Church Sacramental Policies

Baptism

*** Parents must be registered at Immaculate Conception or one of our mission churches and attend Mass for 3 months before preparation.**

* Parents must attend Baptism Prep Class so, please call the office to register for class!

* Godparents are invited to attend Baptism class. *** At least one godparent must be Catholic.**

* Out of town godparents must provide a letter from their pastor as to their suitability to exercise this office.

Marriage – Couples must:

* Contact the pastor at least 6 months (or more) prior to desired wedding date.

* Complete FOCCUS inventory

* Participate in a pre-Cana course or marriage-prep weekend.

* NO wedding date is guaranteed until ALL Diocesan and Parish requirements are fulfilled.

First Communion and Confirmation

*** Family must be registered at Immaculate Conception or one of our mission churches.**

* Preparation = two years of classes.

* Children must be at least 7 years old to receive First Communion and at least 13 years old for Confirmation

Abuse Hotline Number

To report sexual abuse of a minor by a Diocese of Savannah employee or volunteer, call the abuse hotline number at 888-357-5330 or the Office for the

Protection of Children and Young People, 912-201-4074.

To read the diocesan policy on sexual abuse of minors, go to www.diosav.org/chilyouthprotection.

***RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults)** will meet every Sunday @ 2:30 p.m. in the Narthex. We invite anyone interested in learning more about their faith, and sharing their faith with others. This program will help families understand and build the "Domestic Church". Please let Julie know if you wish to attend.*

Confessions

ICC Thursday 6:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

Saturday 4:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Mission Churches by Appointment

REMINDER: *Southern Cross* subscriptions are due till **October 11, 2020**. Envelopes are available at the back of the Church or in the Narthex.

Is God calling you? *Our Parish is looking for someone to **video Mass and upload to social media**. If interested, please speak to Father Jude, Fr. John Stephen or call the church office at 478-272-0266*

The Dispensation from the Obligation to attend Sunday Mass has been extended to November 22, 2020. *Please visit the website listed below to view the letter from the Diocese of Savannah.*

<https://www.diosav.org/coronavirus-advisory/extending-the-dispensation-of-the-sunday-obligation-through-november-22>

POPES INTENTION: OCTOBER

The Laity's Mission in the Church. That by the virtue of baptism, the laity, especially women, may participate more in areas of responsibility in the Church.

October: Month of the Holy Rosary

The month of October is dedicated to the Holy Rosary. According to an account by fifteenth-century Dominican, Alan de la Roch, Mary appeared to St. Dominic in 1206 after he had been praying and doing severe penances because of his lack of success in combating the heresy. Mary praised him for his valiant fight against the heretics gave him the Rosary as a mighty weapon, explained its uses and told him to preach it to others.

"Since the prayers of the Rosary come from such excellent sources Lord Himself, from inspired Scripture, and from the Church — it is surprising that the Rosary is so dear to our Blessed Mother and so with heaven.



"If we consider the power of the Rosary effects, we find a great abundance of wonderful value. Many are the favors private individuals through its devout there are few devoted users of the Rosary who cannot testify to experiencing its power in their own lives. If we turn to history, we see many great triumphs of the Rosary. Early tradition attributes the defeat of the Albigensians at the Battle of Muret in 1213 to the Rosary. But even those who do not accept this tradition will admit that St. Pius V attributed the great defeat of the Turkish fleet on the first Sunday of October, 1571, to the fact that at the same time the Rosary confraternities at Rome and elsewhere were holding their processions.



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as seen in its proofs of its granted to recitation:

No form of extra-liturgical devotion to Mary is more widely practiced among the faithful or found by them to be more satisfyingly complete than the Rosary, which has come to be regarded as the very badge of Catholic piety. No form of extra-liturgical devotion to Mary has been recommended more warmly or frequently by the Popes. With perhaps two exceptions, all the Sovereign Pontiffs from Sixtus IV in 1478 down to John XXIII, especially Leo XIII (in 23 documents, ten of them encyclicals entirely on the Rosary) and his successors, have extolled this form of prayer, which has been the favorite, moreover, of such saints as Teresa of Avila, Francis de Sales, Louis de Montfort, Alphonsus Liguori, Don Bosco, Bernadette, and many more.

The authentic Rosary is a happy combination of vocal and mental prayer, each of which is essential to the devotion. It is incorrect to say that meditation is "the very essence of the Rosary devotion," for vocal recitation of the prayers is also of the essence. Meditation is, of course, the nobler element, the "soul," while vocal prayer is the "body" of the devotion. The Rosary, Pope Leo XIII declared, "is composed of two parts, distinct but inseparable — the meditation on the mysteries and the recitation of the prayers. It is thus a kind of prayer that requires not only some raising of the soul to God, but also a particular and explicit attention" (*Incunda semper*). Hence, as Pope Pius XI stated, they err "who consider this devotion merely a boresome formula repeated with monotonous and singsong intonation" (*Ingravescentibus malis*).