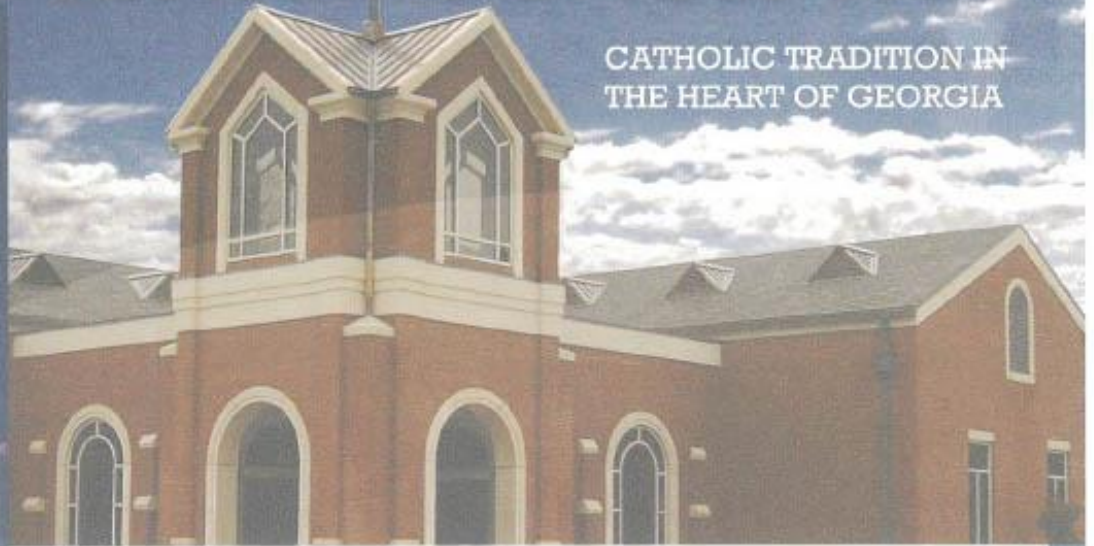


IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

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: 1859 Hwy. 441 N., Dublin, Georgia 31021

PHONE: 478-272-0266

WEBSITE: www.immaculate-conception-church.net

EMAIL: iccdublin@immaculate-conception-church.net

OFFICE HOURS: Tuesday - Friday: 8:00AM - 4:30PM

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

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

Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time October 31, 2021

Mass Intentions

Saturday, October 30 8:30 a.m. ICC
+Tito Opina (Lovillette Paulino)

5:00 p.m. ICC
+David E. Mims (Rosalie Mims)

Sunday, October 31
7:30 a.m. @ SWC

8:30 a.m. @ Holy Redeemer
Pro Populo

10:00 a.m. @ ICC

11:30 a.m. @ St Mark

1:00 p.m. @ ICC

Monday, November 1 8:30 a.m. @ ICC
+Jennifer & Arnold (Ruella Ricaza)

6:30 p.m. @ ICC
+Rosa (Ruella Ricaza)

Tuesday, November 2 8:30 a.m. @ ICC
+Nirma Banayo (Dianalyn Manalo)

6:30 p.m. @ ICC
+Noel Banayo (Dianalyn Manolo)

Wednesday, November 3 8:30 a.m. @ ICC
+Hermogenes (Ruella Ricaza)

Thursday, November 4 8:30 a.m. @ ICC
+JoJo (Ruella Ricaza)

Friday, November 5 8:30 a.m. @ ICC
+Alejandra (Ruella Ricaza)
12:10 p.m. @ ICC

BULLETIN INFORMATION:

Items for the bulletin are due on Wednesday afternoon 4:30 pm the week of publication. E-mail information to: iccdublin@immaculate-conception-church.net

LISTENING SESSION WITH THE BISHOP

The Listening Session with the Bishop has been rescheduled for Sunday November 21, 2021 at 7 PM in McRae. All are invited to participate on that day.

**REMEMBER TO RESET YOUR CLOCKS
BEFORE YOU GO TO BED SATURDAY NIGHT,
NOVEMBER 6.**

Saturday, October 30, 2021

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

Ushers: Matthew Jacks, Joshua Halcombe
Lector: Noah Brack

Sunday, October 31, 2021

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

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

1:00 p.m. Mass in Spanish

Lector:

Saturday, November 6, 2021

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

Ushers: Matthew Jacks, Joshua Halcombe
Lector: Ed Fitzgerald

Sunday, November 7, 2021 - Picnic

**Come and pray the Rosary 30 minutes before
Mass @ 11:00 a.m. @ ICC**

Ushers: Glenn Johnson, Jim Caldwell, Bob
Wallace, Harold McLendon
Lector: Bill Hoyt

ICC Parish Ministries

Parish Council Pres. – Stephen Conner
Finance Council – Tony Ingrando
Bereavement Committee – Tiffany Taylor
Fellowship/Receptions – Ruella Ricaza
Knights of Columbus – Patrick Mimbs, GK
Dir. of Religious Education – Fritzie Sumalo
Altar Guild Coordinator-
Lectors – Mary Louise McRae
Usher/EM of Communion – Lorraine Ackerson
Youth Ministry Chairperson – Helen Martin
Hispanic Ministry Coordinator – Alice McLendon

Parish Council Members

Stephen Connor	Helen Martin
Tommy Davis	Jay Martin
Julia Hardy	Ruella Ricaza
Peggy Hobby	Dr. Kevin Taylor
	Harry Vazquez

Finance Council Members

Jo Cammack	George Roussel
Tim Edge	Sara Routh
Tony Ingrando	

Weekly Contributions and Expenses
(Expenses for 07/2021 thru 07/2022)

Immaculate Conception

(296 Registered Families)

Weekly Expense	\$5,953.69
Offertory	\$3,773.00
Parish Center Campaign	\$370.00
World Mission Sunday	\$90.00

St. William Mission

(39 Registered Families)

Weekly Expense	\$2,093.12
Offertory	\$683.00
Maintenance Fund	\$50.00
World Mission Sunday	\$270.00

Holy Redeemer

(45 Registered Families)

Weekly Expense	\$436.87
Offertory	\$314.00
Year to Date	\$17,900.95

St Mark

(93 Registered Families)

Weekly Expense	\$965.10
Offertory	\$790.00

ACA Goal Statistics by church

Immaculate Conception

Goal for 2021	\$25,526.00
Total Given	\$19,355.49
% of Target	75.83%
% of Participation	23.95%

St. William Mission

Goal for 2021	\$4,131.00
Total Given	\$5,807.50
% of Target	140.58%
% of Participation	26.92%

Holy Redeemer

Goal for 2021	\$1,526.00
Total Given	\$655.00
% of Target	42.92%
% of Participation	15.79%

St. Mark

Goal for 2021	\$3,427.00
Total Given	\$2,070.52
% of Target	60.42%
% of Participation	19.51%

Religious Education

We have CCD every Sunday after 10:00 a.m. Mass during the school year.

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 one.

Please check with the Church Office to make sure that you are registered with ICC or one of the Mission Parishes. This is a requirement before you receive any Sacraments.

Additional classes:

Confirmation: Thursdays @ 4:30-5:30 p.m.
 First Communion: Wednesdays @ 4:30-5:30 p.m.

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. **Next class will meet on November 23, 2021.**

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 Leanna know if you wish to attend.

October/November 2021



- 30 – Erric Doerr
- 31 – Rolyn Manahan
- 01 – Grayson Williams
- 02 – Johnathan Reyes, Michael Reyes, Zachary Duggan
- 05 – Diana Lleras, Mr. Rosalio Sánchez, Greg Bateman
- 06 – Ed Roche, Jimmy Herrera
- 07 – Yul Bayani, Ernestina Lopez
- 08 – Malena Lopez, George Roussel



- 05 – Joel, Sr. & Guadalupe Cardenas
- 06 – Dr. Mathew & Celine Mathai
- 07 – Jose & Silvia Morfin

HOLY FATHER'S INTENTION for November:
People Who Suffer from Depression – We pray that people who suffer from depression or burn-out will find support and a light that opens them up to life.

Upcoming Events

“Jesus Says Come to Me” **CONFESSIONS @ ICC**

Thursday evenings @ 6:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.
Saturday afternoon @ 4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.
MISSION CHURCHES BY APPOINTMENT

ADORATION - ICC

Thursday Evening @ 6:30 p.m.
Friday Morning @ 10:30 a.m.
Friday Evening @ 7:00 p.m.

ROSARY IN SPANISH – ICC

Wednesday evenings @ 7:00 p.m.

VESPERS

ICC - Every Saturday after the 5:00 p.m. Mass

SAINT WILLIAM

Every 1st Friday Eucharistic Adoration
1:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m.

MONTHLY DEVOTION CORNER

Please visit our monthly devotion corner. If you have something that you would like to include, please see Ruella Ricaza

GRACE SCHOLARS

Register now for your 2022 Georgia state tax credit that benefits Catholic education. GRACE Scholars provides scholarships to children from families with financial need in grades PreK-12 for use at participating schools located in the State of Georgia.

You will receive a 100% state of Georgia tax credit for your donation. This gift helps deserving students in Georgia receive an excellent Catholic education at no cost to you! Visit gracescholars.org for more details!

All Saints Day (Monday, November 1) **All Soul's Day (Tuesday, November 2)**

Mass will be celebrated
twice on both days at ICC.
8:30 a.m. daily mass
6:30 p.m. bilingual mass

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

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 one.

Today's flowers are in memory of the 62.5 million babies lost through abortion.

YOUR PARISH LIFE CENTER

Since 2016 this Parish has been reciting the "Prayer for Our Parish Center" as part of each mass. We hope that very soon, those prayers will become a reality.

In 2010, Immaculate Conception built this 12,000 square foot church at a cost of \$2.4 million. The mortgage on this building was paid off in 2018 and during that time and on-going, parishioners and groups, including the Knights of Columbus, have been able to raise \$675,000 toward the building of a Parish Life Center.

Design of the 8000 square foot facility has been approved by Bishop Parkes and the detailed plans have been submitted to the contractor for pricing. Our new building is estimated to cost \$2.2million.

The Diocese requires that we have half the anticipated cost (\$1.1million) in savings before construction can begin. We are approximately \$425,000 short of that goal. The Parish Building Committee is continuing to design a capital campaign to meet that goal so we can begin construction on the grounds which has been blessed by Archbishop Hartmayer and Bishop Parkes.

We ask that you pray for the successful completion of this Parish Life Center and to also continue to contribute to the Building Fund as we work together for the future.

November is for the Faithful Departed (Souls In Purgatory)

November is the month dedicated to the Holy Souls in Purgatory. The Church commemorates all her faithful children who have departed from this life, but have not yet attained the joys of heaven. St. Paul warns us that we must not be ignorant concerning the dead, nor sorrowful, "even as others who have no hope ... For the Lord Himself shall come down from heaven ... and the dead who are in Christ shall rise.

The Church has always taught us to pray for those who have gone into eternity. Even in the Old Testament prayers and alms were offered for the souls of the dead by those who thought "well and religiously concerning the resurrection." It was believed that "they who had fallen asleep with godliness had great grace laid up for them" and that "it is therefore a holy and wholesome thought to pray for the dead, that they may be loosed from

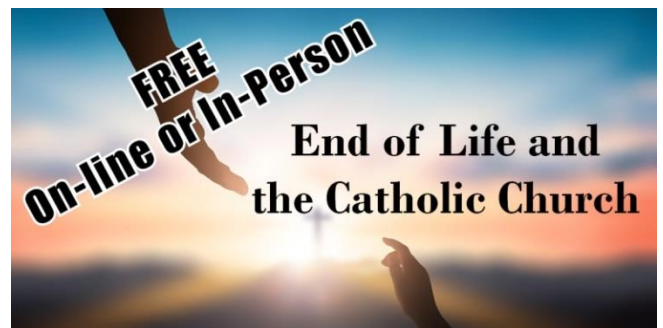
sins." We know that a defiled soul cannot enter into heaven.

Excerpted from *Liturgical Meditations*, The Sisters of St. Dominic. ~www.catholicculture.org



***Merciful Father,
hear our prayers and console us.
As we renew our faith in Your Son,
whom You raised from the dead,
strengthen our hope that all our departed
brothers and sisters
will share in His resurrection,
who lives and reigns with You and the Holy
Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever. Amen***

***Eternal Rest grant unto them, O Lord,
and let perpetual light shine upon them.
May they rest in peace.***



Speaker:

Dr. Kathleen Benton, President & CEO
for a local hospice and palliative care
organization.

November 21, 2021

3:00 pm

**Catholic Pastoral Center
2170 East Victory Drive, Savannah**

Pre-registration for online & in-person attendance required.

Register by 11/15 by contacting Jayne Stefanic.

jstefanic@diosav.org | 912.201.4068

Office of Marriage, Family and Respect Life | DIOCESE OF SAVANNAH

A plenary indulgence is granted to Catholics who visit a cemetery to pray for the dead on any day in November.

This year, the Vatican has decided once again to grant a plenary indulgence to Catholics who visit a cemetery to pray for the dead on any day in the month of November.

In a typical year, the Church only grants this plenary indulgence for the souls in Purgatory to those who pray in a cemetery on Nov. 1-8, the week of the Solemnity of All Souls' Day.

This includes the particular Nov. 2 plenary indulgence one can receive for one's own soul by visiting a church or an oratory and reciting an [Our Father](#) and the [Creed](#), which can now also be done on any day in November.

A [plenary indulgence](#) remits all temporal punishment due to sin. It must always be accompanied by a full detachment from sin.

A Catholic who wishes to obtain a plenary indulgence must also fulfill the ordinary conditions of an indulgence, which are sacramental confession, reception of the Eucharist, and prayer for the pope's intentions.

Sacramental confession and reception of the Eucharist can occur up to about 20 days before or after the indulgenced act.

With the decree for pandemic conditions, those who cannot leave home, such as the sick and the elderly, can still obtain an indulgence by reciting prayers for the deceased before an image of Jesus or the Virgin Mary.

They must also spiritually unite themselves to other Catholics, be completely detached from sin, and have the intention of fulfilling the ordinary conditions as soon as possible.

The Vatican's decree offered examples of prayers that homebound Catholics can pray for the dead, including lauds or vespers of the [Office for the Dead](#), the rosary, the [Chaplet of the Divine Mercy](#), other prayers for deceased among their family or friends, or performing a work of mercy by offering their pain and discomfort to God.

~ Courtney Mares/CNA

Direction links from each church to the Civitan Fairgrounds.

Immaculate Conception

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St. Mark

<https://goo.gl/maps/CBKL1hTJefbarct28>

St. William

<https://goo.gl/maps/8BMemy3xigZFshLw6>

Holy Redeemer

<https://goo.gl/maps/WbhPyRzqfcDb8j8>



Join Christians praying for the end to abortion and for the outcome of Dobbs v. Jackson Women's Health Organization.

Online Event

Thursday, November 18 at 8 PM (EST)

Register: prayfordobbs.com

A Time for Healing

Pat & Carol Thigpen, Daniel Myler, Joseph Dejunco, Roy Kirkland, Rusty Whitehead, June Fillion, Janet O'Brien, Pam & Gerald Beard, Mary McEnrue, Barbara Kennedy, Jean Graham, Katlyn Johnston, Ron Story (Rhonda Sweat's husband) John Sweat, Julie Brooks, Willis Harris, Joe Tufano, Luz Natal, Marge Plummer, Michael Jones, Adam Tews, Mark Taylor, Glenna Kipp

For Those Who Are Serving Our Country

Maj. Robert H. Gregory, Jr., Lance Cpl. Luis Guerrero, Salvarado & Alice Upshaw, Johnny & Anna Sweat, Lloyd Bane, Brian & Poua Sweat, Matthew Ueltzen, John Scott Adams, Zane Brown, Michael & Jose Reyes Palaypaylon, Jennifer Brooks Caputo, Patrick & Rebecca Lyons, Oren Ackerson, Martin Wilkins, John Lynn, Alex Brooks, 2nd class airman Taylor Thigpen

For Those Who Have Died

Dr. Manny Vega, Ginger Fehringer, Robert Lopez, Carol Anderson, Lia Oglesby, Ralph Hughes, Margaret Fahey, Ed Morris, Oscar Prada, Steve Moore, Ruth Ann Brost, Dominica Mecca Gibbs, Herbert Sapp (Julie Brook's father)