



**Immaculate Conception Catholic Church**

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**St. Joseph Catholic Church**

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**ACTIVITIES CALENDAR**

**MONDAY—AUGUST 28**

*Saint Augustine, Bishop and Doctor of the Church*

7:30 a.m. Rosary - Merville

**TUESDAY—AUGUST 29**

*The Passion of Saint John the Baptist*

7:30 a.m. Rosary - Merville

8:00 a.m. NO Eucharist - Merville

**WEDNESDAY—AUGUST 30**

*Twenty-First Wednesday in Ordinary Time*

7:30 a.m. Rosary - Merville

8:00 a.m. NO Eucharist - Anthon

7:30 p.m. WFCC Catechist Meeting - Merville

**THURSDAY—AUGUST 31**

*Twenty-First Thursday in Ordinary Time*

7:30 a.m. Rosary - Merville

8:00 a.m. NO Eucharist - Kingsley

**FRIDAY—SEPTEMBER 1**

*Twenty-First Friday in Ordinary Time*

7:30 a.m. Rosary - Merville

**SATURDAY—SEPTEMBER 2**

*Twenty-First Saturday in Ordinary Time*

4:30-4:45 p.m. Reconciliation - Anthon

5:00 p.m. Eucharist [Arlene Wright+] - Anthon

**SUNDAY—SEPTEMBER 3**

*Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time*

7:30-7:45 a.m. Reconciliation - Merville

8:00 a.m. Eucharist [Living/Deceased Members] - Merville

9:00 a.m. Coffee/Juice/Rolls (Guild) - Merville

9:30-9:45 a.m. Reconciliation - Kingsley

10:00 a.m. Eucharist [People of WFCC] - Kingsley

Please visit the WFCC website to find more information about both parishes, to read and/or download this weekly bulletin, to read the latest news, and to learn more about our faith.

**<http://www.westforkcatholiccommunity.org>**

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**27 August 2017**

**Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**DIOCESAN YOUTH RALLY** Sunday, September 24 Diocesan Youth Rally in Spencer. All middle and high school students are eligible to attend. September 13 is the deadline to register for the Diocesan Youth Rally.

**DINNERS/BREAKFASTS:**

- **St. Joseph-Salix Annual Chicken Dinner and Raffle** serving broasted chicken, mashed potatoes and gravy, stuffing, corn, salad, and desserts. Sunday, September 24, 11:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. Adult: \$10.00 and Children (4-10): \$5.00.

**BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS** if you are wishing to put an announcement in the bulletin please email [icmerville@wiatel.net](mailto:icmerville@wiatel.net) by 5:00 p.m. on the Thursday before the weekend.

**ACH GIVING NOW AVAILABLE!** For all of our Parishioners at West Fork Catholic Community is now offering an alternative to writing a weekly or monthly check. Join our Automated Giving Program and have your financial stewardship offering transferred directly to the parish account. Call the parish office for more information.

**AMAZONSMILE** - Support Immaculate Conception, St. Joseph or St. Michael when you shop at <http://smile.amazon.com>. Amazon donates a percentage of the sale to the church of your choice. Visit the cluster website under About\Support our Mission page for an easy link.

**TRINITY HEIGHTS/QUEEN OF PEACE:**

- Please join us to commemorate the National Day of Remembrance for Aborted Children. Plan to attend a solemn memorial service Saturday, September 9 at 11:00 a.m. at the Circle of Life located at **Trinity Heights Queen of Peace** 33<sup>rd</sup> and Floyd Blvd. Let's honor the victims of abortion and show the world human life is sacred.
- Unique opportunities to serve the Lord as a volunteer at Trinity Heights/Queen of Peace at the St. Josephs Center are available now. We are open 7 days a week and are in need of your time and talent. Please call Margie Lancaster at 712-239-9158. Thank you! God will reward you!

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**WHAT'S HAPPENING  
IN OUR PARISH**

**PRAY ESPECIALLY FOR:**

**Marcia L. Moore**, sister to Mike (Shelly) Byers, who passed away August 17.

*Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her. May her soul and all the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.*

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**MASS OFFERINGS AND SANCTUARY LIGHTS** for West Fork Catholic Community Parishes will be scheduled and taken care of at the Movable Parish Office. If you have questions please contact the parish office at 712-873-3644.

**BAPTISM** is to be arranged with the pastor in order to prepare for the child's baptism after completion of Baptism Class held quarterly (March, June, September, December).

**MARRIAGE** preparation is to begin 6-12 months before the wedding day. Please contact the pastor so that all preparations can be completed in time for the wedding and marriage.  
**Remember, a wedding is just a day, a marriage is a LIFETIME!**

**PERSONS WISHING TO JOIN THE CATHOLIC CHURCH**, whether baptized in another faith or unbaptized and over the age of seven [7], should contact the pastor to begin the process known as RCIA at anytime of the year.

**THOSE DISCERNING GOD'S CALL** to be a priest, deacon, sister, or brother, may speak with the pastor or call the Diocesan Vocation office at 712-255-7933.

**WEST FORK CATHOLIC COMMUNITY RENTAL POLICY:** Persons wishing to rent out either parish hall for non-parish functions (i.e. meetings, showers, dinners, etc.), need to call the parish office to check on availability and make arrangements. Signing a Hall Rental Agreement and fees are due before using the hall.

## St. Michael Church - Kingsley (Est. 1888)

### INCOME/EXPENSES LAST WEEK

Adult Envelopes .....	\$1,051.00 (27 Envelopes)
Youth Envelopes* .....	\$34.00 ( 9 Envelopes)
Loose .....	\$203.00
Candles .....	\$27.00
<b>Total Income .....</b>	<b>\$1,315.00</b>
Needed Each Week.....	\$3,208.31
<b>Total Expenses .....</b>	<b>\$2,231.94</b>
*Time/Talent quotes from youth envelopes: none	

**SMC SANCTUARY LIGHT [AUGUST 27-SEPTEMBER 2] burns for the People of WFCC.**  
Weeks available until January 2018.

### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR 2016-2017

		Jul '16 - Jun 17
<b>Income</b>		
<b>PARISH INCOME</b>		125,165.16
<b>INVESTMENT INCOME</b>		6,162.71
<b>ENTERTAINMENT &amp; FESTIVALS</b>		7,150.00
<b>"SAVE OUR WINDOWS" DONATIONS</b>		136,143.54
<b>ESTATES &amp; BEQUESTS</b>		375.00
<b>OTHER INCOME</b>		8,626.90
<b>Total Income</b>		283,623.31
<b>Expense</b>		
<b>SALARIES AND WAGES</b>		60,755.71
<b>ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES</b>		16,935.99
<b>EDUCATIONAL/MINISTRY EXPENSES</b>		3,467.39
<b>BUILDING AND GROUNDS</b>		24,585.49
<b>OTHER ADMIN EXPENSES</b>		0.00
<b>ASSESSMENTS</b>		12,261.60
<b>ENTERTAINMENT &amp; FESTIVALS EXP</b>		7,057.57
<b>OTHER EXPENSES</b>		5,267.96
<b>Total Expense</b>		130,331.71
<b>Net Income</b>		<b>153,291.60</b>

### FROM THE DESK OF BARB SITZMANN, DRE:

- Wednesday, August 30<sup>th</sup> 7:30 pm **IN MOVILLE**, Faith Formation teachers and aide meeting to go over information for the coming school year.
- **I AM STILL IN NEED OF TEACHER AIDES FOR THIS COMING FAITH FORMATION YEAR.** I am looking for middle school and high school aides for the afternoon classes. Please consider doing this as a service to the youth of our parish.
- Wednesday, September 6<sup>th</sup>- First Faith Formation classes 4 pm and 7pm. Confirmation candidate sponsor forms are due.
- The weekend of September 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> at all Masses- Catechetical Sunday. All teachers and aides are recognized for their service!
- Wednesday September 13<sup>th</sup>- deadline to register for Diocesan youth rally.
- Wednesday September 20<sup>th</sup> 7pm **IN MOVILLE**- First Reconciliation Parent meeting. **THIS IS A MANDATORY MEETING FOR ALL PARENTS OF 2<sup>ND</sup> GRADERS.**
- Sunday, September 24<sup>th</sup>- Diocesan Youth Rally in Spencer. All middle school and high school students are eligible to attend.
- Wednesday, September 27<sup>th</sup> 4 pm Server training for all current 4<sup>th</sup> graders and any other students that need a refresher.
- Wednesday, October 4<sup>th</sup> 7 pm Church hall- **MANDATORY MEETING FOR CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES, THEIR PARENTS AND THEIR SPONSORS.**
- Sunday, October 8<sup>th</sup>- Basic Catechist Certification Classes #1 and #2. If you are a catechist that has not attended these classes yet, please let me know and plan to attend!
- Sunday, October 8<sup>th</sup> 6:30-8:30 pm IC Church in Movable- Virtus training with Fr. Brad for any catechists, aides and anyone else that might be interested! Please contact me for further info!
- November 16<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup> NCYC 2017
- Contact info: St. Michael FF Center 378-2021, Barb's cell 712-251-8567, home phone 378-2052, work phone 378-2861. Emails- FF [stmikedre@gmail.com](mailto:stmikedre@gmail.com), home [barbsitzmann@yahoo.com](mailto:barbsitzmann@yahoo.com), work [bsitzmann@k-pcsd.org](mailto:bsitzmann@k-pcsd.org).

### BUDGET REPORT 2017-2018

<b>Income needed by 30 June 2017:</b>	\$166,832.14
<b>Income needed each week:</b>	\$3,208.31
<b>Income received since 1 July 2016:</b>	\$13,171.69

8/25/2017

## St. Joseph Church - Anthon

### INCOME/EXPENSES LAST WEEK

Adult Envelopes .....	\$596.00
Loose .....	\$44.00
Candles .....	\$43.00
Cemetery Income .....	\$10.41
<b>Total Income .....</b>	<b>\$693.41</b>

### BUDGET REPORT 2017-2018

Income needed by 30 June 2017:	\$NA
Income needed each week:	\$NA
Income received since 1 July 2016:	\$9,634.41

### ST. JOSEPH'S CHICKEN DINNER:

- A planning meeting for our chicken dinner will be on Thursday, 9/7, at 6:30 p.m. in the church basement. We appreciate all who are able to come help us plan for our dinner.
- will be Sunday, October 8th, from 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. More details will come later. Please mark your calendar ~ everyone is invited to attend!

**COFFEE/MUFFINS** St. Joseph's will be having coffee and muffins every third Wednesday after Mass. Everyone is invited!

**SJC SANCTUARY LIGHT [AUGUST 27-SEPTEMBER 2]** burns for the *People of WFCC*.  
**Weeks available until January 2018.**

## Immaculate Conception Church - Merville (Est. 1892)

### INCOME/EXPENSES LAST WEEK

Adult Envelopes .....	\$2,188.00 (43 Envelopes)
Youth Envelopes* .....	\$2.30 ( 4 Envelopes)
Loose .....	\$352.08
Retired Priest/Sister .....	\$60.00 ( 1 Envelope)
<b>Total Income .....</b>	<b>\$2,602.38</b>
Needed Each Week.....	\$3,348.17
<b>Total Parish Expenses.....</b>	<b>\$6,292.02</b>

\*Time/Talent quotes from youth envelopes: "Helped Dad w/ shed", "cleaned my room"

### BUDGET REPORT 2017-2018

Income needed by 30 June 2017:	\$174,104.71
Income needed each week:	\$3,348.17
Income received since 1 July 2016:	\$17,512.78

**ICC SANCTUARY LIGHT [AUGUST 27-SEPTEMBER 2]** burns for the *People of WFCC*.

**Weeks available until December 17, 2017.**

### FROM THE DESK OF ANGIE DUFFY, DFF:

- YOUTH, are you interested in being a Faith Formation aide? If so please contact Angie or Alicia at the Parish Office, 873-3644.
- Wednesday, August 30 at 7:30 p.m. in Merville there will be a **Catechist and aides** meeting to go over information for the coming year.
- **September 6** Faith Formation Registration and Open House at 6:30 p.m. with parent meeting at 7:00 p.m.
- **September 13** First night of Faith Formation class for PK-8 and CICC.
- **Weekend of September 16-17** is Catechetical Sunday, all catechists and aids will be recognized for their service, so please consider attending one of our parish Masses.
- **ALL 2<sup>ND</sup> GRADE PARENTS** Wednesday, September 20 at 7:00 p.m. at IC Merville will be First Reconciliation Parent meeting. This is a **mandatory** meeting for all 2<sup>nd</sup> grade Faith Formation Parents.

### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR 2016-2017

		Jul '16 - Jun 17
<b>Income</b>		
	PARISH INCOME	122,346.47
	INVESTMENT INCOME	20,888.53
	ENTERTAINMENT & FESTIVALS	36,219.80
	CONTRIBUTIONS & DONATIONS	1,092.50
	ESTATES & BEQUESTS	1,295.00
	OTHER INCOME	2,947.55
<b>Total Income</b>		<b>184,789.85</b>
<b>Expense</b>		
	SALARIES AND WAGES	67,560.63
	ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES	21,297.43
	EDUCATIONAL/MINISTRY EXPENSES	7,296.48
	BUILDING AND GROUNDS	25,048.85
	OTHER ADMIN EXPENSES	773.22
	ASSESSMENTS	6,735.00
	ENTERTAINMENT & FESTIVALS EXP	18,821.28
	OTHER EXPENSES	3,971.00
<b>Total Expense</b>		<b>151,503.89</b>

### FAIR STAND

	2016	2017
<b>Income</b>		
Tuesday	\$810.76	\$794.75
Wednesday	\$3,918.77	\$3,924.30
Thursday	\$5,674.50	\$5,981.45
Friday	\$6,319.25	\$6,788.25
Saturday	\$5,392.75	\$4,891.60
Sunday	\$5,383.61	\$5,069.20
Miscellaneous Income		
Pie Income	\$290.00	\$190.00
Worker Income	\$1,011.39	\$837.80
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>\$28,801.03</b>	<b>\$28,477.35</b>
<b>Expenses</b>		
Worker Expense	\$623.53	\$857.40
Pie Expense	\$0.00	\$0.00
Other Expenses	\$12,235.03	\$12,068.66
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$12,858.56</b>	<b>\$12,926.06</b>
<b>Total Net Income</b>	<b>\$15,942.47</b>	<b>\$15,551.29</b>



**MINISTERS' ASSIGNMENTS**

**St. Joseph-Anthon**

**SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 2 5:00 P.M.**

**Altar Servers:** Weston Beeson, Hunter Dixon  
**Reader(s):** Donna Cunningham  
**Organist:** Kathy Clarkson  
**Guitarist:** Jim Rusch  
**Gifts:** Eric O'Connell Family  
**Communion:** Skip Welte, Randy Boyer, Charlene Boyer

**St. Michael-Kingsley**

**SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 3 10:00 A.M.**

**Altar Servers:** Zach Korynta, Tanner Korynta, Katie Martensen  
**Reader(s):** Trent Lammers, Laura Korynta  
**Cantor:** Angie Haggin  
**Organist:** Jolene Spooner  
**Gifts:** Amy Benson Family  
**Communion:** Karen Malm, Marie McClure, Janice Meister  
**KNH:** Karen Malm  
**Greeters:** Sonya Hamman, Marie Benedix  
**Ushers:** Randy Plendl, Perry Slota  
**Collection Counters:** Barb Crabb, Becky Sitzmann

**Immaculate Conception-Moville**

**SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 3 8:00 A.M.**

**Altar Servers:** Anthony Baird, Ben Havlicek, Brand Beaver  
**Reader(s):** Cindy Hesse  
**Cantor:** Kristen Hoelker  
**Organist:** Laura Krajicek  
**Gifts:** Crystal Brockhaus Family  
**Communion:** Chuck Hoelker, Chris Hoelker, Mary Schultz  
**CharMac:** Kay Sands  
**Ushers:** Doug Glackin, Sean Glackin  
**Collection Counters:** Matthew Putze, Julia Brockhaus

**PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:** Clarice Bainbridge, Leonard Beaver, Juanita Beaubien, Jim Berens, Tom/Donna Clark, Hilda Dragoo, Pauline Dugan, Kara Funk, Charlotte Honkomp, Virginia & Walt Kabisch, Millie Kisting, Harold Kloewer, Max McConnell, Patricia McConnell, Stanley Nilles, Beverly Petekavich, Patricia Rogers, Jim Roger, Judy Schroeder, Sylvesta Slota, Harlan/Fairy Steffe, Marcella Thomas, Jeune Vondrak, Gerry Weinriech, Emmet Woltman, and the men and women serving in the military and police.

**WEST FORK CATHOLIC COMMUNITY INFORMATION**

**ADMINISTRATOR/PASTOR:** Msgr. Mark Duchaine 712-873-3644  
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**Director of Faith Formation:** Angie Duffy **cell:** 712-560-2593  
**Custodian-Church & Rectory:** Consetia Carley  
**Maintenance:** Bob Weatherly

**ST. JOSEPH CHURCH HALL:** 712-373-5696  
**Administrative Assistant/Bookkeeper:** Charlene Boyer  
**Email:** ckboyer@q.com

**ST. MICHAEL CHURCH HALL:** 712-378-2722  
**FAITH FORMATION CENTER:** 712-378-2021  
**Director of Faith Formation:** Barbara Sitzmann **cell:** 712-251-8567  
**Email:** stmikedre@gmail.com  
**Custodian-Church:** Jan Meister / **Assistant Custodian-Church:** Jolene Spooner / **Custodian-FF Center:** Sonya Hamman  
**Groundskeeper:** TBD

**WFCC [MOVILLE] OFFICE HOURS:**  
**Mon.—Fri.** 8:30 a.m.-noon, 12:30-4:30 p.m.  
Other times by appointment

**EUCCHARIST:**  
**Saturday:** 5:00 p.m.-Anthon  
**Sunday:** 8:00 a.m.-Moville, 10:00 a.m.-Kingsley  
**Tuesday:** 8:00 a.m.-Moville  
**Wednesday:** 8:00 a.m.-Anthon  
**Thursday:** 8:00 a.m.-Kingsley

**ROSARY:**  
Monday-Friday: 7:30 a.m.—Moville

**IMPORTANT DATES**

- September 4: OFFICES CLOSED
- September 5, 7:00 p.m.: ICC Guild Meeting [M]
- September 6, 4:00-7:00 p.m.: SMC Faith Formation Registration [K]
- September 6, 4:00/7:00 p.m.: SMC Faith Formation Classes Start [K]
- September 6, 6:00 p.m.: Catholic Daughters of America Potluck/ Meeting [A]
- September 6, 6:30-7:45 p.m.: SJC Faith Formation Classes Start [A]
- September 6, 6:30-8:00 p.m.: ICC Faith Formation Open House [M]
- September 10, 9:00 a.m.: Coffee/Juice/Rolls (KC8232) [M]
- September 12, 6:30 p.m.: KC8232 Steak Fry/Meeting [M]
- September 13, 7:00 p.m.: SMC Guild Meeting [K]
- September 14, 7:00 p.m.: WFCC Baptism Class [M]
- September 15, 10:00 a.m.: Eucharist [Correctionville Specialty Care]
- September 16/17: Catechetical Sunday
- September 17, 9:00 a.m.: Coffee/Juice/Rolls (Guild) [M]
- September 20, 7:00 p.m.: WFCC First Reconciliation Parent Meeting [M]
- September 22, 10:00 a.m.: Eucharist [KNH]
- September 24: Diocesan Youth Conference [Spencer]
- September 24, 9:00 a.m.: Coffee/Juice/Rolls (KC8232) [M]
- September 27, 7:00 p.m.: Guest Speaker (Kevin Poss) [M]
- September 29, 11:00 a.m.: Eucharist [CharMac]
- October 1, 9:00 a.m.: Coffee/Juice/Rolls (Guild) [M]
- October 4, 6:00 p.m.: Catholic Daughters of America Meeting [A]
- October 4, 7:00 p.m.: SMC Confirmation Parent Meeting [K]