

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

MAY 8, 2011



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SUNDAY MASS — 10:00 A.M.

HOLY DAYS: CONSULT BULLETIN — CALL OFFICE

SACRAMENTS OF RECONCILIATION — BY APPOINTMENT

SACRAMENTS OF MARRIAGE: PRE-CANA IS A DIOCESAN REQUIREMENT. ARRANGEMENTS SHOULD BE MADE AT LEAST SIX (6) MONTHS IN ADVANCE.

BAPTISM: PLEASE CALL FR. PAUL AT THE CHURCH OFFICE TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS.

NEW MEMBERS OF THE PARISH COMMUNITY ARE MOST WELCOME. REGISTRATION CARDS ARE AVAILABLE AT THE CHURCH OFFICE.

MASS INTENTION



MOTHER'S DAY— MAY 8, 2011

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION/ST. BRIDGET'S CHURCH

10:00 AM — FOR ALL MOTHERS LIVING & DECEASED (R.I.P.)

SUNDAY, MAY 8, 2011

Acts 2:14, 22-33 (pg. 23/Missalette)
1 Peter 1:17-21 (pg. 24-25/Missalette)
Luke 24:32 (pg. 25-26/Missalette)

SUNDAY, MAY 15, 2011

Acts 2:14a, 36-41 (pg. 26/Missalette)
2 Peter 20b-25 (pg. 27/Missalette)
John 10:1-10 (pg. 25-26/Missalette)

SUNDAY, MAY 1, 2011

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION/ST. BRIDGET'S CHURCH

OFFERING: \$3,112 ATTENDANCE: 107

STEWARDSHIP

"Give to the Most High as he has given to you, generously, according to your means. For the Lord is one who always repays and he will give back to you sevenfold" (Sirach 35:9-10)



Immaculate Conception/St. Bridget's Church

Please pray for the sick of the parish and for family and friends of parishioners: Anthony Frank Key Sr., Greg Bartus, Oliver Harper, Pat Nguti, Claire Mooza, Sarah Gordon, Chris Brass, Mary Ann Coley, Ludie Smith, Clint Strickland, Marilyn Bellamy, Alice Walters, Jané Cooper, Tréshon Alexander and Norma Thom.

MINISTRY SCHEDULES

SUNDAY, MAY 8, 2011

ALTAR SERVERS

ANGIE SCOTT — MARIANGELIE PERALES

READERS

READER I — KATHRYN CASTLE

READER II — LISA TIBERIO

MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

MARCIA FUGATE — WALTER DeROUEN

USHERS

LEE WINGO — JULIAN BELL

TIM SULLIVAN — JOE CATALLI

SUNDAY, MAY 15, 2011

ALTAR SERVERS

KAILA KNIGHT — KELVIN KNIGHT

READERS

READER I — THELMA UTER

READER II — PHYLLIS BARNES

MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

JACKIE BRYANT — CLARA BRAY

USHERS

WAYNE UTER — MICHAEL NWOKELO

LEONARD WOODS — GEORGE FONTENETTE

ALTAR & SACRISTY DUTIES

FIRST SUNDAY — DENISE McGOWAN..... SECOND SUNDAY — CLARA BRAY

THIRD SUNDAY — DENISE McGOWAN FOURTH SUNDAY — CLARA BRAY

FIFTH SUNDAY — DENISE McGOWAN/CLARA BRAY
(Alternate on 5th Sundays)

STEWARDSHIP PRAYER

O Lord our God, in Your goodness You called us into being and You blessed us with many gifts. Indeed, You made us stewards of Your creation. Teach me to be generous as You have been generous with me. Teach me that all that I am and have are gifts from You, and that these gifts are meant to be shared. I offer my gifts of time, talent and treasure to You as a true act of faith, to reflect my love for You and my neighbor. We thank You for the trust You place in us as stewards of our personal gifts. May the Holy Spirit guide us in placing our time, talent and treasure at the service of each other so that together we may faithfully witness to the Christian message and thus become Your holy people, through Christ our Lord. Amen.

CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL

As of April 28th here is the progress of the Catholic Ministries Appeal for Immaculate Conception & St. Bridget's Church. Immaculate: 25 donations resulting in pledges of \$5,255 against a goal of \$5,598 (93.87% of goal). Actual Paid To Date — is \$4,910. St. Bridget's: 8 donations resulting in pledges of \$501 against a goal of \$2,969 (16.87% of goal). Actual Paid To Date — is \$501.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to the following parishioners who received the following sacraments on April 23rd and May 1st. (Baptism, Confirmation, First Holy Communion and First Penance).

Tedisa Brown	Alex Cooper	Kyle Johnson
Kelvin Knight	Dorothy Kpor	Jayde Lucas
Justus Lucas	Arlice McGowan	Sophia McGregor
Christopher Parks	Angelica Scott	Ana Suro

KEEP IN PRAYER



Please keep Jané Cooper and her family in your prayers. Jané's mother died on April 27, 2011 at the age of 87. Please remember to pray for the soul of Jané's mother and for the solace of her family.

THANK YOU

The Family of Myrna Barthelemy would like to thank Immaculate/St Bridget's church for all of their prayers during this time of loss.



Happy Mother's Day!



Immaculate Conception/St. Bridget's

Pilgrimage to the Basilica of the National Shrine of Our Lady of Fatima, Lewiston, New York—Saturday, May 21 from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. **Deadline: TODAY - May 8, 2011.**

DONATIONS TO FEED THE POOR

We want to thank all of the religious education students, families, and parishioners who contributed change to the "Alms for the Poor" Collection during Lent. We collected \$81 in pennies, nickels, dimes, quarters and dollars. Every penny made a difference! This money will be donated to Immaculate Conception/St. Bridget's fund for supporting the St. Joseph's House ministry.

STEWARDSHIP DAY 2011

Stewardship Day 2011—Saturday, May 14, 2011 from 8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at St. Pius Tenth Church, 3010 Chili Ave., Chili. Cost is \$10 per person and includes a continental breakfast.



WEDDING JUBILEE MASS

Bishop Matthew Clark will celebrate a Wedding Jubilee Mass on Sunday May 15th at 2:00 p.m. at Sacred Heart Cathedral in Rochester. A reception will follow the Mass to honor the attendees.

DIOCESAN MISSION SUNDAY

What is missionary action? According to the Holy Father, Pope Benedict XVI, it consist in communicating the love of God to others. For over forty years, the Sisters of St. Joseph and the Sisters of Mercy have communicated that love to the people of Brazil and Chile. To this day, these women devote their entire lives in bringing the Gospel to others. They live side by side with people of other cultures to learn their language and customs, and bring the saving word and saving Body of Jesus. Without the dedication of these fine women, the Church in the Unites States would be unable to effectively to help bring Christ to the nations. Please be generous with your prayers and financial gift on Sunday, May 15 for this second collection.

SECOND COLLECTION

There will be a second collection for the Catholic Home Missions Appeal today.

Immaculate Conception/St. Bridget's Church

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AND PLEASE COME AGAIN.