

Diocese of Allentown

# The Immaculate Conception Parish

Churches of  
Immaculate Conception & St. Joseph  
Jim Thorpe, PA 18229

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Tues. & Thurs. 12:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.  
*St. Joseph Church side entrance is open  
daily for private prayer*



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Closed Wednesday

Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator: Wendy S. Krisak, MA, NCC, LPC, Direct Phone: 800-791-9209;  
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The Diocese of Allentown provides assistance to anyone, who as a minor, was sexually abused by a priest, deacon, or employee / volunteer of the Diocese / Parish. Parents, guardians, children, and survivors of sexual abuse are invited and encouraged to contact the Diocese of Allentown for more information about the program. The fullness of compassion should be extended to these victims by the Church.

If you have an allegation of abuse against a bishop, please contact the Catholic Bishop Abuse Reporting Service  
[www.ReportBishopAbuse.org](http://www.ReportBishopAbuse.org) or by calling 800-276-1562.

*May 15, 2022 ~ Fifth Sunday of Easter*

# Fifth Sunday of Easter

"Behold, God's dwelling is with the human race." ~ Revelation 21:3



Special Prayer Intentions- these are the people for whom we will be praying at Mass:

**Sat. May 14**

4:30 pm (ICC)

**Rosemary Brown** (Llewellyn & Cadden Family) /  
**James & Catherine Creedon** (Family)

**Sun. May 15**

8:30 am (SJC)

**Deceased Members of the FYI Group** (FYI Group)

10:30 am (ICC)

**Al "Butch" Heaney** (Ken & Patty McArdle)

1:00 pm (SJC)

**All Living and Deceased Parishioners, Priests, & Sisters of the Parish**  
*St Joseph Church, 150<sup>th</sup> Jubilee Mass*

**Mon. May 16**

8:00 am (ICC)

**All Mothers, Living & Deceased**

**Tues. May 17**

8:00 am (SJC)

**Mary Love, 30<sup>th</sup> Anniv.** (Roush Family) / **Berbard Ockovic** (Tom Wildoner)

**Wed. May 18**

12 Noon-6 pm

*Exposition & Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament*

5:00-5:50 pm

*Sacrament of Reconciliation*

6:00 pm (ICC)

**All Our Parishioners, Living & Deceased**

**Thurs. May 19**

8:00 am (ICC)

**Richard Solt** (Bill & Nancy Mason) / **Bernadine Marczyk** (John Ligenza)

**Fri. May 20**

8:00 am (SJC)

**Gerald & Marjorie Haggerty, Sr.** (Children & Grandchildren) /  
**AnnaMae Kasten** (Sister)

**Sat. May 21**

9:00 am (SJC)

*Rosary for Life*

## Sixth Sunday of Easter

**Sat. May 21**

4:30 pm (ICC)

**Margaret Moss** (Sarah Moss) / **Michael Heaney, 47<sup>th</sup> Anniv.** (Mary Alice Kuhn)

**Sun. May 22**

8:30 am (SJC)

**George Marzen** (Lois Henritz)

10:30 am (ICC)

**C. Virginia Llewellyn** (Mary Mulligan & Bob Stevenson)



Lay Ministers May 21/22			
Ministry	Sat. 4:30pm ICC	Sun. 8:30 am SJC	Sun 10:30am ICC
Lector:	Laura McArdle	Vince Bokeko	Mary Figura
E.M.:	Ken McArdle, Caitlin McArdle	Al Fanelli, Pam Heydt, Gloria Kehrl	James Novak

### IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH CANDLES

BLESSED MOTHER CANDLE burns in Honor of *Fr. Ward on his 49<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Ordination* (From, ICC Choir)

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ST. PEREGRINE CANDLE burned last week for *prayers for a successful surgery for Barbara Miller*

Flowers on the Main Altar are in In Loving Memory of *Mary Love* (From, Roush Family)

### ST. JOSEPH CHURCH CANDLES

SANCTUARY: In Loving Memory of *Monsignor William Heinen* (Requested by The Bimler & Hydro Families)

THE PIETA: *Special Intention*

**PARISH STEWARDSHIP:** April 24: \$4,921.00

**Thank you** for your continued support & generosity.

### SAINT JOSEPH 150<sup>th</sup> JUBILEE

St. Joseph Jubilee Mass celebration will be held this Sunday, May 15<sup>th</sup> at 1pm.

**MASS CHANGE!** On Sat. May 28<sup>th</sup> the 4:30pm Mass will be held at St. Joseph Church, NOT Immaculate Conception. Masses will be held at their normal location on Sunday, May 29<sup>th</sup>, 8:30am at SJC and 10:30am at ICC.



**BANNS OF MARRIAGE** are being announced for the first time for *Devin Cecil & Rachel Oberman*.

**REST IN PEACE:** Kindly pray for the soul of **Richard Klepper**, who was called to his eternal reward. Please remember him and his loved ones, in your prayers. May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace.

*Congratulations To Our First Holy Communicants!*



Grace C., Cole H., Harper K., Michael M., Sebastian S., Brynn T., Andrew S., Chelsea H., Roman G., Stephany O., and Carter R.

May God bless them! Thank you to the Parish Women's Club for providing them with their beautiful Communion kits.

**ATTN. BAKERS:** We are having a Bake Sale and Hot Dogs available at our Garage Sale on **Saturday, May 28**. We are looking to our wonderful bakers of the parish to help us by baking your wonderful treats. They can be dropped off at the Brogan Room in advance or the day of the sale.



**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:** We are also looking for some extra hands to help us at the Bake Sale and Hot Dog table on **Saturday, May 28 from 9am to 1pm**. Please call the rectory at 570-325-3731 if you can give an hour or two. Your help is greatly needed and appreciated.



**REMEMBERING OUR LOVED ONES WHO SERVED:** Immaculate Conception will be honoring those who served for Memorial Day. If any parishioners have pictures of loved ones who served in the Armed Services you may drop them at the Rectory office or give them to Judy.

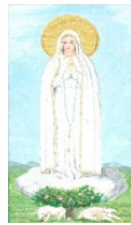
**1000 HAIL MARY'S:** Please join us on Friday, May 20 from 9am-4pm in St. Joseph Church. You do not need to stay all day, just come spend an hour or as long as you can. Lunch will be provided.

**MANY THANKS**

to those who have made a pledge to the **Because We**



**are Catholic Annual Appeal.** Making a six-month pledge to the Appeal allows you to maximize the amount that you may give by making monthly payments. For example, a \$120 gift to the Appeal may be setup with six \$20 installments. Remember, every gift counts, no matter how big or small. Your generosity funds the annual budget for important Diocesan ministries in our area. You can make your gift online at [becausewearecatholic.org](http://becausewearecatholic.org).



**PAINT AND SIP:** Our next Paint and Sip will be of Our Lady of Fatima and will be held **Saturday, May 21** from 9am-1pm with lunch in St. Joseph school cafeteria. To register and more info contact Nancy at 609-575-0599. Hope to see you there!

**MEN'S MISSION: YOU ARE MAKING A DIFFERENCE** with your donations!! All are invited to be part of our mission to help the children of Tanzania with food, uniforms, and the expansion to existing buildings. The collection cans will be at the doorways to church next weekend, May 20 & 21.

**Weekly Adoration Schedule**

ICC	Wednesday, May 18
12 - 1 PM	Barbara Rodgers / Rita & Dcn Jack Mroz
1 - 2 PM	Sarah Moss / Cecilia Ahner
2 - 3 PM	Louise Goldman / Anita Bott / Cecilia Ahner
3 - 4 PM	Louise Goldman / Anita Bott
4 - 5 PM	Pete & Maureen Gipprich / Cecilia Ahner
5 - 6 PM	Regina Rose / Marie Damian / Joan & Mike Suzadail / Mary Sauka

**WEEK AT A GLANCE**

Tues. 5/17: Flame of Love Rosary, 8:30 am  
 Wed. 5/18: Adoration, Noon-6pm; Divine Mercy Chaplet, 3pm; Confessions, 5pm @ ICC;  
 Thurs. 5/19: Choir rehearsal SJC, 7pm  
 Sat. 5/21: Paint & Sip, 9am- 1pm, school cafeteria

**SAINTS & SPECIAL OBSERVANCES**

Sun: Fifth Sunday of Easter  
 Wed: St. John I  
 Fri: St. Bernardine of Siena  
 Sat: St. Christopher Magallanes & Companions; Armed Forces Day