

# *The Catholic Communities of Cherokee and Holstein*

*September 29, 2019*



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Mass Schedule:

Saturday: Cherokee 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: Holstein 8:30 a.m.

Sunday: Cherokee 10:30 a.m.

Website: [cherokeecountycatholics.org](http://cherokeecountycatholics.org)



**Immaculate Conception Church**  
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712-225-4606

**SACRAMENT & PARISH INFORMATION**

**RECONCILIATION:** Before Mass and by appointment.

**BAPTISM:** Parents must attend Baptism Class. Register with Michelle Wilson at 712-229-0299.

**MARRIAGE:** Contact the parish office 9 months in advance.

**COMMUNION and ANOINTING OF THE SICK:** Please call your parish office or contact Fr. Mark.

**PARISH MEMBERSHIP:** Contact the parish office or go to [cherokeecountycatholics.org/parish-registration](http://cherokeecountycatholics.org/parish-registration).

**MASS INTENTIONS for the coming week:**

9/30	Mon.	8:00 a.m.	Wayne Stellish (OLGC)
10/1	Tues.	8:00 a.m.	John & Phyllis Jaminet (IC)
10/2	Wed.	8:00 a.m.	Floyd Reinert (OLGC)
10/3	Thur.	8:00 a.m.	James & Alice Schissel Family (IC)
10/4	Fri.	8:00 a.m.	Lillian Schleisman (OLGC)
10/5	Sat.	5:00 p.m.	Ted Unkrur (IC)
10/6	Sun.	8:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m.	OLGC/IC Parish Families (OLGC) Jack & June Perrin (IC)

**CRMC:** Mon. Gert Selk, Tues. Fran Briggs, Wed. Gert Selk, Thurs. Fr. Mark, Fri. Gert Selk, Sat. - Sun. Joyce Bechtel

**MASS MINISTERS**

**Sat., Oct. 5 – 5 p.m. Cherokee**

**Lector** – Cheryl Kaskey

**Cantor** – Laura Jones

**Holy Communion** – Fr. Sitzmann, Cheryl Kaskey,

Bill & Angie Anderson, Bob & Cindy Haselhoff

**Greeters/Gift Bearers** – Jared & Kayla Koch

**Servers** – Bob Craig, Dale Lunders

**Ushers** – Josh Lauck, Sydney Lauck, Joe Anderson

**Sun., Oct. 6 – 8:30 a.m. Holstein**

**Lectors** – Sarah Galvin, Paul Ahlers

**Cantor** – Joyce Galvin

**Sequencer** – Janna Friedmann w/Morgan Todd

**Holy Communion** – Jerry Cronin, Tom Galvin (1),

Carol Pauley, Melissa Friedrichsen (3), Mary Kay Todd

**Hospitality** – Dick Boyle Family

**Servers** – Kate Kofmehl, Jonathan Friedrichsen

**Sacristan** – Pat Cronin **Usher** – Dustin Winkel

**Counters** – Mary Kay Todd, Tom Kofmehl

**Rosary** – Amber Friedmann

**Sun., Oct. 6 – 10:30 a.m. Cherokee**

**Lector** – Mary Tuttle

**Cantor** – Mary Meyers, Abby Glassmaker,

Lana Busse, Deidra Doeden

**Holy Communion** – Julie Luken, John Schwarz,

Joyce Bechtel, Randy Husman, Peg Koch, Volunteer

**Greeters/Gift Bearers** – Jason & Sara Kohn

**Servers** – Whitney Johnson, Morgan Zanfes

**Ushers** – Alan Johnson, Jason Schleaf

**IC**

**Sept. 22**

**Weekly Total:** \$3,892.41 - Envelopes \$2,934, Children \$10.41, Loose \$174, Major Repair \$774. **DAA:** Goal \$1,803, Pledged \$5,320, Paid \$4,365, Progress to \$ Goal 12.73%, Pledge Cards Needed 453, Pledge Cards Returned 36, Progress to Pledge Card Goal 7.95%

**OLGC**

**Sept. 22**

**Total:** \$1,070 - Envelopes \$726, Loose \$169, Visitor \$150, Future \$25. Capital campaign goal: \$350,000.00, Pledges: \$433,562.00, Amount received: \$203,125. **DAA:** Goal \$9,056, Pledged \$1,270, Paid \$1,270, Progress to \$, Goal 14.02%, Pledge Cards Needed 105, Pledge Cards Returned 7, Progress to Pledge Card Goal 6.67%

**OF INTEREST TO BOTH PARISHES**

**FROM THE DESK OF THE PASTOR:**

Thank you to everyone who has returned your Our Diocesan Annual Appeal - TOGETHER AS ONE pledge card. We need everyone to return your pledge card with any pledge (\$0-\$5,000+) so we can reach of goal of 100% return of pledge cards and reach our monetary goals. You may give online, easily and safely, at [www.scdioocese.org](http://www.scdioocese.org) or by clicking on the TOGETHER AS ONE logo on the home page in the TOGETHER AS ONE box.

In early July we switched altar wines, from a store bought regular commercial variety which may not be valid to use at Mass to an altar wine for Sacramental Use, for as Bishop Nickless decreed on 1 July 2018: "It is recommended that wine to be used at Holy Mass is purchased only from an approved supplier that has obtained ecclesial approbation. Wine of doubtful authenticity or provenance is forbidden as is regular commercial wine. It is impossible to know the ingredients of most 'shelf' wines, since there is no law that regulates a complete label." (See the Documents box for the Policy for Proper Matter for Mass - 1 July 2018 at <https://cherokeecountycatholics.org/liturgy-sacraments>.)

Thus, we have some cases and bottles of Carlo Rossi Blush Table wine available for those interested. Contact the parish office if interested.

**Please remember your parish in your will....Your bequest is a testimony to your faith in our future.**

Fr. Mark

**PAUL, APOSTLE OF CHRIST** (rated PG-13) along with Eric Groth, executive producer of the movie and of ODB Films, is coming to Immaculate Conception Parish on Saturday and Sunday, November 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> for Parish Film and Reflection and for a RESTORED: STORIES OF ENCOUNTER youth rally on Sunday, November 3<sup>rd</sup>. Please mark your calendars for this must-attend event. Stay tuned for more information.

**The new parish directories** have arrived! Distribution is anticipated next weekend after all Masses. Stay tuned.

**RCIA/RCIC News:** This year's team (Fr. Mark, Michelle Wilson, Tom Wilson, and Carmen Henke) are excited to begin working with persons in our parishes who wish to join the Church and/or grow deeper in their faith. If you would like to assist, we have the following openings: Team Member (to assist us with the various events, sessions, rituals) and Sponsor (to commit to traveling along with a Catechumen [unbaptized person] or a Candidate [baptized person] who desires to join the Church). Please contact Fr. Mark for more information and/or to "apply."

**Altar Server Training** will be offered by Fr. Mark for all persons (boys, girls, men, and women) who have received their First Eucharist and are in the 5<sup>th</sup> grade and older (Holstein): Wed., October 2<sup>nd</sup>, 6:00 p.m. @ OLG. Current Altar Servers will have update training on Wed., October 2<sup>nd</sup>, 7:15 p.m. @ OLG and Wed., October 9<sup>th</sup>, 6:30 p.m. @ IC. The role of the Altar Servers is to reverently assist the priest and/or deacon during Sunday Mass and at special liturgies throughout the year.

**Persons Wishing To Join The Catholic Church**, whether baptized in another faith or unbaptized and over the age of seven (7), may contact the pastor at any time of the year to begin the process known as RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)/RCIC (Rite of Christian Initiation of Children). Preparation classes normally begin in September.

**Parish Website**, <https://cherokeecountycatholics.org/> continues to be updated, almost daily with new information including announcements about parish events (including funerals) and photos of parish activities including expansion work begin done at OLG in Holstein. Please check it out!

**Upcoming Memorial Mass for Babies:** Thursday, October 17<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 p.m. at the Cathedral of the Epiphany. This Mass will honor all children who died before Baptism. This event is free of charge. Go to <https://scdiocese.org/respect-life> to register.

#### IC PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Liturgical Music Coordinator** (part-time) has been hired! Charlotte Groves has been hired to fulfill the liturgical music duties Fr. Janice Hoffman, OSF, fulfilled for the last 34 years.

**Congratulations** to Brandon Earl Carlson and Melissa Kay Pottebaum who were united in the bonds of Holy Matrimony on September 28<sup>th</sup> at IC.

**CDA** October dinner meeting is Monday, October 21<sup>st</sup> at 5:30 p.m. in the church hall. Rosary followed by dinner and meeting. Dinner committee co-chairs are Cindy Haselhoff and Mary Baughman.

**Romans: The Gospel of Salvation Bible Study:** 3<sup>rd</sup> session is Sunday, September 29<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 covering Romans 3-4: Faith, Works and Justification. Next week is Romans 5-6: Entering into the Paschal Mystery.

**Life Chain:** Christians putting faith into action standing up for life from the womb to the tomb. IC will participate Sunday, October 6<sup>th</sup>, 2:00-3:00 p.m., standing in silent prayer in downtown Cherokee holding pro-life signs. We will gather first at the church at 1:30 for a rosary prior to our silent witness.

**Confirmation choir rehearsal:** For those high school students and adults from IC and OLG parishes who are interested in singing in the choir for Confirmation, rehearsals will be on Sept. 29<sup>th</sup>, Oct. 6<sup>th</sup>, and Oct. 13<sup>th</sup> 8:30 - 9:30 a.m. in the choir loft.

#### \* Religious Education \*

**Rekindle**, the diocesan youth rally, is coming up! This year it is open to youth in grades 7 and 8, as well as high school! Sunday, October 20<sup>th</sup>, at Carroll Kuemper High School. 10:45 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. National level speakers and break-out sessions, lunch and supper provided. Registrations at IC school due October 11<sup>th</sup>.

**10<sup>th</sup> grade Confirmation** students and sponsors Mass and retreat on October 13<sup>th</sup>. 10<sup>th</sup> grade Confirmation students meet in church on October 16<sup>th</sup> for rehearsal and Reconciliation. Confirmation is on Sunday, October 20<sup>th</sup> at the 10:30 Mass.

**Sponsors for 9<sup>th</sup> grade Confirmation** students meet in the church hall on Wednesday, October 23<sup>rd</sup> at 5:30. 9<sup>th</sup> grade students and sponsors then meet at 6:30 in the church hall.

#### ~ Happy Birthday ~

- Sept. 30** Marty Torrey
- Oct. 1** Dennis Holton, Gerald Kohn
- Oct. 2** Morgan Gravenish, Mattison Lugar, Pauline Unkrur
- Oct. 3** Christian Lundy, Elaine Stieneke
- Oct. 4** Mary Ann Hanson

#### OLGC PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Odebolt members** of Ida Area For Life will be sponsoring a Life Chain on Sunday, October 6<sup>th</sup> from 2-3 p.m. at the intersection of Hwy 175 and Hwy 39 in Odebolt (across from Cubby's). For more information contact Joan Godbersen or call 668-4474.

**The Sacrament Of Reconciliation** will be available Sundays 8 - 8:15 a.m. in the room to the left side of sanctuary during the construction of the new addition.

**Community Basket donations** for October: Soups and stews, crackers.

# Please Pray For Those Who Are Remembered Here...

<i>In Memory of...</i> Barbara Rupp	<i>In Memory of...</i> Jack G. Perrin and Nancy Johnson	<i>In Memory of...</i> Jerry & Steven Madsen	<i>In Memory of...</i> Stacy Goth, Adrian & Helen Goth and Margaret Healy
<i>In Memory of...</i> Del Ament and Jill Ament	<i>In Memory of...</i> Jim Schallau	<i>In Memory of...</i> Roger & Karen Immele and Sy Rodgers	<i>In Memory of...</i> Emil & Helen Mendt
<i>In Memory of...</i> Bud & Marjorie Brandt	<i>In Memory of...</i> Kay Chettinger	<i>In Memory of...</i> Walter & Irene Fuller	<i>In Memory of...</i> John Berigan
<i>In Memory of...</i> Owen & Eileen Hiniker	<i>In Memory of...</i> Dick & Darlene Hirschman	<i>In Memory of...</i> Dale & Ann Wright, Floyd Courtright and Mark Courtright	<i>In Memory of...</i> Nancy Wright, Justin & Corey Nicolaisen and Richard Wych
<i>In Memory of...</i> Tom Murphy	<i>In Memory of...</i> Romaine & Joanne Ryan	<i>In Memory of...</i> Jim Karhoff & Dan Karhoff	<i>In Memory of...</i> Lester & Mary Ann Bush, Mike Bush, Sharon Geary and Sandy Tuttle
<i>In Memory of...</i> Wayne & Rosemary Roepke	<i>In Memory of...</i> Max D. Martinsen	<i>In Memory of...</i> JoAnn Bartlett	<i>In Memory of...</i> Richard & Sally Henke
<i>In Memory of...</i> Joyce Perrin, Dan & Mike Perrin & Mike Gates	<i>In Memory of...</i> August "Gus" Erickson	<i>In Memory of...</i> Pat Bakker, Dale Bakker Jr. and Barb Timmins	<i>In Memory of...</i> Kenneth & Elva Johnson
<i>In Memory of...</i> Ralph, Herta and Sharon Rupp	<i>In Memory of...</i> Lori Sokolowski and Aaron Sokolowski		

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