



OFFICE HOURS:

IC: Mon. 9:30 to 5:30; Tues. 2:00 to 5:30; Wed. 9:30 to 5:30; Thur. 2:00 to 5:30; 1st & 3rd Fri. 9:30 to 1:30
2nd & 4th Fri. 9:30 to 5:30; 1st & 2nd Sunday 9:30 to 1:30 - SH: Tuesday & Thursday 9:30 to 1:00



The Presence is coming to Kalamazoo!

February 22-24, 2019:

The Presence is an encounter with Jesus in the Eucharist specifically for 9th – 12th grade high school youth that brings them to the merciful, and loving real presence of Christ. Cost for this year's retreat is \$90 per student. This year's event will take place at the Sherman Lake YMCA. Participants must attend as part of a group.

For info and registration go to www.presencetretreat.com or contact us at thepresencekalamazoo@gmail.com.

The Sisters are Coming!



La Presencia está llegando a Kalamazoo!

Febrero 22-24, 2019: La Presencia es un encuentro con Jesús en la Eucaristía específicamente para jóvenes de secundaria de 9º a 12º grado que los lleva a la presencia real de Cristo misericordiosa y amorosa. El costo para el retiro de este año es de \$ 90 por estudiante. El evento de este año se llevará a cabo en el Sherman Lake YMCA. Los participantes deben asistir como parte de un grupo.

Para registrarse y para mas informacion vaya a www.presencetretreat.com or contactese via Correo a: thepresencekalamazoo@gmail.com.



Reminder: So that we all may be fully present at Mass, please silence your cell phones. **Recordatorio:** Para que todos podamos estar totalmente presentes en la misa, por favor silencien sus teléfonos celulares.

Looking for an Occasional Volunteer Opportunity?

We at IC are in need of 3-4 offertory counters to join our team in 2019. You count money 1 or 2 times per month on a weekday for approximately 2 hours. If you want to learn more, please call Teresa at 269-621-4106.

Bishop Bradley will celebrate the 12:10 pm Mass at St. Augustine Cathedral on Tuesday, January 22 in observance of the **National Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children**. All are welcome.

Sacred Heart



Sacred Heart will be serving breakfast the **first Sunday of each month** before and after mass. We would be pleased to have Immaculate Conception parishioners join us. Donations will be accepted.



The third week of each month. We will also be making doughnuts to sell at both parishes.

" Yes the doughnuts are that good!"

When you read the Old Testament on its own terms, you really get a sense of God's love. But when you read it in light of the New Testament, you get a much deeper sense of how great that love is, and how much more the fulfillment of God's promises exceeds that of the Israelites expectations. A fulfillment to be sure, but one that surpasses the wildest dreams, hopes, and prayers of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob. —DR. SCOTT HAHN

It's really nice waking up in the morning realizing that God has given you another chance to live. Thank you God for waking me up! Amen

Diane Berry

Right to Life of VBC meet the first Monday of each month at Sacred Heart Parish from 7 pm to 8pm. All are welcome to attend.

Prayer Group Mondays 7 pm to 8:30 pm. Come join us. For prayer requests call Mary Chihan at 427-5030 or Lois Towne at 657-4583.

Men's Group meets Saturday at 7.30 am at Sacred Heart

Rel. Ed Sundays 8.45 to 10:05 at Sacred Heart

Boy Scouts Tuesdays 7PM

Christian Service 3rd Thursday of the month luncheon for Foster care area.

St Vincent DePaul Meetings: 3rd Sunday after mass

AAA Wednesdays 7:00 PM

Thrift Store downtown open 9:00AM to 4PM every Friday & Saturday 269-427-8350

Food Pantry Open every Thursday 1PM to 4PM.

50 plus Pot Luck 3rd Monday of each month at 12:00pm

Cenacle to Our Lady of Guadalupe 1st Saturday of every month at 9:00 a.m. in the church.



Prayer of the Rosary

"Following Our lady's request to pray the rosary for world peace. We want to invite you to **join us to pray the rosary after the daily mass.**



Sacred Heart Religious Ed.

Religious Education Classes are Sundays from 8:45 to 10:05 am. DRE- **Jerry Vorva:** 269-214-8858. We are looking forward to an exciting adventure in our faith.

Para recordar

- **Misa y Adoración Nocturna**
En español el 1er y el 3er viernes del mes, hombres y mujeres respectivamente, de 8 pm a 5 a.m.
- **Misa en español los martes**
a las 6:00PM
- **Adoración miércoles**
de 9:00 am a 7:00 pm
- **Misa Carismática en español**
2do viernes del mes 6.30 PM
- **Rezo del Santo Rosario**
En Ingles todos los sabados antes de la misa de las 4:00

Dates To remember

- **Mass & Nocturnal Adoration:**
In Spanish 1st and 3rd Friday of the month -men and women respectively from 8 pm to 5 am
- **Tuesdays Spanish Mass**
at 6:00 PM
- **Wednesdays Adoration**
From 9AM to 7:00PM
- **Spanish Charismatic Mass**
2nd Friday of the month at 6:00pm
- **Rosary**
Every Saturday before 4:00 Mass

Encuentro Comunitario
todos los domingos
Fellowship every Sunday



Coffee & doughnuts after de 8:30 am
Mass—Café y donas al terminar la misa de 8:30 am



Lunch sale after the noon
mass—Venta de Comida termi-
nando la misa de 12:00



Eucharistic Adoration
Every Wednesday-
Todos los miercoles
Jesus is waiting
for you!
Jesus te espera

Quilt prayer blanket group

There is a quilt prayer blanket group being started by some volunteer lady's at Immaculate Conception. If you sew and want to help please call the office and we will put you in contact with them. They are making lap prayer blankets for the shut-ins and sick of the parishes.



Sanctuary Lamp If you would like it to burn for a week for a particular intention please contact the office at :
(269) 621-4106 or (269) 427-7514

Religious Education



Welcome back to classes! Hope that you all had a very good holiday. As we begin this new year, let us resolve to bring Christ to every aspect of our lives.

Be aware that if there are road alerts in this bad weather, that there will not be classes. If it is too dangerous for you to be on the road, we do not want to risk an accident for you to come to class. So in case of bad weather, listen to the radio and television alerts. We will try to get an announcement out to you, but if no one is on the road, you should not be either. Again, welcome back and Happy New Year!!

The religious education team



If you know someone who is homebound who would like to receive Holy Communion, especially during the bad weather months, please call the office or talk to Reta Churchill to arrange for a Minister of Holy Communion to visit on a regular basis.

Para mantenerse informado:

Para las fechas de Bautismos de este año 2019 y cualquier otra información por favor ver los cartel que están puestos en la pared del pasillo que va a los baños y Cocina. Gracias!!!

Platicas pre-matrimoniales 2019

Las fechas son:
Sábado 13 de Abril de 8:30 a 2:30PM
Sábado 18 de Mayo de 8:30 a 2:30PM
Lugar: Salon Parroquial. Traer algo para compartir. Estos retiros son sin ninos. (Por cualquier problema llamar a la oficina)

Pre-marriage talks 2019

The dates are:
Saturday April 13 8:30 - 2:30PM
Saturday May 18 8:30 - 2:30PM
Place: Parish Hall. Bring a plate to pass. This retreats are without children. (If you have any problem please call the office)



The Cursillo in English for men will take place the week-end of March 14 -17. If there are some parishioners or members of your families interested in participating, it will be a blessing. You may register by calling : Sharon Matkin at : 269-689-9087

World Day of the sick,
February 11, 2019

We would like to acknowledge this day in prayer. We are asking everyone who knows someone that is sick or knows a caregiver of the sick to offer prayer for those people. You may do this by putting in writing the names of those you wish to pray for, then putting it in the box receptacle in the church entrance, and it will be kept private.

On Monday February 11 we will have a rosary and blessing for all the prayers intentions offered. We are also asking for volunteers to help pray the rosary, please call the office if you are interested in helping. Thank you and may God bless you.

Reta Churchill

2019 Annual Collection
for the Churches in Africa,
Eastern and Central Europe,
and Latin America

The Annual Collection for the Churches in Africa, Central and Eastern Europe, and Latin America will take place the weekend of **Feb. 3rd**. Your support will help provide pastoral care, catechesis, clergy formation, lay leadership training, evangelization and other programs to reach out to those who long to hear the Good News of Christ in each region. Please give generously to this collection.

La Colecta Anual para las Iglesias en África, Europa Oriental y Central, y América Latina se llevará a cabo el fin de semana del **3 de Febrero**. Su apoyo ayudará a proporcionar cuidado pastoral, catequesis, formación de clero, capacitación de líderes laicos, evangelización y otros programas para llegar a aquellas personas que desean escuchar la Buena Nueva de Cristo en cada región. Por favor den generosamente a esta colecta.