

STEWARDSHIP

In today's Gospel Jesus teaches us about the sacredness of marriage; a covenant that is a gift from God. Our relationships with our spouses, family, friends, coworkers, and those in our community of faith are all gifts from God. Jesus reminds us today that it is the hardened heart that damages or breaks up relationships. Good stewards understand the holiness of relationships and pray for the love, patience, understanding and kindness necessary to sustain those relationships. Take time out to prayerfully reflect on your relationships this week. Is your stewardship of these relationships as God intended? What relationships need to be healed and reconciled?



**Masses
for the Week**

Monday	Oct. 8 9:00am 9:00am	Bob Dick – ICC Our Lady of Lourdes - Ada
Tuesday	Oct. 9 9:00am 9:00am	St. Denis, Bishop Marie Karcher – ICC Our Lady of Lourdes - Ada
Wednesday	Oct. 10 9:00am 9:00am	Carl & Jerome Wrasman - ICC Our Lady of Lourdes - Ada
Thursday	Oct. 11 9:00am	St. John XXIII, Pope David Gordon - ICC
Friday	Oct. 12 9:00am	Our Lady of Lourdes - Ada
Saturday	Oct. 13 4:00pm 6:30pm	Twenty-eighth Sunday of Ordinary Time Jerry Mulligan - ICC Our Lady of Lourdes, Ada
Sunday	Oct. 14 9:00am 11:00am	Twenty-eighth Sunday of Ordinary Time For the Parish - ICC Our Lady of Lourdes – Ada


Mass Schedule

Parish	Confessions Every Saturday	Mass Every Saturday	Mass Every Sunday
ICC	3:30pm	4:00pm	9:00am
OLL	6:00pm	6:30pm	11:00am

Please remember to keep our Nursing Home Parishioners and the Home Bound and the sick in your prayers:

- Pat and Betty Mullady, Kate Strahm,
- Charlene Hilty, Norma Chatfield, Mona Ramge,
- Becky Droll, and Ernie Klingelhofer

Family Rosary Day October 14: The Diocese's annual Family Rosary Day is Sunday, October 14 at 3 p.m. at St. Joseph Cathedral. All are welcome.

 Please join us in the recitation of the Rosary one-half hour before Mass on Saturday and Sunday during this THE MONTH OF THE HOLY ROSARY. The rosary is also being said after the daily Masses during the month of October. Please join us!



**Weekly Readings for
Masses October 8 - 14**

Monday	Galatians 1:6-12 & Luke 10:25-37
Tuesday	Galatians 1:13-24 & Luke 10:38-42
Wednesday	Galatians 2:1-2, 7-14 & Luke 11:1-4
Thursday	Galatians 3:1-5 & Luke 11:5-13
Friday	Galatians 3:7-14 & Luke 11:15-26
Saturday	Galatians 3:22-29 & Luke 11:27-28
Sunday	Wisdom 7:7-11 Hebrews 4:12-13 Mark 10:17-30



Week of September 30

This week's collection will appear in next week's bulletin.

"New Emergency Line – for Anointing of the Sick, ER visits, pending deaths, etc. – has been established in order to reach the Pastor; the new emergency number is 419-673-6720. This number is not for regular business, but for true spiritual emergencies only....The phone greeting here at Immaculate Conception also continues, as in the past, to allow you the option of hitting an extension to reach Fr. Jeffrey locally for these occasions."

Commissioning of Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion will take place at this weekend's masses. All present will be called forward for a liturgical commissioning prayer and blessing.

Respect Life Month is October and Respect Life Sunday is October 7. *Every Life: Cherished, Chosen, Sent* is the theme this year.



Knights of Columbus will serve breakfast in the Center after this Sunday's Mass followed by St. Vincent DePaul Society Meeting.

PSR

There will be no PSR classes after this Sunday's Mass. Classes will resume next Sunday, October 14.

Youth Group

We will be having a Youth Group this year for all high school students or students who have been confirmed.

The first gathering of the Youth Group will be on **Sunday, October 7** at 10:30am in the upstairs of the Convent. Plan to attend the Knights Breakfast at 10:00am in the Center before heading over to the Convent.

Good News Café Scripture Study

Tuesday, October 9. Group meets after Mass, 9:45 to 12 noon. The session begins with a light breakfast then moves to prayer and discussion of questions. The first topic is on the theme of "Missionary Discipleship." The author is Catholic biblical scholar, Stephen Binz, grad of Rome's Biblical Institute and Jerusalem's Hebrew University. He has written more than 30 books on the Bible and Spirituality. New members are always welcomed. Interested persons should contact

Jean Bruner for book at 419-675-6165.

Sunday Holy Scripture Study with Fr. Jeff

Wednesday, October 10 at 6:30pm in the Knights of Columbus Room. Go to fidelis927.wixsite.com/sundayscripturestudy and click on year B and then click on Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time for Sunday, October 14 for a copy of the study sheet. Or pick up a copy at the office.

RCIA ✝ *Come and See!*

The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults, enables people to either embrace the Faith for the first time or helps those baptized as Catholics to complete their faith formation. For more info and to register for this year's RCIA, email icatholic@windstream.net or call the office at 419-675-1162. You are also welcome to contact Fr. Ferguson for more information about the RCIA process at hamilton.college@outlook.com.

RCIA is schedule to begin at Immaculate Conception on Sunday, October 7 at 6:30pm in the Center.

Respect Life Sunday

To all the members of the Church, the people of life and for life, I make this most urgent appeal, that together we may offer this world of ours new signs of hope, and work to ensure that justice and solidarity will increase and that a new culture of human life will be affirmed, for the building of an authentic civilization of truth and love.

John Paul II

Knights of Columbus

The Knights of Columbus will be having a membership drive after the following Masses:

Sunday, Sept 30 in Ada with Pizza after Mass;

Saturday, Oct. 6 in Kenton and Ada

Sunday, Oct. 7 in Kenton with Pancakes & Sausage after Mass

Please stop by and talk to a Knight about joining or pick up a pamphlet.

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The Knights of Columbus will be selling "Pro Football Fundcrazr" (formally Football Freenzy) tickets again this year. They are \$2 per week for ten weeks. (\$20 total) If you are interested, see Tom Sprang, Chris Spiese or call Brad Lautar 419-675-0822. We must have all ticket stubs and money by Sunday, October 21, 2018.

Catholic Men's Group (New)

A new Catholic Men's Group is starting on Thursday, Oct. 11 at 11am in an upstairs classroom at Our Lady of Lourdes in Ada. They will have their second meeting on October 18. It will typically meet on the 1st and 3rd Thursdays of each month. We will discuss how to be men of God, better fathers, and better husbands in our current culture. Contact Travis Juergens at t-juergens@onu.edu for more info.

Bethesda Healing Ministry

Post-traumatic suffering is the untold story of abortion. Bethesda Healing Ministry invites and welcomes you. You will not be alone in your journey. At Bethesda we walk with you, pray with you, and receive you with open sympathetic hearts. The ministry meets on the 2nd and 4th Mondays of each month to share in the healing experience. Please call us on confidential lines: 614-309-2651 or 614-309-0157 or visit our website at www.bethesdahealing.org.

Marian Dinner

The annual Marian Dinner will be Wednesday, October 24 at 6 p.m. at St. Andrew Church's Bryce Eck Activity Center, 3880 Reed Road, Columbus. Women, especially those in high school, are welcome to join together with their pastors, clergy, members of religious communities, and other people of the Diocese for prayer, a meal, and an opportunity to hear from religious. Please call 614-224-2251 for more info.

2018 Fall Live-In

Have you considered discerning a vocation to the priesthood and want to see seminary life first hand. Join Fr. Paul Noble and the seminarians for the Fall Live-In on October 18-20 at The Pontifical College Josephinum. Email pnoble@columbuscatholic.org for more info.

