



Immaculate Conception Church

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Welcome to Our Parish!

2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time January 19, 2020

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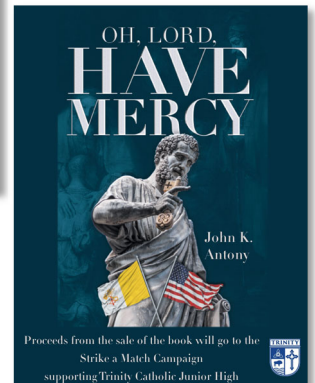
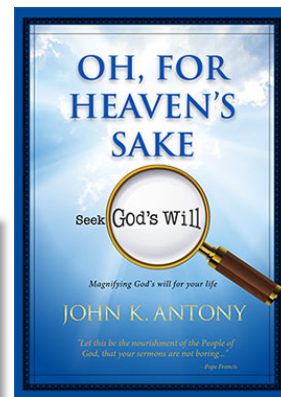
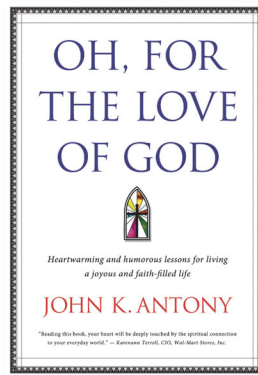
I.C. School office

479-783-6798

Short term prayers for the

Prayer Chain

479-452-9464



Mass Intentions

Monday, January 20th

7:00 am Betsy Westphal†

Tuesday, January 21st

7:00 am Nilda Scrivner†

5:00 pm Confessions

6:00 pm Spanish Mass

Wednesday, January 22nd

7:00 am Christina Schluterman†

Thursday, January 23rd

7:00 am Jack Shield†

5:00 pm Confessions

6:00 pm Spanish Mass

Friday, January 24th

7:00 am Joe Heiss†

10:00 am Charles Smets†

Saturday, January 25th

7:00 am Hazel Hassler†

3:30 pm Confessions

5:00 pm Laura Beth Echols†

Sunday, January 26th

7:30 am Phyllis Neubauer &
Renee Michaud†

10:00 am Parishioners

12:00 pm Brenda Morales†

2:00 pm Birthday of José María
Manjarrez

5:00 pm Special Intention of Bill
& Donna Curry



REMEMBER
in your prayers

"The mission of Immaculate Conception Catholic Church is to proclaim the gospel message of Jesus through Word, Sacraments and Works: to form our community in the traditions and teachings of our Catholic faith, to care for one another and the community at large and to bring others to know Jesus by our witness and example".



2nd Sunday of Ordinary Time

January 19, 2020

I will make you a light to the nations, that my salvation may reach to the ends of the earth. — Isaiah 49:6b

Welcome to our Parish!



Become a part of our Church family!

We invite you to fill out a registration form! You can find one on our website, icchurch.com, or at the Church Office.

ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

On the cusp of fame, power, or influence, would you turn it down? Today's Gospel again features John the Baptist. Controversial but popular, John has gathered quite a group of followers. He has disciples. People come from near and far to be baptized by him. Pharisees and government leaders are drawn to his preaching. If John was another man, a lesser man, he would have claimed his own greatness. Instead, John the Baptist is a witness to humility.



"The next day he saw Jesus coming toward him and said, 'Behold the Lamb of God ... he is the one of whom I said, 'A man is coming after me who ranks ahead of me.' ... the reason why I came baptizing with water was that he might be made known.'" Rather than point to himself, John points to Christ. John could have grasped at what he had accumulated. He could have seen Jesus as a Messianic competitor. Instead, John knows who he is. He knows his place as forerunner. Because John knows who Jesus is. *"I have seen and testified that he is the Son of God."*

A life of humility, a life for others, can be challenging to live. So much of our culture is built around achievement and individualism. We can justify it, too, in pursuit of "greater goods" and higher ideals. In the process, however, we might miss our own participation in the kingdom of God. John, for all of his humility, was not an afterthought. In another Gospel passage, Jesus calls him "the greatest prophet," even the greatest of men. Why? Because he fulfills the mission given to him by God: to announce the coming of the Messiah. We too are prophets and forerunners. Our witness to the Gospel is meant to point people to Jesus. Consider your own mission this week. To whom are you called to announce the good news of the Son of God? - ©LPi

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Sm 15:16-23; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21, 23; Mk 2:18-22
Tuesday: 1 Sm 16:1-13; Ps 89:20-22, 27-28; Mk 2:23-28
Wednesday: 1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51; Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10;
 Mk 3:1-6, or any of a number of readings for the Day of Prayer
Thursday: 1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7; Ps 56:2-3, 9-13; Mk 3:7-12
Friday: 1 Sm 24:3-21; Ps 57:2-4, 6, 11; Mk 3:13-19
Saturday: Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Mk 16:15-18
Sunday: Is 8:23 — 9:3; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; 1 Cor 1:10-13, 17;
 Mt 4:12-23 [12-17]

Make a New Year's Resolution with FORMED!

FORMED is a website/platform with something movies, video studies, an audio bible, audiobooks, testimonies and other inspiring talks, and e-books! I.C. Church purchased a subscription and we want to share it with all our parishioners! All you have to do to is visit formed.org, enter access code **WKYVGQ** and register!

Adoration Chapel



Adorers are needed for:

Tuesday 1:00 a.m.; Tuesday 2:00 p.m.
We are also in need of partners for all times. Please call Rudy and Dorothy

— Gramlich at 452-7595 or John & Joyce Becker at 783-8569 if you are interested.

What's on the front cover?

Looking for a good reading book?

Over the last few years, Father John Antony has published 3 distinctive books to help raise funds for various campaigns to support Catholic education. All 3 books are available at the I.C. church office! Come get yours today!

1st book: Oh, For the Love of God

Fr. John K. Antony published his 1st book to support Tomorrow's Promise Campaign for benefitting I.C. School in Fort Smith and St. Joseph's School in Fayetteville. This book is rich in heartwarming and humorous lessons for living a joyous and faith-filled life.
\$25.00—Hardcover book

2nd book: Oh, For Heaven's Sake

Fr. John K. Antony published his 2nd book to support Roses from Heaven Campaign for St. Theresa Catholic School. A great book that helps magnify God's will for your life.
\$25.00—Hardcover book \$25.00—Audio Series

3rd book: Oh, Lord, Have Mercy!

Fr. John K. Antony published his third book Oh, Lord, Have Mercy to support Trinity Junior High. This great book provides a fresh approach to attune American Catholic's ears to hear the melody of the pope's heart.
\$25.00—Hardcover book \$15—Softcover book

For more information or to purchase a book, please contact Cindy McNally at cmcnally@icchurch.com or call 479-783-7963.

Baseball Signups

Baseball sign-ups will be held January 26th from 9:00 am to 12:00 noon in the lobby of the Msgr. Galvin Parish Ctr. Open to Boys or girls, ages 4-14, interested in playing baseball (t-ball) for I.C. Signups will be held the same day as the kick-off breakfast for Catholic Schools Week, so come have breakfast and sign up!



Signups will close when a team reaches capacity as determined by the coaches. Any questions or interested in coaching contact Rodney Woods 479-629-1957 or rhowdsatoz@gmail.com.

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Sunday, January 19th

- 10:00 am Babysitting during Mass in the Nursery
- 10:00 am RCIA Dismissal during Mass
- 6:00 pm NO 4:12 Youth Night in Youth Center
- 6:30 pm Confirmation Sessions in the Parish Center
- 6:30 pm Bible Timeline meets in Common Room

Monday, January 20th

- 6:30 pm Boy Scout Troop 380 meets in Youth Center
- 6:30 pm Bingo in the Parish Center
- 7:00 pm Sp. 12:00pm Mass choir practice in the Church

Tuesday, January 21st

- 12:30 pm Book of Isaiah meet in Common Rm
- 3:30 pm Mercy Tutoring Program meets in St. Anne's Hall
- 7:00 pm RCIA/RICA meets in St. Anne's Bldg., 4th floor

Wednesday, January 22nd

- 9:00 am I.C. Ladies Auxiliary meet in St. Anne's Hall
- 10:00 am Women's Bible Study in Common Room
- 6:30 pm PRE classes in I.C. School & St. Anne's Bldg
- 6:30 pm Adult Bible Study of Matthew meets in Bishop's Rm

Thursday, January 23rd

- 6:30 pm Confirmation Makeup Sessions in the Bishop's Rm
- 7:00 pm Sp. Prayer Group (leaders) meet in St. Anne's Hall

Friday, January 24th

- 6:00 am Men of Faith meet in St. Anne's Hall
- 7:00 pm EPJ meets in Green Room

Saturday, January 25th

- 6:30 pm Sp. Prayer Group meets in St. Anne's Hall
- 7:00 pm Soldiers for Christ meet in St. Anne's SSR

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- 10:00 am RCIA Dismissal during Mass
- 6:30 pm Confirmation Sessions in the Parish Center
- 6:30 pm 4:12 Youth Night in Youth Center
- 6:30 pm Bible Timeline meets in Common Room



This week, we want to recognize,
Virginia Ricketts,
for organizing the monthly meals at Hope Campus for our parish. Thank you for everything You do for our parish!

Fiesta of Solidarity

Join us at the Fiesta of Solidarity to benefit the G.E.M. scholarship program for Guatemalan girls on Saturday, February 1, 2020 at Christ the King Parish Hall, Fort Smith, AR. Doors open at 6:30 pm for dinner, entertainment by Subiaco Jazz Band and El Ballet Folklorico de Ana Minden, and a Silent Auction.

Get your tickets for \$15.00/ adult or \$5.00/children (under 10) at St. Scholastica Monastery by calling (479) 739-1999 or (479) 783-4147.



Taste of Trinity



Save the date for this delicious International Food and Fun festival! Trinity Catholic Junior High will be hosting the annual Taste of Trinity on Saturday, February 29, 2020 from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm. Tickets are \$15.00 for adults and \$5.00 for kids (12 and under). Buy your tickets from

any Trinity JH student, through the school office (479-782-2451), or at the door the night of the event.

Also, enter the raffle for a chance to win \$1,000, \$500, or \$250! Raffle tickets are sold separately. \$1.00 each or 25 tickets for \$20.00.

SAVE THE DATE!

Shake off those winter blues and join other adults for a Casino Night at Ozark Catholic Academy on Saturday, February 8, 2020 from 7-10 pm in the St. Joseph Parish Hall in Tontitown. Watch the bulletin for more details about prizes and the upcoming event. All proceeds will benefit OCA.



Fort Smith's first ever All Catholic Schools Mass

The students, faculty, staff parents and friends of the Fort Smith Catholic Schools cordially invite you to a concelebrated Mass celebrating Catholic Schools Week –

Date: Thursday, January 30, 2020

Time: 9:30 a.m.

Location: Trinity Junior High Gymnasium,
1205 South Albert Pike, Fort Smith, Arkansas
"Catholic education gives soul to the world."

–Pope Francis

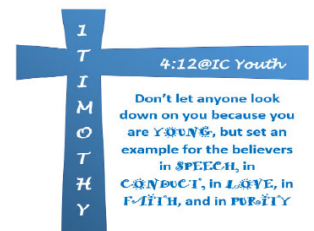


4:12 Youth Group January-February Calendar

Our youth ministry includes social and community building activities, catechesis, service projects, youth Masses and prayer and worship services. Open to all youth in grade 9th -12th regardless of Church or religious affiliations! We meet in our Youth Center on Sundays at 6:30 pm. Below you will find the calendar for the month of January-February 2020.

January 19th	NO 4:12 Youth Night
January 26th	4:12 Youth Night
February 2nd	4:12 Night– Gym Night
February 9th	4:12 Youth Night
February 16th	4:12 Youth Night
February 23rd	NO 4:12 Youth Night

For more information about our youth group, please visit our website, www.icchurch.com and click on "4:12 youth group".



We should have great peace if we did not busy ourselves with what others say and do.
—Thomas à Kempis

Long Term Prayer List. John Armstrong, Harold Willie, Jean Hendricks, Betty Garth, Peggy Sutterfield, Evelyn Wofford, Wally Russell, Nadine Long, Elvin Frick, Betty Uerling, Dana Seaton, Dick Schwartz, Jan Udouj, Lawrence Charves, Janet Hodgins, Mary Jean Loy, Alice Traynor, Marilyn Newman, Caylee Cross, Anne Udouj, Tom Loy, Lynda Ledet, Frances Schneider, Nelita Sugg, Bob Wells, Bonnie Thatcher, Melinda & Steve, Gary Orendorff Family, Pat Fuhrmann, Antoinette Beland, Tom Phillips, Jim Foldvary, Sofia Hurtado, Jane Myrick, Amy Graham, Amy Valley, Christopher James Capilo Leonhardi, Cecilia Stringer, David Korkames, Mary Josephine Thomas, Mary Allen, Gus Weisenfels, Tom Wagner, Maria Alexandra Ramirez, David Bond, Roswitha Goodman, Guy Ann Bartley, Joan Reif, Bob Rhodes, Kathy Furstenberg, Cheri Bell, Carl Dougherty, JJ Seiter, Joe Zelasko, Ann Marie Richards, Mary Memmolo, John Gaffney, Kathy Bowen, Angela Miller, Christine Lamb, Linda Williams, Sr. Macrina Wiederkehr, Pete and Donna Luebbers, Jim Myrick

St. Anne's Society

The St. Anne's Society is a partnership of churches in Sebastian County working with each other to assist the poor and homeless in our area.

Want to support St. Anne's Society?

Play Bingo! - Every Monday at 7:00 pm at the I.C. Parish Center. Doors open at 6:30 pm. For \$15 you can play 17 games with bonus games that can pay up to \$500.

Donate to the Poor Box - Poor boxes are located at each exit of the Church. We ask each family to give \$1 a week to the poor box.

St. Veronica's Closet - The closet is in need of Shampoo, Body Lotion, Shaving Cream, Razors (men's and Women's), Laundry Detergent, and Toilet Paper. Donated Items may be taken to the church office.

Let's Play
BINGO!



Baby Bottle Campaign for Heart to Heart Pregnancy Support Center

Heart to Heart Pregnancy Support Center will be sponsoring its Baby Bottle Campaign 2020. Baby Bottles will be available after ALL the Masses the weekend of February 1st and 2nd. Please take home a bottle and fill it with cash, coin, or check and help Heart to Heart in its Pro-life ministry throughout 2020. The Baby Bottle Campaign will start the weekend of February 2 and will go through March 2nd when the baby bottles will be returned to the church. This campaign is Heart to Heart's 2nd biggest fundraiser! In the past year the center provided over 4,000 services in our community.



Heart to Heart Pregnancy Support Center is a non-profit, non-denominational Christian Pro-Life Ministry that offers many services to help young girls, women, men & families who are expecting an unplanned pregnancy. If you have any questions, please feel free to call Heart to Heart at 479-434-2367, Lauren Post, Development Director or email h2h.director@cox-internet.com

River City Catholic Singles

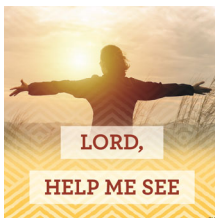
January 25th (Saturday)

We will gather for Mass at Sacred Heart of Mary in Barling at 6:00 PM. After Mass we will go to "Hideaway Pizza" at Massard/Phoenix. RSVP Sue at 479-806-8183.



Women's Religious Vocation Discernment Retreat

The Diocese of Little Rock, the minister for Religious and the Youth and Campus Ministry office are hosting a Women's Religious Vocation Discernment Retreat on February 14-15, 2020 at St. John's Catholic Center, 2500 N Tyler, Little Rock, AR. All young women are encouraged to be open to what God has planned for them. This retreat provides insight about the vocation to the religious life as it is lived through the religious of our diocese. The retreat will begin with registration from 6:00 pm—6:30 pm on Friday and conclude with Mass on Saturday at 4:00 pm. Deadline for registration is February 7, 2020. Send registration to Sr. Mary Clare Bezner O.S.B. at SMCBezner@dolr.org.



Job Opportunity: Choir Director

Immaculate Conception Church, a historic and diverse congregation, with over 2,000 families and a strong tradition of choral and organ music, seeks gifted and experienced Choir Director to lead the English-speaking adult choir. The ideal candidate will have a passion for traditional Catholic organ music, and draw on the talents of our diverse congregation. This is a part-time position and applications are being accepted by mailing a résumé and cover letter to: Fr. John K. Antony, Pastor, frjohn@icchurch.com, or to Immaculate Conception Church, P. O. Box 1866, Fort Smith, AR, 72902, attn. Fr. John K. Antony.



Arkansas Catholic Men's Conference

The 10th annual Arkansas Catholic Men's Conference will be held February 1st, 2020 at Christ the King Parish in Little Rock, AR.

This conference will be held from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. The theme will be: "Authentic Christian Manhood." Bishop Anthony B. Taylor, Father John Connell and Deacon Matt Glover will be the featured speakers. Bishop Taylor will celebrate Mass at 7:50 a.m. following a rosary at 7:30 a.m. The conference begins at 9 a.m. The cost is \$25 per person, which includes breakfast and lunch. Over the last 10 years, this men's conference has greatly impacted the lives and the faith of thousands of men from around the state. Registration and information available at www.arcatholicmen.com or facebook at facebook.com/ArkansasCatholicMensConference.



River Valley Catholic Women

I.C. Catholic Church in Fort Smith invites all Catholic women ages 21-45 to unite in faith and fellowship. Beginning in Jan. 2020, we invite Catholic ladies for various faith-building and fellowship activities. We invite you to please fill out the registration form, which can be found on our Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/RiverValleyCatholicWomen/> For more information, please contact Michelle Schmitz at michellemarieschmitz@gmail.com.



The Catholic Diocese of Little Rock is committed to protecting children and young people. If you are aware of abuse or have been abused by Clerics, Church volunteers or Church workers, please contact the State of Arkansas Hotline for crimes against Children at 1-800-482-5964 and the Chancellor for Canonical Affairs Dcn. Matthew A. Glover at the Diocese of Little Rock at (501)664-0340 ext. 361. For Pastoral Assistance, please contact: Diocese of Little Rock Victim Assistance Coordinator Laura Gottsponer (501) 664-0340 ext. 425.

PARISH STEWARDSHIP INFORMATION — 01/12/2020

	Last Sunday Contributions	YTD Weekly Income Budget	YTD Contributions	Amount Over (Short)
Sunday Collections	\$22,622	\$880,776	\$887,537	\$6,761
Building Repair	\$362	\$25,146	\$25,264	\$118
Total Attendance: 1880 Envelopes sent: 915 Used: 402 Electronic Giving: 64				





2do Domingo de Tiempo Ordinario

19 de Enero del 2020

Te voy a convertir en luz de las naciones, para que mi salvación llegue hasta los últimos rincones de la tierra. — Isaías 49:6b

Bienvenidos a Nuestra Parroquia!

BIENVENIDOS

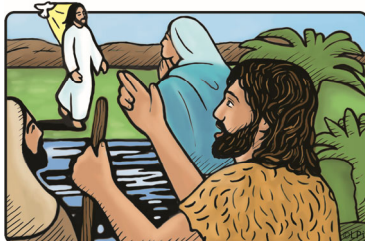
¿Eres nuevo en Fort Smith? ¿Nunca te has registrado en la parroquia? ¡Regístrate en nuestra parroquia! Visita nuestra página web icchurch.com/EnEspanol o ven a la Oficina Parroquial para una forma de registro.



Esta semana queremos reconocer a **Virginia Ricketts**, por organizar las comidas mensuales en el Centro Hope Campus de nuestra parroquia. ¡Muchas gracias por todo lo que hacen por nuestra parroquia!

LLAMADOS A SER SANTOS

Este domingo comienza el Tiempo Ordinario. Las lecturas nos hablan sobre la relación de Dios con Israel y la relación de Juan Bautista con Jesús. La relación entre Dios e Israel es tan estrecha, tan íntima, que es por mediación de Israel que "la salvación [de Dios] llega hasta los últimos rincones de la tierra" (Isaías 49:6). Pero sabemos por Juan Bautista que para que Israel cumpla la voluntad de Dios, debe reconocer que Jesús es el Hijo de Dios. Durante estas semanas también llegamos a conocer a Jesús. Comenzamos a entender más profundamente nuestra relación con Jesús y lo que la misma significa para nosotros, que somos "su pueblo santo" (1 Corintios 1:2). -Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.



Horario para rezar el Santo Rosario

26 Enero: Antonia Anaya

Si deseas rezar el Rosario en los próximos meses llama a Mariella Araujo al (479)785-7978.



Capilla de Adoración

Necesitamos adoradores para el:

Martes 1:00 a.m.;

Martes 2:00 p.m.

También necesitamos adoradores sustitutos. Por favor llamen a Rudy y Dorothy Gramlich al 479-452-7595 o con John y Joyce Becker al 479-783-8569 si están interesados en formar parte del grupo de adoradores.



Fiesta de Solidaridad



Acompáñenos a nuestra Fiesta de Solidaridad a beneficio de el programa de becas G.E.M. para las jovencitas Guatemaltecas el Sábado, 1 de Febrero del 2020 en al Salón Parroquial de Cristo Rey, Fort Smith, AR. Las puertas abrirán a

las 6:30 pm para la cena y habrá entretenimiento de la Banda de Jazz de Subiaco, y el Balet Folclórico de Ana Minden y una Venta Silenciosa.

Puede comprar sus boletos en el Monasterio de Sta. Escolástica llamando al (479) 739-1999 o al (479) 783-4147. Boletos están a \$15.00/adulto y \$5.00/niños (menores de 10)

Festival Sabor a Trinity!

¡Aparta la fecha para este festival de comida internacional deliciosa y divertida! La Escuela Trinity Catholic Junior High será el anfitrión del festival anual de Sabor a Trinity el Sábado 29 de Febrero del 2020 de 6:00 pm a 8:00 pm. Los boletos están a la venta; \$15.00/adultos y \$5.00/niños (menores de 12 años). Compra tus boletos con un alumno de Trinity, en la oficina de la escuela (479-782-2451), o en la puerta la noche del evento.



¿Qué esta en la portada?

¿Estas en busca de un buen libro que leer?

A través de los últimos años, el Padre Juan Antonio ha publicado 3 libros únicos en Ingles para recaudar fondos para varias campañas como apoyo a la Educación Católica. Los 3 libros están disponibles en la oficina parroquial de la Inmaculada Concepción. ¡Compra por tu libro hoy!

1er libro: Oh, For the Love of God

Padre Juan Antonio publico su primer libro para apoyar a la campaña, Tomorrow's Promise Campaign para la educación Católica. Este libro es rico en lecciones reconfortantes y gratificantes para vivir una vida llena de felicidad y fe. **\$25.00—Hardcover book**

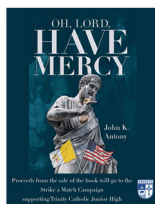
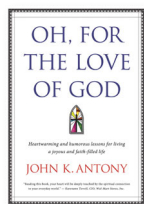
2do libro: Oh, For Heaven's Sake

Padre Juan Antonio publico su segundo libro para apoyar a la campaña, Roses from Heaven para la escuela Católica Santa Teresa. Un gran libro que ayuda a magnificar la voluntad de Dios en tu vida. **\$25.00—Hardcover book \$25.00—Serie en Audio**

3er libro: Oh, Lord, Have Mercy!

Padre Juan Antonio publico su tercer libro para apoyar a la escuela Trinity Junior High. Este libro provee una gran manera para acercarse a los consejos de Nuestro Papa Francisco. **\$25.00—Hardcover book \$15—Softcover book**

Para mayor informes o para comprar un libro favor de contactar a Cindy McNally al 479-783-7963.



Sociedad de Santa Ana

Las parroquias del condado de Sebastián trabajan juntas bajo el nombre Sociedad de Santa Ana para ayudar a las personas de bajos recursos en nuestra comunidad.

¿Quieres ayudar a la Sociedad de Santa Ana?

¡Juega Bingo!

Todos los Lunes a las 7:00 pm en el Salón Parroquial. Las puertas se abren a las 6:30 pm. Por \$15, puedes jugar 17 juegos, algunos con premios que pueden pagar hasta \$500.



Dona a la Caja de los Pobres

- Las cajas de los pobres están ubicadas en las entradas de la parroquia. Les pedimos a las familias que donen \$1 por semana a la caja de los pobres.

Clóset de Santa Verónica

- Actualmente, el closet necesita: Desodorante (mujer/hombre), jabón de baño, crema para el cuerpo y para manos, crema para afeitar, papel sanitario, detergente de ropa y artículos femeninos. Donaciones pueden ser depositadas en los contenedores de Santa Ana ubicados en las entradas de la Iglesia o pueden dejarlas en la Oficina Parroquial.

FORMED.org!

Formed es una plataforma que contiene películas, estudios, audio Biblia, audio libros, testimonios y mucho mas para todas las edades y en español. Nuestra parroquia ha obtenido una suscripción a esta plataforma ¡y queremos compartirla contigo! Regístrate con la contraseña, **WKYVGQ** y ¡Listo!



Inscripciones de Béisbol

Las inscripciones del Béisbol de la Iglesia de la Inmaculada Concepción se llevarán a cabo el 26 de Enero de 9:00 am a 12:00 pm en el lobby del Salón Parroquial. Abierto a niñas y niños de entre 4 y 14 años que estén interesados en jugar béisbol (t-ball) para la Inmaculada Concepción.

Las inscripciones se llevarán a cabo el mismo día del desayuno de inicio de la Semana de las Escuelas Católicas. Así que ¡ven a desayunar e inscribe a tus hijos en el béisbol! Las inscripciones se cerrarán cuando, a criterio de los entrenadores, los equipos lleguen a su máxima capacidad. Para cualquier información, comunícate con Rodney Woods al 479-629-1957 o por correo electrónico al rhwoodsatoz@gmail.com



Cuando usted se encuentre en medio de dificultades y contradicciones no trate de romperlas, más bien dóblelas con tiempo y suavidad. —San Francisco de Sales

LA DIOCESIS DE LITTLE ROCK ESTA COMPROMETIDA A PROTEGER A LOS NIÑOS Y JOVENES.

Si estás enterado de algún abuso o has sido abusado por clérigos, voluntarios o funcionarios de la Iglesia, por favor contacta a la Línea de Ayuda del Estado de Arkansas para crímenes contra niños al 1800-482-5964 y con el Canciller de Asuntos Canónicos Dcn. Matthew A. Glover en la Diócesis de Little Rock al (501)664-0340 ext. 361. Para asistencia pastoral, por favor contacta a la Coordinadora de Asistencia para Víctimas de la Diócesis de Little Rock Laura Gottsponer al (501)664-0340 ext. 425

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: 1 Sm 15:16-23; Sal 50 (49):8-9, 16bc-17, 21, 23; Mc 2:18-22
Martes: 1 Sm 16:1-13; Sal 89 (88):20-22, 27-28; Mc 2:23-28
Miércoles: 1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51; Sal 144 (143):1b, 2, 9-10; Mc 3:1-6, o cualquiera de lecturas para el Día de Oración
Jueves: 1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7; Sal 56 (55):2-3, 9-13; Mc 3:7-12
Viernes: 1 Sm 24:3-21; Sal 57 (56):2-4, 6, 11; Mc 3:13-19
Sábado: Hch 22:3-16 o Hch 9:1-22; Sal 117 (116):1bc, 2; Mc 16:15-18
Domingo: Is 8:23 — 9:3; Sal 27 (26):1, 4, 13-14; 1 Cor 1:10-13, 17; Mt 4:12-23 [12-17]

Campaña de Biberones



El Centro de Apoyo en el Embarazo Heart to Heart estará patrocinando la Campaña de Biberones 2020. Los biberones serán distribuidos durante todas las Misas el fin de semana del 1ero y 2do de Febrero. Por favor llévense un biberón a su casa y llénenlo con efectivo, monedas o cheques, y ayuden a Heart to Heart en el Ministerio Por la Vida durante el 2020.

La Campaña de Biberones comenzará el fin de semana del 2 de Febrero y terminará el 2 de Marzo cuando los biberones deben de ser regresados a la iglesia. Esta campaña es el segundo mas grande evento para recaudar fondos para el Centro de Apoyo en el Embarazo Heart to Heart. ¡El año pasado, el centro ayudo a dar mas de 4,000 servicios en nuestra comunidad!

Todos los fondos se quedan en nuestra comunidad y son utilizados para ayudar a hombres, mujeres y bebés con las necesidades de las madres y bebés, consejería, referencias médicas y de adopción y programas de padres y castidad.

Para mayores informes, por favor llamen a Heart to Heart al 479-434-2367, Lauren Post, Development Director o al correo electrónico h2h.director@cox-internet.com

Retiro de Discernimiento Vocacional Religioso para Mujeres

La Diócesis de Little Rock, La Ministra para Religiosos y la Oficina de Ministerio para Jóvenes y Ministerio Universitario están patrocinando un Retiro de Discernimiento Vocacional Religioso para Mujeres el 14 y 15 de Febrero del 2020. Este retiro se llevará a cabo en el Centro Católico San Juan, 2500 N Tyler, Little Rock, AR.

Todas las jovencitas son invitadas a abrir su Corazón a lo que Dios ha planeado para ellas. El retiro proporciona información sobre la vocación a la vida religiosa tal como se vive a través de las religiosas de nuestra diócesis. El retiro comenzará con la inscripción a partir de las 6:00 pm hasta las 6:30 pm el Viernes 14 de Febrero y concluye con la Misa el Sábado 15 de Febrero a las 4:00 pm. Fecha límite para inscribirse es el 7 de Febrero del 2020. Manda tu inscripción a Sr. Mary Clare Bezner O.S.B. al correo electrónico SMCBezner@dolr.org.



Grupo de Jóvenes 4:12

¡Únete al Grupo de Jóvenes! Abierto para todos los jóvenes de 8vo-12vo grado, nuestro Ministerio de jóvenes incluye actividades sociales y comunitarias, catecismo, Misas de jóvenes, y servicios de oración y alabanza. **Nos reunimos en el Centro Juvenil los Domingos a las 6:30 pm. Te esperamos!**

