

Vacation Bible School

JUNE 13-17, 2022

9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Fellowship Hall

(For children Pre-School - 5th Grade)



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May 15, 2022

Immaculate Conception
CATHOLIC CHURCH



Volunteers are needed for Vacation Bible School, for the week of June 13 through the 17th. If you are interested please sign up through the Google Form by scanning the QR code on top.

Starting June 1, the Wednesday daily Mass will be at Noon.

On all other days, Monday through Saturday, we will continue to celebrate daily Mass at 8:15 AM. The change is in response to the requests from many parishioners to accommodate some of the elderly people and those who may wish to attend our Mass during their lunch breaks.

Meals for the Hungry

Saturday, May 21 is Meals for the Hungry! As a parish, we serve dinner to ~150-200 people on the third Saturday of every month.

Donations can be dropped off at the Immaculata kitchen (attached to the school) between 4 and 4:30 pm on Saturday. Individual meals will be packaged and transported to Urban Ministries on Liberty Street. Scan QR code to sign up!



Youth Synod

All youth are welcome to participate in the Youth Synod this Sunday, May 15th in Fellowship Hall from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM. This will be a good opportunity for the youth of our parish to dialogue with others about their hopes and dreams for the Church in a session of listening and sharing.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- **5/17 at 7 pm:** Adoration hosted by YA
- **5/21 at 10:30 am:** Remain in My Love Ministry
- **5/21:** Meals for the Hungry



Scan to see more events:

We will be collecting items to help mothers and babies for Pregnancy Support Services!!

During the month of May, we will be collecting items for moms and their babies!!

Items we will be collecting are:

- Diapers (sizes newborn, 1, and 2)
- Maternity clothes (used or new)
- Gift cards (Food Lion, Harris Teeter, Walmart, Target)

You can bring the items to church and leave them in the marked containers in the gathering space (or put them in the bag at the outdoor Mass). All items will be donated to Pregnancy Support Services. Thank you for your donations.

LOVE FUND

Catholic Charities has identified a family in need of financial assistance. A 61-year-old disabled man, responsible for his 10-year-old son, developed Covid 19 last year. This worsened his two serious kidney and liver diseases. He is currently receiving Ascitic treatment and dialysis for his Stage 4 kidney disease three times a week. He is constantly in pain and is not able to provide the basic necessities for his son. The procedures have caused him to have expensive hospital and utility bills for which he requests financial assistance. The family would appreciate your prayers and any financial support you can offer to help this suffering family.

Volunteer Opportunities:

Eucharistic Ministers for the Homebound: If you are interested in bringing Communion to the homebound, please contact Margie. Training will be provided.

Ushers / Greeters at our weekend Masses: We are trying to create a warm, welcoming space when people arrive at our church. If you are interested in making people's Sunday Mass experience even better, why not join this team? Contact Margie for more information.

Baptism Team: Baptism is a special time for families. We have a team of people who are part of our Baptism team. We are looking for two or three more people who would like to help at the Baptism classes. If interested, contact Margie to discuss it.

Young Adult Adoration

Adoration, 3rd Tuesday of the month, 7-8 pm: Join us for adoration hosted by the Young Adult Group in the chapel of Immaculate Conception Church. Afterward, we often go to a brewery in Downtown Durham to socialize.

Cristo Rey RT High School

Cristo Rey Research Triangle High School is currently accepting applications for the 9th & 10th grades. We will be helping with applications in the chapel after the 1:30 PM mass. We look forward to seeing you there.

Durham CAN Public Action Meeting

Today, Sunday, May 15, from 6 - 7:30 pm, please join fellow parishioners from Immaculate Conception Catholic in supporting Durham CAN's Public Action meeting at Monument of Faith Church (900 Simmons Street, Durham, NC 27701). Durham CAN will be asking primary candidates for courthouse positions important questions about affordable housing and criminal justice reform. Let our collective voice be heard as our community embodies a faith that does justice!

Furniture Ministry Needs Items

The Furniture Ministry needs your donations to continue serving our brothers and sisters recovering from homelessness, incarceration, and other life-altering situations. We are in particular need of beds, couches, and dining tables in gently used condition. Please contact Mike for more details at jenista.michael@gmail.com

MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

May 14 - May 21

Saturday	5:30 pm	† Christian Bezirdjian
Sunday	7:45 am	† Donna Zimmerman
	9:30 am	† Maria + Fidelio Baez
	11:30 am	Spanish
	1:30 pm	Spanish
	5:00 pm	Spanish
Monday	8:15 am	(SI) Marilou Carlton
Tuesday	8:15 am	† Anita Perdagorda
Wednesday	8:15 am	English
Thursday	8:15 am	English
	7:00 pm	Spanish
Friday	8:15 am	English
Saturday	8:15 am	Vincent Rak

UPCOMING READINGS

Sunday, May 22: Sixth Sunday of Easter

Acts 15:1-2, 22-29, Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8, Rev 21:10-14, 22-23, Jn 14:23-29

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