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August 11, 2019
 Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 Rev Kenneth Schnipke, C.P.P.S., Pastor
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 Deacon Charles Salway
 Website: www.stteresa-rockford.org

Office hours: M, T, TH 9-11AM; Wed 9-5pm; Fri 9-1pm (subject to change)

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ST TERESA PARISH WELCOMES NEW FAMILIES AND INDIVIDUALS MOVING INTO THE AREA. Please register by calling the rectory office. Any parishioners who are leaving the area or changing an address or phone number should notify the office.

BAPTISMS: Baptism will be held on the 2nd Sunday of the month. Call the office in advance to schedule. Parents are obligated to attend preparation sessions before a child's baptism if they have not attended one in the past five years. This can be done before the birth of the child. Call the office to register for class.

COUNSELING SERVICES: 1-937-299-9005 Offered by Bob Skipper at Spiritual Center of Maria Stein

BULLETIN ARTICLES: due in writing by 9:00am on Thursday. You may email article to: stteresachurch@bright.net.

Mass Intentions

Wednesday, August 14th (Holy Day)
 7:00pm Mass-John Laux
 Saturday, August 17th
 4:30pm Confessions/Reconciliation
 5:00pm Mass-Randy Sovine, Royce & Regis Spindler
 Sunday, August 18th
 10:30am Mass-Tom Avery

Welcome Fr Tim!!

Eucharistic Ministers

8/14 7:00pm Diane Fullenkamp (H)
 Cheryl Nichols (C)
 Melissa Fent (C)
 8/17 5:00pm Sierra Fent (H)
 Marge Gehle (C)
 Mary Bickle (C)
 8/18 10:30am Lynn Hughes (H)
 Amy Moeller (C)
 Greg Puthoff (C)

Mass Servers

8/14 7:00pm Emily Schaefer
 Jordyn Schaefer
 8/17 5:00pm Leah Eichler
 Logan Fullenkamp
 8/18 10:30am Dylan Hughes
 Doug Hughes

Lectors

8/14 7:00pm Jenifer Puthoff
 8/17 5:00pm Kelsey Nichols
 8/18 10:30am Lynn Hughes

MASSES AT I.C. CHURCH, CELINA
 Saturdays at 6:30pm
 Sundays at 7:30am, 9:00am and 12 noon
 Monday thru Friday at 7:30am
 Reconciliation at 11:00am Saturdays

Vocation Cross

8/11-17 Marge Gehle Family
 8/18-24 Larry Gibson Family

Usher & Honor Families

8/14 7:00pm Gary Fullenkamp
 8/17 5:00pm Michael Ford Family
 8/18 10:30am Aaron Deitsch Family
 Barry Peel (U)



Church Cleaning 8/11-17 Bob Eichler Family, 8/18-24 Norm Means Family

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MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK:

Vocation View: Be alert to God's presence even in the least expected times, places and events. You will be ready to respond to God's call. (Luke 12:32-48)

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK:

Thursday, August 15th is the **Feast of the Assumption**, a holy day of obligation. Mass is at 7pm on Wednesday evening. Masses at IC are Wed, Aug 14th at 6:30pm, Thurs, Aug 15th at 7:30am and 6:30pm.

Thank you to Fr Joseph Kochappilly and Fr Francis Neissery, Missionary priest from India, who spoke last week for the Archdiocesan Mission Appeal.

Welcome Fr Tim McFarland!! Join us this Sunday after 10:30am mass to welcome Fr Tim. Enjoy a donut and juice and fellowship with parish friends.

RCIA Sessions - Do you know someone who has been asking about the Catholic Church or considering becoming Catholic? The RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) is an opportunity for them to learn more about our Catholic faith. Sessions for I.C., Our Lady of Guadalupe & St. Teresa will be held on Tuesdays at the I.C. Parish Activity Center, Room 102 and generally last 1½ hours. An introductory session will be scheduled for early September!! The RCIA process concludes with the Easter Vigil, Saturday, April 11, 2020. If you know someone who may be interested in joining the RCIA process, contact the Parish Office at 419-586-6648.

CCD Registration forms are over due. Please contact Cheryl at crestteresa@bright.net or call 567-644-1482 if you are in need of registering. We will not turn anyone away due to lack of ability to pay. CCD classes begin in mid-September, permission slips and forms are needed on file prior to the beginning of classes.

The **church basement floor** is schedule to get a new coat of paint this weekend, August 9, 10, 11th. Please stay out of the basement until the project is complete. Thanks!

Adult Volunteers - VIRTUS Child Protection Sessions, All volunteers who wish to work with or around youth in the parish, including chaperones for mission trips, confirmation retreat, assisting with activities, must attend a VIRTUS orientation session. The following sessions are now available at Immaculate Conception in Celina for the 2019-20 school year:

- Wednesday, August 14, at 6:00 p.m.**
- Thursday, September 5, at 6:00 p.m.**

You may sign up online at virtusonline.org or call Joyce Johnson at 419-586-2370. If you wish to attend a session, but none of these work, please contact Cheryl Nichols for alternate sessions you might attend at another parish. The training has no cost and will take place in the Parish Activity Center, Room 102.

Back to School Shoppers - School will be starting soon, so don't forget to purchase gift cards for your shopping needs from IC School Script Program. We always have Amazon, Dunham's Sports, GAP/Old Navy/Banana Republic, Kohl's, Macy's, Marshall's/TJ Maxx, VISA cards, Walmart, and Target in stock, and can order cards from ANY department store in the area.

If you have college kids and want to give them a treat, send them off with a card to almost any fast food restaurant, along with Amazon, Starbucks, Panera Bread, iTunes, Target, or a VISA card! We keep all those cards in stock, and the kids will be thrilled to get one!

Remember, Kohl's will let you use their credit card at the check-out counter to use your coupons or discount, and then will let you pay your bill with our scrip cards. That way, you can "double dip" and help I.C. School too!

SUNDAY COLLECTION		8-4-19	
Envelopes (34)	\$1361.00	Weekly Offering	\$1,546.00
Loose envelopes	\$ 185.00	Week Budgeted	\$1,400.00
TOTAL RECEIVED	\$1546.00	Over/Short	\$ 146.00
		YTD total Collection	\$6,047.75
		YTD total Budgeted	\$7,000.00
		Over/Short to date	\$ -952.25