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April 8, 2018
 Second Sunday of Easter (Sunday of Divine Mercy)
 Rev Kenneth Schnipke, C.P.P.S., Pastor
 Rev Vince Wirtner C.P.P.S. Parochial Vicar
 Like us on Facebook at [St Teresa Parish Rockford, Ohio](#)
 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 OUR PARISH. 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.

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

Mass Intentions

Wednesday, April 11th
 7:00pm Mass-John Laux
 Saturday, April 14th
 4:30pm Confessions/Reconciliation
 5:00pm Mass-Marty Heck
 Sunday, April 15th
 10:30am Mass-Dick Moeller



Eucharistic Ministers

4/14 5:00pm Sierra Fent (H)
 Marge Gehle (C)
 Mary Bickle (C)
 4/15 10:30am Mike Roth (H)
 Ann Vian (C)
 Melissa Fent (C)

Mass Servers

4/11 7:00pm Jerry Provei
 Natalie Moeller
 4/14 5:00pm Aaron Bruns
 Breyden Bruns
 4/15 10:30am Leah Eichler
 Blayne Fullenkamp

Lectors

4/14 5:00pm Cheryl Nichols
 4/15 10:30am Melissa Fent

Church Cleaning

4/8-14 Rosie Moeller Family
 4/15-21 Kristi Schaefer Family

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

4/8-14 Les Nichols Family
 4/15-21 Greg Norris Family

Usher & Honor Families

4/14 5:00pm Nick Bruns Family
 4/15 10:30am Gary Fullenkamp Family
 Greg Puthoff (U)



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MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK:

Wednesday, April 11th after 7:00pm Mass Women Group meeting in church basement
 Sunday, April 15th at 9:00am CCD Classes (RE) in church basement
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Vocation View: Despite our lack of faith, Christ still calls and gives the strength to respond. Bring your questions to Him, that He might answer your doubts with His gentle, but persistent love. (John 20:19-31)

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK:

Congratulations to the young men and women from I.C. Parish and St. Teresa Parish who are celebrating the **Sacrament of Confirmation at I.C.** this weekend. We pray that the gifts of the Holy Spirit may come upon them, enliven their hearts and remain with them always. Thanks to the Confirmation team from I.C., Joyce Johnson, Charlie Salway and Lindsey Lunz, and Laura Roth from St. Teresa, for the gift of faith you have not only taught, but also witnessed. And thanks to the parents, the first and foremost teachers of their children in the ways of faith. Your witness of faith is a blessing that will flourish in your sons and daughters for years to come.

As shouts of Easter joy continue to resound, we would like to add shouts of thanks and praise for the many people who enhanced our Holy Week/Easter celebrations.

Many thanks to Diane Huber, our musicians and choir, decorators and all who worked so diligently and creatively in planning and preparing our celebrations. Thanks to all contributed so generously to the Easter Flower fund.

Thanks to the liturgical ministers of St. Teresa who gave unselfishly of their time and talents. And many thanks to all of you, the parishioners of St. Teresa Church. Your generosity and concern for our parish family is certainly a sign that we are Easter people!

May the joy and peace of the Risen Lord fill your hearts and your homes with His great love.

Fr. Ken & Fr. Vince

Next week, our parish will take up The **Catholic Relief Services** Collection. This collection supports six Catholic agencies that touch more than 100 million lives around the world. The funds from this collection help provide food to the hungry, support to displaced refugees, and Christ's love and respect to all people. Next week, please give generously to The Catholic Relief Services Collection and **help Jesus in disguise.**

Awaken Our Hearts Parish Mission - April 21-25, 2018

<https://stteresa-rockford.org/> - Awaken Our Hearts"

There is a reception each evening after the program at the IC PAC, everyone is invited. **St Teresa will host the reception** on Tuesday, April 24th, we are in need of 2-3 volunteers to help with the reception at the IC PAC after the program on Tuesday. Contact the office if you are available to help.



YOUTH MINISTER/RE ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT - Immaculate Conception Parish, Celina, OH, is searching for a full-time youth minister to work with youth in grades 5-12 and serve as a religious education administrative assistant. We are seeking an energetic individual who is self-motivated, relational and organized. Applicants must have a strong Catholic faith and willingness to share that faith with our youth through religious education, sacramental preparation, social activities, retreats, mission trips, service projects, leadership building and fund raising.

Bachelor's Degree in Pastoral Ministry, Religious Studies, Theology, Religious Education, or related field preferred with technology background. Letter of interest, resume and Application for Employment available at celina-ic.org should be sent by May 1, 2018 to: **Fr. Ken Schnipke, C.P.P.S., Immaculate Conception Church, 229 West Anthony, Celina, Ohio 45822.**

SUNDAY COLLECTION		4-1-18			
Envelopes (50)	\$1457.00	Weekly Offering	\$1,937.50	YTD total Collection	\$61,225.09
Loose envelopes	\$ 480.50	Week Budgeted	\$1,320.00	YTD total Budgeted	\$52,800.00
TOTAL RECEIVED	\$1937.50	Over/Short	\$ 617.50	Over/Short to date	\$ 8,425.09