



Immaculate Conception Church

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OFFICE HOURS:

Monday - Friday after Holy Mass or by appointment

THE SACRAMENT OF THE EUCHARIST:

Saturday Mass of Anticipation: 4:00 P.M.
Sunday 8:00 A.M., 10:30 A.M., and 6:00 P.M.
Holy Days: Please check bulletin.
Weekdays and Saturdays: 8:00 A.M.
Except Thursday at 7:00 P.M. with Novena

DIVINE MERCY PERPETUAL ADORATION CHAPEL

THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Saturday at 3:30 P.M. or upon request.

THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

Sunday upon request. Prior arrangements must be made at the rectory for instruction for parents and godparents.

THE SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY:

Arrangements should begin at least six months before the proposed date of the wedding to allow sufficient time for the marriage preparation program.

NEW PARISHIONERS:

If you are new in the parish, please introduce yourself after Mass and register at the Parish office. Kindly notify us if you change your address.

PARISH SECRETARY:

Bulletin - Lynn Dunham - 914-388-2643

ORGANIST/MUSIC DIRECTOR:

Lauren Ingrassia - 845 - 419-5254
David Kwiecinski - 845 - 430-6022
Practice/rehearsal Tuesday 6:30 PM

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:

Karen Wereszynski - 845-430-1314
Wednesday Classes from 6:00 - 7:30 P.M.

PARISH COUNCIL:

As announced

ROSARY SOCIETY:

Meets first Sunday after 10:30 AM Mass

MT. CALVARY CEMETERY

410 Flatbush Road, Route 32, Kingston, NY

Our church is accessible to those who are physically challenged

Dear Padre

September 28, 2025

Why does my parish priest preach about love practically every Sunday?

"Through the course of the liturgical year, the homily sets forth the mysteries of faith and the standards of the Christian life on the basis of the sacred text" (Lectionary, 24). A translation of the English word "love" appears in the Bible more than 500 times; by comparison, "sin" appears approximately 400 times. Thus, insofar as the homily "should be an explanation of some aspect of the readings from sacred Scripture" (*General Instruction of the Roman Missal*, 65), God's word on "love" is far too prevalent to overlook.

Pope Francis called God's word "a love letter, written to us by the One who knows us best." In the Bible, this God who desires to bestow his love on us (See 1 John 3:1), is essentially telling us, "How do I love thee? Let me count the ways." How we love God in return may be likened to two partners in a committed relationship. Over time, they become so intertwined that they can even assume each other's speech patterns, mannerisms, and views. Likewise, for those who love God, over the years we can begin to internalize the words from God's "love letter" and reflect them in our Christian speech, actions, and outlook! "Whoever loves me will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we will come to him and make our dwelling with him" (John 14:23). ●

Fr. Byron Miller, CSsR / DearPadre.org

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We are the Immaculate Conception Parish in Kingston, New York. Our Baptismal vows commit us to know, love, and serve God. We are challenged by our present times to build a community of faith and love in the Holy Spirit. Our mission is to proclaim the word of God and serve His people.

SEPTEMBER 28, 2025

TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Saturday, September 27, 2025

4 PM – (Vigil) – Raymond Cwill by Mary Ann

Sunday, September 28, 2025

8 AM – Anthony G. Urciuoli, Jr. (Birthday) by Fran & Jerry Gretzinger

10:30 AM – George Reis (45th Ann.) by Kelly & Bailey Families

6 PM – In memory of Rose & Frank Mayone by Rosanne & Roger Yetzer

Mon. 8 AM - Bruce Riker by Joan Saehloff

Tues. 8 AM – Francine Burlingham by McLean Family

Wed. 8 AM – Ellen & Walter Woinoski by Joan Saehloff

Thurs. 7 PM - Helen Forman by Granddaughter

Fri. 8 AM - Blessings for Fr. Mirek

Sat. 8 AM - Francis Tomaseski by Frank & Maryann Jablonski



Saturday, October 4, 2025

4 PM – (Vigil) – Donald Thaddeus Gretzinger (Birthday) by Fran & Jerry Gretzinger

Sunday, October 5, 2025

8 AM – Deceased Members of the Rosary Society

10:30 AM – Sylvester “Sam” Bujak (43rd Ann.) by Family

6 PM – Claudia Vogel (Birthday) by Maryl Vogel



<u>DATES</u>		<u>LECTORS</u>	<u>EXTRAOR. MINISTERS</u>	<u>ALTAR SERVERS</u>
Sat., Oct. 4	4 PM	Jerry Gretzinger	Francine Gretzinger	J. Kwiecinski
Sun., Oct. 5	8 AM	Bruce McLean	Kathy VanDine	M. Engracia
	10:30 AM	Margaret Cahill	Richard Cahill, Jr.	D. Bujak
	6 PM	Glenn Podgurski		G. Berardi
Sat., Oct. 11	4 PM	Frank Jablonski	Mary Ann Cwill	J. Kwiecinski
Sun., Oct. 12	8 AM	Bruce McLean	Tom Glaser	M. Engracia
	10:30 AM	Margaret Cahill		D. Bujak
	6 PM	Marie Anderson		G. Berardi
Sat., Oct 18	4 PM	Frank Jablonski	Mary Ann Cwill	J. Kwiecinski
Sun., Oct. 19	8 AM	Lynn Dunham	Kathy VanDine	M. Engracia
	10:30 AM	Jim McCasland		D. Bujak
	6 PM	Glenn Podgurski		G. Berardi

SACRMENTALS



Chapel: 1) Tomasz Pajor

2) Health & Blessings for Tim Ryan

Tabernacle: In memory of Mary Pliego

O. L. Czestochowa: Health & Blessings for Fr. John

Divine Mercy: For prayers answered

PASTORAL VISITATION

Please call the rectory if you wish a pastoral visitation.

REST IN PEACE

Please pray for Mary Pliego, Louise Clark and all the deceased of the parish. *Requiescat in pace.*

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND

Pray for Mary Scafidi, Frances Scafidi, Margie Santiago, Mimi & Louis DeGaetano, Carole Hanyak,, Pinley Soote, Janet Talbot, Deb DeAngelis, Joseph Petramale, Ray Simonetty, Gabriel Romero, Mark Wangstad, Josephine Naccarato, Maryanna Bittner, Nicholas Turck, Elizabeth Peterson, Diane Demskie, Urszula Marut, James Brown, Carolina Martinez-Brown, Carol Tubby, Allison Marie, John Bechtold, Wanda Grochowski, David Argust, James Mateo, Bill Henry, Mary May, Jim Rioux, Carol Kelder, Peter & Dawn Kearney, Carol Gregory, Diann Lindberg Keyser, Richard Shultis, Josh Katz, Mary Darlene Snyder, Lillian Adams, Waldemar Kulesza, Angela Houghtaling, Sarah Davis, Vince Kelder, Grazyna Bajerski, Janet Knott, Leon Swack, Gionni Sellers, Eugene Palladino, Francis Caprotti, Gloria Carolfi, Susan Gallagher, dear friend Shelly, Kathy VanDine, Susan Newell, Fr. John, Christine and all who are not listed but who are in need of our prayers.

SECOND COLLECTION

This weekend, the second collection will be taken for the Annual Seminary Appeal. Your support will provide tuition, room and board, academic training and spiritual formation for our archdiocesan seminarians and the others who are studying at Dunwoodie and help prepare these young men to become great priests after the heart of Jesus, the Good Shepherd.



FUEL COLLECTION

Next weekend, the second collection will be taken to help with the cost of fuel in our parish building. We thank you always for your generosity.

BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS – ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI

Blessing of the animals will take place on Sat., Oct. 4 at 2 PM at the back of the rectory.

FIRST FRIDAY - 350 YEAR ANNIVERSARY OF THE SACRED HEART DEVOTION

First Friday, October 3rd from 7:30-8:30 AM at Immaculate Conception church. This includes the Rosary, Holy Mass at 8 AM followed by Exposition and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. Confessions available from 7-7:30 AM. This devotion was revealed by Jesus 350 years ago.

FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTION TO OUR LADY OF FATIMA

First Saturday, October 4th, in our church, devotion begins with Rosary at 7:30 AM, Holy Mass at 8 AM, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Prayer to Our Lady of Fatima, Quiet meditation for 15 minutes, Litany of the Blessed Mother & Benediction.

MONDAY DEVOTIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

St. Joseph's (Kingston) and St. Peter's (Rosendale): ☉ Following the 7 AM Mass at St. Joseph's: Miraculous Medal Novena, Rosary ☉ 2 PM at St. Joseph's: Miraculous Medal Novena, Rosary, Divine Mercy Chaplet ☉ 4-5 PM at St. Peter's: Holy Hour, Confessions Available 4-4:45 PM; Mass 5:15 PM.

ROSARY SOCIETY

The monthly Rosary Society meeting will be held Sunday, October 5 after the 10:30 Mass.

PENNY SOCIAL

SAVE THE DATE – Sunday, November 9th! Donations of new items, non-perishable foods and baked goods are needed. Any questions, contact Mary Ann Cwill at 845-331-6457

OUR LADY'S ROSARY MAKERS

Our Lady's Rosary makers are meeting every Friday in the Immaculate Conception School from 8:45 to 9:45 AM. All are welcome to join us to learn or in making cord rosaries. *Since January we have made 3,500 rosaries which have been donated to hospitals and overseas missions.* All supplies are provided. *Any donation towards the cost of mailing the rosaries overseas would be greatly appreciated.* Call Lorraine at 845-220-7806.

LIFE CHAIN 2025

Please add next *Sunday October 5th* to your calendar to participate in the **LIFE CHAIN** from 2-3pm. We will meet in the Mavis Tire Parking Lot, 1301 Ulster Avenue and proceed to sidewalk to traffic light. Please help us to grow our chain longer! Questions? Call Jody Puppola at 845-336-5726

Thank you for celebrating the Eucharist with us. Please do not leave the Church before the final blessing.
Please take the bulletin with you and patronize the advertisers listed on the back of the bulletin.
A very Happy Birthday, Name's Day or Anniversary to those celebrating during the month of September!
Please consider your parish in your will. Thank you to everyone for the on-going support of our parish.

STITCHES – PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY



Do you knit? Crochet? Sew? Come and join us as we wrap someone who is sick or going through a time of difficulty and stress in prayer. Since our group came together last year, we have delivered about 75 shawls/lap blankets to those in need. The work of our hands is blessed by a priest at Mass and given to offer comfort and the knowledge that they are not alone physically as well as spiritually. You can work from your own home if you prefer. Do you have yarn that you no longer can use? We would be happy to pick it up or you can drop it off at St. Joseph's Rectory, 242 Wall Street, Kingston. If interested, please call Dorothy McHugh at (845)338-2315 or text (845)242-0114.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

COATS FOR FOLKS – Now through Nov. 23rd, the annual Coats for Folks clothing drive will take place. New or like-new coats in clean condition are being accepted. There is a need especially for children's coats. A box has been placed in the vestibule of the church for the collection. Any questions, you may call John Weber at (845) 416-3397.

BIBLE STUDY

SACRED HEART AND IMMACULATE CONCEPTION PARISHES- SEPTEMBER – NOVEMBER 2025

**Location - Immaculate Conception School, 471 Delaware Avenue
Kingston, NY 12401**

Tuesday's –10 AM to 12 Noon OR 6:30 to 8:30 PM

Program 2: Acts of the Apostles – Jeff Cavins – September 9-November 11, 2025. This program is 20 weeks. First 10 will finish before Thanksgiving & second 10 in 2026. Study Guide is \$40 plus S&H and will be used for the 20 weeks.

Friday's – 10 AM to 12 Noon

Program 3: Bible Timeline – Jeff Cavins – Sept. 5-Nov. 21, 2025. This program is 24 weeks and the first 12 will finish before Thanksgiving and the second 12 will finish in 2026. Study Guide is \$40 plus S/H and will be used for the 24 weeks. Become familiar with the Old Testament in an organized group of books that tell the origins of salvation history; followed by the coming of Christ with a brief look at the Gospel of St. Luke.

To register or for further information, call Lorraine Krasinski (845-834-6030) or Val & Ron Kinter (845-339-0475). Walk-ins welcome but we cannot guarantee there will be a book available if you do not register. Registrants are assured of having a book available to them

DIVINE MERCY CHAPEL



The Divine Mercy Perpetual Adoration Chapel of Ulster County is open and welcoming new adorers to help worship, accompany and adore Jesus. **Please commit to a weekly hour and become a registered adorer to receive a key fob.** You may obtain more information by visiting immaculateconceptionkingston.com and clicking on the Adoration Chapel link; emailing dmac.iccnny@gmail.com; or by calling Fr. Mirek at 845-331-0846.

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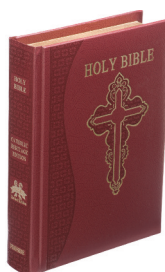
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