

# Infant Jesus Catholic Church

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## Mass Schedule

Saturday—5:00 PM  
Sunday—8:00 AM; 10:30 AM;  
6:00 PM [Life Teen Mass]  
Daily Mass  
Tuesday—6:00 PM  
Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday—  
8:30 AM  
“Cry Room” is open during all Masses.

## Confession

Saturday: 4:00-4:30 PM  
and by appointment

## Office Hours

755-1734  
Monday thru Friday  
9:00 AM to 2:00 PM

Church offices are located at  
243 S. LHS Dr.

## Blessed Sacrament Chapel

Persons wishing to use the Adoration  
Chapel should contact the Parish Office  
for more information.

## Religious Education

Office Hours  
Monday-Thursday 9AM to 2:00PM

Grades K-8: Wednesdays, 5:30-7:00 PM  
Grade HS: Wednesdays, 6:00-7:30 PM

## Pastoral Staff

Rev. Andrew Moore	Pastor	ext. #101
Rev. Duc Duong	Parochial Vicar	ext. #102
Rev. Mr. L.D. Keen	Deacon	ext. #100
Rev. Mr. Garry LeBlanc	Deacon	ext. #100
Rev. Mr. Bruce Grimes	Deacon	ext. #100
Linda Cavaretta	Bookkeeper	ext. #103
Dianne Maxey	Secretary	ext. #100
Virginia Fischer	Receptionist	
Stacy Keen	Director of Rel. Ed.	ext. #114
Reagan Gear	Dir. of Music/Liturgy	ext. #105
	Lectors/Eucharistic Ministers	
Jim Maxey	Maintenance	ext. #100
Joan Garza	Catholic Youth Ministry	791-0710
Shelia Kane	Bereavement Committee	755-3073
Ellen Hancock	Baptism Preparation	673-3622

**Know Your Faith  
Live Your Faith  
Share Your Faith**





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## PRAYER GROUP

### Pray for the sick

Mary Elliott, Donald Elms, J. Doherty, Virginia Schlihab, Mike Bartlett, Shannon Bogard, Wesley Bogard, Kelly Mire, Daniel Begnaud, Larry Fesco, Michael Cavaretta, Justin LeGros, Joe Favre, Lois Lockwood, Ron Wiles, Pam Horka, Marciano Guerrero, Bo Horka, Patrick Maher, Michael Carbello, Stetson Mire, Billy Campbell, Jolene Teutsch, Kenneth Teutsch, Paul, Mark, Jack & Michelle, Frank Snider, Dylan Glorioso,

*Karen Getz, Eileen Chapman, Donald Poche, Jackie Brinson, Florece Paladino, Debbie Desmond, Bobbie Murphy, Gail Montalbano, Lee Summers, Isabel Edmonds, Margie Poche, Randi Cooper, Trevor Reeves, Debbie Leleux, Johnnie Foret, Judson Stone, Sue Westerterp, Shirlely Saatzer, Jackie Bonvillion, Ronnie Vincent, Debbie Ackard, Mary Corbello, Norma Willis, Hunter Oney*

Names placed on the prayer list will remain for one month unless the Parish Office is notified otherwise.

### BIBLE STUDY

#### *Breaking Open the Sunday Readings*

A BIBLE STUDY WITH DEACON KEEN

Wednesdays — 6:00-7:30pm in the Fellowship Hall

### CATHOLIC I.Q. (Catechist.com Magazine)

#### Prayer

The \_\_\_\_\_ never wants us to pray. a) doctor b) mayor  
c) devil d) bishop

### WOMEN'S ACTS RETREAT

All women who have not attended an ACTS Retreat are invited to attend the next Hardin County ACTS Retreat November 15-18, 2018 to be held at the St. Charles Tabor Retreat Center, in Moss Bluff, LA. Registration forms are available in the foyer/Narthex of Infant Jesus, St. Mark's, Holy Spirit and Our Lady of Victory parishes.

Applications will be accepted through the Infant Jesus parish office beginning **September 24, 2018**.

Space is limited so please turn in your application as soon as possible. Registration ends **November 5, 2018**.

For more information contact  
Mary Durst@ 409-781-5385; Megan Kuykendall @ 409-781-3262 or Dianne Maxey @ 409-782-1512

Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 7, 2018

Let the children come to me;  
do not prevent them, for the kingdom of God belongs to such  
as these.

— Mark 10:14

## PUBLIC SQUARE ROSARY

Please join in the 2018 Public Square Rosary Crusade.

Our nation is in great need of public prayer, repentance and conversion. We ask God to save America through the Rosary of His Most Holy Mother. Join us in praying for our nation on October 13, 2018 at 12:00 noon. The local

Public Square Rosary Rally will take place in front of  
Infant Jesus Church.

For more information please contact Wayne Gossett @  
(409) 937-0305



### LIFE-CHAIN

October 28, 2018 2:30-3:30pm

*"Please pray for the sanctity of Life"*

Infant Jesus Catholic Church

Contact: Jim and Jeanette Venable @ 409-755-6532

We ask for a \$1.00 donation for each sign.

Bring your umbrellas, lawn chairs & bottled water

### ALTAR SOCIETY

Our annual Autumn Fest is quickly approaching, November 9th and 10th and we need your help in making this event a huge success this year. We are asking for **Bakes Items** (cookies, cakes, breads, candy, etc.) to sell. Also needed is **New/Slightly used items for the Silent Auction.**

For more information please contact:

Jeanette Venable @ 755-6532

Mary Lou LaRocca @ 755-4106

Linda Martin @ 246-4228

Charlene Gutierrez @ 755-4633

**TOGETHER LET'S MAKE THIS A HUGE SUCCESS!**

### ENCOUNTER CATHOLIC

We are taking our Faith out into the community. Infant Jesus is partnering with Encounter Catholic Ministry by having a booth at the Village Creek Festival again this year.

Volunteers are needed to help man our booth, Thursday, October 25 thru Saturday, October 27. We will have a sign up poster in the foyer of the church scheduling times to work the booth. Come join us in helping us to spread our Faith.

For more information you may call  
Sally Kunk at 409-782-1725 or the parish office.

**Note from Pastor:**

**HE EMBRACED THEM AND BLESSED THEM**

Today Jesus stresses how children embody the reign of God. They are trusting and loving and have hearts that are open to love. They are joyful when they are made aware of God's love for them, and are eager to return that love. This is the model Jesus holds out to us if we want to welcome the reign of God. We need to have open, loving hearts. We must drop our defenses, however we came by them, and welcome Christ's love for us with joy. This is impossible for us on our own. Only the grace of God will enable us to do this, but that grace is freely and generously given. We have only to accept it.

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OCTOBER

Month of the Rosary



**HOSPITALITY HOUSE**

Infant Jesus continues to send a group of volunteers on the first Sunday of the month to serve at the soup kitchen. If you would like to help please call Janet Harves @ 409-338-3748 for more information.

**LIFE TEEN**

Show neighbors your Christian attitude, have the Ichthus Christian Fish symbol painted on your driveway or sidewalk. This is an ongoing high school youth fundraiser, by donation. Please call Joan Garza @ 409-791-0710 to order.

**BURY YOUR TROUBLES**

When I dig others out of trouble, I find a place to bury my own. *Anonymous*

**ALL WET**

To repent and not to amend is like paying a debt by writing a check on water. *Anonymous*

**TRUNK OR TREAT**

Our annual Trunk or Treat will be **Wednesday, October 24th @ 5:30pm**  
Join us for games, haunted hall, hay ride, pop corn, cotton candy and much more  
Park cars behind the church by 5:15pm  
Thank you for making this a great and fun evening for our children.

**Quiz Question Answer:**

C) To pray, we need to fight distractions, the devil's temptations, as well as our own laziness and sinful nature. The battle of prayer is part of the "spiritual battle" to act and live like Christ (see CCC, 2774).




**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS  
FAMILY OF THE MONTH**

**Wayne & Debi Mougia  
October, 2018 BIRTHDAYS**

Anthony Michalsky, Ewert McClelland, Jim Maxey, Kyle Borne, Mark Chase, David Richard, Hector Machado, Ken Barras, Den Bruce Grimes, Ray Nunez, Glen Cook

Business Meeting every 2nd Monday of each month at 6:00pm in Dollinger Hall.  
Family Night meets every 4th Monday of each month at 6:30pm in Dollinger Hall. **ALL PARISHIONERS ARE INVITED.** Bring your favorite covered dish.

<p><b>7</b> Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time</p> <p>8:00am Mass <i>People of the Parish</i></p> <p>10:30am Mass <i>Richard Parker</i></p> <p>6:00PM Mass</p> <p>1:30-3:30 pm Altar Server training Dcn. Keen (C)</p>	<p><b>8</b> 8:30AM Mass <i>Etta Will</i></p> <p>Parish Offices Open 9:00 AM-2:00 PM</p> <p><b>6:30pm KC Mtg.</b> (DH)</p> 	<p><b>9</b> 6:00PM Mass <i>Robert Cruse</i></p> <p>Parish Offices Open 9:00 AM-2:00PM</p> <p><b>6:30pm ACTS-W</b> (FH)</p>	<p><b>10</b> 8:30AM Mass</p> <p>Parish Offices Open 9:00AM-2:00PM</p> <p><b>5:30pm Rel. Ed.</b> <b>6:00pm Bible Study</b> (FH)</p>	<p><b>11</b> 8:30AM Mass</p> <p>Parish Offices Open 9:00AM-2:00PM</p> <p><b>10am Staff Mtg.</b> <b>10am Women's Fellowship (AS)</b> <b>6:00pm Parish Council (CR)</b> <b>6:30pm RCIA (FH)</b> <b>6:30pm Choir</b></p>	<p><b>12</b> 8:30AM Mass</p> <p>Parish Offices Open 9:00AM-2:00PM</p>	<p><b>13</b> 5PM Mass Vigil-The Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time</p> <p><i>Glenn Prioux</i></p>
<p><b>FH-Fellowship</b> Hall, <b>DH-Dollinger</b> Hall, <b>CR-Conference</b> Room, <b>D-Drexel</b> Building, <b>B-Bosco</b> Building, <b>AS-Altar</b> Society Rm</p>						

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