

A Note From Fr. David

Dear Parishioner,

This pamphlet is an inspiration. It describes over 100 Ministries, or Services that demonstrate how our parishioners live rooted in prayer, anchored in faith and shared in love. These are the ways we live as "One Family in Faith, Making Christ Known."

Importantly, this also offers you the opportunity to become more involved in St. Mary Immaculate.

Every Catholic has an important role to play as a member of the Body of Christ. God is calling you to become more involved in our parish. Your "YES" will make a difference in our parish life.

The folks listed on these pages need your help and are ready to answer any questions you may have. Please call.

Thank you,

In Christ,

Fr. David Medow

CONTACTS

PARISH PRIESTS

REV. DAVID MEDOW x 813
REV. DAN HOEHN x 802
REV. STANLEY TABOR x 801
24-Hour Emergency x 881

PARISH DEACONS

Deacon Manuel Guerrero x 480
Deacon Pat Lombardo x 477
Deacon Tom O'Connell x 479
Deacon Terry Saffo x 808
Deacon Tom Sagenbrecht x 476
Deacon Jim Sossong x 481

RCIA

Parish Office x 800

LITURGY DIRECTOR

Geralyn Kuban x 810

MUSIC MINISTRY

Director
Cherie Perine x 850
Monica Slayman x 805
Janet Kirer x 805
Youth Choir Director
Heather Roerig x 805
Music Coord. Hispanic Ministry
Mercedes Uvias x 875

MINISTRIES COORD.

Debbie Guerrero x 846

BUSINESS OFFICE

Business Manager
Janice Gregoire x 851
Bookkeepers
Bobbi Mitchell x 854
Tia Legler x 804

BUILDING SERVICES

Supervisor: Ray Pfersdorf x 820

CEMETERY DIRECTOR

Deacon Manuel Guerrero x 807

DIR. OF TECHNOLOGY

Jackson Brunsting x 838

COMMUNICATION DIR

David Bachtel x 815

BULLETIN EDITOR

Heather Roerig x 822

WEBMASTER

Diane Brunsting x 838

PARISH OFFICE

Main Number 815.436.2651
Administrative Assistant
Pat Widlowski x 803
Parish Secretary
Josefina Medina x 800
Spanish Translation
Josefina Medina x 800

ADULT FORMATION

Adult Catechesis
David Fiday x 860
Evangelization
Deacon Terry Saffo x 808
Family Ministry
Jan Ballak x 891

MARRIAGE PREP

Tom & Judy Oberts 815.436.8193

HIGH SCHOOL MINISTRY

Karen Welsch, Director x 814

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Main Number 815.436.4501
Program Director
Geri Morse, M.S.Ed. x 840
Confirmation Director
Penny Giunta x 878
"My Time" with Jesus Dir.
Bridgett Melzacki x 852

PARISH SCHOOL

Main Number 815.436.3953
Principal
Sr. Nancy Gannon SFCC x 837
Asst. Principal
Jennifer Erthum x 834
Admin. Assistant
Kris Hitchins x 812
Secretary
Sue Welch x 830

HOLISTIC CENTER

Psychologist
Dr. Ted Welsch, Psy. D. x 686
Spiritual Director
Alice Dehm x 896
Counselor
Joan Lopina, MS x 892

PARISH NURSE

Pat Mander, R.N. x 893

PARISH CALENDAR

Jenny Cederberg x 486



From a small Parish in a small farm town, we have grown to nearly 7,000 families, one of our nation's largest Catholic

parishes. As we proclaim the gospel, worship, serve each other and the Plainfield area, we build community together, we participate in the mystery of Christ among us. Through God's saving presence, we strive to be "One Family in Christ", and by "Making Christ Known", we touch each of His people through His Risen Son.



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GENERAL INFORMATION

WEEKEND SCHEDULE:

Saturday Evening Mass: 4:00 PM
Sunday Mass: 7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, 9:01 AM (Cana Hall),
 10:45 AM, 12:15 PM & 6:00 PM

Spanish Mass: Saturdays, 5:30 PM (Church)
 Sundays, 12:15 PM (Cana Hall)

Polish Mass: 1st Sunday of the month, 10:30 AM (Cana Hall)

WEEKDAY MASSES:

Monday through Saturday: 7:30 AM

HOLY DAY MASSES:

Please consult the bulletin for mass times.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

English—**Saturday:** 3:00-4:00 PM (Church)
 Spanish & English - **Sunday:** 11:00 AM-12:00 PM (Faith Sharing
 Room)

Polish - 10:00 AM - Saturdays before the first Sunday of each
 month

Or by appointment with the priests.

CHAPEL HOURS: Continuous exposition of the Most Blessed
 Sacrament from Sunday 7:00 PM to Friday Midnight.

R.C.I.A.: Anyone seeking information about joining the Catholic
 Faith should contact the Parish Office, 815.436.2651. Inquiry
 begins in early September each year and lasts until Pentecost
 Sunday.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Contact Parish Office or priests when sickness occurs.

MARRIAGES: Please contact the Parish Office when planning a
 marriage. Weddings must be scheduled at least six months in
 advance according to Diocesan norm. **(Weddings are not
 scheduled on Sundays, unless during a regular Sunday
 mass.)**

BAPTISMS: Parents of children are required to attend a Baptism
 Class prior to setting a date for the Baptism of their child. We
 encourage parents to attend the class before your child is born.
 Baptisms are held on Sundays at 2:00 PM or during a weekend
 Liturgy. Please call the Parish Office to register for a Baptism
 Class Session.

**REGISTRATION: WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS AND NEW
 MEMBERS!** Please introduce yourself to one of the priests and
 to those around you. If you are interested in registering as a
 parishioner, you are invited to attend our Welcome Gathering
 Event. This is held almost every Sunday at 10:15 AM and
 usually meets in the Library of the Parish School. Registration for
 membership is not taken through the Parish Office but only
 through the Sunday Gatherings. For information, or if you have
 questions about becoming a parishioner, please call the Parish
 Office at 815.436.2651.

Contact numbers may change. If you have difficulty reaching
 someone, call Debbie Guerrero, 815.436.2651, x 846.

MINISTRY INFORMATION

Ministry, Contact	Phone No.,	Ext.
Pastoral Council, Dan McGuire	815.609.0189	
Adult Formation and Spiritual Life		
Adult Enrichment/Formation David Fiday	815.436.2651	860
Baptism Coordinators	815.436.2651	
Baptism Prep	815.436.2651	
Brothers in Christ, Tom Barkauskas	630.553.2013	
Centering Prayer, Cindy Martis	815.919-3467	
Family Ministry, Jan Ballak	815.436.2651	891
"Hearts on Fire" Charismatic Prayer Group, Marge Gambla	815.733-5083	
Lay Apostles Prayer Group, Libby Runge	815.577.6283	
Marriage Prep, Tom and Judy Oberts	815.436.8193	
M.O.M.S. (Ministry of Mothers Sharing), Wendy Snow	815.230.4710	
RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults),	815.436.2651	
Spiritual Direction, Alice Dehm	815.436.2651	896
Vocation Ministry Dick and Bernie Genis	815.372.3143	
Women of Grace, Debbie Bumstead	815.439.7925	
Youth Formation & Spiritual Life		
Religious Education Program, Geri Morse	815.436.4501	840
Special Religious Education, Geri Morse	815.436.4501	840
Liturgy of the Word for Children, John Matthews	815.439.1527	
My Time with Jesus, Bridgette Melzacki	815.436.4501	852
CHE (Catholic Home Educators), Connie Leturno	815.254.0497	
Confirmation Prep, Penny Giunta	815.436.2651	878
High School Ministry, Karen Welsch	815.436.2350	
Vacation Bible School, Amy Dye	815.729.3520	
Christian Service and Pastoral Care, Tony Cipriano		
	815.577.7047	
Bereavement Ministry, Dick Genis	815.372.3143	
Daybreak Homeless Shelter, Linda Polnik	815.436.5069	
Sandy Garza	815.436.8814	
Easter Baskets, Laura Bringas	815.744.4072	
Employment Ministry, Mark Lieberman	815.577.6561	
Giving Tree, Nancy Sinclair,	815.436.2651	862
Interfaith Food Pantry, Mary Dickerson	815.436.2651	
Parish Nurse, Pat Mander	815.436.2651	893
Parish Pastoral Counseling, Joan Lopina	815.426.2651	892
Parish Psychologist, Dr. Ted Welsch, Psy.D	815.577.6686	
Pastoral Care, Joan Clark and	815.254.3142	
Betsy Foskaris	815.254.9582	
Prayer Ministry Network, Arlene Kauzlarich	815.436.4398	
Project Gabriel, Colleen Robey	815.254.0207	
Amy Sheehan	815.439.4274	
Shepherd's Table, Bill Flynn	815.439.1884	
Special Needs Families, Rosemary Tack	630-927-7673	
Diversity and Unity		
Deaf Ministry, Lisa Egner	630.898.4632	
Filipino Ministry, Salvacion Sulit	815.744.1425	
Hispanic Ministry, Daniel Medina	630.816.7574	
Israel Vargas	815.609.1287	
Polish Ministry, Bonnie Kwiecien	815.405.5225	
Quinceañera Ministry, Josefina Medina	815.436.2651	800
Evangelization and Communication		
Catholics Returning Home, Deacon Tom O'Connell	815.436.2651	479
Communications Group, David Bachtel	815.436.7874	
Neighborhood Gatherings, Deacon Terry Safko	815.436.2651	808

Ministry, Contact	Phone No.,	Ext.
Fellowship		
Child Care, Jennifer Haukohl	815.609.9129	
Council of Catholic Women, Arlene Kauzlarich	815.436.4398	
Divorce and Beyond, Kathy Yonker	815.483.3639	
Funeral Luncheon, Debbie Guerrero	815.436.2651	846
Hospitality, Debbie Guerrero	815.436.2651	846
Men's Club, Al Broniewicz	815-436-4633	
Parent's Night Out, Jerri & Dave Bocian	815.355.0920	
St. Mary's Seniors, Rose Marie Selke	815.372.3323	
Welcoming Registration, Grace & Rich Blaszak	815.254.7078	
W.O.W.S. (Widows or Widowers Single), Geri Lobas	815.577.7352	
Liturgy and Worship		
Altar Linens/Albs Ministry, Jerri Bocian	815.436.2651	853
Denise Braun	815.439.1548	
Altar Servers, Julie Tidaback	815.254.3880	
Art and Environment, Kris Hitchins	815.436.3953	
Eucharistic Adoration, Connie San Filippo	815.254.2176	
Eucharistic Minister Training, Fred Kunst	815.254.7123	
First Sat. Devotion Ministry, Maria Coe	630.935.0710	
Greeters, GERALYN KUBAN	815.436.2651	810
Healing Mass, Pete Blazina	815.729.3870	
Lectors, Denise Thompson	312.623.0215	
Mass Coordinators, GERALYN KUBAN	815.436.2651	810
Ministry Schedule, Jenny Cederberg	815.436.2651	486
Music Ministry, Cherie Perine	815.436.2651	850
Ushers, Rich Strem	815.436.4670	
Wedding Coord. Debbie & Manuel Guerrero	815.741.0278	
Parish Admin. and Mngmt, Bill Gallagher		
	815.609.9148	
Development Committee, Marianne Murphy	815.436.2488	
Finance Board, Mike Kelly	815.436.4546	
God's Gardeners, Cindy Wiatrak	815.886.0675	
Lawn Volunteers, Chris Bohlin	815.302.7758	
Temple Tenders, Ray Pfersdorf	815.436.2651	820
Peace and Social Justice, Terry Kohl		
	815.439.1367	
Crime & Restorative Justice, Gloria Cesario	815.577.8392	
Fair Trade Ministry, Michele Phelps	815.436.7274	
Heifer International Ministry, Genelle Diab or Donna Kohl	815.730.8302	
	815.439.1367	
Pax Christi Ministry, Emmet Driscoll	815.254.9187	
Reverence for Life, Bill and Judy Gallagher	815.609.9148	
St. Mary Immaculate School		
School Main Number	815.436.3953	
School Board, School Office	815.436.3953	
Home & school Assoc., Kathy Hall,	815.436.3953	
Athletic Association, Greg Kissel, Athletic Dr.	815.436.3953	
Band Booster Club, Sandy Gardner or Ann Waldron	815.436.3953	
Catholic Charter Organizations		
*Knights of Columbus, Steve Muller	630.904.0021	
*Ladies Auxiliary, Jane Muller	630.904.0021	
*Columbian Squires, Joe Kunst	815.588.0279	
Other Organizations		
*Boy Scouts, Judy Cunningham	815.254.2701	
*Cub Scouts, Phil Sweeney	815.439.7718	
*Girl Scouts, Kathy Hall	815.436.2729	
*Marriage Encounter, Mary and Dan Withrow	815.436.8529	

