

**IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CATHOLIC CHURCH
1016 RIDGE AVENUE, NEW CUMBERLAND, WV 26047**

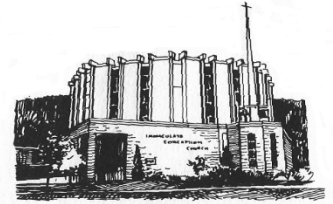
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April 26, 2026 – Fourth Sunday of Easter

- Baptism:** Please call the parish office
Reconciliation: Sunday 7:30-8:15 AM or by appointment
Marriage: Arrangements made at least 6 months in advance. Call the parish Office for information.
Parish Registration: Contact the parish office. Registration is important for pastoral and other church needs and services. There are registration forms in the gathering space.
Sick & Homebound: Let us know if you wish for a visit.
In the Hospital: If you are in the hospital, have someone call the parish office to inform us.
Prayer Line: Dorothy Swearingen 304-564-5177.

<u>Mass Dates & Times</u>	<u>Intentions</u>
April 26, Sunday, 8:30 AM	+Marge Swartzmiller by Dorothy Uker
April 30, Thursday, 8:30 AM	The People of the Parish
May 1, Friday, 8:30 AM	+Marge Swartzmiller by Bob & Cathy Glass
May 2, Saturday, 8:30 AM	+Carrie & Albert Zapor by Dorothy Swearingen
May 3, Sunday, 8:30 AM	First Communicant - Kendall Dunbar

Ministry Schedule

<u>Mass Dates & Times</u>	<u>Lector</u>	<u>Extraordinary Ministers</u>
April 26, Sunday, 8:30 AM	Bonnie Burskey	Jordan Dillon
May 3, Sunday, 8:30 AM	Jennifer Wilson	Matt Burskey

<u>Mass Dates & Times</u>	<u>Altar Servers</u>	<u>Greeter</u>	<u>Gift Bearers</u>
April 26, Sunday, 8:30 AM	Vanessa Dicks	Christy Wilson	Bill & Phyllis Swan
May 3, Sunday, 8:30 AM	Caleb Dicks	Dan Robinson	Dorothy Swearingen / Mary Ann Bainbridge

<p><u>April 19, 2026 Sharing Our Time, Talents, and Treasures. Thank you for your Generosity!</u></p> <table> <tr> <td>Envelopes</td> <td>\$1,362.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Loose</td> <td>\$60.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Candles</td> <td>\$12.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Maintenance</td> <td><u>\$125.00</u></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Total</td> <td>\$1,559.00</td> </tr> </table> <p>Attendance: 59</p>	Envelopes	\$1,362.00	Loose	\$60.00	Candles	\$12.00	Maintenance	<u>\$125.00</u>	Total	\$1,559.00	<p>Please pray for the sick and shut ins</p> <p>Theresa Barnhart, Susie Clapton, Kathy DeFrancesco, Kendall Dunbar, Anthony Everly, George Foley, Anita Guire, Allison Hannick, Fr. Paul Hudock, Savannah Hughes, JoEllen Kessel, Helen Kirpan, Eliza Mazezka, Grant McDonald, Sally McDonie, Brook McFarland, Ronald Payto, Jeanne Pratt, Cindy Roeger, Blaine Sadler, Brendon Sadler, Phil Starkey, Jinto Stephan, Justin Valdengo, Nora White, Kurt White</p> <p>If you have a name to be added to or removed from this list, please call the parish office. Please inform us about the progress of those we pray for.</p>
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New Cumberland Food Closet
Boxed Potatoes / Hamburger Helper / Pasta Sauce
Thank you for your generosity!

From the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston

To report an incidence of suspected child sexual abuse, please contact your local law enforcement agency, or you may contact WV Child Protective Services at 800-352-6513. To report suspected cases of sexual abuse by Personnel of the Diocese of Wheeling Charleston, please contact the Diocese at 888-434-6237 or 304-233-0880

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS during the fourth week of Easter go to *Dave Burskey & Floyd Webster*.

MEN'S CLUB meets today after Mass.

WOMEN'S CLUB meets today after Mass.

Kendall Dunbar receives her First Holy Communion at the 8:30 AM Mass, May 3.

MEMORIAL MASS for babies who died before birth whether by miscarriage, abortion, ectopic pregnancy. whether occurring recently or years ago. Friday, May 8, at 7:00 PM, Sacred Heart of Mary Church, 200 Preston Ave, Weirton. Confessions at 5:30 PM. Please call 304-723-0478 to RSVP.

PRAY FOR *Jude Ella Hicks* who receives the Sacrament of Confirmation at St. Joseph the Worker Church in Weirton, on Sunday, May 10.

MOTHERS' DAY CARDS are available in the gathering space. The cost is \$2. They will be placed on the altar on Mothers' Day, May 10, and there is a card to give your mother or to keep. After you fill them out, please drop the envelopes in the collection basket or bring them to the parish office before Mothers' Day weekend. If you bring them on Mothers' Day, please give them to an usher or place them on the altar before Mass begins. Mass on Mothers' Day will be for "***All Mothers Both Living and Deceased.***"

MOTHERS' DAY BREAKFAST The Men's club will host a Mothers' Day Breakfast on Sunday, May 10, following Mass. Please sign up at the podium in the gathering space.

WINE TASTING Saturday, May 16, 6:00-9:00 PM, Madonna High School Gym. Adults 21 & over only. Tickets are \$20 and can be purchased at the door. They still need homemade wine and brandy makers to join them. If you are interested, call Mike, 304-670-0722.

BACCALAUREATE MASS for *Vanessa Dicks* will be at the 8:30 AM Mass, May 31.

ST. PAUL CEMETERY in Weirton is looking for someone to help with weed whacking and other outside work. Please call Bob or Darlene at 304-723-0622 for more information. Employment is dependent on background check and VIRTUS training.

SCHEDULES New Liturgical Minister schedules are available in the gathering space for May / June. You can also view it on our website: <https://immaculateconceptionnc.org>.

CATHOLIC SHARING APPEAL

Goal	\$9,760
Status	\$3,745
Donors	13
Percentage	39%

Once we reach 50% of our goal, **ALL** donations return to the parish tax-free. **Thank you!**

