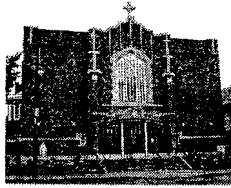


18TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

AUGUST 2, 2009



Saint Bridget's Church
14 Mark Street, Rochester, NY 14605
Church Office & Rectory 585-454-4236
Office Hours: 8:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m., Monday-Friday
www.saintbridgets.net; Email: rstbridg@dor.org

OUR MISSION: St. Bridget's Church is called to respond to the wonderful and incredible good news of Jesus by attracting a diverse community of believers who worship, love one another, advocate, and serve as catalysts for change.



Immaculate Conception Church
445 Frederick Douglass Street, Rochester, NY 14608
Church Office & Rectory 585-325-3893
Office Hours: 12:00 noon – 4:00 p.m., Monday-Friday
www.immaculateconceptionrochester.com; Email: rimmacul@dor.org

**A ROMAN CATHOLIC COMMUNITY
OF AFRICAN AMERICAN TRADITION**

We've Come This Far By Faith

Fr. Paul Gitau, Parochial Administrator

Brownlie Graham, Business Manager

Tracy Jordan, Parish Secretary

For the Week of August 2, 2009

St. Bridget's - TV Mass on RCTV Ch 15 (Time Warner city access)

NOTE: NEW DAY/TIME – Monday 8 a.m. & Thursday 8 a.m.

St. Bridget's – Choir Rehearsal...Wed. – 7:00 p.m.

Immaculate Conception –Choir Rehearsal... Thurs. -Women-6:00 pm; (First & Second Thurs.)

Men-6:30 pm; (Third & Fourth Thurs.)

Sacrament of Reconciliation – By Appointment

BAPTISM: Please call Fr. Gitau at either St. Bridget's—454-4236 (mornings) 14 Mark Street or Immaculate Conception—325-3893 (afternoons) 445 Frederick Douglass Street to make arrangements. New members of the parish community are most welcome. Registration cards are available at either Church Office.

MASS INTENTION

SUNDAY, AUGUST 2, 2009

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH

9:00 AM —

SPECIAL MASS INTENTION

ST. BRIDGET'S CHURCH

11:00 AM — THE MATTINA FAMILY REQUESTED BY THE JOHNSON FAMILY FOR THE PARISHIONERS OF ST. BRIDGET'S CELEBRATING BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES



SUNDAY, JULY 26, 2009

St. Bridget's

Offering: \$662.19

Attendance: 47

Immaculate Conception

Offering: \$1,165

Attendance: 87

STEWARDSHIP

"Everyone must give according to what they have inwardly decided; not sadly, not grudgingly, for God loves a cheerful giver." (2 Corinthians 9:7)



SUNDAY, AUGUST 2, 2009—EXODUS 16:2-4, 12-15(pg. 62/Missalette) EPHESIANS 4:17, 20-24(pg. 63/Missalette) JOHN 6:24-35(pg. 63/Missalette)

SUNDAY, AUGUST 9, 2009—1 KINGS 19:4-8(pg. 22/Missalette) EPHESIANS 4:30-5:2(pg. 23/Missalette) JOHN 6:41-51(pg. 23/Missalette)

ST. BRIDGET'S

OPENING/CLOSING CHURCH & SACRISTY DUTIES

1st & 5th SUNDAY — FOREST SHICK

2nd SUNDAY— CHERYL McKEIVER-DOWNS

3rd SUNDAY— MIKE & JACKIE CAMPBELL

4th SUNDAY— GREGG DISPENZA

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

ALTAR & SACRISTY DUTIES

1st SUNDAY — MUSETTE CASTLE

2nd SUNDAY — MARCIA FUGATE

3rd SUNDAY — DENISE MCGOWAN

4th & 5th SUNDAY — CLARA BRAY



Immaculate Conception Church — Please pray for the sick of the parish and for family and friends of parishioners: Lydia Broussard, Betty Charles, Collie Saunders, Anthony Frank Key Sr., Greg Barts, Emilia Ruiz (Liz Scott's grandmother) Wecliff Destouet, Oliver Harper, Nicole Evans, Pat Nguti, Clint Strickland, Kathy Wheeler, Angie Pendergrass & her three beautiful babies (Jackie Bryant's sister) Claire Mooza, Julia Johnson, Juanita Washington and Mary Ann Coley.

St. Bridget's Church — Please pray for the sick of the parish and for family and friends of parishioners: Juanita Wilson, James Mathis, Ludie Smith, Francis Smalls, Juanita Lewis, Reynolds & James Tremell, the Armand & Barnes Family, the Slater Family, Jerry Gowdy & Family, Nathaniel Small & Family, Sr. Simmons, Tréshon Alexander, the Green & Cook Families, Angela Esline, Janice Pullin, Anthony DiPonzio & family, the Rivera Family, Juliet Anderson, Alexis Armstrong, Kimberly Brown, James E. Brown, Earl Carroll, Jack & Rose Barrows and LaRue Young.



ST. BRIDGET'S — COFFEE HOUR

AUGUST 2, 2009—JULIE SHICK

AUGUST 9, 2009—SUSAN DESMORE

SUNDAY, AUGUST 2, 2009

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION—ALTAR SERVERS

ANGIE SCOTT — CALEB SHAW

ST. BRIDGET'S—ALTAR SERVERS

KYLE JOHNSON — COURTNEY DAVIS

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION—READERS

READER I — KATHRYN CASTLE

READER II — MARCIA FUGATE

ST. BRIDGET'S — READERS

READER I — ANDRIA PULLARO

READER II — DELAINE COOK-GREEN

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION—MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

GEORGE FONTENETTE — DON TOYER

ST. BRIDGET'S—MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

LISA TIBERIO — WALTER DeROUEN — GERRY CLARK

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION—USHERS

DENISE MCGOWAN — VICTORIAN DOUCETTE

WAYNE UTER — TIM SULLIVAN

ST. BRIDGET'S—USHERS

SUSAN DESMORE — PAT COOPER

SUNDAY, AUGUST 9, 2009

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION—ALTAR SERVERS

GABRIEL PERALES — RANDALL JOHN

ST. BRIDGET'S—ALTAR SERVERS

JULIAN BARTHELEMY — KOBE BARTHELEMY

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION—READERS

READER I — KATHRYN WHEELER

READER II — PHYLLIS BARNES

ST. BRIDGET'S — READERS

READER I — LISA TIBERIO

READER II — WALTER DeROUEN

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION—MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

RAMONA MOORE — CLARA BRAY

ST. BRIDGET'S—MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

JULIE SHICK — COURTNEY DAVIS — FOREST SHICK

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION—USHERS

GEORGE FONTENETTE — LEE WINGO

JULIAN BELL — MICHAEL NWOKELO

ST. BRIDGET'S—USHERS

ANDRIA PULLARO — DELAINE COOK-GREEN

STEWARDSHIP PRAYER

My church is composed of people like me. I help make it what it is. It will be friendly, if I am. It's pews will be filled, if I help fill them. It will do great work, if I work. It will make generous gifts to many causes, if I am a generous giver. It will bring other people into its worship and fellowship, if I invite and bring them. It will be a church of loyalty and love, of fearlessness and faith, and a church with a noble spirit, if I, who make it what it is, am filled with these same things. Therefore, with the help of God, I shall dedicate myself to the task of being all the things I want my church to be. Amen.

KYLE JOHNSON IS ON THE BIG SCREEN CHECK IT OUT!!!

Kyle is featured in an amazing production. **Songs of Freedom** is a multi-media, interactive, educational project about the Underground Railroad. The project uses text, video, storytelling, and contemporary music to engage students and enrich learning. Follow Imani and her family as they escape slavery by foot, by wagon, by boat and by their own wits. The centerpiece of **Songs of Freedom** is a half-hour film that incorporates vivid storytelling, contemporary music, live action and visual art. Several young people from our community were chosen to be the children who are sketching and drawing the story as it unfolds; Kyle was one of the youth selected and completed the taping a couple of months ago. This production will be showcased throughout schools in Rochester and beyond. On August 12th at 5p.m. at the Rochester Museum and Science Center (625 East Avenue) there will be a private showing of the production-Johnson family would like to invite you to attend. Please call us at 338-9482 if interested and we can get your name added to list. You can also check out the website which will provide you with a synopsis of the production as well as the amazing story of how this all came to fruition. The website is <http://www.songsoffreedom.net/creativeTeam.php>.

Peace and blessings, Cory & Tanishia Johnson

THANK YOU

Thank you Immaculate Conception Community for donating can goods to our Religious Education class, who donated the can goods to St. Bridget's Food Cupboard.

GREAT NEWS ABOUT 2 OF ST. BRIDGET'S YOUTH

Nathaniel Medina graduated from Charlotte High School in June with a New York State Regents Diploma. Nate will be attending Ohio State University and on July 25th, Nate left to begin his collegial studies in Culinary Arts. Jackie, his younger sister, has also moved to Ohio with him, as she will be attending Jobs Corps and pursuing a career in Nursing. We are proud of Nate and Jackie and will continue to pray for their success!! We would like to share their address for anyone wishing to send words of encouragement, cards, donations, etc. as they both begin a new chapter in their lives. Nathaniel & Jackie Medina, 3379 West 95th Street, Cleveland, Ohio 44102.

BUILDING PEACE WITH JUSTICE

The bread of God gives life to the world.... and the crowd in today's Gospel responds, "Sir, give us this bread always." Sometimes our participation in the Eucharist can become so routine, we take this gift for granted. Reflect on your desire for the Eucharistic bread and renew your commitment to Jesus, the Bread of Life. Action: The motto of "Bread for the World" is "Have Faith, End Hunger." One way we can put our faith into action is by supporting new legislation that will create a Global Hunger Advisor to the White House, who will coordinate US Policy and international cooperation to meet the Challenge of Global Hunger. Call 1-866-569-FOOD to voice support for HR 2817.

Congratulations!

Congratulations to Kathy Wheeler for completing the Parish Visitation Training hosted by Blessed Sacrament Church in June of this year. The training will enable Kathy to share her faith and visit those brothers and sisters who are unable to attend Sunday Masses at Immaculate Conception.

Congratulations to Gerard Clark for his recent completion of studying the Sacred Scripture at St. Bernard's School of Theology & Ministry. His completed course of study in Bible Study Leadership will enable him to lead a Bible Study Class at St. Bridget's Church.

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION & ST. BRIDGET'S ANNUAL PARISH PICNIC HAS BEEN CANCELLED.



WELCOME

St. Bridget's Church
14 Mark Street, Rochester, NY 14605

Celebration for the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Saturday, August 15, 2009

11:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.



To All St. Bridget's & Immaculate Conception parishioners, KIWANIS Club of Irondequoit, Residents of St. Bridget's Neighborhood, CONEA & Friends. We hope that everyone attending this Assumption Day Holy Mass & Celebration will have a good time for spiritual enrichment, enjoy plenty of food, a pig roast, drinks, ice cream, enjoy meeting old and new friends and go home a blessed person.

PROGRAM

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| 11:00 a.m. | Short Procession around neighborhood singing hymns and praying Rosary |
| 11:45 a.m. | Crowning of the Statue of Mary outside the Church |
| 12:00 noon | Holy Mass |
| 1:00 p.m. | Lunch & Recreation <ul style="list-style-type: none">❖ Pig Roast❖ Food❖ Drinks |
| 4:00 p.m. | Ice Cream |
| 5:00 p.m. | People leave at their own pleasure |

St. Bridget's/Immaculate Conception Church Family Business Directory

PLEASE SUPPORT THESE ADVERTISERS WHO HELP SUPPORT OUR CHURCHES

<p>CONEA 471 HUDSON AVE, ROCHESTER, NY 14605 PH 585-325-1311 <i>Neighbors revitalize the upper falls community</i></p>	<p>RONCONE'S RESTAURANT FINEST ITALIAN FOODS 232 LYELL AVENUE, ROCHESTER, NY 14606 585-458-3090</p>	<p>BBQ PETE CUSTOM CATERING 585-509-7786</p>
<p>HERREMA'S MARKETPLACE YOUR HOMETOWN SUPERMARKET DAVE BREEN - 585-342-4240</p>	<p>VISION - X BAND MANCHET - LA CD CONTACT: ISMAEL BARTHELEMY 585-820-4490</p>	<p>KING & QUEEN CROWNS 449 LYELL AVNEUE, ROCHESTER, NY 14606 Phone: 585-730-7453 BUSINESS HOURS: TUES - WED 9AM - 5 PM THURS - SAT 9 AM - 7 PM</p>
<p>GOD BLESS DEACON CHUCK KIWANIS CLUB - IRONDEQUOIT</p>	<p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF TITUS J. SCOTT LOVE ALWAYS, YOUR WIFE & DAUGHTERS</p>	<p>GOD BLESS! MARY DWELLEY</p>
<p>PLEASE REMEMBER IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH IN YOUR WILL!</p>	<p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF MY PARENTS JAN & GENOWEFA KLICKOWICZ LOVE EVA KLICKOWICZ</p>	<p>PLEASE REMEMBER ST. BRIDGET'S CHURCH IN YOUR WILL!</p>
<p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF PEDRO RUIZ THE SCOTT FAMILY</p>	<p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF MY PARENTS RAYMOND & ROSA COOPER RAMONA MOORE</p>	<p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF SANDRA WRIGHT LAMARTINA FAMILY</p>
<p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF BENNIE BRASS LOVE CHRIS & ASHLEY BRASS</p>	<p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF MY WIFE ILONA WHITE ALPHONSE WHITE</p>	<p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF FREIDA McCRAY FONTENETTE FAMILY</p>
<p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF GERARD MARTIN PIERRE-PHILIPPE FAMILY</p>	<p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF BENNIE BRASS, DAVID MILES & TITUS SCOTT IMMACULATE CONCEPTION LITURGICAL DANCERS</p>	<p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF AMELIA K. CULHANE WITH LOVE & PRAYERS MARY & BOBBY LAMAGRO & KATHY CULHANE</p>
<p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF RAFAELA ORTEGA SCOTT FAMILY</p>	<p>H&R BLOCK MARCIA FUGATE, SENIOR TAX ADVISOR 1000 Hylan Drive, Rochester, NY 14623 Tel 585-424-2320/Fax 585 424 2216 - hrblock.com</p>	<p>GOD BLESS! DAVID GREENE</p>
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AND PLEASE COME AGAIN.