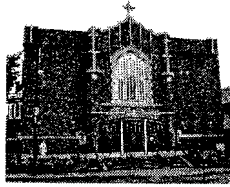


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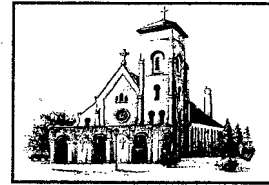
AUGUST 23, 2009



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: rillacul@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 23, 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 23, 2009

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH

9:00 AM — DAVID MILES (R.I.P.) REQUESTED BY THE FONTENETTE FAMILY

ST. BRIDGET'S CHURCH

11:00 AM — JODI NEMECHEK (R.I.P.) REQUESTED BY THE GRAPER FAMILY

SPECIAL INTENTIONS FOR THE PARISHIONERS OF
ST. BRIDGET'S CELEBRATING BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES



SUNDAY, AUGUST 23, 2009—JOSHUA 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b
(pg. 30/Missalette) EPHESIANS 5:21-32(pg. 31/Missalette) JOHN
6:60-69(pg. 32/Missalette)

SUNDAY, AUGUST 30, 2009—DEUTERONOMY 4:1-2, 6-8(pg.
32/Missalette) JAMES 1:17-18, 21b-22, 27(pg. 33/Missalette) MARK 7:1-8, 14-
15, 21-23(pg. 34/Missalette)

ST. BRIDGET'S	IMMACULATE CONCEPTION
OPENING/CLOSING CHURCH & SACRISTY DUTIES	ALTAR & SACRISTY DUTIES
1st & 5th SUNDAY — FOREST SHICK	1st SUNDAY — MUSETTE CASTLE
2nd SUNDAY— CHERYL McKEIVER-DOWNS	2nd SUNDAY — MARCIA FUGATE
3rd SUNDAY— MIKE & JACKIE CAMPBELL	3rd SUNDAY — DENISE MCGOWAN
4th SUNDAY— GREGG DISPENZA	4th & 5th SUNDAY — CLARA BRAY

SUNDAY, AUGUST 23, 2009

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION—ALTAR SERVERS

KAILA KNIGHT — TERRANCE BOOKER

ST. BRIDGET'S—ALTAR SERVERS

DELAINE COOK-GREEN — KYLE JOHNSON

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION—READERS

READER I — EARL BARNES

READER II — RUTH MILLER

ST. BRIDGET'S —READERS

READER I — TANISHIA JOHNSON

READER II — COURTNEY DAVIS

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION—MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

JACKIE BRYANT — MARCIA FUGATE

ST. BRIDGET'S—MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

LISA TIBERIO — WALTER DeROUEN — GERRY CLARK

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION—USHERS

DENISE MCGOWAN — TIM SULLIVAN

CLARA BRAY — MORRIS DOUCETTE

ST. BRIDGET'S—USHERS

SUSAN DESMORE — JOE CATALLI

SUNDAY, AUGUST 16, 2009

St. Bridget's

Offering: \$1,070.22

Attendance: 53

Immaculate Conception

Offering: \$1,282

Attendance:

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)



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 Bartus, 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 Esltine, 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 23, 2009—JULIE SHICK

AUGUST 30, 2009—SUSAN DESMORE

SUNDAY, AUGUST 30, 2009

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION—ALTAR SERVERS

KENNETH FENDERSON — KEVIN PERALES

ST. BRIDGET'S—ALTAR SERVERS

KOBE BARTHELEMY — JULIAN BARTHELEMY

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION—READERS

READER I — DENISE MCGOWAN

READER II — MAKEEDA BOOKER

ST. BRIDGET'S —READERS

READER I — MAXINE CHILDRESS BROWN

READER II — COURTNEY DAVIS

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION—MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

RAMONA MOORE — CLARA BRAY

ST. BRIDGET'S—MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

FOREST SHICK — JULIE SHICK — DELAINE COOK-GREEN

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION—USHERS

JULIAN BELL — LEE WINGO

GEORGE FONTENETTE — WAYNE UTER

ST. BRIDGET'S—USHERS

ANDRIA PULLARO — SUSAN DESMORE

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.

ST. MONICA CHURCH TEMPORARY LOCATIONS

The New St. Monica Parish is alive with the Spirit of God as we journey to temporary sites while our building is renovated:

Our Saturday 4:00 PM Mass will be held at **5:00 PM** Aenon Baptist Church, 175 Genesee Street, Rochester

Please note: Saturday Mass will be held at **5:00 PM** at Aenon Baptist Church on these dates—August 8th . . . September 5th . . . September 12th

Our Sunday 9:00 AM Mass will be held at Staybridge Inn 1000 Genesee Street, Rochester

Emmanuel Church of the Deaf—Sunday 11:00 AM Mass will also be held at Staybridge Inn, 1000 Genesee Street, Rochester



CORN HILL ARTS FESTIVAL

Thank you to everyone who helped make this year's Corn Hill Arts Festival a success. Your dedication and hard work is truly appreciated. A special thanks to Bill Castle and Don Toyer for coordinating and donating various items to the festival.

*Immaculate Conception
Corn Hill Arts Festival
Profit—\$3,800*

BUILDING PEACE WITH JUSTICE

How easy it is to forget the times when God has carried us through troubles or guided us on the right path. Life returns to "normal" and we are once again attracted to the false gods of money, technology, recreation, work, beauty, even family and church - things that are not bad in their own right, but can occupy the primary place that God should have in our lives. Jesus offers himself to us as the Bread of Life fully accepting that gift can bring balance to everything else. Following Jesus may call us to give up the things that have become our priority in order to make time and resources available for prayer and reflection, for being fully present to the people in our lives, and to care for the well-being of our more vulnerable neighbors.

A NOTE FROM THE SHEPHERD

While I will be away for my annual vacation, please welcome the following priests. Fr. Paul Gitau

Sunday, August 23

Immaculate Conception—9:00 a.m. Mass
Fr. Bernard Dollen

St. Bridget's—11:00 a.m. Mass
Fr. William Cosgrove

Sunday, August 30

Immaculate Conception—9:00 a.m. Mass
Fr. Mike Sergi, Notre Dame Retreat Center

St. Bridget's—11:00 a.m. Mass
Fr. Mike Sergi, Notre Dame Retreat Center

Sunday, September 6 & 13

Immaculate Conception—9:00 a.m. Mass
Fr. Robert Bradler

St. Bridget's—11:00 a.m. Mass
Fr. Robert Bradler

FAITH FUTBOL GAME

UNIQUE FUNDRAISING OPPORTUNITY with the Rochester Rhinos! On September 13, the Rhinos will be hosting the first ever "Faith Futbol" Day, where parishes/youth groups/NCYC groups can purchase discounted tickets from the Rhinos and earn funds for their programs.

Here's how it works:

- You promote the day in your parish/group/etc.
- Participants order tickets through you at \$10 per ticket.
- You buy tickets from the Rhinos at \$5 per ticket.
- You earn \$5 for every ticket sold!
- Plus, it doesn't end there! Kicking off a day of fun at 12 noon, there will be the "Faith Futbol Match" where your youth minister, DRE, or even Priest can participate in an on-field soccer match!

FOR MORE DETAILS CONTACT: Geri Pietrzak, CYO Director, or Rich Randall at the Rhinos (rrandall@rhinossoccer.com) for more info.

ST. BRIDGET'S CHURCH

St. Bridget's annual parish meeting will be held on **Sunday, September 27th** following Mass and the Church Family Council meeting on **Saturday, September 26th** at 8:00 AM.

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 AVENUE, 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>
<p>ATRIA TECHNOLOGIES - FOREST SHICK PO Box 896, Webster, New York 14580 Phone: 585-721-1653 Email: fshick@atriatechnologies.com Web: www.atriatechnologies.com ELECTRONICS, SOFTWARE AND FIRMWARE DESIGN SERVICES</p>	<p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF BENNIE BRASS PIERRE-PHILIPPE FAMILY</p>	<p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF THE DECEASED MEMBERS OF IMMACULATE CONCEPTION & ST. BRIDGET'S CHURCH TOM & NELLIE BOSTICK</p>

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WE ARE BLESSED BY YOUR COMING
AND PLEASE COME AGAIN.