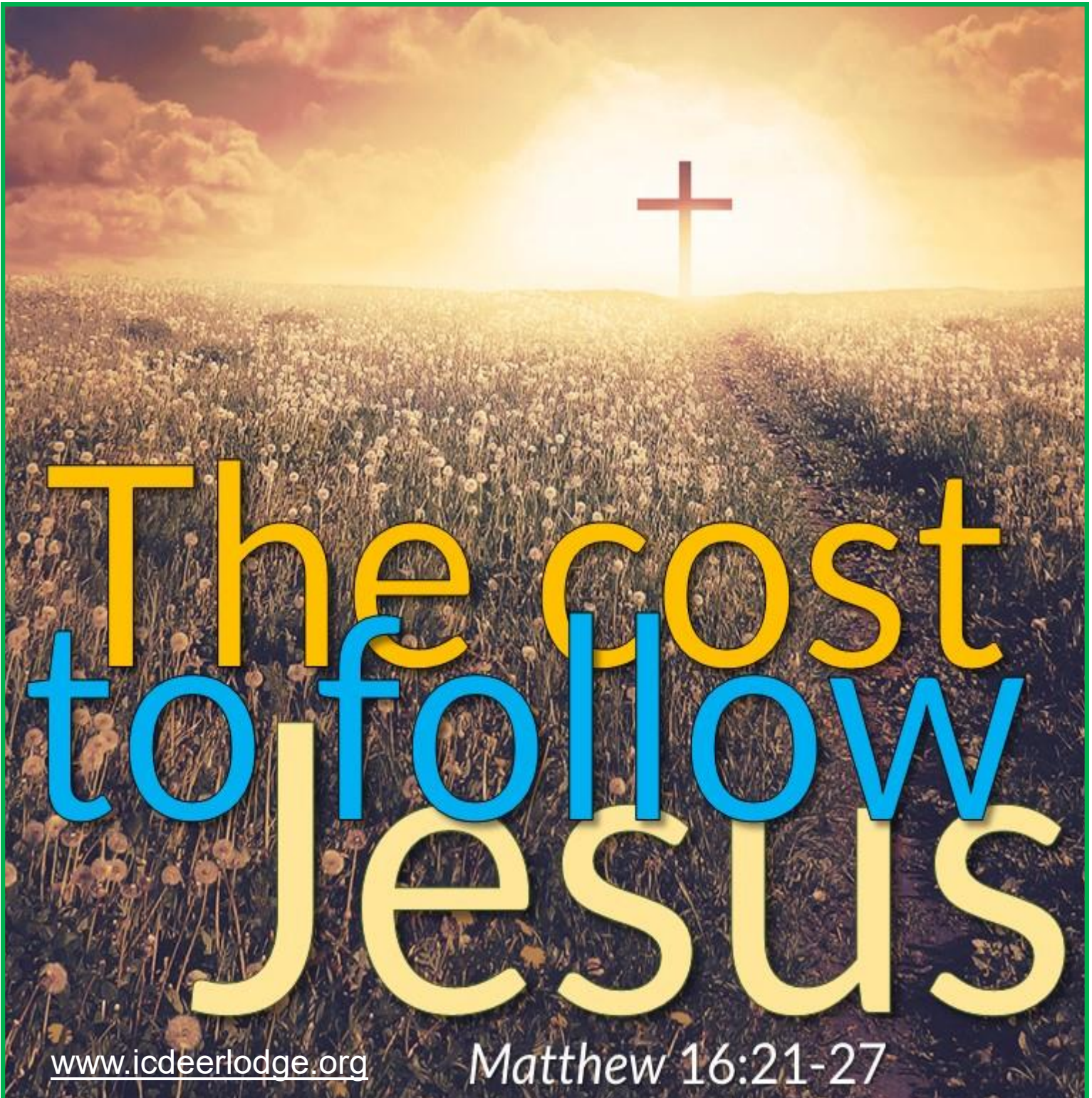




Immaculate Conception Catholic Church & St. Theodore Mission



Sept. 3rd – 22nd Sunday Ordinary Time



**The cost
to follow
Jesus**

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Matthew 16:21-27

MASS SCHEDULE Event Calendar

WEEKEND MASS TIMES

Immaculate Conception —Deer Lodge

Confessions/Reconciliation
Saturday 3:30 till 4:30 p.m.
Saturday Vigil Mass 5:00 p.m.
Sunday Mass 9:00 a.m.

St. Theodore—Avon

Sunday Mass 11:15 a.m.

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

Tuesday through Friday

8:00 a.m.—Immaculate Conception
Rosary before daily Mass @ 7:40 a.m.
(Monday—No Mass)

Funeral Masses will generally be held at 11:00 a.m. and the 8:00 a.m. Mass that day will be cancelled.

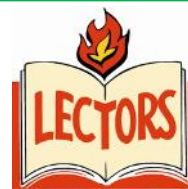
The Sacrament of Penance/Reconciliation may also be scheduled by appointment.

Upcoming Events: (Mark your Calendars)

Fri, Sep. 1st, 6:00 pm, Megan Thompson Vigil
Sat. Sep. 2nd, 11:00 am, Megan Thompson Funeral
Sun. Sep. 3rd, 1:00 pm, Margaret Thompson Wedding Reception @ SMC
Mon. Sep. 4th, Fr. Joe's Day Off
Tue. Sep. 5th, 9:00 am, No Money Counting
Tue. Sep. 5th, 10:00 am, Fr. Joe's Mtg. with CCS
Wed. Sep. 6th, 1:30 pm, Mass at MSP
Wed. Sep. 6th, 6:00 pm, Capital Campaign Training
Thu. Sep. 7th, 11:00 am, Fr. Joe Mtg.



Thank You to all the Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers for being diligent in keeping your appointed times or getting a substitute. Please keep it up.



DOW	Date	Lector	EM Blood 1	EM Blood 2
Sat	9/2	Richards, M.	Powell, J.	Issacson, K.
Sun	9/3	Platt, Karen Ann	Heiydt, D.	McMahon, J.
Sat	9/9	Thompson, K	Thompson, P.	Hogan, L.
Sun	9/10	Cook, P	Phillips, K.	Krach, R.
Sat	9/16	Hogan, L	Cook, A.	Hunter, L.
Sun	9/17	Dumont, S	Hollenback, C.	Hollenback, J.

Mass Intentions



The week of Sep. 2nd through Sep. 8th

Sat. 5:00 pm Mickey Sullivan rb Kathy Isaacson
Sun. 9:00 am Pro Populo (For the People)
Mon. No Mass Mary & Jim Parker/Family rb Andy & Patty Cook
Tue. 8:00 am Jimmy Parker rb Andy & Patty Cook
Wed. 8:00 am Kathy Stelling rb Andy & Patty Cook
Thu. 8:00 am Fr. Jack Murray rb Andy & Patty Cook
Fri. 8:00 am Dede & Glenn Cook rb Andy & Patty Cook

St. Theodore Mass Intentions:

9/3/23 Val Benson rb Paul & Kathy Thompson
9/10/23 Jack Price Family rb Verlanic Family
9/17/23 Val Benson rb Mary Badgett

If you Google "Bishop Vetter Youtube" you will be presented with a series of Youtube videos that he is doing each Friday for the Diocese. They would be interesting starting points for family or Bible discussions.



Megan Thompson

Memorials:

Gerry Starek
Lori Hunter

Eternal rest grant unto her o Lord, may she rest in peace.



We received delivery of two fold up ping-pong tables this past week so now all we need to do is have an assembly party to put them together. We also have two new foosball tables to assemble. These along with corn-hole and all sorts of board games will be available for our parishioners to enjoy in the soon to be established game room.

Make a Holy Moment

School is back in session so be extra careful and watch out for children walking or running around the church property since the grade schools are next door to us.





We sold another \$2,094 worth of stuff last Saturday with another \$1,608 after the sale sales for a total of \$3,712 this past week. Added to the \$4,964 from the prior weekend and special sales gives us a total of **\$8,666**. There is still almost a full garage worth of stuff left including furniture, clothes, shoes, stereo equipment, records, CDs, and much much more. We are checking with the Good Samaritan Thrift Store in Helena to see if they would be willing to bring over their big truck and haul what they want back to Helena. What is left will go to the dump. The inside of the house is empty now except for a few personal items being saved for family members. Once the garage is cleared out we will be ready to sell the property. We will consider legitimate private offers first before we do a public listing.



Bishop Vetter does a weekly video that are available on YouTube and at the Diocese of Helena Website. This past Friday he went up on the scaffolding around the Cathedral to talk about the repair work being done. Each week he does a different 5 minute video about something going on in the Diocese, so check them out.

RCIA ...a journey in faith
Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

Baptism
Confirmation
Eucharist

It is time to start thinking about our next class of candidates to join the Church next Easter. We will plan on starting classes every two weeks sometime in September, but first we need people. If you know of someone that has been considering investigating the Catholic Faith, this would be a good opportunity for them to come and learn more. No obligation. It is also a way for current Catholics to dig deeper into their faith as we cover a multitude of topics that people may or may not be familiar with. Give Fr. Joe a call if you or someone you know is interested in knowing more about the journey.

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HE FIRST
Loved
US...

A CAMPAIGN FOR CATHOLIC LIFE

The Bishop gave a good overview of the Capital Campaign last Saturday at the ice-cream social and set the stage for us going forward with the pilot phase of the campaign. We have a goal of \$259,000 for the IC parish and \$25,000 for St. Theodore Mission. 40% of the money raised will be returned to the individual parishes for their own use. Fr. Joe has been calling a number of people to get the process started and asking them to commit to pledging money for the campaign. We will be training additional helpers this week at the meeting on September 6th at 6:00 pm to visit with all the remaining members of the parishes to ask them to commit to helping meet our goals. If you would be willing to go out and visit with people about the campaign, please give Fr. Joe a call as soon as possible to discuss what is involved. He really needs some help because he won't be able to visit personally with all the families. He will be available if anyone does want to talk about the campaign in more detail.

Sept. Birthdays

Day	Last	First
3	O'Hara	Dwight
6	Hogan	Linda
6	Phillips	Karen
7	Lombardi	Ellie
14	Christnact	Janet
14	Javier	Ethyl
14	Lombardi	Meron
16	Senecal	John



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A generous parishioner has bought up the remaining ad space and offered it up for inspiring quotes each week. So be sure to check out the back page each week for the quote of the week.



ROTO-ROOTER

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“There is one thing that God is trying to say to you at the moment. You are resisting it, avoiding it, ignoring it. Surrender to it, and your life will change beginning today.” (Matthew Kelly)



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SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION

Infant Baptism: Parents must be registered & active members of this parish or of another parish with family here in the parish (i.e., parents). Letter of permission from Pastor if parents are from outside the parish. Two Godparents who are registered and active members of their parish, one male and one female. Contact the Pastor before infant's due date to arrange date and time.

Holy Matrimony: Couples discerning this sacrament should contact the Pastor immediately after becoming engaged. NOTE: the diocese requires a minimum of 6 months advance notice regarding the intention to marry. Couples wishing to marry in the parish must be registered and active members of the parish, or individuals who have moved away whose parents are still active in the parish. Couples from other parishes must obtain a letter of permission to marry outside of their own parish.

Anointing of the Sick: Individuals who have been diagnosed as terminally or gravely ill or are preparing for invasive surgery should request this sacrament. Confession ordinarily proceeds receiving the sacrament of the sick, call the church office at 846-4114 to make arrangements.

Adult Confirmation, Adult Baptism (RCIA), and Adult Reception into Full Communion with the Church: If you, a family member, or a friend has not received the sacrament of confirmation, or are interested in being baptized into the Faith, or received into full communion with the Church, please contact the Pastor. Process will be discerned on an individual basis based on preparedness.

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WEEKLY OFFERTORY COLLECTION

3rd & 4th Sun. August 1/1/22 - YTD

\$ 2,123 Immaculate Conception \$ 53,772

\$ 420 St. Theodore \$ 15,452

Online Giving for Aug.: \$ 7,885 \$ 62,620