



# THE CHURCH OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

## SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT



**Then a cloud came, casting a shadow over them; then from the cloud came a voice, "This is my beloved Son. Listen to him." - MARK 9:7**

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### FEBRUARY 25, 2018 | SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

#### Mass Schedule

Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday	7:30 am
Thursday	8:30 am
Saturday	5:00 pm
Sunday	8:00 and 10:00 am

#### San Damiano Adoration Chapel

Open weekdays	7:00 am - 4:00 pm
<i>Door code needed after 4:00 pm   Questions? Call 763-789-3246</i>	
Reconciliation	
Saturday	3:30 - 4:30 pm

Stations of the Cross Fridays during Lent at 2:00 and 7:00 pm.

#### Mission Statement

The Mission of Immaculate Conception Catholic Church is to proclaim and celebrate our Lord Jesus Christ. We fulfill our mission as Christian disciples by intentionally responding to God's call to grow in holiness.

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## 2018 Archdiocesan Men's Conference, Saturday, March 10

All men of the Archdiocese of St. Paul and Minneapolis are invited to this annual tradition. The conference will be Saturday, March 10, 9:30 am – 4:00 pm (doors open at 8:30 am) at St. Thomas Academy, 949 Mendota Heights Road, Mendota Heights. The cost is \$25. Keynote speaker: Monsignor Thomas Richter, the new Rector of The St. Paul Seminary. This event includes Mass, Reconciliation and break-out sessions. Food trucks will be available to purchase lunch or you can bring your own. Register online at [www.thecatholicwatchmen.com](http://www.thecatholicwatchmen.com) or contact Enzo Randazzo at 651-291-4483 or [randazzo@archspm.org](mailto:randazzo@archspm.org).

## 2018 Catholic Services Appeal

If you have not yet given your gift in support of the 18 Collective Ministries of this Archdiocese to the Catholic Services Appeal, please prayerfully consider God's gifts in your life and consider making a pledge. Every gift is important and helps to strengthen our Catholic family and this Archdiocese. The 18 Collective Ministries served by the Catholic Services Appeal are: American Indian Ministry, Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women (ACCW), Campus Ministry – Newman Center, Campus Ministry – Saint Paul's Outreach, Catholic Charities, Deaf Ministry, Elementary School Subsidies and Scholarships, Evangelization and Catechesis, High School Scholarships, Hospital Chaplains, Latino Ministry, Marriage, Family and Life, Parishes, Prison Chaplains, Saint John Vianney College Seminary, The Saint Paul Seminary, Venezuelan Mission, Rachel's Vineyard Twin Cities. These ministries cannot be funded by any single parish but rather need support from all of us. Our parish appeal goal is \$33,621.00. You can offer a gift to the appeal using the envelope sent to you, or you can visit the appeal website at [www.csafspm.org](http://www.csafspm.org) to make a pledge or gift. Thank you!

## A Lent to Remember

I invite you to journey with me this Lent in our parish-wide study called *A Lent to Remember* which focuses on the transforming power of God's mercy in the Sacrament of Confession. There are four videos (plus a bonus episode for children) to watch and discuss. The videos are found online at FORMED.org. To register for FREE with FORMED, go to [www.FORMED.org](http://www.FORMED.org) and enter our parish access code **VKQPF9**, then enter your email and create a password. We currently have 149 parishioners signed up with FORMED through our parish subscription which is great! You can participate in *A Lent to Remember* with your family, co-workers, neighbors, friends or by yourself. You can also join us here at church in Fellowship Hall on Mondays at 7:00 - 8:30 pm or on Wednesdays at 1:00 - 2:30 pm.

Here is the schedule:

- Lent Week 1 video: *Forgiven - Where Are You?*
- Lent Week 2 video: *Forgiven - An Encounter with Mercy*
- Lent Week 3 video: *Forgiven - Embraced in Mercy, The Rite Explained*
- Lent Week 4 video: *Symbolon - The Paschal Mystery*
- Bonus Episode: *Forgiven - For Children, How to Make a Good Confession*

If you have questions, please contact Mary Nawrocki at our Faith Formation Office, 763-788-9062, x 210 or [mnawrocki@immac-church.org](mailto:mnawrocki@immac-church.org).

God Bless You,

Father John Mitchell

## Readings and Observances



### Sunday, February 25, 2nd Sunday of Lent

Gn 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18/Ps 116:10, 15, 16-17, 18-19 [9]/  
Rom 8:31b-34/Mk 9:2-10

### Monday, February 26

Dn 9:4b-10/Ps 79:8, 9, 11 and 13 [cf. 103:10a]/Lk 6:36-38

### Tuesday, February 27

Is 1:10, 16-20/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23 [23b]/Mt 23:1-12

### Wednesday, February 28

Jer 18:18-20/Ps 31:5-6, 14, 15-16 [17b]/Mt 20:17-28

### Thursday, March 1

Jer 17:5-10/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 [40:5a]/Lk 16:19-31

### Friday, March 2, Day of abstinence

Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a/Ps 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21 [5a]/  
Mt 21:33-43, 45-46

### Saturday, March 3, St. Katharine Drexel, Virgin

Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12 [8a]/  
Lk 15:1-3, 11-32

### Sunday, March 4, 3rd Sunday of Lent

Ex 20:1-17 or 20:1-3, 7-8, 12-17/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 [Jn 6:68c]/  
1 Cor 1:22-25/Jn 2:13-25

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## Upcoming Events at IC!

### Women's Lenten Retreat

*Because of His Name—Finding Courage to Live Authentically* presented by Angela Jendro at Immaculate Conception Church on Saturday, March 3, 2018. Check-in/continental breakfast: 8:30 am - 9:00 am, retreat: 9:00 am - 12:00 pm, lunch to follow. Admission \$18.00 (lunch included). For more information contact Vicki at 763-788-9062 x 212.

Registration forms are available at all entrances of the church. Please sign up as soon as possible!

### Healing Mass

Tuesday, March 13, 2018 at 7:00 pm—Fr. Jim Livingston, celebrant. All are welcome!

### Youth Gathering (See page 7)

Saturday, March 17, 2018, 9:00 am - 12:00 pm. *"Made for Happiness: Dare to Want More"* presented by Denise Hirl (St. Paul Street Evangelization), IC's Sarah Ashmore. Cost \$5. Register at [www.stpaulse.com/columbiaheights/](http://www.stpaulse.com/columbiaheights/)

### Bingo and Ham Raffle

Sunday, March 18, 2018, 12:30 - 3:30 pm. Four, 10 game bingo sessions with a cover-all at the end of the 4<sup>th</sup> session. Snacks and beverages available for purchase. Win a ham in a raffle!

### Lenten Fish Dinners

March 9 and March 23 in Fellowship Hall, 4:30 - 6:30 pm. Cod fish, mac and cheese, baked beans, baked potato, coleslaw, bread roll, dessert and beverage. Adults and seniors, \$10, ages 6 - 11, \$5, ages 5 and under free. All are welcome!

For more information visit [ICCSonline.org](http://ICCSonline.org).

## Eucharistic Adoration

*"This is my beloved Son. Listen to Him."*

(Mark 9:7)

Our Eucharistic adoration chapel is the perfect place to listen to what Jesus has to say. Our chapel is a quiet, peaceful, prayer-filled place where Jesus speaks to each adorer. Over time, adorers improve listening skills and then realize what Jesus is saying to them. Come to our adoration chapel this Lent and experience the grace, peace and understanding of Jesus's words. All are welcome.

Adorers are urgently needed for the following hours:

- Mondays at 3:00 pm
- Wednesdays at 2:00 pm
- Thursdays at 11:00 am and noon
- Fridays at 8:00 am

Partner adorers are needed for the following hours:

- Mondays at 1:00 pm
- Tuesdays at 1:00 pm and 3:00 pm
- Wednesdays at 3:00 pm, 5:00 pm and 7:00 pm
- Thursdays at 8:00 pm
- Fridays at 7:00 pm

Please consider joining this prayer-fill ministry and volunteer for one of the hours listed above. To sign up call Sandy at 763-789-3246 or Fran at 763-788-0924.

## Pastoral Ministry

### Fellowship

Join us this Sunday, February 25 in Fellowship Hall (lower level of the church), for fellowship, hosted by the ICCW.

### Anointing Mass

All are welcome to attend an Anointing Mass (presided by Father John Mitchell) at the following location:

#### Crest View

4444 Reservoir Boulevard NE • Columbia Heights  
March 7, 2018 at 3:15 pm

Individual Anointing of the Sick is available by request—call the parish office at 763-788-9062 x 212.



### Lenten Soup Lunch

Join us on Friday, March 2 from 11:30 am - 1:30 pm for Soup Lunch followed by Stations of the Cross at 2:00 pm. This week, we will be serving all you can eat homemade Northern Bean, Clam Chowder and Tomato Basil soup. Free will offerings accepted.

### In Need of Prayer? Please Call Us.

To add a name to the weekend Mass petitions or the bulletin, please call Vicki at 763-788-9062 x 212. For private prayer call Larene at 763-789-4246.

### Pray For Our Loved Ones Who Have Died

Especially Jane Loso, Lillian Sichak, Daniel Theiler and all who have died from war. May God grant them everlasting peace and joy in the kingdom of heaven.

### Pray For All the Sick—Especially:


Amanda Allen	Joan Graves	Greg Sery
Paul Bona	Rev. James Klein	Cliff Shedlov
Claire Burgoyne	Gerald Krawiecki	Irene Spensley
Barb Breen	Tom Leight Jr.	Elaine Thunstrom
Michelle Cadieux	Randy Mancuso	Lois Weyers
Nichole Castonguay	Janet Mihalik	Germaine Wolsfeld
Pat Elmerg	Mary Ann Miller	<i>and all those on</i>
Mary Fredenburg	Lukus Reynold	<i>our prayer chain</i>

If your name was removed and you would like to continue to be on the prayer list please call 763-788-9062 x 212.



## Social Justice

IC Social Justice Committee is inviting all Parishioners to join us to help collect funds for



**WAYS TO HELP:**

- **M&M's Fill the Tube Program -**  
300 tubes available, while they last, in the church narthex.  
Return them by Palm Sunday, March 24 and 25, filled with \$14 in quarters.  
(We will provide a basket in the narthex each Sunday for returns.)
- **We are also accepting cash contributions.**  
If you're writing a check; please make it payable to Immaculate Conception.  
Please drop in the collection basket at Mass in an envelope clearly marked, "Feed My Starving Children."
- **Pray for all those who are hungry.**

For more information contact Vicki at 763-788-9062 x 212.

### Coins for Social Justice This Weekend

Social Justice raises funds to support programs that promote the gospel of peace and social justice. IC parishioners are asked to fill the collection basket with their pocket change to benefit the Social Justice Ministry. Small marked envelopes are available at all entrances to the church for those using bills or checks, only change placed directly in the basket goes to Coins for Social Justice.

## School News

**Congratulations** to Immaculate Conception School graduates that are now attending Totino-Grace High School! Totino-Grace and all other high schools our graduates attend, consistently state how prepared our students are for high school. Thank you for supporting our parish school!

#### A Honor Roll

Semeria Doe • Annie Mraz

#### B Honor Roll

Maria Case • Bryan Doty • Jacob Mraz

"To you will I offer sacrifice of thanksgiving,  
and I will call upon the name of the LORD"

Psalms 116

### Minnesota FoodShare

Saturday, March 10 - Sunday, March 11, 2018

This March, we join food shelves, faith communities, businesses, and organizations across Minnesota in acting to end hunger and food insecurity. Please bring nonperishable items for our local food shelf and/or monetary donations. Again your donations will be given directly to SACA. Boxes will be provided in the narthex for food donations. Checks or cash should be placed in an envelope marked "FoodShare" and placed in the collection basket at the Offertory (Please make checks payable to SACA).

#### Taking Action Against Hunger in Minnesota

- Over 3,000,000 visits are made to Minnesota food shelves each year.
- Approximately 552,000 Minnesotans experience food insecurity.
- 1 in 7 children in Minnesota struggle with hunger.
- Local food shelves can stretch your \$1 into enough food for 2-3 meals.
- The 2017 March Campaign raised more than 4.7 million pounds of food and \$8 million for Minnesota food shelves. Immaculate Conception was part of this success.
- 100% of financial contributions to Minnesota FoodShare via the March Campaign go to participating food shelves.

#### 2017 March Campaign Results

- 280 food shelves participated
- \$7,781,597 raised for food shelves
- \$324,500 distributed to participating food shelves via the Minnesota FoodShare FoodFund
- 4,748,756 pounds of food

"You must actively help the hungry and feed the oppressed. Then your light will dispel the darkness..."—Isaiah 58:10



## Parish News

### Butter Braid Fundraiser

CCW members will be in the narthex after all Masses to take your orders for Butter Braid pastries. Each pastry is made from sweet, yeasted pastry dough, layered with real butter and fillings of your choice. Butter Braid pastries come frozen, allowing you the choice of when to thaw, rise, bake and eat! Cost is \$13.00 each. All profits raised from our fundraisers are used to support family and pro-life ministries, including needs of our parish and school.

### The Wild Goose is Loose!

Join us for the next Intercessory Prayer Ministry meeting on Friday, March 9 from 7:00 - 8:30 pm in the St. Clare Room. We will be viewing "Segment 5: Gifts of the Holy Spirit" from the video series *The Wild Goose*, which is part of the FORMED program. This series "is a work of the Holy Spirit, which is awakening in the hearts of all those participating in God's love and transforming power." Please bring a pen, prayer journal or notebook, and your Bible. There will be time for prayer, discussion and sharing how God is answering prayers for the church and school. Refreshments and fellowship time are included. If you would like more information, please contact Mary Scott in the Faith Formation Office at 763-788-9062 x 208. All are welcome—invite a friend!

## Reflections

### Word of Life

“Sometimes our actions speak for themselves; other times, words are needed. Whatever the situation, Jesus knows how to speak to each person's heart; we simply need to follow where he leads.”

—USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities  
*How to Build a Culture of Life*, [www.usccb.org/culture-of-life](http://www.usccb.org/culture-of-life)

### Why Do We Do That?

#### Catholic Traditions Explained

**Question:** *Can you recommend some good books for Lenten spiritual reading?*

**Answer:** On more than one occasion, a coach being interviewed about his team—successful or not—will be asked about the next step. The inevitable response includes something about getting back to basics. Reviewing the fundamentals of the sport strengthens performance and builds confidence.

The best Lenten reading takes us back to the fundamentals. If Lent is the time for the Church to be on retreat, then we should focus on the texts that help us deepen our understanding of our faith. Spend time reading one of the Gospels, and use a Scripture commentary to learn all you can about the passion of Jesus. Read about the lives of the saints, especially your patron saint and that of your parish. Perhaps there is some local candidate for sainthood, like Father Walter Ciszek, SJ, who wrote several faith-inspiring books. Finally, you can use the Catechism of the Catholic Church to learn more about the church's teachings and beliefs. The sections on prayer and the Mass are really great reflections. Focusing on the basics really helps us take another step forward in our faith. We have not only a better understanding of what we believe and practice, but also why we believe. With that belief comes the confidence we need to be better, more faithful witnesses to Christ.

### Live the Liturgy—Inspiration for the Week

The hope of being transformed or transfigured into the image of God awaits all of God's children. We walk through this life knowing that our eternal destiny is to be like God and live eternally in his presence. How does this truth about who we can become change the way we live today? Does it even matter to us that we are called to a higher purpose that is often quite different than the one we fabricate for ourselves here on earth? A transformed, eternal life is God's desire for all of his daughters and sons. Knowing this helps us put suffering in perspective and walk peacefully with hope in our hearts.

## Pray for a Priest

### Will You Pray for a Priest Each Day?

Prayer Suggestion: *Dear Jesus, hear my prayer on behalf of your priest, Father [N]. Give him a deep faith, a bright and firm hope, and a burning love which will ever increase in the course of his priestly life. Be his comfort, his joy, and his strength. Amen.*

February 25 – Rev. Bob White  
February 26 – Rev. Dwight Whitt  
February 27 – Rev. Bill Whittier  
February 28 – Archbishop Bernard Hebda  
March 1 – Pope Francis  
March 2 – Rev. John Mitchell  
March 3 – Rev. Benjamin Wilkerson

## Weekly Calendar

### Sunday, February 25

Mass, *Intention, IC Parishioners* \_\_\_\_\_ 8:00 am  
ICCW Butter Braid Sale \_\_\_\_\_ 8:00 am - 11:30 am  
Catholic Schools Raffle Ticket Sale \_\_\_\_\_ 8:00 am - 11:30 am  
Fellowship \_\_\_\_\_ 8:30 am - 12:30 pm  
Mass, *Intention, +Agnes and Leonard Knoll* \_\_\_\_\_ 10:00 am

### Monday, February 26

RCIC II \_\_\_\_\_ 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm  
ICCW Board Meeting \_\_\_\_\_ 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm  
Boy Scouts Troop 119 \_\_\_\_\_ 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm  
*A Lent to Remember Study* \_\_\_\_\_ 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm

### Tuesday, February 27

Mass, *Intention, +Mark LaFontaine* \_\_\_\_\_ 7:30 am  
Charismatic Prayer Group \_\_\_\_\_ 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm

### Wednesday, February 28

Mass, *Intention, +Clarence & Richard Emon* \_\_\_\_\_ 7:30 am  
*A Lent to Remember Study* \_\_\_\_\_ 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm  
CORE Group (Catechists) \_\_\_\_\_ 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm  
Intramurals \_\_\_\_\_ 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm  
Faith Formation - Grades 7 - 8 \_\_\_\_\_ 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm  
Confirmation I - Grade 9 \_\_\_\_\_ 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm  
Parish Choir Rehearsal \_\_\_\_\_ 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm

### Thursday, March 1

Mass (School), *Intention, +Lillian Sichak* \_\_\_\_\_ 8:30 am  
Communion Service, *New Perspectives* \_\_\_\_\_ 3:15 pm  
ICCW Membership Meeting \_\_\_\_\_ 6:30 pm - 9:00 pm  
KC BVM Council Officer Meeting \_\_\_\_\_ 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm  
Bell Choir Rehearsal \_\_\_\_\_ 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm

### Friday, March 2

Mass, *Intention, +Ella Verbrugge* \_\_\_\_\_ 7:30 am  
Our Brothers Keeper \_\_\_\_\_ 9:00 am - 12:00 pm  
Lenten Soup Lunch \_\_\_\_\_ 11:30 am - 1:30 pm  
Stations of the Cross \_\_\_\_\_ 2:00 pm  
RCIC II \_\_\_\_\_ 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm  
Stations of the Cross \_\_\_\_\_ 7:00 pm  
Our Lady of Guadalupe Formation \_\_\_\_\_ 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

### Saturday, March 3

Women's Retreat \_\_\_\_\_ 8:00 am - 1:00 pm  
Reconciliation \_\_\_\_\_ 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm  
Mass, *Intention, +Eileen Askwith* \_\_\_\_\_ 5:00 pm  
ICCW Butter Braid Sale \_\_\_\_\_ 5:00 pm - 6:30 pm  
Our Lady of Guadalupe Prayer Group \_\_\_\_\_ 6:30 pm - 9:00 pm

### Sunday, March 4

Mass, *Intention, IC Parishioners* \_\_\_\_\_ 8:00 am  
ICCW Butter Braid Sale \_\_\_\_\_ 8:00 am - 11:30 am  
Mass, *Intention, +Stella & Vincent Guzik* \_\_\_\_\_ 10:00 am  
+Deceased

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# Gospel Meditation



## Second Sunday of Lent

“How are your Lenten resolutions? By the time week two rolls around, plenty of well-meaning people have skipped, neglected, or outright forgotten their Lenten resolutions at least once. It can be easy to start

excusing our Lenten commitments altogether.

Last week we saw Jesus driven into the desert. This Sunday, we see Jesus leading his disciples to an equally barren place: he “led them up a high mountain apart by themselves.” But what happens there? “And he was transfigured before them and his clothes became dazzling white.” Today’s Gospel reminds us of the goal. We don’t enter into the desert for the sake of suffering, but for the sake of transformation.

Mountain imagery is prevalent throughout Scripture. The sacrifice of Isaac, Moses receiving the 10 Commandments, Elijah’s revelation of God as a tiny whispering sound: all these occur on the mountaintop. Mountains are strenuous to hike. To assist the traveler in the ascent, trails often involve switchbacks. These lead the traveler back and forth across the mountainside, sometimes appearing as if hardly any ground is gained. Perhaps Peter, James, and John hiked a similar path as Jesus led them up the side of Mount Tabor.

A climb is difficult. A climb in a barren place leaves you thirsty, exhausted, and quite possibly frustrated or discouraged. Yet this is precisely how Jesus leads his closest disciples. Why? Because he has something to reveal to them. Practically speaking, Jesus needed to bring Peter, James and John away from the crowds for this revelation of glory to remain hidden. There are spiritual truths we will encounter only if we pass through difficulty. So let’s persevere this Lent! Today’s Gospel invites us to trust that, if we persevere in following Jesus, he’ll lead us to something beautiful and glorious as well.

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# The Road to Discipleship

## God Speaks Through Everything

“How does God speak? Through everything there is. Every thing, every person, every situation, is ultimately the Word. It tells me something and challenges me to respond. Each moment, with all that it contains, spells out the great “yes” in a new and unique way. By making my response, moment by moment, word by word, I myself am becoming the Word that God speaks in me and to me and through me.”

—Franciscan Media, February 16, 2018  
from the book *The Way of Silence* by Brother David Steindl-Rast

“If God is for us, who can be against us?  
He who did not spare his own Son  
But handed him over for us all,  
how will he not also give us  
everything else along with him?”

Romans 8:31b-32

# Church Directory

Emergency (Death or Anointing) ..... 763-788-9062 (#2)

## PARISH

Parish Office ..... 763-788-9062  
(Open Monday - Friday, 8:00 am – 4:30 pm)

Parish Fax ..... 763-788-0202

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Administrative Assistant, Barbara Breza ..... x 219

## PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL MEMBERS

Dave Kellner

Kathy Johnson

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Sandy Sichak

Alan Savage (Business Administrator)

Jane Bona (School Principal)

Steve Smith (Parish Trustee)

Copies of the Parish Council meeting minutes are available in the pamphlet racks at the entrances to the church.

## LOW GLUTEN HOSTS

Low gluten hosts (.002 gluten) are available. Come to the Sacristy before Mass to request one.

# Collections

## Week 34—February 17/18, 2018

Our weekly financial contributions will not publically available on our website. If you would like this information, please call Alan Savage, Parish Business Administrator. He can be reached at x 207. Thank you.

# YOUTH GATHERING

SATURDAY, MARCH 17, 2018

# FOR 7<sup>TH</sup> – 12<sup>TH</sup> GRADE

9 AM – 12 PM

PARENTS AND YOUTH LEADERS ARE ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND!

JOIN THE STAFF OF ST. PAUL STREET EVANGELIZATION TO LEARN HOW TO EVANGELIZE IN YOUR EVERYDAY LIFE IN EASY AND FUN WAYS. THE WORKSHOP INCLUDES PRESENTATIONS, SMALL GROUP DISCUSSION, PRACTICE, ROLE PLAYING, AND MORE.

## “Made for Happiness: Dare to Want More”

Presenter **Denise Hirl** — St. Paul Street Evangelization  
IC's **Sarah Ashmore**

“As a Church, we are called to evangelize and bring the good news to the world. Each one of us has a story to tell about how Christ has changed our lives. St. Paul Street Evangelization will give you the tools you need to articulate your relationship with Christ to a hungry, broken world.”  
— JEFF CAVINS

### LOCATION & TIME:

Immaculate Conception Church and School  
4030 Jackson Street NE  
Columbia Heights, MN 55421

Workshop will go from 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM

### REGISTRATION:

[www.stpaulse.com/columbiaheights/](http://www.stpaulse.com/columbiaheights/)

**COST:** \$5.00

Scholarships available — contact Mary Beth Pfeifer  
[mbpfeifer@immac-church.org](mailto:mbpfeifer@immac-church.org)



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