

The renovated/rebuilt *Immaculata* is beautiful to behold and a comfort to live-in as all of our retreatants have experienced since we re-opened. Precious renovation funds went into renewing the infrastructure and creating a state-of-the-art retreat center that will serve for decades to come. It's true that big things cost a lot but it's equally true that little things mean a lot – especially in making a house a home.

The purchase of many “little things” had to be deferred so as to concentrate all of our resources on making the “basics” the best they could be. We do have a Wish List of needs that are as yet unmet. We itemize some of them here hoping that perhaps there might be a match between an expressed need and interested donors.

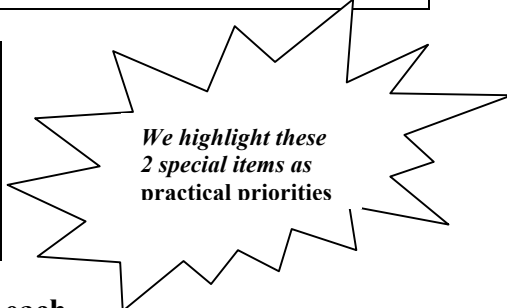
As we continue to update and republish our “Wish List” (this is our 3<sup>rd</sup> edition), you can see that many “*Friends of Immaculata*” have generously gifted us with monetary donations for/or toward the purchase of selected items we have highlighted. Thankfully, we are making good progress in whittling down the list of our needs. We are grateful to these individuals for their kindness and will be inscribing their names on the Memorial Wall we will create to acknowledge the generosity of donors large and small who will have contributed to the rebirth of *Immaculata*.

We've moved the remaining wished-for items to the head of the list given below.

Please consider helping us as your means might allow.

**A dozen hotel-style roll-away beds @ \$250. each**  
 (\$500. donated for 2; need 10 more)

**Curtains for the retreatants' rooms (+ hardware/rods) @ \$45. each (x 88)**  
 (\$ 500. donated for 11 units; 77 more needed)



*We highlight these 2 special items as practical priorities*

**10 metal bistro-style high for snacking area @ \$120. each**

**Bathroom amenities for 73 Retreatants' rooms \$1,500.**

**Electrical work to restore outdoor lighting along pathways & to re-electrify our “Angelus” Bell Tower \$ 3,000.**  
 (\$1500. donated; \$1500. more needed)

**Capital to restore the walkway and natural fountain at the center of the property \$ 3,000.**  
 (\$1500. donated; \$1500. more needed)

**Light-weight tables for the Conference Room @ \$ 75. each**  
 \* (have 14 & still need 4 more = \$300)

*Thank You \*some Friends of Immaculata*

**Seed money (\$500. donated to date) to create a “Mary Garden” on the property with inscribed memorial stones gracing its walkways \$ 2,000.**

- each stone would help create an oasis of serenity & prayer for loved ones and help support *Immaculata's* ministries
- stones by size would range from \$100.-\$300.

Interior signage

THANK YOU

\$ 675.

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A 50" flat screen television for use in the  
Conference Halls

THANK YOU

\$ 2,000.

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A Bose 4 speaker sound system  
for the Dining Room

THANK YOU

\$ 1,200

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3 Pin-spot lamps for the Main Chapel

THANK YOU

@ \$ 300. each

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**NEW** 2 MP3 device (Ipod) soundocks  
(1 for Chapel & 1 to share in Conference Hall)

THANK YOU

@ \$ 250. each

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**to date 1  
room**

Individual retreatants' rooms (73)  
can be sponsored/dedicated

@ \$5,000. per room

The **grand-daddy** of all our wishes is the need for an eye-catching, illuminated **sign at the foot of the driveway** announcing our presence and welcoming retreatants to *Immaculata*.

Estimates on this item have ranged from \$20,000. to \$30,000. Obviously this falls into the category of a major donor or corporate gift.

As we approach our 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary (2009-2010), perhaps such a super-generous contributor or group of contributors might choose to honor us with such a landmark offering.

As always, tradesmen and merchants might consider a donation "in kind" of materials and/or labor as a way of contributing to our efforts here at *Immaculata*. In the past, such generous consideration has been readily forthcoming and greatly appreciated.

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