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February 2, 2020

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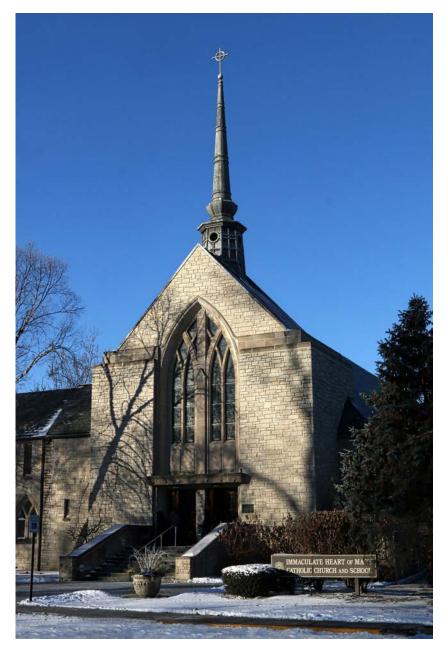
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The Mission of Immaculate Heart of Mary

The Immaculate Heart of Mary parish strives to be a vibrant Catholic community with the Gospel of Jesus Christ as our guide. We invite those who seek to strengthen their spirituality and develop their relationships with God through our dynamic liturgy, life long learning, and sharing faith within and outside our community.





Mass Schedule

Saturday - 5:30 pm

Sunday - 8:00 am

9:30 am

(11:15 am Sept. 15, 2019 to May 17, 2020)

For daily Masses consult inside Mass schedule on pg. 2.

The Presentation Of The Lord



"...they took him up to Jerusalem to present him to the Lord..." (Luke 2:22)

How seriously do you take being a Catholic? Is "being Catholic" something I just do when I attend Sunday Mass or attend one of my parish functions? It's easy to be Catholic then, it's harder to be Catholic when I am out in the world. Would someone recognize you as a Catholic by the way you act, dress, and talk? How do you present yourself to the Lord and to others? *

*www.archstl.org

Schedule of Masses							
Mon., Feb. 3	8:15 am (chapel)	Weekday (4th Week in Ordinary Time)	No Mass				
Tue., Feb. 4	8:15 am (chapel)	Weekday	No Mass				
Wed., Feb. 5	5:30 pm (chapel)	Saint Agatha, Virgin & Martyr	No Mass				
Thur., Feb. 6	8:15 am (chapel)	Saint Paul Miki & Companions, Martyrs	No Mass				
Fri., Feb. 7	8:20 am	Weekday	School Prayer Service				
Sat, Feb. 8	5:30 pm	Vigil: 5th Ordinary Sunday	For the Intentions of Don Healy by Bill Campbell				
Sun., Feb. 9	8:00 am	Fifth Sunday in Ordi- nary Time	For the Intentions of Dori Loomer by a Friend				
	9:30 am		John C. Ruckelshaus by Patty Ruckelshaus				
	11:15 am		For the People of IHM				
Lectors							
Sat., Feb. 8	5:30 pm lectors	TBD					
Sun., Feb. 9	8:00 am lectors	TBD					
	9:30 am lectors	TBD					
	11:15 am lectors	TBD					

"Let all things be done with love."

~St. Vincent de Paul

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Liturgy

Sunday Eucharist: 8:00 & 9:30 am. 11:15 am 3rd weekend of September until (but not including) Memorial Day weekend.

Weekdays: Varies. Please consult the Mass Schedule.

Saturday: 5:30 pm.

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

4:30 pm Saturday or by Appointment.

Infant Baptisms

All baptisms take place at one of the weekend Masses chosen by parents. One preparation class for first time parents is required. New parents are encouraged to attend prior to the birth of the child. Godparents are welcome as well. Classes are held the first Monday of February, April, June, August, October & December from 7:30 –9:00 pm. Please call the parish office for the class you will attend.

Marriages

Engaged couples must start their preparation at least six months prior to the wedding. Preparation includes work with a sponsor couple and Tobit. A person must be registered & active for 6 months BEFORE plans will be discussed.

Holy Orders

Priesthood or Vocation as a Religious Sister or Brother. Those considering entering the Priesthood or a Religious vocation, please contact our Pastor or the Archdiocesan vocation Office.

Holy Communion

Holy Communion is offered Monday through Friday at 15 minute intervals from 7:00-8:00 am in the Chapel.

New Registrations

Please visit our website at <u>ihmindy.org</u> or call the Parish Office at 257-2266. Parish Office Hours = M-F 8:00 am to 4:00 pm.

Men's Welcome Weekend 2020

February 29 - March 1

Calling men, fathers, and brothers of IHM: We invite you to join fellow parishioners in a spiritual renewal and gathering of followers in Christ.

Formerly known as CRHP, the Men's Welcome Weekend gives parishioners the opportunity to deepen their awareness of Christ's presence in their lives and create new, lasting friendships with other men in our parish. If you are interested or have any questions, please email

IHMWelcome27@gmail.com.



J.O.Y. Club - Out to Lunch

Mark your calendar for Thursday, Feb. 13.

The J.O.Y. Club will go to the Aristocrat Restaurant at 52nd St. & College Ave. on Thursday, February 13, 2020 at 11:00 am (parking available on north side and behind the restaurant). Note: this is a **Thursday**. Please notify Joyce Buening, 317-841-3327, or email ribuening@gmail.com if you will attend so that we will have seating for everyone. Please provide your contact number and email address, if you have email, and you will be notified if we need to cancel for any reason.

Call Joyce Buening if you will need a ride.



Singers Needed

The 8 am Mass is seeking singers to round out our small group. No formal experience needed, just enjoyment singing familiar songs at Mass. All ages welcome! Come at 7:30 am to practice before Mass. Can't wait to see you!! Contact Chris Duff 317-373-7959 or clk2col@sbcglobal.net



	Feb. 3 Monday	6:30 am 7-8 am	Rosary Communion (every 15 min)	Chapel
		9:00 am	Labyrinth for Teachers, Parents & Students	Gth Spc
		6:15 pm	School Commission Mtg	Library
		7:00 pm	RCIA	Suyapa
	Feb. 4 Tuesday	6:30 am 7-8 am	1.1000	
		8:15 am	Yoga from a Christian Perspective	Gth Spc
		6:30 pm	Men's Welcome	Suyapa
	Feb. 5 Wednesday	5.5 5 S 1.155 S y		Chapel
		2:30 pm	Yoga & Mindfulness: Parents & Teachers	Gth Spc
		7:00 pm	St. Vincent de Paul Meeting	Library
	Feb. 6 Thursday	6:30 am 7-8 am	Rosary Communion (every 15 min)	Chapel
6:30 pm Women's V		Women's Welcome Mtg	Gth Spc	
	Feb. 7 Friday	6:30 am 7-8 am	Rosary Communion (every 15 min)	Chapel
	Feb. 8 Saturday			
	Feb. 9 Sunday	9:00 am	Sunday Family Faith & Catechesis of the Good Shepherd	Library & Rooms

Military Bulletin Board in our Gathering Space

We will be updating the bulletin board recognizing IHM military members. Please send a picture in uniform, branch of service, rank and current posting

to dadofnaa@gmail.com. If there are any changes to current postings, please send those as well.

Welcome Visitors

We are glad you took the time to visit Immaculate Heart of Mary for Mass today and we invite you to become a part of our parish. If you would like to register in our parish, you may do so online at www.ihmindy.org or by visiting the parish office.

The parish office hours are 8:00 am to 4:00 pm, M-F. If you have questions or need more information about Immaculate Heart Church please call 317-257-2266 or visit our website.



Outreach Corner

Transformational Outreach at IHM

At the end of masses on a weekend in November, the parish was asked to join in the planning to help IHM improve the impact and sustainability of its Outreach. About a dozen people attended this call out meeting and started the discussions. The group has agreed to meet monthly and has now had three meetings. This is the first of three Outreach Corner articles to report on the progress of this work, and to invite your input and participation.

We are excited to announce that this effort is being called "Transformational Outreach". Vision and Focus statements have been developed and are shared below. Specific goals have been agreed upon and will be appear in this space next week. More complete information will be posted on the Outreach portion of the IHM web site soon. (www.ihmindy.org) You can also contact Scott Lowe (email: lowe7530@outlook.com) to learn more.

<u>Transformational Outreach Vision:</u> Outreach that *transforms the IHM community* - helps us to better utilize our gifts to enable others, and also to understand and improve upon our weaknesses. We will do this by partnering more actively with organizations outside IHM, and by learning and practicing the principles of transformational outreach.

Focus: Poverty Reduction ("making the food line shorter")

We are also announcing that the annual Ash Wednesday Soup Supper on February 26 will include a brief program featuring this Transformational Outreach theme. The Soup Supper follows Ash Wednesday mass in the Gathering Space. The Supper is free.

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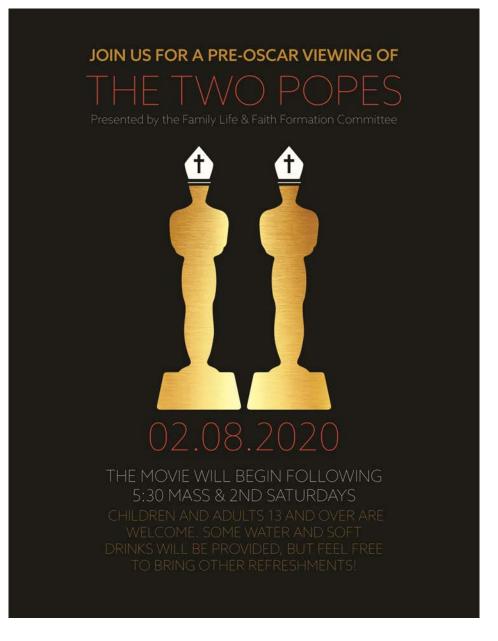
Let's provide warmth for those in need this winter. COMPASSION BAGS are available to distribute to the needy. They can be picked up after all Masses this weekend Feb 1st and 2nd in the back of church. The Youth Ministry team thanks you for all your support.



IHM St. Vincent de Paul Meeting

The IHM Conference of St. Vincent de Paul meets on the first Wednesday of the Month. The next scheduled meeting is Wednesday, February 5.

We meet in the (basement) library at 7 p.m. Please join us and learn of our mission.





Eucharistic Adoration

First Wednesdays. Come Adore! 6:30 am to 9:30 am. IHM Church

Wednesday, February 5

If you are interested in serving as an attendant for Eucharistic Adoration, you may sign up at: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/409094ca4a828a64-

"O Mary, Mother of Jesus Christ, and our dear Mother! O all ye holy angels, who, by your adoration in our churches, make up for the little love which your God and our Savior receives from men, obtain for us the grace to comprehend a little the love of Jesus Christ in the Most Holy Sacrament."

~ St. Margaret Mary Alacoque



Important Dates for 2020

Ash Wednesday
February 26
Men's Welcome Retreat
Fish Fry
March 6
First Communion
April 25
Confirmation
April 29
Mary's Way
May 7
Fall Fest
August 29



Eucharistic Minister Schedule

February 1 & 2

Saturday 5:30 pm Mass: Coordinator - TBD TBD

Sunday, 8:00 am Mass: Coordinator - TBD

Sunday, 9:30 am Mass: Coordinator - TBD

Sunday, 11:15 am Mass: Coordinator - TBD TBD

Save the date

VBS June 8-11 @ St. Joan of Arc

Please stay tuned for more information. St. Joan of Arc will host VBS and we hope to see you there!



IHM Members,

Please keep your church informed if you update an email address, move to a new address, drop a land line etc... Also, your adult children should register with the parish as individuals. Please call the parish office with changes at 317 -257-2266 or email Kelli at kayres@ihmindy.org.

Changes made on Directory Spot do not carry over to the database. Thank you for helping us serve you more efficiently!



From Our Diocese & Our Community

Visiting Priest ~ February 1 & 2

Please welcome **Father Richard Kunzman** who will speak at all the Masses on behalf of **Cross Catholic Outreach** which was founded to create a meaningful link between parishes in America and the priests and nuns working in the Church overseas in the Caribbean, Africa, Asia, Central and South America. Please be generous in your response to Father's appeal. Brochures will be provided if you wish to support this worthy Catholic ministry.

You Can Help Your Marriage

Do you feel alone in your marriage? If so, there is help. Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vi with a long i) means "rediscovery" and offers the chance to rediscover yourself, your spouse, and a loving relationship in your marriage. Tens of thousands of couples headed for divorce have successfully saved their marriages by attending the weekend and follow-up sessions. Retrouvaille is not a spiritual retreat, sensitivity group, seminar, or social gathering. To learn more about the program or to register for the March 13-15, 2020 weekend in Tipton Indiana and follow-up post-weekend sessions in Indianapolis, visit the website at www.HelpOurMarriage.com or www.retrouvaille.org. You can also email: RetrouIndy@gmail.com or call 317-489-6811 for confidential registration information.

Registration is now OPEN for all Spring Sports!

Spring is Just Around the Corner

SPRING SPORTS

- Boys Baseball (Grades 7 & 8)
- Girls Softball (Grades 7 & 8)
- Coed Soccer (Grades 5-8)
- Coed Track & Field (Grades 4-8)

REGISTRATION

- Registration MUST be completed through IHM website <u>services.ihmindy.org/cyo-athletics</u>. Registration fees will apply. (Fee waivers are available, contact the IHM athletic directors listed below for more information)
- Participants must also register on the CYO website (cyo.orgsonline.com/athletics_participantregistartion.aspx). No Fee.
- A completed CYO Physical Examination Form, Baseline concussion test and Concussion and Sudden Cardiac Arrest Acknowledgement and Signature Form, and Participant Code of Code Form must be provided to Paula Ryan, Director of Sports Ministry before participation in practice will be allowed.

Questions or need more info?? Please Contact:

Boys Athletic Director: Steve Bourgeois (sbourgeois7@yahoo.com) Girls Athletic Director: Jim Catanzarite (jcatanzarite96@gmail.com) Director of Sports Ministry: Paula Ryan (pryan@ihmindy.org)



The Indiana's largest **Catholic Men's Conference of 2020** is open for registration, featuring Dr. Scott Hahn, Fr. Donald Calloway and Doug Barry! Please join us for the E6 Catholic Men's Conference, which will be taking place on Saturday, February 22, 2020, at the East Central High School Performing Arts Center in St. Leon, IN. Last year, over 1200 men attended the conference and this year we expect to fill every seat in the building. We cordially invite every man to join us for inspiring talks, confession (available all day), celebration of the Holy Mass and fraternity with fellow men of Christ. We pride ourselves on presenting a quality, substance-driven, inspirational and faith-filled event that will change men's lives and help equip them to be the men Christ calls them to be. **Do not miss this!** Tickets are on sale now at

www.e6catholicmensconference.com.

News from Cathedral High School

Shadow at Cathedral High School

Come be a VIP—"Very IRISH Person"—for a day! We invite all 8th grade students to spend a day in the life of one of our students, meeting teachers, attending classes and experiencing what being IRISH is all about! Visiting students will be hosted by a freshman student who has similar co-curricular interests and/or academic abilities. Go to gocathedral.com/shadow for more information or contact Maribeth Cloud at mcloud@gocathedral.com.

Middle School Band Night with The Pride of the Irish

Join Cathedral's High School Band on February 21st. All 7th and 8th students are invited to play with the Irish Pep Band during a high school basketball game. Register now at gocathedral.com/pepbandnight.

STEM Conference for students 5th through 8th Grade

Register today for Cathedral's first ever STEM Conference offered to all 5th through 8th grade students, February 22nd, 8:30 am – 1:00 pm. You will get first hand experience with Cathedral Teachers and Students. Registration is \$50 and included T-shirt and Lunch. Register today at gocathedral.com/stemconference.

Saints Lacrosse

Sign up for the fastest growing sport in the country! Saints Lacrosse is now forming teams for the 2020 Spring season. Boys and girls in grades 3-8 are invited to play. New players are always welcome! Please go to www.catholiclax.com to register. Any questions can be directed to: info.catholiclax@gmail.com.

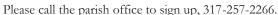
Parish Joys & Concerns



Baptism Class - Home Communion

Baptism Class

Our upcoming Baptism class will be held on February 3, 2020. A class is required for parents. The class needs to be taken only one time. Godparents are welcome to attend!





Ministry to the Homebound

If you or a loved one are homebound, hospitalized or residing at a healthcare facility, you may contact the parish office to receive the Eucharist or to be anointed by a priest. 317-257-2266.

Please Pray

Please pray for these members of the IHM Community and their caregivers: Don Healy, Keith Fessler, Phillip McKiernan, Sarah Zyromski, David Maniago, Lee Wallace, Jeanette Winking, Carolyn, Reutter, Sonny Thomas (Father of Cathy Marrano), Ron Rudin (Father of Megan Melton), Leo Hahn, Kim Elkins, Fred

Wallace, Henry Hartwell, Diane Eltzroth, Charles Lane, Janet Snodgrass, Caroline Merrick, Traci Underwood, Barbara Whitsel, Max Breedlove, Cora Vincent, Nora Elise Gold, Karen Carter, Karen & Mike Kuehn, Mike Plaaman, Bowen Brant, Sue Bramlett, Chase Clark, Matt Pivec, Roger Broderick, Maeve Bigelow, Rosemary Schilder, Clara Handshoe (IHM Teacher, Jenny Handshoe's daughter), Jo Ann Cady, Brock Cagann, and all of our frail elderly. Add to this list by calling the Parish Office, 257-2266.

If it's an emergency, alert Fr. Bob at the parish office, or call his cell phone: (317) 727-2667.

IHM has a Prayer Chain, made up of parishioners committed to praying for immediate special needs. Contact Gerry Koors at 317-251-2562 or Ellen Healey, 317-253-2086 or ewhealey2@gmail.com.

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