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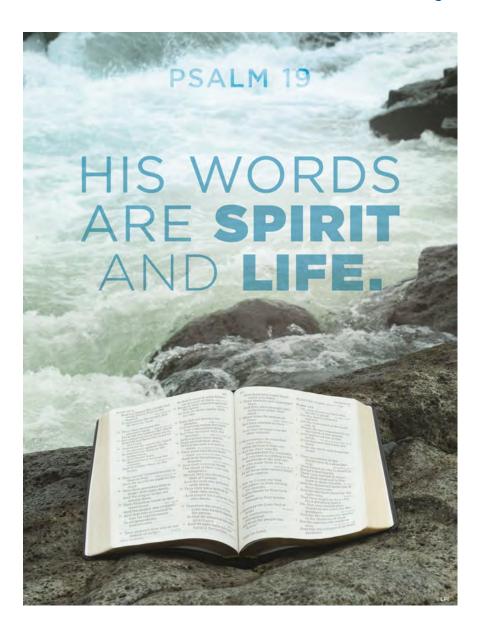
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The Mission of Immaculate Heart of Mary

The Immaculate Heart of Mary parish strives to be a vibrant Catholic community with the Gospel of Jesus Christ as our guide. We invite all to strengthen their spirituality and develop their relationship with God through 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 *11:15 beginning on Sept. 12, 2021 through May 22, 2022 For daily Masses consult inside Mass schedule on pg. 2.

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1/23/2022

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time



"Go, eat rich foods and drink sweet drinks, and allot portions to those who had nothing prepared..." (NEHEMIAH 8:10)

Ezra's instructions to the people show us that God does not forbid us from enjoying the good things in life. He wants us to be happy! However, God expects us to be grateful for all that He has given us and to generously share our blessings with those who are in need. Now here's the hard part – to share all we have without expecting anything in return.

Schedule of Masses			
Date	Time	Liturgical Celebration	Mass Intention
Mon., Jan. 24	8:15 am	St. Francis de Sales, Bish- op & Doctor of the Church	Amanda Meredith Mills (Birth Anniv) by her parents
Tue., Jan. 25		Conversion of St. Paul, Apostle	No Public Mass
Wed., Jan. 26	9:00 am School Mass	Saints Timothy & Titus, Bishops	Alice Countryman (grandmother of Evan, An- drew & Alice O'Brien) by Tim & Penny Hughes
Thurs., Jan. 27		Weekday	No Public Mass
Fri., Jan. 28	8:15 am	St. Thomas Aquinas, Priest, Religious & Doc- tor of the Church	Joyce Beckerich by Mary Ann & Ken Froemming
Sat., Jan. 29	5:30 pm	Vigil: 4th Ordinary Sunday	David Killigrew by the Family
Sun., Jan. 30	8:00 am	Fourth Sunday in Ordi- nary Time	Nancy Konrad by the IHM Caring Community
	9:30 am		Michael R. Bain by the IHM Caring Community
	11:15 am		For the People of IHM

1/22 & 1/23

Lectors

5:30 pm - Megan Melton, Edward Stahl 8:00 am - Stephen Bourgeois, Shaun Clifford 9:30 am - Tim Lohrstorfer, Sue Tempero 11:15 am - Meghan Adkins, Stacy Hennessy

Eucharistic Ministers

5:30 pm - E. Nowlin, M. Humbert, T. Hanchar 8:00 am - B. Otte, J. Franceschini, L. Coan 9:30 am - J. LaRosa, D. Powers, J. Platte 11:15 am - L. Schmitz, A. Ratterman, C. Garren

Coordinators

5:30 pm - Franklin Nowlin 8:00 am - Jane Franceschini 9:30 am - Edward Spahr 11:15 am - Stacy Hennessy

<u>Ushers</u> 5:30 pm - L. Neufer Group 8:00 am - Ron Wallace, Jim Roe 9:30 am - M. Kennedy, Harkness Group 11:15 am - Dave Stuhldreher

Thank you

Stewardship Jan. 9, 2022: \$16,317.60 Jan. 16, 2022: \$4,378.26

Thank you for your support of IHM.



You may sign up for EFT on our website (<u>www.ihmindy.org</u>).

Liturgy

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

Weekdays: Varies. Please consult the Mass Schedule.

Saturday Vigil: 5:30 pm.

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

By Appointment, at this time. Call the parish office at 317-257-2266

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 Service

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 317-257-2266. *Hours 8:00 am* — 4:00 pm, Mon to Fri.





Adoration

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will take place every first Tuesday. February 1, 2022 - IHM Church 6:30 am—9:30 am

If you are interested in serving as an attendant for Eucharistic Adoration, you may sign up at: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0849afae29a4f58-eucharistic

"Every Holy Hour we make so pleases the Heart of Jesus that it is recorded in Heaven and retold for all eternity!" - St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta

Women's Welcome Weekend!!

Please join us for the **Women's Welcome Weekend** on **January 29 & 30**. All women are welcome! We invite you to step away from the everyday, build meaningful relationships with other parishioners of IHM and recharge your relationship with God. You will find wonderful people and future friends on this special weekend that has been two years in the making! We are already praying for you and look forward seeing you soon! For further information or to register for the **Women's Welcome Weekend**, contact Karly at 678-429-2379 or karlyseeloff@gmail.com. Blessings abound!

Men's CRHP/Welcome Weekend February 26 & 27, 2022

You're invited! The retreat is an excellent opportunity to clear your heart and mind in order to prioritize your relationship with God. Also, it's a great way to meet other men in the parish and the community. And there is no cost! For further information or to obtain a registration form, con-

tact George Snyder, 317-370-3603, <u>george618@yahoo.com</u>.

Thank you!

The IHM Conference of St Vincent de Paul wants to give special thanks to all who helped with Christmas Dinner for those in need on Christmas Day. Your generosity brought smiles of thanks among all ages.

Additionally, in the past two months we have helped 4 families with utilities or rent, through your generosity. Blessings on all who volunteer time, and share compassion for God's people

IHM School - Leader In Me

The Habits by Henry

I like to put first things first and for school and life. This helps me so that when I have free time to do my homework when I'm finished I can play sports, play video games and hangout with my friends. It also helps me so I don't stay up doing homework right after coming back from sports. At school I also do it in free time like right before lunch I do any homework I have or I'll try to make the work less questions for when I get back to my house.

The Habits and Friendship by Grace

You can use the 7 habits for lots of things and you might not even know it. I like to use the 7 habits in my friendships. Habit #4 (Think win-win) is a great habit to use in friendships. In friendships, you have to compromise with your friends. For example, maybe you and your friend want to play different games. You will have to compromise and listen. Speaking of listening, that's another good habit to use. Habit #5 (Seek first to understand, then to be understood). In friendships you will also have to look at your friend's point of view. Listening to them helps you understand them better. You can use lots of the habits in friendships but these two help a lot. Try using them and I guarantee it will help.



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 <u>www.ihmindy.org</u> or by visiting the parish office. The office hours are M-F 8:00 am - 4:00 pm. Please call 317-257-2266 with questions.

IHM School Open House

Are you interested in learning more about Immaculate Heart of Mary School? Below are open house dates:

January 21, 2022 1:00PM in the Gathering Space RSVP HERE

February 11, 2021 9:00AM in the Gathering Space RSVP HERE

February 25, 2021 9:00AM in the Gathering Space **RSVP HERE**

Events & Ministries

Mass Ministries Schedule

1/29 & 1/30
Lectors
5:30 pm - Peter Maniago, Shaun Clifford
8:00 am - Kelly Todd, Mary Ann Wallace
9:30 am - Kurt Eisgruber, Louise Henderson
11:15 am - Duane Schmitz

Eucharistic Ministers

5:30 pm - Kaylin Dedinsky, David Guntz, Marcia Ewbank 8:00 am - Mary Ann Klein, Eileen Johantges, Robert Buening 9:30 am - Anna Gilley, Karen Daugherty, Tatiana Foroud 11:15 am - Anita Wallis, Megan Irving, Michelle Stark

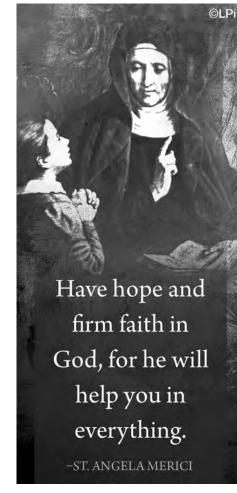
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5:30 pm - Sue Foxx 8:00 am - Linda Eichholtz 9:30 am - Myra Mariani 11:15 am - Julie Tomich

<u>Ushers</u>

5:30 pm - L. Neufer Group 8:00 am - Jim Roe, Mike Hurley 9:30 am - Don Fischer 11:15 am - Needed

From the Archdiocese:





Join us for the Legacy Gala in support of three vital ministries, CATHOLIC CHARITIES, CATHOLIC SCHOOLS & BISHOP SIMON BRUTE COLLEGE SEMINARY. Also help us celebrate and honor Msgr. Paul Koetter.

February 25, 2022 | 6pm (doors open at 5:30pm) JW Marriott Indianapolis | White River Ballroom | 10 South West Street To purchase your ticket(s), see event details and view auction items, visit www.archindy.org/LegacyGala2022 or scan the QR code above.





Growing in the Faith



Children's Liturgy of the Word is back!

We are offering the Children's Liturgy of the Word during the **9:30 am Mass**. Children from pre-school age through 1st grade are welcome to join us! We will be calling them out during Mass and bring them back for the Liturgy of the Eucharist.

We are still looking for **adult leads**, and junior high or high school **student assistants** (this will count as service hours)! Please check out the **sign up genius** at <u>https://www.signupgenius.com/</u> go/4090545ABAB29A4FD0-childrens or contact Ute Eble at <u>ueble@ihmindy.org</u>

13th Annual Men's Lenten Prayer Breakfast

Saturday, March 12th Location: St. Joan of Arc, 4217 N. Central Avenue

8 a.m. Mass followed by breakfast and talk by Fr. Jim Farrell

10 a.m. Sacrament of Reconciliation by Fr. Ignatius Manfredonia

Contact: Barry Pachciarz

at pachciarz@sbcglobal.net or 317-442-5542 Men of all ages are welcome. Feel free to invite friends or neighbors from other faith traditions or parishes as well. We will begin with Mass in the Church at 8 am, followed by breakfast and talk by Fr. Jim Farrell in the gym. The event will conclude by 10 am, but confessions will be heard from 10 - 11 am if you would like to take advantage of the opportunity. There is no charge to attend.

The Breastplate Prayer

(Short version)

Christ with me, Christ before me, Christ in me, Christ beneath me, Christ above me, Christ above me, Christ on my right, Christ on my left, Christ on my left, Christ when I lie down, Christ when I arise, Christ in the heart of every man who thinks of me, Christ in the mouth of everyone who speaks of me, Christ in every eye that sees me,

Christ in every ear that hears me.

Learn about diverse religious communities in Central Indiana!

February's "*Faith First*" features a presentation by Charlie Wiles, IHM parishioner and founding director of the Center for Interfaith Cooperation (CIC) in the Indiana Interchurch Center. Represented on the CIC's board of directors are nine different religious traditions, and its mission is to strengthen relations between faith communities by supporting programs that increase religious literacy, building empathy, and encourage interfaith service. Mr. Wile's presentation will be a unique chance to learn about the diverse religious communities in Central Indiana.

Please join us in the Gathering Space at **7:30 pm on February** 1!



10:30AM Mass

MASS with ARCHBISHOP THOMPSON ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CHURCH - 126 W. Georgia St., Indianapolis, IN

12:00PM

FROM GEORGIA STREET TO SOLDIER AND SAILORS MONUMENT TO CAPITOL BUILDING

12:45PM Rally

SOUTH STEPS OF INDIANA STATE HOUSE Sponsored by:









Special Collection - Church in Latin America

On January 22 & 23 we will take up the Collection for the Church in Latin America. Many people in Latin America and the Caribbean do not have access to Church programs and ministries because of a rising secular culture, difficult rural terrain, and a shortage of ministers. Your generosity makes it possible for our brothers and sisters in Latin America and the Caribbean to share in the life of the Church and grow closer to Christ. Please be generous to the special collection. It is taken up with our regular collection, so please label your donations. To learn more, please visit www.usccb.org/latin-america.

Providence Associate Opportunity

Find greater meaning, community as a Providence Associate

Are you looking for spiritual enrichment, support, a community, or a sense of mission? God may be nudging you to become a Providence Associate of the Sisters of Providence of Saint Mary -of-the-Woods, Indiana. The Sisters of Providence are inviting persons of all faith traditions to apply to become a Providence Associate. Applications are being accepted for this year until May 31. Contact Co-Directors Debbie Dillow at 317-250-3294 or ddillow@spsmw.org or Sister Susan Paweski at 312-909-7492 or spaweski@spsmw.org to request an application or online at ProvidenceAssociates.org.

Discerning with Sister Denise

What does it mean to discern where God is calling you? Join the Sisters of Providence of Saint Mary-of-the-Woods, Indiana, in February to find out more. Sister Denise Wilkinson, SP, will lead an upcoming virtual mini-retreat session which will examine what discernment means. All single Catholic women ages 18-42 are invited to join us from 6:30-7:45 pm Eastern Standard Time on Feb. 11, as Sister Denise will discuss how this method of prayerful reflective exploring and listening can help you see where God is leading you. Register online at Events.SistersofProvidence.com or by contacting Sisters of Providence Vocations Director Sister Joni Luna at 361-500-9505 or jluna@spsmw.org.

Fatima Retreat House

Shelter in Place Weekend Retreat With Fr. Jeff Godecker Shared reflections on home, friendship, family, and faith during the Pandemic February 18-20, 2022

Retreat starts Friday, Feb. 18 with Registration at 6:30 pm and ends on Sunday, Feb. 20 by 1:00 pm after lunch and closing session. Sign up today! Registration fee: \$200 - private room. Register online at: <u>www.archindy.org/fatima</u> Contact Jennifer Burger, Registrar, at <u>jburger@archindy.org</u> (317)545-7681 for further questions on registration.

Bishop Chatard High School

Join us for Chatard-A-Bration 2022: On the Red Carpet!

Polish your dancing shoes, pull your suit out of storage, put on a little glitz, and join us for a night of entertainment and fun. Raffle and event tickets are now available for Chatard-A-Bration 2022, happening on February 12! Head to <u>https://</u> <u>www.bishopchatard.org/giving/chatard-a-bration/</u> to purchase tickets and learn more about the event.

Early Bird Raffle Drawing!

Purchase your Chatard-A-Bration Raffle Tickets for a chance to win the **\$10,000 Grand Prize!** Tickets are \$50 each or 3 for \$125. Reserve your raffle tickets at <u>https://docs.google.com/</u> <u>forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScFN03F-hhiHLQK6R1Gqk36T28-</u> <u>iSSTLHhcp-QkNfPrjveqxQ/viewform</u>.

Cardinal Ritter High School

Immaculate Heart of Mary and Cardinal Ritter would like to congratulate Ella Byrnes on her hard work and dedication to achieve the High Honor Roll status during the second quarter. Keep up the great work and we are all very proud of you!

Saints Lacrosse for Grades K-8

Saints Lacrosse registration is now open to any North Deanery students, grades K-8, for the spring season. New players are strongly encouraged to join! We offer a fun, safe environment for your athlete! Please go to <u>www.catholiclax.com</u> to register. Teams fill up quickly! We offer girls and boys teams, with practice starting in early March. We also are proud to offer financial aid and scholarships for those that need it!

Please direct any questions to info.catholiclax@gmail.com

Brebeuf Jesuit Sports

Congratulations to IHM parishioner, Jake Fine of Brebeuf Jesuit, this year's recipient of the C. Eugene Cato Mental Attitude Award! (Presented by IN Farm Bureau Insurance)



Parish Joys & Concerns



Baptism Class

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A Baptism class will be held on Monday, February 7, 2022. The class needs to be taken only one time. Please call the parish office to sign up. 317-257-2266.



Please Pray

Please pray for these members of the IHM Community and their caregivers: Connie Graham, Phyllis Thomas, Maeve Buhl, Rémi Coquard-Wallace, Suzanne Cramer, Keith Fessler, Phillip McKiernan, Sarah Zyromski, Jeanette Winking, Carolyn Reutter, Ron Rudin (father of Megan Melton), Leo Hahn, Kim Elkins, Henry Hartwell, Diane Eltzroth, Charles Lane, Caroline Merrick, Traci Underwood, Max Breedlove, Cora Vincent, Bowen Brant, Matt Pivec, Roger Broderick, Maeve Bigelow, Rosemary Schilder, Clara Handshoe, Jo Ann Cady, and all of our frail elderly.

<u>Add to this list</u> by calling the Parish Office, 317-257-2266. If it's an emergency, alert Fr. Bob at the parish office, or call his cell phone: (317) 727-2667.

<u>IHM has a Prayer Chain</u> made up of parishioners committed to praying for immediate special needs. Contact Gerry Koors at 317-251 -2562 or Ellen Healey, 317-439-1030 or <u>ewhealey2@gmail.com</u>.





Contact Chris Hutson at 317-590-2025 to place an ad.

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