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March 17, 2024 Fifth Sunday of Lent

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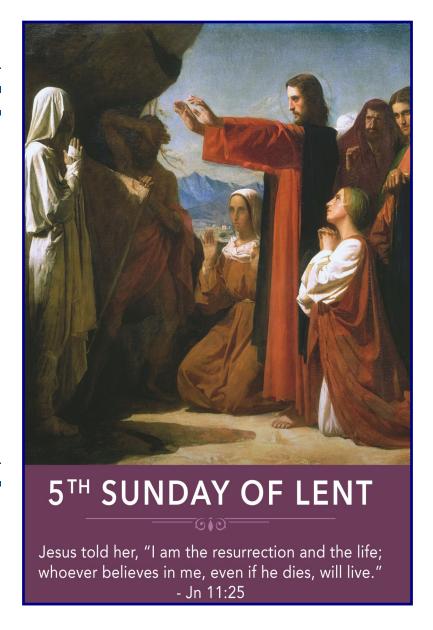
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The Mission of **Immaculate Heart of Mary**

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, lifelong 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

Weekdays:

Monday-Thursday - 5:30pm

Friday - 8:15am



"I will be their God and they shall be my people." - Jeremiah 31:33

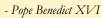
What does it mean to be God's people? It means we recognize that everything we have and everything we are belongs to God. We aren't "owners" of anything, we are merely "stewards" of the gifts God has given us. It means we are willing to use our gifts and our lives to care for our family, our neighbors and for people we don't know, just as God cares for each of us.

Schedule of Masses			
Date	Time	Liturgical Celebration	Mass Intention
Monday, March 18	5:30pm Mass		† Karen Finney By: Sue Foxx
Tuesday, March 19	5:30pm Mass		Thomas Lakatosh By: Irene Lakatosh
Wednesday, March 20	5:30pm Mass		Jeanmarie Sullivan By: Conard Family
Thursday, March 21	5:30pm Mass		Josephine Schoettle By: St Barnabas
Friday, March 22	8:15am Mass		+ Steve Clements By: St. Barnabas
Saturday, March 23	5:30pm Mass	Vigil: Sixth Sunday of Lent	Ralph Hill By: Martin Hill
Sunday, March 24	8:00am Mass	Sixth Sunday of Lent	Nancy Otte & all members of the Otte family By: Bill Otte
	9:30am Mass		People of IHM
	11:15am Mass		Ruby Compton By: MA Beckerich-Froemming

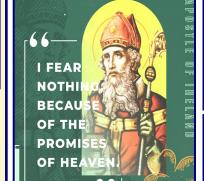
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Eucharistic Adoration

Dear young people, the happiness you are seeking, the happiness you have a right to enjoy has a name and a face: it is Jesus of Nazareth, hidden in the Eucharist.



Come spend some quiet time with Jesus every Tuesday morning during Lent from 6:30am -9:30am. To make sure there is continuous Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, there must be at least one person present. Please sign up HERE to help.



Mass Intentions

Please contact Dottie in the Parish Office for special dates, many weekday masses are available! **Mass offering is \$10**.



Sacraments

Holy Communion Service

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

Reconciliation

After daily Mass, Monday-Friday

Infant Baptisms

All baptisms take place at one of the weekend Masses chosen by parents. One preparation class for first time parents is required. The next class will be held on Monday, April 8, 2024. 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

Thank you

Stewardship

Thank you for your support of IHM. You may sign up for EFT by

scanning the QR code with your phone or on our IHM website:

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AS WE CELEBRATE EASTER

HOLY THURSDAY: MARCH 28

6:00pm 7:00-9:00pm Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at the decorated Altar of Repose in the Gathering Space

GOOD FRIDAY: MARCH 29

8:15 am Tenebrae Service (modified) with the School 3:00pm The Celebration of the Passion of the Lord

EASTER VIGIL(HOLY SATURDAY): MARCH 30

8:30pm

The Easter Vigil in the Holy Night (No 5:30 pm Mass.)

EASTER SUNDAY MASS: MARCH 31

8:00am Church 9:30am Church | 9:30am Activity Center 11:15am Church | 11:15am Activity Center

Donut Sunday from STVdP

As a HUGE thank you for all the support of the SVdP Boulevard Place Food Pantry & the IHM Conference of St. Vincent de Paul, our outreach ministry invites you to *Donut Sunday* on Sunday, March 17 after each Mass. Enjoy!



Support Troop 171's Annual Flower Sale

In the spirit of community and stewardship, the all-female Troop 171 invites you to partake in our annual flower sale. Wie offer you locally-grown, splendid planters & hanging baskets from Schlegel Greenhouse in Indianapolis.



P l e a s e v i s i t www.IndyTroop171.org by March 26th & place your order. Deliveries are scheduled just in time for Mother's Day.

Volunteer Spotlight

The Pastoral Council of IHM has initiated a program to recognize the work that so many volunteers do to make our parish a community. Our next honoree is *Frank Otte*.



Frank has been a parishioner at IHM since his baptism in 1970. He has a long family history of IHM member including Aunt Helen in 1954, his parents Frank and Sally Otte in 1970, & Uncle Bill & Aunt Nancy in 1976.

Frank's longest and strongest commitment to IHM is with the Boy Scout Troop 174 since 1994. He has served in various capacities over the years including Scoutmaster for the last 16 years. Additionally, he has been involved in various committees to support the IHM School, including serving as a member of the School Commission.

Frank states that, "Volunteering allows me to provide the same opportunities to the younger members of our parish & community that were provided to me when I was growing up. IHM is an incredible community of people with good character & talents all focused on providing the best opportunities for our children while also making sure they grow up to be a good and decent individual. I do what I do simply because others before me provided opportunities for me to learn & develop outside of the school environment and that opportunity needs to continue to exist for generations to come."

Frank describes hundreds of favorite memories of his involvement with scouting~ great food, fantastic friendships, and camaraderie. What might be his favorite reason for staying so involved is seeing the young men who started as 5th graders in BSA Troop 174 return to the parish and the community to volunteer as young adults, continuing the tradition of servant leadership thru volunteering.

IHM appreciates all you do for us, Frank!

Blessed & lucky * * to celebrate our Faith



At IHM School we are so lucky to celebrate our faith in a variety of ways each and every day. From

small class reflection projects to our recent Stations of the Cross services, we are so grateful to share our faith! We wish all of our families a safe and relaxing Spring Break!











IHM School Admissions admissions@ihmindy.org www.ihmindyschool.org

IHM SPAGHETTI DINNER: A huge success for Anna's House!

Thank you to our 8th Grade students and parents for organizing this outreach event to support the Lord's Pantry at Anna's House!





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us!

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IHM Football Coordinator Needed

Our Football Coordinator John Gause would love to work with a fellow parishioner to transition this wonderful volunteer role of engaging coaches, organizing schedules, and sharing a love of IHM football with our young athletes!

If you are interested in learning more about tour CYO football program, volunteering to coach, or working with John as our Football Coordinator, please contact our Boys Athletic Director at alexrodman@ihmindy.org.

Do you Love sports and helping IHM??

If you love sports and are looking for fun ways to share a little time volunteering for our Parish, we would love to have you join our Athletic Commission team! Please know that you don't have to be a parent of child participating in our sports program to be involved! Please contact our Sports Ministry Director Paula Ryan at pryan@ihmindy.org if you are interested! Go IHM Warriors!



St. Vincent DePaul Food Pantry

We are in dire need of volunteers during the week for the pantry at 3001 30th St, Indianapolis 46218.



Shopping days are Tuesday, Thursday,

Friday & have the most critical need. Shifts are available for restocking on Mondays and Wednesdays too. The shift hours during the week are 7:45am-12:30pm and 10:30am-2pm.

If unable to work a full shift, even a couple of hours are helpful! Sign up at https://www.svdpindy.org/i-want-to-help/ Feel free to contact Darlene Sweeney, Dir. of Volunteer Services dsweeney@svdpindy.org

Leader in Me

You can use the 7 Habits in so many different situations in sports, competitions & school The one thing I think we all should remember is that sometimes the times we need the 7 Habits the most is just in our normal daily lives. For example, if you have siblings or a big family you need to be proactive & prepare for the next day the night before so you can be successful the next day. As well as we need to use think/win-win to make a decision that will help both peoples perspectives and be fair to both people in a dispute or argument. These are both super

small things to do in our daily lives, which shows how great the 7 Habits are.

~Claire, Class of 2027

Reflection: Fifth Sunday of Lent

Are you asleep?

Today Jesus is called to the grave of a dear friend who had recently died. Martha cries out that if Jesus were closer, her brother Lazarus would not have died.

Remember from the First Sunday in Lent that death and sin are connected and that life is seen as living a faith-filled life? That is what is happening in this Gospel. Living as a disciple of Christ can give us the ability for a life everlasting in the presence of God.

What in our lives needs to be uncovered, as Lazarus is unwrapped of his burial clothes and retuned to live with his loved ones?

As we move closer to Easter Sunday, let us ask God to unwrap or unbind that which needs to be healed so that we may live a life that is pleasing to God.

Vacation Bible School

From June 24-27, 9:30am-12:30pm, we will lead children on a thrilling underwater journey, where they can dive into the unceasing, boundless love of God. Crews embark



on faith-strengthening, science-infused adventures that foster togetherness & excitement.

We also need volunteers for the VBS crew! Take kids into an amazing undersea adventure where they'll experience the love of God. This is a great way to build your faith & help out the parish. This will count for service hours too for HS & teens!



Sign up HERE to join our parish for a week of fun! Contact Ute for any quest i o n s: ueble@ihmindv.org

Fatima Retreat House

Come to the Cross – Time of Reflection

Tuesday, March 19/ 8:30am – 2pm

During this time of reflection, we will stand

at the foot of the Cross and meditate with the Crucified Christ & we reflect on the crosses through the lens of the Beatitudes. Father Keith Hosey with lead with J. Burger. Registration is \$45 including a light meal & Mass.

Ponder & Proclaim! - A Lenten Weekend Retreat

6pm Friday, March 22 – 12pm, Sunday, March 24

This weekend will incorporate times of reflection to meet God & nourish our relationship with Christ. There will be times of sharing as we learn to embrace & proclaim the Good News in our own lives! Led by Fr. Jim Farrell & Deacon Rick Wagner. Registration required, \$220 per person.

Outdoor Stations of the Cross

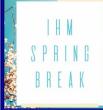
Sunday, March 24 / 2:30pm - 3:30pm

Join us for our annual Outdoor Stations of the Cross along the trails at Fatima and experience the "Way of the Cross" with Fr. Keith Hosey. If weather does not permit outdoor activity, we will pray the Stations in the Chapel at Fatima. No registration is necessary and there is no cost for this event.

Find the full schedule on www.archindy.org/fatima
Contact Lisa with any questions at loops@archindy.org







Please note: the Parish Office Hours from March 11-15 will be Monday—Thursday from 9am-3pm & Friday 9am— 12pm. The school is closed.

Bishop Chatard

Join our June athletic & enrichment camps focusing on a variety of activities/interests and



designed to appeal to a range of ages. Registration now open! Use this link to see the full schedule: https://www.bishopchatard.org/



Art & Environment Committee

Join our fun committee and help with the IHM Easter decorating for the Masses! The Activity Center & Church decorating /set-up will be <u>Friday</u>, <u>March 29th starting at 12:30pm</u> in the Activity Center & at <u>5pm</u> in the Church. The Activity Center take down will be <u>Monday</u>, <u>April 1</u>, <u>9am-11am</u>. *Students who have service hours to complete are needed to help!*

Lots of chairs to set-up & take down. Please contact Karen at the at kwinternheimer@ihmindy.org

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High School Placement Test (HSPT) Prep Camp

Incoming 8th-grade students are invited to join us for a week-long workshop to prepare for all sections of the HSPT.

Session 1: Monday, June 3 - Friday, June 7 Session 2: Monday, June 10-Friday, June 14

Summer Athletic Camps

Students are invited to join Prep Athletics camps throughout the summer.

To register for either camp go <u>HERE</u> or email: <u>prep@brebeuf.org</u>

Visit Brebeuf

We invite you to join us on campus throughout the year to learn more about the student life ahead at Brebeuf Jesuit! For more visit opportunities, go to https://www.brebeuf.org/admissions/visit

Camp Cathedral Registration

Go <u>HERE</u> to sign up or go to: https://www.gocathedral.com/oncampus/campcathedral



Coffee Talks" with Cathedral

Calling all parents of current 6th & 7th graders! Learn about your students HS choices with the admissions team.

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Easter Ham Order

Orders need to be into the parish office by <u>Tues.</u>, <u>3/19</u>. Fill out the form <u>HERE</u>.

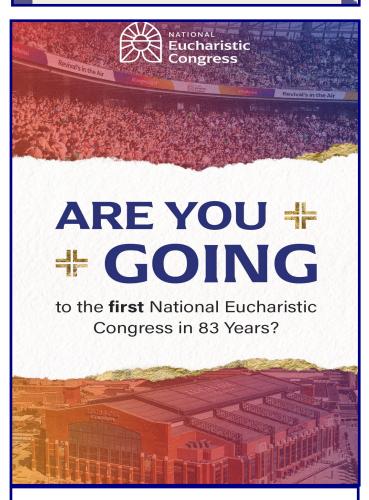
The pick-up date is Good Friday, 3/29 at noon outside by the IHM Activity Center. Make checks payable to IHM. Please attach a check to the order form & return to school or Parish office.

For questions or further information, email Cindy Harkness at charknes@iupui.edu

Join us every Friday during Lent to pray the

Stations of the Cross

Meet in the Church at 6pm



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Please Pray

Please pray for these members of the IHM Community and their care-givers: Mary Jo Campbell, Bernie Sander, Savannah Sander, Cindy Wadleton, Max Schuster, Barb Rhea, Bob Anslinger, Lisa Hoekstra, Laura Webber, Connie Graham, Phyllis Thomas, Maeve Buhl, Rémi Coquard-Wallace, Suzanne Cramer, Keith Fessler, Phillip McKiernan, Sarah Zyromski, Carolyn Reutter, Leo Hahn, Henry Hartwell, Diane Eltzroth, Charles Lane, Caroline Merrick, Max Breedlove, Cora Vincent, Bowen Brant, Matt Pivec, Maeve Bigelow, Rosemary Schilder, Jo Ann Cady, and all of our frail elderly.



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

Mass Ministers for 03/23/24 &

03/24/24 (click <u>HERE</u> for the schedule)

Mass Coordinators:

5:30pm– Wendee Maniago 8:00am– Robert Buening 9:30am- Micki Humbert 11:15am- Julie Tomich



Lectors:

5:30pm- Peter Maniago, Robert Zyromski

8:00am- Jim Roe, Kelly Todd

9:30am – Jack Kondrath, Dave Stuhldreher

11:15am- Duane Schmitz, Megan Irving

EMHC:

5:30pm- Wendee Maniago, Mary Johantegen, Jennie Gerard, Bill Campbell, Annie Harton

8:00am– Ron Wallace, Mary Ann Klein, Mike Lotti, Erin McNulty, Mary Claire Chapman

9:30am– Mike Hurley, Anne Hurley, Diane Powers, Margaret Langfeldt, Michael Eble

11:15am–Edward Spahr, Adriana Ratterman, Lenore Schmitz, Julie Tomich, Mark Keisler

Ushers:

5:30pm: Elijah VanSlambrook 8:00am: D Koors Group

9:30am: Jack Esselman, Greg McCormack

11:15am: M. O'Brien Group



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