The Good News of Immaculate Heart of Mary

November 24, 2024

Our Lord Jesus Christ King of the Universe

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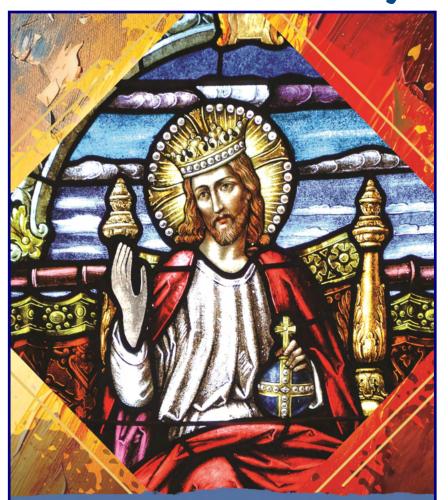
Bulletin Submissions are due Friday before 3pm the full week before. Email <u>bulletin@ihmindy.org</u> Website: <u>www.ihmindy.org</u>

Parish Office Hours: Monday-Friday 8am-4pm

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.





OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

"Everyone who belongs to the truth listens to my voice." - Jn 18:37

Mass Schedule

Saturday - 5:30 pm Sunday - 8:00 am 9:30 am 11:15 am



Weekdays: Monday-Thursday - 5:30pm Friday - 8:00am

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Schedule of Masses			
Date	Time	Liturgical Celebration	Mass Intention
Monday, November 25	5:30pm Mass	St. Catherine	H Don & Joyce Beckerich By: Nancy Beckerich & Terry Hickey
Tuesday, November 26	5:30pm Mass		Hohn & Eileen Christ By: Louise Collet By: Louise Collet Collet
Wednesday, November 27	5:30pm Mass	Thanksgiving Vigil	Donna Nunley By: Jim & Helen Heffernan
Thursday, November 28	9am Mass	Thanksgiving Day	† Kevin Casperson By: Gomez Family
Friday, November 29	8:00am Mass		Mary Elizabeth & Parker Shoaf By: Joan Eberhart
Saturday, November 30	5:30pm Mass	St. Andrew	Hary Chernick Wrenger By: Steve & Larry Sondhaus
Sunday, December 1	8:00am Mass	1st Sunday of Ad- vent	+ Chuck Colett By: Jane Franceschini
	9:30am Mass		† Fr. Ed Born By: Alice Halloran
	11:15am Mass		People of IHM

Baptism

With joyful hearts, we welcome our newly baptized: **Charles Harvey,** child of Annabeth & Kyle Fairchild Charlie David, child of Alyssa & Samuel Miles "Every good and perfect gift is from above" ~ James 1:17



Mass Intentions

Please call Anne at the Parish Office to request Mass a date & time. Mass offering is \$10.



Eucharistic Adoration

We invite you to come & spend time with Jesus on Wednesdays after 5:30pm Mass until 7pm.

Light has come. ~Matthew 4:16



Sacraments

Holy Communion Service

Holy Communion is offered Monday through Thursday at 15 minute intervals from 7:00-8:00 am in the Chapel. On Fridays, 7-7:30.

Reconciliation

After daily Mass, Monday-Thursday

Marriages

Engaged couples must start their preparation at least six months prior to the wedding. Preparation includes work with a sponsor couple & Tobit.

A person must be registered & active for 6 months BEFORE plans will be discussed or a date set.

Baptism

All infant 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, December 2 from 7:30–9:00pm. New parents are encouraged to attend prior to the birth of the child. Please call the parish office to schedule class & sacrament.

Anointing of the Sick

This sacrament is offered to people who are seriously ill, injured, elderly, or about to undergo surgery or other medical procedures.

Call Fr. Pat at the Parish Office.

Stewardship

Thank you for your generous support of IHM. Our October stewardship was \$165, 340.21. You may sign up for EFT with this QR code or at www.ihmindy.org.





Advent Begins

The first Sunday of Advent is December 1. Please stop by our Advent Adventure this Sunday 11/24 as we prepare our hearts for Jesus as a family!

An Advent guide for IHM, will be available in the back of church along with other Advent resources. (prayer booklets, flyers, calendars)



Also, note there will be a prayer Service for our Lady of Guadalupe on Monday December 9 at 2pm.

Notre Dame Club of Indianapolis

Please join the Notre Dame Club of Indianapolis as we fight childhood hunger in our Archdiocese. Every December, our club packs and distributes food sacks to children in four of our Diocesan schools to help them battle hunger over the Christmas break. Please consider providing some of the items that fill the sacks by scanning the QR code and purchasing a few items. Every little bit helps!

Donations will be accepted through the month of November. During this season of Thanksgiving, let us be grateful for all we have and look to be a Force for Good by helping others. Thank you for your help in fighting childhood hunger. *Go Irish!*



<u>St. Vincent de Paul</u>

The IHM Conference of St. Vincent de Paul is supporting the sixth annual Christmas Day meal for the homeless at



St. Philip Neri Catholic Church. On Christmas Day we need 30-40 volunteers between 8am-1pm, Christmas Eve cooks are needed with meal & turkey preparation and more.

Please join this fulfilling opportunity that is very much in keeping with the meaning of Christmas! Contact Steve at <u>stephen.james.hastings.i@gmail.com</u>.

Live The Liturgy Inspiration of the Week

There is only one king whose subjects can choose whether or not they will serve him. We choose Christ when we choose the truth. When we serve the truth, we serve Christ the King.

Thanksgiving Mass Times

We will celebrate a Vigil Mass of Thanksgiving on Wednesday, November 27th at 5:30pm.

Our Thanksgiving Day Mass is Thursday, November 28th at 9am. *Come all to feast at the Table!*

"And whatever you do, in word or in deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him." Colossians 3:17



<u>GOSPEL MEDITATION -</u> ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE November 24, 2024~ Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

When I was a young boy in Burlington, Vermont, my dad had a good friend named Phil who owned a sporting goods store. I loved sports, so meandering the treasure-filled aisles was an unmitigated joy. One afternoon, we were shopping for a baseball glove. Dad said to me, "Hey Johnny, see that man who just walked into the store? That's Phil." I remember being fascinated and a little terrified. I recall thinking, "That man right there is in charge of everything in this store!" He reigned over every ball, sneaker, jersey, and sweatsuit. Phil became a family friend. And he was a good owner. The store flourished, and I found myself even more at peace every time I went there. I felt a new hope and even responsibility for the store to flourish.

To say that Christ is the King of the Universe means that Jesus has absolute authority over everything in it. It should fill us with awe and fascination. He is in charge. The world and everything in it are finally his. Knowing that he knows and loves us should make us also feel a deep peace at being a part of his universe. This leads us to want his kingdom to flourish, to play some responsible role in it.

We advance his kingdom by promoting the truth. "Everyone who is of the truth hears my voice," Christ the King proclaims. In Phil's store, it was about the truth of athletics. In our world, it's all about the truth of all creation, especially the dignity of the human person, made by and for our loving God. Let's rejoice that we know the true king and commit to the flourishing of his kingdom. \sim *Father John Muir*



Thanksgiving Food Drive

This is the last week of our Thanksgiving food drive!

Thank you to all those who have participated. We've collected over 3,800 pounds! If you still have an orange bag please fill it and drop off by November 24th.

This food drive serves many families in need within our community. Select a variety of foods that can be used for a Thanksgiving dinner Please consider a card from your family to wish people blessings on this holiday.



"The generous will themselves be blessed for they share their food with the poor." ~Proverbs 22:9

Fr. Pat's Annual Open House

Join us on Thursday, December 5, 2024 at the rectory for appetizers, desserts & drinks. Attend 5:30pm Mass at Church and then walk over for fellowship & fun from 6-9.

Please RSVP by Monday December 2nd by filling out the form or calling the parish office. You can scan the QR here~

https://forms.gle/yujw8d2itAsvAvm16



First Penance

An exciting moment as some of our parish's children received the Sacrament of Reconciliation for the first time!

In the Sacrament of Reconciliation we confess our sins and express our contrition and then - through the voice of the priest - receive Jesus' forgiveness and are reconciled to him and the family of God.

Please keep the children in your prayers, and remember that the grace of this sacrament is available to you too!



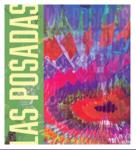
Annual Outreach for Christmas

Share your time with our Annual St. Patrick's Posada on Saturday, December 14. St. Patrick's Parishioners put on a traditional play with music of the Christmas story as it is celebrated in Latin America and bring wonderful food to share.

IHM parishioners donate books as gifts, decorate, provide a pinata and serve food & hot chocolate. Everybody helps with clean up. Decoration starts at 9am, party at 10 am and cleanup done by about

12:30pm. Join us for this family friendly opportunity to celebrate Christmas with neighbors in Fountain Square.

Contact Sarah Stelzner at <u>sstelzne@iu.edu</u>. Drop off box in the Parish Office for books!



IHM Pacers Night

Invite your friends, bring the family & check a gift off your Holiday wish list! Join us Wednesday, January 29, 2025 for the Pacers vs. Pistons game. Doors open at 6pm and Tipoff is at 7!



We will receive a special discounted ticket price of \$29.70 and we all get to sit together!

https://fevo-enterprise.com/event/ Immaculateheart35

IHM Giving Tree

"Tis the Season we bring love and cheer to those less fortunate than us.

The IHM Giving Tree supports students at St. Anthony's, Holy Angels & mothers from Birthline.

The tree will be up on November 30th and gifts must be returned before December 15th.

Please note that the gifts are needed back quickly with secured gift tags on wrapped packages.







Admissions News

The application review process for our 2025-26 school year has begun. Offers for enrollment will be shared mid-January 2025. Our 2026-27 Application opens on Feb. 1, 2025.

All those with applications on file should have received an email with supplemental application questions regarding parish involvement. If you did not receive this form, or if you would like to add additional information to your parish involvement responses, please email admissions@ihmindy.org.

For our application and our admissions acceptance priorities, including our Active Parishioner Guidelines, please use this link:

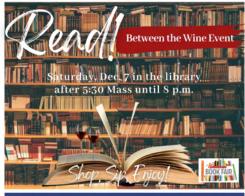
https://ihmindyschool.org/admissions-process-schedule/

Immaculate Heart of Mary School

Tis the season to beautify your house, give gifts, AND help our IHM Class of 2025! Our 8th grade students would love your support of their annual poinsettia sale to raise funds for their Washington, D.C. trip in the spring! To purchase your holiday decor and gifts, please go to:

https://app.fundraiseit.org/shop.php?code=2613C2





UPCOMING SCHOOL EVENTS: Nov.27: Thanksgiving Break Starts! Dec. 6: Poinsettia Pick Up - Gym Order via Community Link at left! Dec. 7: Book Fair Opens - Library Dec. 9: All School Mass - 8 am

Feast of the Immaculate Conception Dec. 11: Christmas Concert

9 am & 6:30 pm

Dec. 21 - Jan. 5: Christmas Break!

Leader in Me

Last week I used habit 6 (synergizing) because during my volleyball season I have had numerous examples where I've used synergizing to lead my team to victory. During our IHM vs St. Simon game, we were down by a couple points but due to everyone calling the ball, communicating positioning, and maintaining a positive attitude we made an unexpected comeback. Synergizing has not only helped me during games but in school, too. I will continue to use synergizing as it is a very useful skill and asset to be successful.





Ouestions? Please Contact: Girls Basketball Coordinator Carson Goff at carsongoff@hotmail.com or Girls AD Marc Bower at Mark.Bower@mjinsurance.com

We love when our teams play at home! We need volunteers for home games to help with concessions. you have a CYO athlete, please sign up here: https://m.signupgenius.com/#!/ If showSignUp/20F044BADAB23AAFF2-51454320-concessions





www.archindy.org/UCA

Retired priests, though stepping back from active ministry, continue to serve the Church through pastoral duties and spiritual guidance. The United Catholic Appeal honors their lifelong commitment by ensuring they are supported during retirement.

By supporting the United Catholic Appeal, you directly contribute to the well-being of retired priests. Your generosity provides for their needs, including housing and healthcare, allowing them to live with dignity and peace.

These priests have dedicated their lives to serving the Church, often sacrificing personal comforts. Now, it is our turn to support them in retirement, honoring their dedication and ensuring they are cared for with love and respect.

Second Saturday

The FLFFC & the Parish Office are cohosting the December Second Saturday gathering in the spirit of Advent. Join us for



Las Posadas, a custom from Latin America in preparation for the birth of Jesus. Come for traditional food, beverages & music on December 14 after the 5:30 Mass!



hourly sessions will build off each previous session.

\$10 REGISTRATION FEE * SPACE IS LIMITED



On Sunday, November 24th join us at 9:30 am Mass then follow to the gym for coffee, donuts, crafts & family time until Noon.



5TH ANNUAL JACK SHOCKLEY MEMORIAL

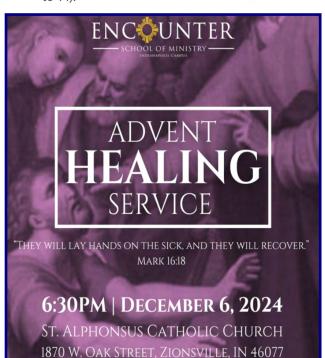


Sunday, Dec. 8, 2024 | 8:30am - 1:30pm Christ the King, Tuohy Hall

• Winter Clothing Drive New or gently used hats, gloves, and new socks will be collected for the Mother Theodore Catholic Academy grade schools (ages 4 to 14).



SCAN TO REGISTER TO BE A BLOOD DONOR



Community



Bishop Chatard

Please join us on Friday December 6, 2024 from 5:30–7 pm for our annual Christmas on Crittenden event!Visit our Winter Wonderland in the Auxiliary gym for crafts, snacks and a visit with Santa and Mrs. Claus! Park in the back lot and enter via Door #10.



Help us share the spirit of giving this Christmas with those in need. We're collecting baby items for Catholic Charities.

https://www.bishopchatard.org/ news/christmas/

Brebeuf Jesuit

Your journey to four impactful years of discovery and growth begins here. The Regular Admissions Deadline is Monday, December 2, 2024. Start your application now: h



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Take the High School Placement Test on December 7th. Contact Karen at <u>kmcaleavey@brebeuf.org</u>

Cathedral High School

Join Coach Delaney & the Fighting Irish Basketball team as they take on Arsenal Tech on December 13 starting at 7:30 for



an evening of fun, friends & food! All CYO and youth boys basketball players are welcome. Wear your team jersey and receive free admission to the game (students only).

https://www.gocathedral.com/admissions/cyoyouth-nights/boys-basketball

Information About Reporting Abuse

If you are a victim or know of anyone who is a victim of any type of sexual misconduct, please contact our victim assistance coordinator at (317) 236-1548 or at <u>victimassistance@archindy.org</u> to make a report. You can also make a confidential report through our EthicsPoint reporting system by visiting <u>http://www.archindy.org/abuse/</u> reporting.html or by calling 888-393-6810.



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Please Pray

Please pray for these members of the IHM Community and their care-givers:

Colleen Ryan, Cindy Wadelton, Max Schuster, Barb Rhea, Bob Anslinger, Lisa Hoekstra, Laura Webber, Connie Graham, Phyllis Thomas, Bob Fine, Maeve Buhl, Rémi Coquard-Wallace, Suzanne Cramer, Keith Fessler, Phillip McKiernan, Carolyn Reutter, Leo Hahn, Henry Hartwell, Diane Eltzroth, Charles Lane, Caroline Merrick, Max Breedlove, Cora Vincent, Bowen Brant, Matt Pivec, Rosemary Schilder, Jo Ann Cady, and all of our elderly.



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 at <u>ewhealey2@gmail.com</u>.

Mass Ministers for 11/30/24 &

12/01/24 (click <u>HERE</u> for the schedule)

Mass Coordinators:

5:30pm– Wendee Maniago 8:00am– Jan Franceschini 9:30am–Lawrence Coan 11:15am–Julie Tomich



Lectors:

5:30pm–Danielle Esmits, Edward Stahl 8:00am–Tim Harvey, Liz Elias 9:30am–Heather Karazim, Ben Karazim 11:15am–Joy Fay, Mary Dougherty

EMHC:

5:30pm– Mary Ellen Hahn, Deacon Liam, Bill Campbell, Micki Humbert, Sara Freeman
8:00am–Deacon Liam, Eileen Johantges, Kathy Gogola, Linda Eichholtz, Mary Anne Klein
9:30am–David Letherman, Dave Stuhldreher, Lori Eyth, Deacon Liam, Anna Gilley
11:15am–Deacon Liam, Ed Spahr, Mark Keisler, Lenore Schmitz, Bob Killigrew

Ushers:

5:30pm– G. Harkness Group 8:00am– Ron Wallace 9:30am – C Murphy 11:15am– Joe Herzog

