

The Good News of Immaculate Heart of Mary

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Fifth Sunday of Easter

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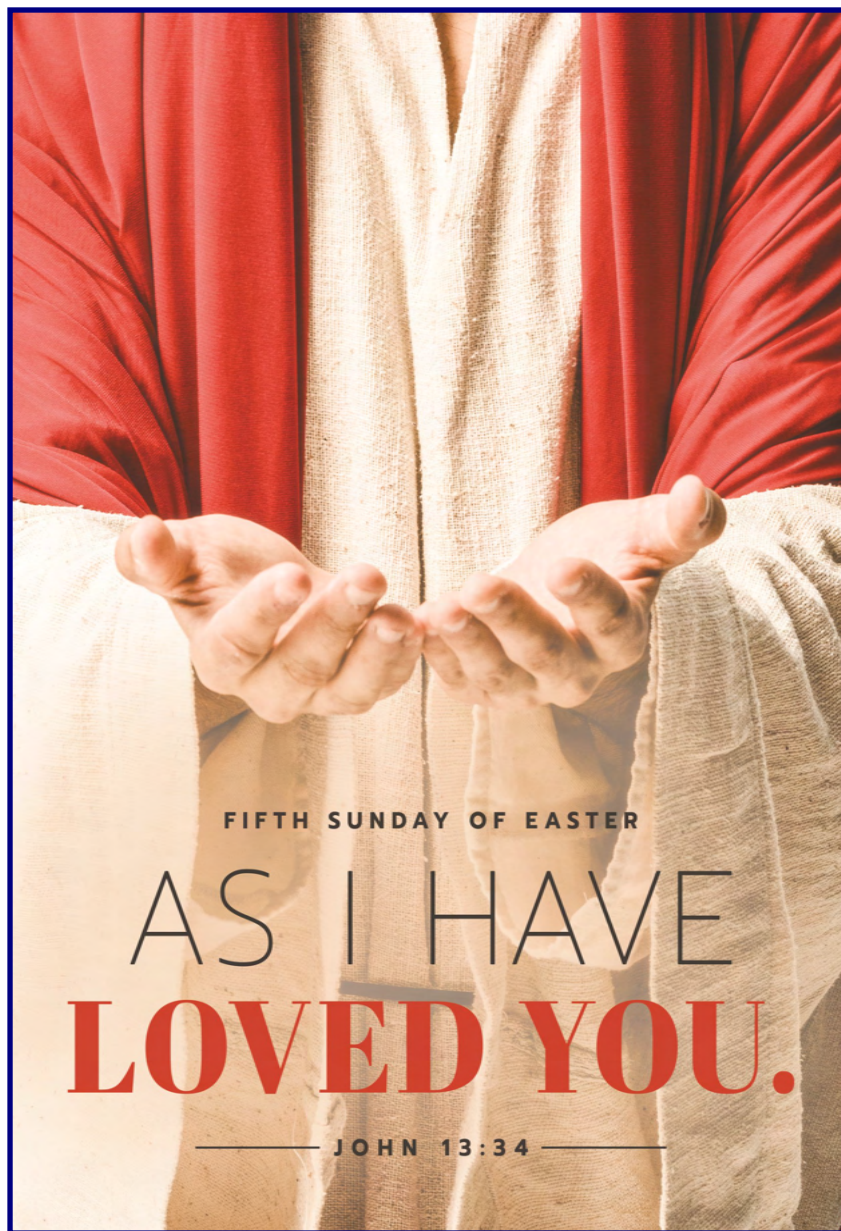
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Parish Office Hours:

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, 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

Weekdays:

Monday-Thursday - 5:30pm

Friday - 8:00am



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Schedule of Masses

Date	Time	Liturgical Celebration	Mass Intention
Monday, May 19	5:30pm Mass		† Ron Komadina By: Sondhaus family
Tuesday, May 20	5:30pm Mass	St. Bernardine of Siena	† Ann Riegner By: Kimmie and Jeff Hamilton
Wednesday, May 21	5:30pm Mass	St. Christopher Magallanes	† Gaetana Giarratano By: Kathy Antsy
Thursday, May 22	5:30pm Mass	St. Rita of Cascia	† Donna Nunley By: Tom & Mary Ellen Schuman
Friday, May 23	8:00am Mass		† Eileen Miller By: Noble/Yaggi Families
Saturday, May 24	5:30pm Mass		† Pat Kennedy By: Prout Family
Sunday, May 25	8:00am Mass	Sixth Sunday of Easter	† Deceased members of Wigginhorn family By: Susan Wigginhorn
	9:30am Mass		† Jack Bradley Williams By: Gomez Family
	11:15am Mass		People of IHM

† signifies deceased

Pope Leo XIV

The first U.S.-born cardinal, Robert Francis Prevost, has been named the Roman pontiff taking the name Leo XIV.

Following The Mass for the Election of the Roman Pontiff, 133 cardinals entered the Sistine Chapel later to begin the conclave. To elect a new pope, a two-thirds majority was required, meaning at least 89 votes were needed out of 133 electors. On Thursday afternoon, May 8th, the white smoke indicated the new pope had been selected!

Born on September 14, 1955, in Chicago, Cardinal Robert Prevost entered the Order of Saint Augustine (OSA) in 1977. After his ordination as a priest in 1982, Prevost joined the Augustinian mission in Peru. He returned to the U.S. and served in the roles of pastor for vocations & director of missions before returning to Peru, where he spent the next 10 years teaching canon law. He has served in many additional capacities, including former prefect of the influential Dicastery for Bishops.

Pope Francis appointed him apostolic administrator of the Diocese of Chiclayo in 2014, and he was elevated to Bishop of Chiclayo in 2015. On September 30, 2023, Pope Francis elevated Prevost to the rank of Cardinal. Prevost shares views close to those of Pope Francis and is noted for playing an important role in ensuring institutional stability in Peru during successful political crises.

His educational background includes a Bachelor of Science in Mathematics from Villanova University, a Master of Divinity from Catholic Theological Union in Chicago and both a licentiate and doctorate in canon law from the Pontifical College of St. Thomas Aquinas in Rome.

Picture: the Vatican



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, June 2nd 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

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www.ihmindy.org.



“Each of you should use whatever gift you have received to serve others, as faithful stewards of God’s grace in its various forms.” 1 Peter 4:10



**OUR IHM
FAMILY LIFE &
FAITH COMMISSION
INVITES YOU TO**

Welcome our new Parishioners

Newcomers Reception

Sunday | May 18, 2024

**Join us following the 11:15am
Mass in the Gathering Space**



Please RSVP
Brunch will be served.

Cathedral Soup Kitchen

Our ministry will serve at the Cathedral Soup Kitchen on Sunday, May 25th. Please sign up for multiple slots if you are bringing multiple volunteers. The time is from 11:30 am- 1:45 p.m. Please wear closed-toed shoes and a hat/ball cap for health code reasons. The Cathedral Kitchen is located at 1306 N Pennsylvania St. Sign up [HERE](#).

If you have any last minute questions, please call/text Allison Gardner (317-345-8588).



VBS

Let's point our kids to Jesus, a faithful friend we can always trust. Sign up [HERE](#)!

Join us Monday, June 23 – Thursday, June 26 from 9:30 am – 12:30 pm on the ultimate Alaskan adventure.

We need parent & teen volunteers to help with exciting stations. Contact Kaitlyn Blandford with any questions at kblandford@ihmindy.org.



MLK Ministry

Our MLK Ministry is holding a drive to help our Beloved Community by donating snacks for their after school program.

Their wish list includes individually packaged granola/breakfast bars, goldfish crackers, oreos/chips ahoy, animal crackers, whole grain chips, fruit snacks, sandwich baggies and Capri Sun drink pouches.

The drive will be held from **May 10-18th** and there will be boxes/bins at both doors of church and at the school.



Three Year Plan

A few weekends ago, we heard Jesus tell Peter to “tend my sheep,” and “feed my sheep.” This is a call for Peter, who would become the first pope, to care for & nurture the Christian community, with the lambs representing those new to the faith & the sheep representing more mature believers. The core message here is for him to provide spiritual guidance & protection for all the followers of Jesus.

During his homily, Fr. Pat discussed our three-year Plan for Parish Priorities. Please read Fr. Pat's

homily [HERE](#). For a copy of our plan, please click [HERE](#).



Please pray for this new beginning in our community. May God help us to bear much fruit for his glory as we strive to accomplish his will here at IHM.

Leader in Me

LeaderinMe

I use Habit 3, Put First Things First in my everyday life. For example, if I have to do Reading Plus and ALEKS, I think which one is due first. Reading Plus needs to be done by the end of the week, but ALEKS needs to be done by the end of the month. Since Reading Plus is due first, I finish that first and then do my ALEKS. This is just one way that I use Habit #3 everyday.

~Hattie, Class of 2028

Respect Life Ministry

IHM Respect Life ministry has annual events in May.

Pray the rosary to honor Mary and for the protection of all life, at 6pm at the Our Lady of Fatima shrine **every Wednesday** in May at 6pm. Meet at 57th & Washington.



Please donate for the **Birthline ministry** of the Indianapolis Archdiocese for mothers & babies in our white crib at the top of the rear steps to the church. The Respect Life Ministry thanks members of the IHM community for their generous support of the Birthline ministry of the Archdiocese of Indianapolis. Please donate new and gently used baby clothing, diapers, wipes, baby toys & maternity clothes.

The Respect Life Ministry also supports Birthline, Women's Care Center and Right to Life of Indianapolis with monetary donations each year.

If you are interested in learning more about this ministry, please contact Mary (317-790-6060).



Inspiration of the Week

There is an invitation in the empty tomb and the abandoned burial cloths. What great things could we accomplish, if we only believe that Christ has conquered death? Go forth this Easter season, boldly embracing the hope of the resurrection.

Eucharistic Adoration

We invite you to come & spend time a Holy hour with Jesus every Wednesday after 5:30pm Mass.

Sign up [HERE](#) to be an attendant. Thank you for helping the parish!



"A Holy Hour in front of the Blessed Sacrament is worth more than a thousand years of human glory." ~St. Padre Pio

Men's Ministry

Mark your calendars! Please join us for faithful fellowship on Thursday, May 29th at 7:00pm in the Gathering Space. Our topic of conversation will be *"Rediscover the Holy Spirit"*.



Gospel Meditation

Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture

A few years back, I felt as if I couldn't hear God's voice the way I used to. The words in the Bible seemed like cold ink on a page. Prayer felt like sitting anxiously in a lonely room. I was worried — how could I, a priest, preach or help others if I couldn't hear God's voice? It went on for months.

Then a friend encouraged me to go on a retreat and spend as much time as possible in silence. After a day or two of quiet prayer, I noticed gentle but clear thoughts of repentance in two specific areas of my life. I asked God for the grace to change, and I went to confession. Suddenly, the divine silence that haunted me was filled with a sense of God's closeness and goodness. I realized, gratefully, that God had been speaking to me in the quiet voice of my conscience.

This week we hear Jesus say, **"My sheep hear my voice. I know them and they follow me" (John 10:27).** Jesus links the hearing of his voice to following him. He speaks to us in our conscience in an intimate, personal way, when we most need to hear him. When you feel deaf to God's voice, perhaps it is time to listen in silence for His voice in your conscience calling you to hear and follow the Good Shepherd of your soul.

— Father John Muir

Making God Known, Loved & Served as



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God bless Pope Leo XIV!

What a special gift to have gathered together to witness history in the making! With Father Pat answering questions, explaining the conclave experience, and translating the presentation, our students celebrated as

Pope Leo XIV shared his first message from the Vatican balcony. We prayed together as Father Pat shared this prayer: *Almighty God, as we celebrate the election of this new Successor of St. Peter, we ask that You call your Church deep into holiness and love. Bless our Parish and School family too, that as we strive for deeper unity with You and all of our brothers and sisters in Christ, we may give you glory and may Pope Leo XIV's example inspire us to be holy, to be generous, to be kind, and to be loving.*



Winter Sports Wrap-Up: Wrestling & Boys Volleyball

Our CYO Wrestling team had a great season with a solid team of 20+ little guys (combined with St. Luke) and three Cadet IHM wrestlers who joined with Christ the King's team. Thank you to Parishioners **Matt Whiteside**, **Ryan McLaughlin**, and **Scot Dawson** along with many other parent volunteers from St. Luke who helped coached. The little guys didn't take home many wins, but they had quite a few medalists. Congratulations to our Cadet Wrestlers who had an amazing showing at the CYO City Championship with following 8th graders placing in the championship: **Max McGovern** (3rd pl); **Joey Dawson** (4th pl); and **Teddy Russell** (4th pl).

IHM had four Boys CYO Volleyball teams this season and wrapped up tournament play last month. Our 5/6 team enjoyed the CYO Blacklight Tourney, and the Cadet A and Cadet B-Blue team lost in the semi-finals of the city championship. Thank you to coaches **Sarah Anderson**, **Megan Lee**, **Sara Schluge**, **Kate Rossman**, **Maura Leppert**, **Eric Geary**, **Maureen Jordan**, and **Alex Rodman** for all their dedication to providing an awesome and fun experience for the boys.



A special thank you to the amazing parishioners who step up to serve as Sport Coordinators

Boys Volleyball **Wrestling**
Sarah Anderson Scot Dawson

If you are interested in coaching or coordinating at sport at IHM, please contact Paula Ryan at cyo@ihmindy.org



J.O.Y. CLUB

Join the May Luncheon

Wednesday, May 21
at 11:30 am at
Culver's Glendale
6111 N Keystone Ave
with the Just Older Youth

RSVP with Michele at 317-796-1224

CLOW

It's time to sign up for the summer Children's Liturgy of the Word. We need enthusiastic people to help spread the Gospel and help assist with the children at the 9:30am Mass. Call Kaitlyn with any questions and sign up [HERE](#).



Youth Trip

All incoming 7th-12th grade students are welcome on Wednesday, July 23rd to go to King's Island. They depart St. Luke's at 8am & return at 11pm. Registration is \$110 due by Wednesday, July 2nd. Make checks payable to IHM. Sign up [HERE](#) & call Kaitlyn with questions.



St. Rita of Cascia (1381 – 1457) had the opportunity to live her life as a wife, mother, widow, and eventually, member of a religious community. Born in central Italy, St. Rita felt the calling to become a nun, but was pressured at a young age into marriage. During her 18-year marriage to a cruel man, she raised two sons. When her husband was killed in a brawl and her sons died, St. Rita decided to go back to her first love and attempted to join the Augustinian nuns in Cascia. Her status as a widow caused some complications to her entering, but she eventually succeeded in professing vows.

Throughout her lifetime, St. Rita of Cascia was known for her prayerfulness and charity. She also experienced stigmata on her forehead, meditated frequently on Christ's passion, and cared for the nuns of her religious community and those in the lay community who came to her for counsel.



Fatima House

Flourishing in Seasons of Surrender ~ Overnight Retreat

*11am Saturday, May 31 through
 12pm Sunday, June 1, 2025*



This retreat is for those who are navigating transitions in life, moving away from something familiar & comfortable into a space of unfamiliarity & discomfort – whether by choice or by circumstance. There will be a generous amount of time for deeper exploration and reflection on the “letting go’s” as times of discovery – of ourselves, others & God – and that lead us to real growth and intimacy with God.

Teresa Venatta will be returning as the guide for this retreat.

Registration is \$175 per person which includes overnight accommodations, lunch, dinner & breakfast and Sunday Liturgy. Sign up at www.archindy.org/fatima or contact Lisa Coons with questions at lcoons@archindy.org.

Explore Graduate Theology at Saint Meinrad

Lay men and women are invited to an online Open House for the Graduate Theology Program of Saint Meinrad Seminary and School of Theology on Tuesday, June 3 at 6:30pm CT.



Discover how our Master of Arts & certificate programs in theology can deepen your understanding of the faith and support your call to ministry or discipleship. Visit [HERE](#).

Car Ride for Mass

We have a parishioner who needs a ride every Sunday to 8:00 am Mass. This person lives around 62nd Street & Keystone Avenue. Anyone who would be available or interested can call the Parish Office. Thank you!





With Praise and Thanksgiving to Almighty God
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Holy Hour

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Ordination of:
Deacon Liam Hosty
Deacon Thomas Day
Deacon Isaac Siefker



St. Jude Catholic Church

5353 McFarland Rd.,
Indianapolis, IN 46227

Friday, June 6th
7:00 PM- 8:00 PM

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 victimassistance@archindy.org to make a report. You can also make a confidential report by calling 888-393-6810.



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Please Pray

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

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



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

Mass Ministers for 05/24/25 & 05/25/25 (click [HERE](#) for the schedule)

Mass Coordinators:

5:30pm—Stacy Hennessy
8:00am—Jane Franceschini
9:30am—OPEN
11:15am—Julie Tomich



Lectors:

5:30pm—Tim Lohrstorfer, Stacy Hennessy
8:00am—Doug Oppman, Christine Duff
9:30am—Bob Meyer, Colleen Sakon
11:15am—Duane Schmitz, Larry Dougherty

EMHC:

5:30pm—Margaret Langfeldt, Mary O'Brien, John Creamer, Tom Hanchar, Jennie Gerard
8:00am—Robert Buening, Mike Lotti, Gabrielle Neal, OPEN, OPEN
9:30am—Julie Huffman, Louise Henderson, Anna Gilley, John Platte, OPEN
11:15am—Bob Killigrew, Lenore Schmitz, Adriana Ratterman, Christi Garcia, Mary Dougherty

Ushers:

5:30pm—G Harkness Group
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11:15am—Steve Freeman, Joe Herzog



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