

The Good News of Immaculate Heart of Mary

March 1, 2026 | Second Sunday of Lent

Father Patrick Beidelman, Pastor
Father Michael Clawson, Associate Pastor



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.

Parish Office Hours:

Monday-Friday
8am-4pm

After Hours Emergency Number:
317-257-2266, Option #8.

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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Mass Readings



Find printed copies of the Mass Readings at the doors for you to take and follow along.

Reading I~ Genesis 12:1-4a

Responsorial Psalm~ Psalm 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22.

Reading II~ 2 Timothy 1:8b-10

Gospel ~ Matthew 17:1-9

<https://bible.usccb.org/bible/readings/030126.cfm>

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Join us Tuesday mornings on February 24, March 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 from 6:30-9:30am.

Holy Hour on Wednesday evenings on February 25, March 4, 11, 18, 25 from 6-7pm.

Please sign up and commit as an attendant for Eucharistic Adoration.



Gospel Meditation

Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture

When I sit down to answer emails or write a Gospel reflection or return a phone call, I sometimes wonder: Does any of this humdrum work matter? Maybe you ask the same thing about your daily labor. Today's Gospel, the Transfiguration, offers a surprising answer.

Jesus leads Peter, James, and John up a mountain. There, **“his face shone like the sun face and his clothes become white as light” (Matthew 17:2)**. That detail regarding his clothes is worth considering.

We know Jesus' body is inseparably united to the divine nature. But his clothing? That's something made by human hands. It's an artifact. And yet it shines with the same uncreated light. What does this detail mean? The early Church noted that Adam and Eve's first act after the Fall was to make clothing. This clothing symbolizes all human labor that supports our dignity. In Jesus' glorified garments, we see not just the redemption of our body, but of human effort to protect and uplift human dignity.

Parents, your family is your work. Baristas, plumbers, nurses, accountants — your labor, your emails, your phone calls, your spreadsheets — can all become radiant when offered to God in love. The question isn't just do I believe in Jesus' glory, but do I believe he can share it with the work of my hands?

Lenten Challenge: Identify the “artifact” you are making to uplift the dignity of others: your job, your home, your relationships. Consciously bring it to the Lord this Sunday at Mass. Offer it to share in His glory. It will begin to shine.

— Father John Muir

IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY

Join us Fridays during Lent to pray the **Stations of the Cross**

Meet in the Church at 6pm

February 20, March 13

On Wednesday, April 1 at 6pm,

the 8th graders perform the Meditation on the Passion of Christ



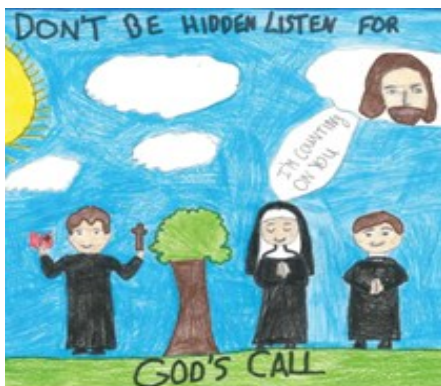
Vocation Art/Essay

We invite parish children of all ages to create a piece of art or an essay focusing on vocations using any medium they like. The idea is to encourage our students to think about vocations in a new way.

7th-9th graders are invited to take part in our Serra Club [Essay](#) contest- Information Found [HERE](#).

Any student is invited to create an art project that may cover any number of topics, such as “Saying Yes to God!”, “Let Us Remember We Are in the Holy Presence of God,” or “Jesus Came to Serve.”

Contact [Kaitlyn Blandford](#) with questions. Please submit papers and projects to Kaitlyn at the Parish Office by 3/4.



Live The Liturgy
Inspiration of the Week

“Go forth,” God told Abram. We hear that message again in the Transformation: go forth. We cannot always remain where we are comfortable. We cannot always remain where things are simple. We must go forth.



Attend our Stations of the Cross at 6pm in Church then head over to the Activity Center!

Friday, March 13 from 5:30-8pm

Sponsored by IHM Men's Group benefitting St. Anthony's school

IHM Fish Fry & Pizza Party

Wine & Beer Available!

Suggested donation:
 Single \$12
 Family \$40

Sign up to bring a dessert : <https://bit.ly/4roF3Fp>

Boulevard Place Food Pantry Drive

Share Easter Joy during Lent with our neighborhood patrons at Boulevard Place Food Pantry! Please take a Lent Easter bag and fill them with requested foods for Lent Easter Season.

Donate a variety of Easter foods: canned greens, canned chicken, seasoned rice packets, noodles, pickles, oatmeal, healthy cereal, powdered spices, healthy cooking oils, sugar, flour, cake, mixes & candy. pudding, or Jell-O fruit preserves, microwave popcorn, fruit cup packs, chicken & noodles, Mac n cheese. And of course, any Easter candy would be helpful!

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



Girl Scout Sunday

Join us for a special celebration at the 11:15 a.m. Mass on Sunday, March 8. We are proud to celebrate National Girl Scout Sunday with our IHM Girl Scouts, who will attend Mass wearing their uniforms. During the liturgy, there will be a special Girl Scout Blessing in recognition of their commitment to faith, service, leadership, and community.

IHM High School Youth Ministry

Sunday, March 15 following the 11:15 AM Mass.
 12:15–1:30 PM
 Bosco Center
 Lunch and games provided!


WATCH AND PRAY

IHM Young Adults

Join fellow young adults for a Lenten Bible study, "Watch and Pray", a series of discussions revolving around finding Jesus through new perspectives and chapters in life.

February 16
 March 2
 March 30

6pm
 Saint John Bosco Room
 (next to the IHM rectory)



Contact Jonah Messina with any questions
jonahmessina@gmail.com

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Mom's Group

Join on Monday, March 2nd

2 sessions:

10AM IN THE GATHERING SPACE

7PM IN THE PARISH CONFERENCE ROOM

Get to know other inspiring females in our parish.

There will be a Second Collection for the Solidarity Fund for the Church in Africa next weekend, March 7 & 8, 2026.



Blessed with so many gifts

This time of year, we are always reminded of how truly blessed we are to have students, teachers and parents share their talents to celebrate the arts and our faith. From our annual musical and talent show to our annual Mime Passion of Christ, our students work together using their God-given talents to create performances that inspire. All are invited to share in these special upcoming traditions.

COMING UP AT IHM...

Thursday, February 26

7 pm - Matilda Musical Opening Night

Friday, February 27

8 am - All School Mass

9: 15 am - Junior High Science Fair 

7 pm - Matilda Musical

Saturday, February 28

2 pm - Matilda Musical Final Show



IHM Musical 2026:

Matilda, Jr.

@ Marian University Theatre

Thursday, Feb. 26 @ 7 p.m.

Friday, Feb. 27 **SOLD OUT**

Saturday, Feb. 28 @ 2 p.m.

<https://cur8.com/23524/project/136445>

Tuesday, March 10

2:15 pm - 7th Grade Stations of the Cross

Friday, March 13

8 am - All School Mass 

9: 15 am - First Grade to St. Pat's Parade

10 am - Richens/Timm Irish Dance Performance Assembly

Saturday, March 14

9 am - First Communion Retreat



IHM Talent Show

Thursday
March 19

1:30 p.m.

Individual & Group performances welcome! Students must submit a permission slip to Mrs. Handshoe

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School Admissions News

2027-28 School Year Application

Please use the link below to begin your application:



www.ihmindyschool.org/apply-here

Come for a School Tour!

We love to have visitors! Tours are offered on Thursdays at 9:15 a.m. To schedule your tour, please email admissions@ihmindy.org.

Save The Date Meditation on the Passion of our Lord

Wednesday,
April 1
@ 2:00 &
6:00 pm



Penance Services

FOR LENT WILL BE HELD:



Sunday, March 1 at 2 pm
~St. Thomas Aquinas, 4600 N. Illinois St

Monday March 2 at 7 pm
~ St. Lawrence, 4650 N Shadeland Ave.

Tuesday, March 3 at 7 pm
~St. Luke 7575 E Holliday Dr

Saints Lacrosse

Take a shot and join the Catholic Lacrosse Club of Indianapolis!

Saints Lacrosse is now registering players for the Spring season! Boys and girls, grades 2-8 are eligible. Specifically needing 7th & 8th grade girls to participate and create a team!

“We offer a great environment to learn the fastest game on 2 feet!” Please go to www.catholiclax.com to register, registration closes soon. Financial aid and scholarships are available to those that qualify!

Since it is a Catholic program open to all North Deanery students and parishioners.



St. Vincent de Paul

Join us Sunday, March 8, 2026, from 2–7 PM at McGowan Hall (1305 N.

Delaware St.) for the 35th annual Irish Fest, supporting the St. Vincent de Paul Unsheltered Ministry. Enjoy live music, Irish dancers, food, raffles, and more. Admission is \$10 (free for ages 12 and under and clergy).

For tickets and information, scan the QR code or contact Darlene Sweeney at dsweeney@svdpindy.org.



Young Catholic Professionals

The Young Catholic Professionals Indianapolis Branch is hosting an Executive Panel Discussion at Cathedral High School in Indianapolis on March 11th from 7-9 pm.

Join us for an evening learning about Catholics in medicine! Hear about experiences in the medical field and how their faith shapes their work, featuring our very own *Annie Harton-Kassell*!

To register, go to Events on this page:

<https://www.youngcatholicprofessionals.org/chapter/indianapolis>. Hope to see you there!

A Special Lenten Collection St. Vincent de Paul



For further information go to svdpindy.org/40days.

You can donate online or use a donation envelope in the narthex of the church.

Bishop Chatard High School

Join the BCHS campus to experience a number of exciting and diverse summer camps. The athletic and enrichment camps focus on a variety of activities and interests and are designed to appeal to a range of ages.

Camps will be offered during the following weeks:

- June 8 – 11, 2026
- June 15 – 18, 2026
- June 22 – 25, 2026

Go to: <https://www.bishopchatard.org/camps/>.



Boulevard Place Food Pantry

Boulevard Place Food Pantry, a special work of St. Vincent de Paul, currently has two open leadership positions:

Pantry Director (non-paid, part-time up to 10 hours/week)

Co-Operations Manager (paid, part-time, 20 hours/week)

If you feel called to serve or would like more information about the job descriptions, please email blvdplacedirector@svdpindy.org.

Brebeuf Jesuit Preparatory School

The HSPT test prep workshop will provide incoming 8th grade students with test-taking strategies, time management skills, problem solving strategies, and content review. Students will take the HSPT on the last day of camp, which is an important first step of the application process.

Let the Brebeuf Jesuit faculty prepare your child for this important first step of the Class of 2031 admissions process!

Session 1:

Monday, June 1, 2026 - Friday, June 5, 2026, 8:30am- 12:00pm

Session 2:

Monday, June 8, 2026 - Friday, June 12, 2026 8:30am - 12:00pm

Click [HERE](#) for more information & to sign up.



Women's Care

Women's Care is in need of childcare volunteers so that moms can attend classes with peace of mind and without barriers. Your time and care can make a meaningful difference for mothers working to build a strong future for their families.

Women ages 18 and older are welcome to volunteer. Female teens (ages 14–17) may serve alongside a parent or guardian. Volunteers serve at a 1:6 ratio. Please consider sharing your time to support these moms and their children & email lmaldonado.wccindy@gmail.com.

They complete a background check & provide training so volunteers feel confident and prepared.

Bulletin Submissions are due Friday by 3pm the full week before. Email bulletin@ihmindy.org.

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.



Stewardship

Thank you for your generous support of IHM. Our January stewardship totaled \$194,303.03.

You may sign up for EFT with this QR code or at <http://bit.ly/48tL86o>.



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

Melissa Mates	Rémi Coquard-Wallace	Jane Meyer	Bowen Brant	Bob Anslinger	Phillip McKiernan
Matt Hutton	Carolyn Reutter	Leo Hahn	Rosemary Schilder	Lisa Hoekstra	Charlie Sink
Colleen Ryan	Henry Hartwell	E. Grace	Maeve Buhl	Laura Webber	Caroline Merrick
Cindy Wadelton	Ginny Forbes	V. Rose	Suzanne Cramer	JoAnn Cady	Max Breedlove
Max Schuster	Fr. Chris Johnson	P. Jude	Mike Ruppert	Phyllis Thomas	Cora Vincent
Ramon Rios					



Schedule of Masses		
Date	Time	Mass Intention
Monday, March 2	5:30pm Mass	† Special Intention By: Betty Davis & Gary Chapman
Tuesday, March 3	5:30pm Mass	† Donna Nunley By: Penny Hughes
Wednesday, March 4	5:30pm Mass	† Erin McNulty By: The Lubber's Family
Thursday, March 5	5:30pm Mass	† Diane Hallquist By: Tyler Hallquist
Friday, March 6	8:00am Mass	† Virginia Fox Hartigan By: Sally & Clark Millman
Saturday, March 7	5:30pm Mass	† Glen Travers By: Sue Foxx
Sunday, March 8	8:00am Mass	† Diane Hallquist By: Special Intention
	9:30am Mass	† Deborah Muccigrosso By: The Hageman Family
	11:15am Mass	People of IHM

Sacraments
Holy Communion Service
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 <i>at least</i> six months prior to the wedding. Preparation includes work with a sponsor couple & Tobit. <i>A person must be registered & active for 6 months BEFORE plans will be discussed or a date set.</i>
Baptism
All infant baptisms take place at one of the weekend Masses chosen by parents. One preparation class for first time parents is <u>required</u> . The next class will be held on Monday, April 6 2026 from 7:30–9:00pm. <i>New parents are encouraged to attend prior to the birth of the child.</i> Please email Kelli at kayres@ihmindy.org 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.

Mass Ministers for 03/07/26 & 03/08/26 (click [HERE](#) for the schedule)

Mass Coordinators:
 5:30pm-Steve Bourgeois
 8:00am-Bob Buening
 9:30am-Micki Humbert
 11:15am-Julie Tomich

Lectors:
 5:30pm-Edward Stahl, Stephen Bourgeois
 8:00am-Mary Ann Wallace, Doug Oppman
 9:30am-Heather Karazim, Ben Karazim
 11:15am-Allie Adams, Larry Dougherty

EMHC:
 5:30pm-Lenore Schmitz, Wendee Maniago, Mary Johantgen, Stacy Hennessy, Myra Mariani
 8:00am-Jane Franceschini, Mary Claire Chapman, Joyce Buening, Lane Young, Kathy Gogola
 9:30am-Chandler Letherman, Anna Gilley, Larry Coan, Lori Eyth, Margaret Langfeldt
 11:15am-Bob Killigrew, Ed Spahr, Adriana Ratterman, Mark Keisler, Wesley Short

Ushers:
 5:30pm-Patrick Rodgers, Marq Boggs
 8:00am-D Koors Group
 9:30am-Jack Esselman, Greg McCormack
 11:15am-Julie Tomich



Parish & School Staff

Anna Harvey, Director of Finance & Admin
Joe Burrows, Director of Music Ministry
Kaitlyn Blandford, Director of Evangelization & Discipleship
Karen Winternheimer, Accounts Payable/Tuition
Kelli Ayres, Administrative Assistant
Julie Tomich, Mass Ministries/Admin. Asst.
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Anne Hurley, Stewardship Coordinator
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Kyle Burkholder, Assistant Principal
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