

The Good News of Immaculate Heart of Mary

June 28, 2026 | 13th Sunday of Ordinary Time

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 Summer Hours:

June 1-August 7

Monday-Friday
9am-3pm

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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St. Thomas Aquinas

invites all IHM parishioners and family members to their annual 4th of July tri-parish (IHM, SJOA, and STA) Mass at St. Thomas Aquinas.



Mass will be celebrated at 9am on Saturday, July 4, 2026. All are welcome! For questions, please call the STA parish office at (317) 253-1461.

Baptism

With joyful hearts, we welcome our newly baptized to Immaculate Heart of Mary:

James Timothy Demaree
~child of Elizabeth & John

Eloise Marie Flora
~child of Elizabeth & Ryan

Grace Eloise Seger
~child of Adam & Hilary



I have baptized you with water: He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit.
~Mark 1:8

Not to Lose,
BUT TO FIND

Gospel Meditation

Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture

I still remember the first homily I ever preached as a new deacon. It was at the seminary, and the Gospel was this one: **"Whoever loves father or mother more than me is not worthy of me."** (Matthew 10:37-38) Standing before more than 200 classmates and professors, I stumbled awkwardly through my words and realized how strange — almost insane — this teaching sounded. If anyone else said it, we would call it narcissistic or cultish.

And that is the point. I felt the weight of those words in my own heart then, as I still do today. Am I willing to live as though Christ's claim on my love is absolute? Are you?

Over the years, I've learned that the more I do, the more everything else makes sense. Family, friendships, vocation, even my very self: all of it falls into place when my love for Jesus comes first.

That is why he dares to speak this way. Our Lord is not a cult leader hungry for control. He is the Son of God, the source of life and love itself. To put him before everything else is not to lose, but to find...everything, and everyone, in him.

This week, name one thing or one person you are tempted to place before the Lord. Then consciously offer it back to him in prayer.

— Father John Muir



Eucharistic Adoration

We welcome you to Adoration after the 5:30 pm Mass on Wednesdays. Come when you are able, and we encourage you to sign up as an attendant for Eucharistic Adoration.

You may sign up [HERE](#)

Magnifica humanitas

On the protection of human person
in the age of artificial intelligence



Read Pope Leo's Encyclical [HERE](#)

Live The Liturgy Inspiration of the Week

Whoever receives the one sent in Christ's name receives Christ. Whoever loves the Word of God loves God Himself. Who is Christ sending to you in his name this week? What Word do they speak into the stillness of your soul? Receive them. Receive him.

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.



Special collection this weekend, June 27 & 28

What is Peter's Pence?

It is an **offering** that can be small, but has a profound symbolic value: it expresses **love and trust for the Holy Father**, the successor of Peter. It is a concrete sign of **communion** with him and of participation in his apostolic mission that embraces the whole world, with particular attention and care for brothers and sisters who find themselves in situations of need.



How to support the Holy Father?

- With **prayer** for his intentions;
 - with an **offering** to Peter's Pence in the way you prefer.
- For further information, please visit the website or scan the QR code.

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Couples married within the last few years are invited to join us for a **Newly Married Couples Social** hosted by the Sponsor Couple Ministry.



This is a wonderful opportunity to connect with other newly married couples in our parish community, build friendships, and enjoy an evening together.

When: Thursday, June 25, 6:00-8:00 PM

Where: Ambrosia, 5903 N. College Ave.

Appetizers provided! All newly married couples are welcome! For questions, please contact Flo Barnes at fbonasso@gmail.com.

Oktoberfest Needs You!

Want to help make this year's IHM Oktoberfest a success? We are looking for volunteers to join our planning committee, with a **special need for help in Finance and Sponsorships**. *Whether you have experience in budgeting, fundraising, community outreach, or simply want to share your talents, we'd love to have you on the team!*

Contact Drew Hunt at drewhuntcd@gmail.com

**Oktoberfest
2026**



Safety and Construction

Please note that our parking lot and playground will be **CLOSED** Monday through Friday during construction! They will be open during the following times on the weekends:

Saturdays - 4:00 - 9:00 pm

Sundays - 6:00 am - 9:00 pm

REMINDER that video cameras are working and jumping the fence is not allowed.

Kings Island

ALL INCOMING 7th-12th GRADE STUDENTS WELCOME

WEDNESDAY, JULY 29TH

Depart from the church parking lot of St. Luke @ 8am
Return to St. Luke @ 11pm

**REGISTRATION: \$115
BY JULY 1**

Registration cost includes a park admission ticket, all meals, and the bus fee.
USE THE QR CODE TO REGISTER!
SPOTS ARE LIMITED!
(refunds will not be accepted after the registration date passes)

For Questions contact Kaitlyn Blandford kblandford@ihmindy.org

Chaperones are needed too! Please contact Kaitlyn Blandford with any questions at kblandford@ihmindy.org

“Whoever gives only a cup of cold water to one of these little ones to drink because the little one is a disciple--amen, I say to you, he will surely not lose his reward.” - Mt 10:42



Opens July 1!

CYO FALL SPORTS Registration

Co-Ed Cross Country (Grades 3-8)

Boys Football* (Grades 3-8)

Girls Kickball* (Grades 3-8)

Girls Volleyball (Grades 4-8)



Please use the QR Code to begin registration or use the link below!



Registration officially opens JULY 1 and **MUST** be completed in **TWO STEPS**:

1. IHM website (fee to be paid): www.ihmindyschool.org/cyo-athletics/
2. CYO website (no fee): Link is the 2nd bullet on the IHM registration site above.

*** Football & Kickball have registration deadlines of JULY 15!!**

All children registered in IHM Parish and/or attending IHM School are welcome to participate on our IHM Teams! For Football & Cross Country, we also welcome registered parishioners or school students from St. Joan of Arc and St. Thomas.



Questions or need more info?? Please Contact:

Sports Ministry Director: Annie Rumer cyo@ihmindy.org Athletic Director: Katie Matis kmatis25@gmail.com



Official registration for Football opens on July 1!! IHM Football is committed to providing a safe and positive experience for our athletes. The program has made significant investments in quality equipment, including Guardian Caps, for all players, helping enhance player safety throughout the season.

Practices will begin in mid August, with games starting the weekend after Labor Day. The season concludes with a postseason tournament in late October. There may be some opportunities for voluntary workouts and skill sessions prior to official practices beginning.

Additional volunteer coaches needed, particularly at the 3rd-grade level. Coaching is a rewarding way to support our young athletes and help build the future of the program. No prior coaching experience is required, and assistance and resources are available for those willing to help. If you have any interest in coaching, please reach out to our Football Coordinator.

We look forward to another great year of CYO Football!

Questions ? Please Contact:

IHM Football Coordinator Matt Dunn Matt@lcm-home.com

IHM School News

Work at IHM School!

Full- or part-time Instructional Aid positions are available at various grade levels. Please contact: Assistant Principal Kyle Burkholder at kburkholder@ihmindy.org

Admissions Update:

For our upcoming 2026-27 school year, we have openings for incoming 4th and 7th Grades. If you are interested, please fill out a 2026-27 application:

www.ihmindyschool.org/apply-here

Our Kindergarten 2027-28 Application is open using the above link! **Deadline for 27-28 Kinder applications is August 1.** School tours will be available starting the week of August 24th.



Fall Open House:
Wed., October 7
9:15 - 11 am



Join **Theology on Tap** on Wednesday, June 24, and hear from guest speaker Lauren LaCoy. Doors open at 6:00 p.m., with the talk beginning at 7:00 p.m. in McGowan Hall located at 1305 N. Delaware St.

Come early and enjoy dinner from Pierogi Love Indy, available for purchase beginning at 6:00 p.m. in the parking lot. Adults age 21 and older are welcome to purchase beverages inside McGowan Hall (please bring a valid ID).

Free parking is available in the McGowan surface lot, with additional street parking in front of and behind the hall. Reserved parking near the front entrance will be available for expecting mothers and young families. Thank you to Mother Theodore Catholic Academies for sponsoring this evening of Theology on Tap.

We hope you will join us for food, fellowship, and faith-filled conversation!

ALTAR SERVER SWIM PARTY

Saturday, July 25, 7-9pm

Northside Events and Social Club 2100 E. 71st Street, Indianapolis, IN. 46220

If your son or daughter is an altar server for your parish, then join us at the Altar Server Swim Party at Northside Events and Social Club. Food and drinks will be served. All attendees will be welcome to enjoy fun in the sun and swim in the pool at Northside Events and Social Club.

Scholarship Opportunity for Incoming High School Freshmen!

For those altar servers who just completed their 8th grade year, and are on their way to high school, we have a scholarship opportunity!

Your soon-to-be high school freshmen could win a \$1000 tuition scholarship to Bishop Chatard High School, Cathedral High School, or Brebeuf Jesuit Preparatory HS.

Names of the altar servers—who are at the pool party—and only those who will be starting their freshman year of high school this fall—will be drawn (one winner for each school) The three winners will each receive a \$1000 tuition scholarship (\$500 from the school and \$500 from Knights of Columbus Council 3433 of St. Pius X Parish). Please join us!



Weekend Retreat

with Deacon
Larry Oney

as seen on
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The SPREAD Summer Retreat is just around the corner!

Our friends with disabilities are looking forward to a wonderful weekend of faith, friendship, and fun on July 25–26 at St. Joseph Retreat Center in Tip-ton, Indiana. Registration forms have been mailed to SPREAD participants. *Please complete and return your paperwork by June 17 to reserve your spot.*

We are also seeking volunteers to help make this special weekend possible. Serving at the SPREAD Retreat is a rewarding opportunity to share God's love and build meaningful relationships. It may be one of the most fulfilling volunteer experiences you'll ever have! Contact Ute Eble at ueble@archindy.org.



Join **Voices for Life** on Friday, August 7th, for our Abortion Clinic Mission Trip. We will take a group of pro-life people to peacefully pray and sidewalk counsel at the Champaign Abortion clinic, Equity Clinic. A FREE carpool will leave from Indianapolis.

Email melanie@voicesforlife.com to RSVP and for more information.



St. Vincent de Paul-Children's Clothes

St. Vincent de Paul directly provides new or gently used clothing free to families in our community. We are currently in dire need of children's clothing sizes 2T-youth18.

Your donations would be greatly appreciated.

You can drop them off at our SVdP Distribution Center 1201 E. Maryland Street, Dock Door #3 (South side of the building) 9am-3pm Mon.-Sat., or at our IHM blue bin in the parking lot!

On behalf of SVdP and the families we serve, thank you so much.



Early Childhood Caregiver (Toddlers)

Trojan Tots Preschool is looking for a qualified and experienced caregiver for our Sophomore classroom (12-24months) for the next school year. Candidates MUST have experience working with toddlers in an early childhood care setting. A degree in Early Childhood Education or related field is preferred but not required. Responsibilities of the position will include lesson planning, family communication and classroom management along with a co-teacher.

Substitute Teachers

Trojan Tots Preschool is looking for substitute teachers to work with our young trojans. This position has flexible hours between 7 a.m. -5:30 p.m. Our preschool serves ages 6 weeks to 5 years old. Trojan Tots follows the same school calendar as Bishop Chatard High School.

For more information, please contact Kathryn Grose, Director of Early Childhood Education, at kgrose@bishopchatard.org or phone (317) 254-5437.



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



Please note that bulletin submissions are due Friday by 3pm the full week before.

Email bulletin@ihmindy.org or contact our Communication Coordinator, Rose Fine, directly at rfine@ihmindy.org.

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	Bob Zyromski	P. Jude	Mike Ruppert	Phyllis Thomas	Cora Vincent
Ramon Rios					



Schedule of Masses

Date	Time	Mass Intention
Monday, June 29	5:30pm Mass	† Diane Killilea By: Hurley Family
Tuesday, June 30	5:30pm Mass	Increase to Vocations By: Dottie Morris
Wednesday, July 1	5:30pm Mass	† John Hurley By: Hurley Family
Thursday, July 2	5:30pm Mass	David Feeser By: Emily Keller
Friday, July 3	8:00am Mass	† Donald Short By: Megan Short
Saturday, July 4	5:30pm Mass	† Andy James By: Jennifer Foxworthy
Sunday, July 5	8:00am Mass	People of IHM
	9:30am Mass	† Melanie Esselman By: Esselman Family
	11:15am Mass	† Lauretta Schoelkopf By: Steve Sondhaus



Mass Ministers for 07/04/26 & 07/05/26 (click [HERE](#) for the schedule)

Mass Coordinators:

5:30pm-Emily Nowlin
8:00am-Linda Eichholtz
9:30am-Larry Coan
11:15am-Julie Tomich



Lectors:

5:30pm-Stacy Hennessy, Brent Lee
8:00am-Doug Oppman, Linda Eichholtz
9:30am-Jake O'Neill, Dave Stuhldreher
11:15am-Larry Dougherty, Joy Fay

EMHC:

5:30pm-Mary Ellen Hahn, Emily Nowlin, Franklin Nowlin, Stacy Hennessy, Mary Johantgen
8:00am-Ron Wallace, Joyce Buening, Mary Claire Chapman
9:30am-Larry Coan, Emily Bannister, John Platte, Susanne Platte, Pam Budny
11:15am-Patrick Gibbons, Bob Killigrew, Lenore Schmitz

Ushers:

5:30pm-CJ Brodowicz
8:00am-Richard Schuster, William Cleary
9:30am-Mark Fontanna, Greg Prosser
11:15am-Julie Tomich

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 *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 1 from 7:30-9:00pm. *New parents are encouraged to attend prior to the birth of the child.* Please email Kelli at kayres@ihmindy.org

Parish & School Staff

Anna Harvey, Director of Finance & Admin
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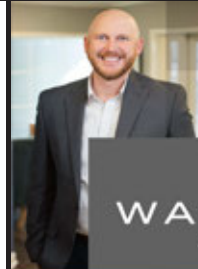


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