



IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY

CATHOLIC CHURCH

MARCH 10, 2019

Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 pm

Sunday: 8:00 am & 10:30 am

Monday: No Mass

Tuesday: 6:00 pm

Wednesday - Friday: 8:15 am

Holy Days: As announced

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SUNDAY OF LENT

Filled with the Holy Spirit, Jesus returned from the Jordan and was led by the Spirit into the desert for forty days, to be tempted by the devil.
- Lk 4:1-2a

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT



Monday, March 11

No Mass

Tuesday, March 12

6:00 p.m. †**Arthur Kitta**

By Marie Kodadek

Wednesday, March 13

8:15 a.m. †**Dianne Seredynski**

By Joe & Christine Gubanski

Thursday, March 14

8:15 a.m. †**Patricia A Gravette (Birthday)**

By John & Kathleen Gravette

Friday, March 15

8:15 a.m. †**Gussie Zakrzewski**

By Albin Zakrzewski

7:00 p.m. *Stations of the Cross*

Saturday, March 16

5:00 p.m. †**Kimberly Zajac**

By Lester & Joan Reppond

Sunday, March 17

8:00 a.m. †**Jon Paul Coney (Birthday)**

By Lois & Steve Coney

10:30 a.m. For All Parishioners

This Week's Readings

Week of March 10th:

Sunday: Dt 26:4-10/Ps 91:1-2, 10-11, 12-13, 14-15 [cf. 15b]/Rom 10:8-13/Lk 4:1-13

Monday: Lv 19:1-2, 11-18/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15 [Jn 6:63b]/Mt 25:31-46

Tuesday: Is 55:10-11/Ps 34:4-5, 6-7, 16-17, 18-19 [18b]/Mt 6:7-15

Wednesday: Jon 3:1-10/Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19 [19b]/Lk 11:29-32

Thursday: Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25/Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8 [3a]/Mt 7:7-12

Friday: Ez 18:21-28/Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-7a, 7bc-8 [3]/Mt 5:20-26

Saturday: Dt 26:16-19/Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8 [1b]/Mt 5:43-48

Next Sunday: Gn 15:5-12, 17-18/Ps 27:1, 7-8, 8-9, 13-14 [1a]/Phil 3:17—4:1 or 3:20—4:1/Lk 9:28b-36

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

RCIA classes are in the Parish Life Center on Tuesdays from 7:00 to 8:30 pm.

First Scrutiny	March 12
A Love That Lasts	March 12
Second Scrutiny	March 19
Catholic Social Teaching	March 19

Please call Deacon Tim Costello at 501-851-8743 or the church office at 501-851-2763 for more information.

Eucharistic Adoration

"Trust all things to Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament and to Mary Help of Christians and you will see what miracles are."

- St. John Bosco

Our Parish provides the opportunity for everyone to share Eucharistic Adoration on Wednesdays from 1-9pm. We invite all to pray with Jesus as the Blessed Sacrament is exposed on the altar. Even if just for a few minutes, make sure you take the time to stop in Church & give thanks to Him from whom every good comes.



Our parish will pray the Stations of the Cross every Friday during Lent at 7 pm.

On Good Friday, Stations will be at noon.

The devotion holds many great rewards including a plenary indulgence for every time the devotion is completed.

Please Pray for the following names placed in the Book of Intentions ...

Repose of the souls of Frank Strozzyk Sr, and Elizabeth Allgaier.
Special Intentions: Mendy Emmerling, Christina Quinteros, Tom Moix, Sr Catherine Markey OSB, Martha Wright, Owen Forse, Marian Swift, Danny Zajac, Karen Warren, Gabe Tyler, Jimmy Bradley, Carmen Sanchez, Tom DeClerk, Joseph de Prez, Frank Strozzyk, Doris Stone, Vince & Lillian Chwalinski, Jef Shields, Robin Frank, Mac McFarland, Jeremy Dipascale, Veronica Kaplon, Dc Brunon & Dorothy, Sharon Hammaker, Janis Williams, Christy Salaam, Eileen Dennihan, Marie Leonard, Linda Jones, Tara Gibson, Michael Chudy, Amanda Woods, Mary Lou Halford, Frances Chudy, Frank Loftus, Doc Hrcir, Irene Norey, Carolyn Gangluff, Regina Pruss, Tom Niedzwiedz, William & Margaret Piechocki, Mary Knapper, Josef & Julianna Buhajla, Jim Alberson, Janet Fowler, Justin Richards, Mary Ann Hiegel, Mary Hiegel, Denver Roy, and Tanner Garner.



Ministers for Next Weekend

Saturday, March 16, 5 pm	Sunday, March 17, 8 am	Sunday, March 17, 10:30 am
Eucharistic Ministers/Lectors		
Dc Brunon Strozyk Sharon Shields Ginny Stevener L-Jack Shields	Dc John Hartned Marion Pruss Rita Pruss L-Chris Stahr	Dc Tim Costello Julie Chudy Chris Dailey L-Jim Dobry
Servers		
Matt Fellone Michael Fellone Jerrod Merica	Dylan Le Justin Le Piper Zakrzewski	Aaron Dailey Grace Dailey JJ Burton Emily Daniel
Ushers		
HU-David Hindman Amy Richmond Morris Richmond Pete Ardoin	HU-Chuck Chwalinski Frank Nguyen Randal Piechocki Jimmy Pruss	HU-Wen Grimes John Waters Carson Waters Reed Waters



Living Stations of the Cross

Join the IHM CYM on Friday, March 15th, at 7pm for a performance of the Living Stations of the Cross. What better way to prepare your heart and mind during the Lenten season than to reflect on the loving sacrifice of our Lord?

Celebration of Martin Amaro's Ordination

Join Fr Ruben, Bishop Taylor, Msgr Scott Friend, Fr Martin Siebold, Fr Juan Manjarrez, Fr Jeff Hebert, and Fr Juan Guido to Rome, Italy on May 6-15, 2019. This pilgrimage of a lifetime includes many tours of Rome, with the



highlight being the priestly ordination of Dc Martin Amaro, seminarian for the Diocese of Little Rock. Fliers with travel info are available in the church office. *Space is limited so don't delay!*

Fish Fry!

IHM Men's Club Fish Fry and 50/50 Drawing is **Friday, March 15th** from 5:00-7:30 pm in the Parish Life Center.

Menu includes catfish, fries, beans, hush puppies, cole slaw, drinks and desserts. Full sit down meal and carry out available. \$13 for Adults & \$7 for Children age 6-10. Children 5 and under eat free. The next Fish Fry will be April 5th.



March Church Cleaning Group

Marsha Malchaski, Chairman, Jana Ardoin, Christine Gubanski, and Sharon Shields. Thank you to those who helped last month. Your hard work is greatly appreciated.



March 10
Youth Mass - 10:30 am
Rehearsal for Stations
of the Cross

Abstinence and Fasting

During Lent, Catholics abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday & on all the Fridays of Lent. They fast on Ash Wednesday & Good Friday. To abstain from meat means to not eat meat on those days. It does not intend the omission of eggs or dairy products. The required fast on Ash Wednesday & Good Friday involves eating only one full meal on those days. One or two smaller meals may be taken on those days, but may not total one full meal, and no eating anything between meals. All Catholics 14 years and older are bound by the law of abstinence; all adults are bound to fast up to the beginning of their 60th year.

Dinner for Seminarians

Our parish has been asked to provide dinner for 15 seminarians and priests at the House of Formation every Tuesday in March except during Spring Break. We are looking for volunteers to help with these meals. If you are interested or have any questions, please email parish@ihmnlr.org or call the office at 851-2763. Your help is greatly appreciated!



Financial Update

Weekly Collection Summary	Week Ending 3/3/2019	Year To Date 7/1/2018-3/3/2019
Actual	\$8,641.00	\$305,510.00
Budgeted	\$8,999.00	\$323,964.00
Over/(Under) Budget	(\$358.00)	(\$18,454.00)
Misc. Weekly Collections	Week Ending 3/3/2019	Year to Date 7/1/2018-3/3/2019
School Support	\$340.00	\$21,595.00
School Tuition Assistance	\$75.00	\$3,939.00
Capital Improvement	\$900.00	\$26,274.00

Junktique Sale

The Annual Catholic High School JUNKtique Sale will be Saturday, March 30 in the gymnasiums of the school at 6300 Fr Tribou. The doors open 8 am & close 2 pm. Your donations of garage sale type items may be delivered to the gymnasium at Catholic High 8:30 am to 2 pm and 4 to 6 pm Monday, March 25 thru Thursday, March 28. We will not accept computers, printers, TVs of any type, mattresses/box springs, drop down baby cribs or dishwashers. Large items will be picked up, if requested. Cut off for picking up large items will be Thursday, March 28 at 12 noon. To schedule a pick call Joan Finnegan 517-5153 or email jfinne@lrchs.org

Searching for Peace of Heart: A Lenten Series

Lenten Sundays at 11:30 am (following the 10 am Mass) at St. John Church, 589 W Grand, Parish Hall Parlor, Hot Springs. Everyone who is seeking peace is invited to attend. Begins March 10. The group is facilitated by Dc. Robert Wanless and Dr. Ronda Chervin (parishioner, Catholic TV presenter and co-author of "Escaping Anxiety on the Road to Spiritual Joy"). Explore the wisdom of Fr. Jaques Philippe's book "Searching for and Maintaining Peace: A Small Treatise on Peace of Heart". Sessions are free and open to all. Contact Dr. Ronda 860-759-4521 chervinronda@gmail.com or Dc. Robert 501-655-4193 rdukew137@gmail.com

Feast of St Joseph Celebration

The 6th Annual Feast of St. Joseph Celebration is Tuesday, March 19th at St. Joseph Center, 6800 Camp Robinson Road in North Little Rock. Blessing of the gardens will begin at 5:30pm in the SJ Farm Stand area. (Guests are encouraged to bring a non-perishable food item to be donated to a local food pantry.) A delicious homemade Spaghetti Supper will be served in the dining hall. Tickets sales will support the farm (Adults-\$10, Kids <12-\$5, and < 3-Free). Following supper, building tours will be available.

St Patrick's Day Dinner & Bingo

St Patrick Catholic Church is having their annual Dinner and Bingo on Saturday, March 16th at 5 pm. Adults \$12 and Children age 5-12 \$6. Kids under 5 are free. St Patrick's Parish is located at 20th & Orange Streets in North Little Rock.



Central Deanery High School Tuition Aid Fund

The HS Tuition Aid Fund was established by the parishes of the Central Deanery to financially assist registered, active and qualifying parish families who are unable to pay the full tuition for Catholic High, Mount St Mary, & St Joseph in Conway. Eligibility is determined by consistent financial support of the parish, regular mass attendance & involvement in church & school life. Applications are in the Parish Church Office & must be submitted for pastoral approval by **April 26**. All families must apply online with FACTS Tuition Grant and Aid (<https://online.factsmgmt.com/aid>) before they can be considered for processing. (Call the Church Office with any questions.)

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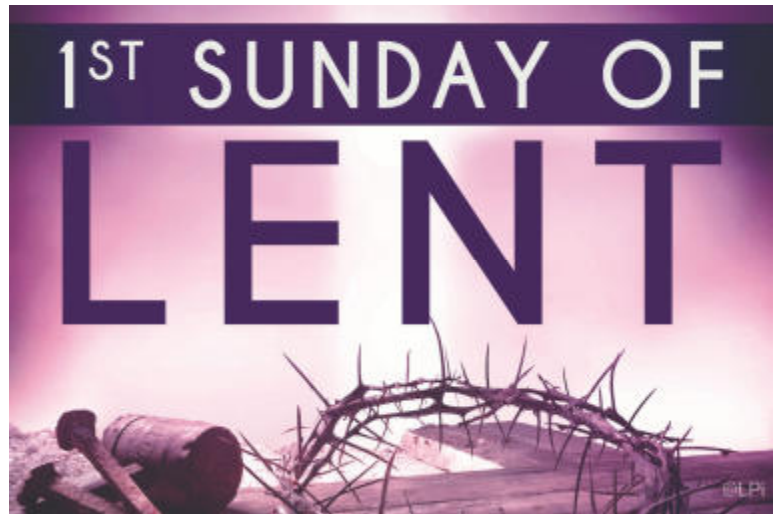
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Useful Information

Reconciliation/Confession

4:15-4:45 pm Saturday, 7:30-7:45 am Sunday, or by appointment.

Baptisms

Any Sunday of the month by arrangement. Parents and godparents must attend class prior to baptism. Call Deacon Strozyk at 501.851.2049.

Weddings

Those preparing for marriage must be registered, active, and contributing parishioners, living within the parish boundaries for at least six months. They must notify the pastor before setting a wedding date which would be no sooner than six months, and then begin their marriage preparation program.

Natural Family Planning

Contact Jim & Joan Dobry at 501.413.7338

Visitation of the Sick

Please call the parish office when someone is ill, at home, in the hospital or nursing home.

New Parishioners

Welcome to IHM! You are invited to register as soon as possible by calling the parish office. Or go to our website www.ihmnlr.org and click "New Parishioner Registration" to fill out your information.

Music Ministry

Contact Steven Shook at 870.830.8586 or sshook09@gmail.com if you would like to join the choir or help with music.

Parish Organizations Monthly Meetings

Parish Council

4th Thursday @ 6:00pm

Altar Society

2nd Monday @ 6:30pm

Men's Club

2nd Sunday @ 6:00pm

Knights of Columbus

3rd Monday @ 6:30pm

IHM School Board

2nd Wednesday @ 6:00pm

Bible Study

Sundays @ 9:10am-10:20am

YFF Classes

Sundays @ 9:10am-10:20am (August-May)



Mission Statement

Led by the Holy Spirit, Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish opens our hearts to Jesus Christ by worshipping God together, to become more prayerful people.

We aspire to live the Gospel without compromise and to love the Body of Christ, the Church. We respect the Church's traditions and we desire to grow in love and truth within our community, our family, and ourselves so as to spread the Good News of the Gospel.

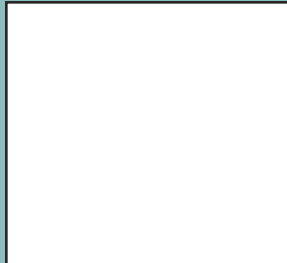
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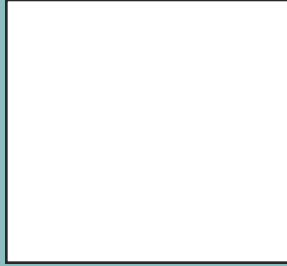
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