### June 26, 2022

## **Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**



# Immaculate Heart of Mary - 4701 Weldin Road - Liftwood Wilmington, DE 19803 www.ihm.org

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#### SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptisms are normally scheduled on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month at 1:00pm. Parent(s) who wish their child to be baptized are expected to be registered in the parish and practicing the faith. The dates for the Pre-Baptismal Class for the 1st child, as well as the Class for the 2nd are listed inside the bulletin. Classes for 1st child are held in the Church and classes for 2nd child are held in the Rectory Meeting Room. Please call the rectory 764-0357 to register.

#### SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Couples need to meet with a priest one year before the wedding date to begin marriage preparation. Call the Rectory for an appointment.

#### **NEW PARISHIONERS**

IHM welcomes you! Please call the Rectory Office for a visit and a copy of your welcome packet.

esus answered him, "Foxes have dens and birds of the sky have nests, but the Son of Man has nowhere to rest his head." And to another he said, "Follow me." But he replied, "Lord, let me go first and bury my father." But he answered him, "Let the dead bury their dead. But you, go and proclaim the kingdom of God." - Lk 9:58-60 Example from the Leaderson for Marc (2000), 1998, 1970 CC1

#### Readings for the week of June 26, 2022

| Sunday:      | 1 Kgs 19:16b, 19-21/Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-8, 9-                                  |
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| Monday:      | 10, 11/Gal 5:1, 13-18/Lk 9:51-62<br>Am 2:6-10, 13-16/Ps 50:16bc-17, 18-19, |
| ·            | 20-21, 22-23/Mt 8:18-22  |
| Tuesday:     | Am 3:1-8; 4:11-12/Ps 5:4b-6a, 6b-7, 8/Mt                                   |
|              | 8:23-27  |
| Wednesday:   | Vigil: Acts 3:1-10/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5/Gal 1:11-                                |
|              | 20/Jn 21:15-19 Day: Acts 12:1-11/  |
|              | Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-                                   |
|              | 18/Mt 16:13-19   |
| Thursday:    | Am 7:10-17/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11/Mt 9:1-8                                     |
| Friday:      | Am 8:4-6, 9-12/Ps 119:2, 10, 20, 30, 40,                                   |
|              | 131/Mt 9:9-13  |
| Saturday:    | Am 9:11-15/Ps 85:9ab and 10, 11-12, 13-                                    |
|              | 14/Mt 9:14-17  |
| Next Sunday: | ls 66:10-14c/Ps 66:1-3, 4-5, 6-7, 16, 20                                   |
|              | [1]/Gal 6:14-18/Lk 10:1-12, 17-20 or 10:1-                                 |
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#### MASSES

Saturday: 5:00pm (LIVE STREAMED) Sunday: 7:00am, 9:00am, 11:00am Monday — Saturday: 6:30am and 9:00am Holy Day: as scheduled in bulletin

#### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

#### (Confessions)

Saturday: 4:00pm to 4:45pm in the Chapel or by appointment

#### SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

Emergency - Call the Rectory, 764-0357

Communion Call - Upon request Eucharistic Ministers will bring Eucharist to the homebound and sick of the parish. Visitation - Please notify the Rectory of any serious illness in your family or admission to a hospital.

## <u>LITURGY</u>

### The Power of Prayer

Our church has a petitions book in the gathering area where any parishioner can write in a special prayer intention for the living, seriously ill or for any family crisis. The written petitions are remembered at mass during the Prayer of the Faithful as we respond, "Lord, hear our prayer" to the intercessions. Please use this opportunity to include your family and community in our prayers.

## **ZOOM Video Pre-Baptism Classes**

Date for 1<sup>st</sup> Child – August 1 at 7:30pm Date for 2<sup>nd</sup> or additional Children – July 18th starting at 7:00pm.

These classes are held via ZOOM video conference. Please call the Rectory 764-0357 to register



### July 4th Holiday

Parish Office will be **CLOSED** Monday, July 4th.

We will reopen Tuesday, July 5th at 9:00am

Have a happy and safe holiday!



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### **IHM Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration**



## First Friday and First Saturday devotions will be after the 9am Mass.

"A thousand years of enjoying human glory is not worth even an hour spent sweetly communing with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament." *(St. Padre Pio)* 

Adorers are needed for the following hours: Sunday: (No Adoration on Sunday from 7am to 2pm) Sunday: 9pm wks 1,3,5 Monday: 11am: 9pm Tuesday: 11pm Wednesday: 5am wks 4,5; 1pm, 11pm Thursday: 12am; 9am Friday: 12pm Respect Life rotating schedule Saturday: 6am; 9pm – weeks 1,2,3,5 (No Adoration on Saturday from 7am to 6pm)

Please contact Kathy Dunworth to be assigned a Holy Hour from the ones listed above or any other hour that fits your schedule. We are in special need for late evening and Saturday at 9pm Adorers and 11pm. Call 302-383-6452 or kdunworth@verizon.net to be a substitute or be assigned a Holy Hour.

Call the Hotline at 302-764-4326 for closings and updates.

### **DEVOTIONS AND PRAYER GROUPS**

Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration in Chapel: Sunday 2pm to Saturday 6:30am Saturday 6pm to Sunday at 7am Rosary: Daily, after 9am Mass First Friday and First Saturday Devotion: Monthly after the 9am Mass

Prayer Groups:

Monday: 7pm- Rosary Tuesday: 1pm- Marian Movement Of Priests Cenacle Thursday: 1pm – Miraculous Medal



Please welcome the statue of Our Lady of Fatima into your homes. Say the rosary with Our Lady and great blessings and graces are received. Everything you need is in the suitcase that can be found in the Chapel. You can sign up for any time that is convenient to you just leave your info in the folder. Be sure to return the statue before Sunday so it will be ready for the next person.

For any questions call Pat Dargis (302)478-7909. Our Lady of Fatima pray for us, our families and our country.

### 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time Reflection

And to another he said, "Follow me." In every moment of every day, in every circumstance and experience, God is calling us. We can easily get distracted and not hear it or simply ignore it, pretending it wasn't even heard. When we do hear it and favorably respond, there are some conditions that must be met. Jesus makes it clear that once we say yes to his invitation, we must stay focused and forge ahead. We cannot keep looking behind or worry about unfinished business. There are some tasks, and discipleship is one, that require our full devotion.

There are many "masters" vying for our attention. We need something or someone to give us direction. Human nature requires it. Our motives and actions reveal what has our allegiance. It is tempting to give ourselves to masters that lure us with intriguing promises. When given the choice between a "master" that promises worldly success, abundant wealth, status, privilege, and security versus a "master" that asks for self-sacrifice, hardship, suffering, ridicule, and death, to whom do we go? While the promise of immediate pleasure is enticing, there is always a catch. For all that secular masters can promise, they always keep us looking behind, checking on ourselves, second guessing choices, calculating options, and being slaves to excessive worry. Our guard can never come down. Only one master really promises life: Jesus Christ. Hearing his call, we either trust him or we don't.

Saying yes to following Christ does come with a risk. But it also comes with the brightness of future hopes and dreams. There is no need to keep looking behind. Sins are forgiven and regrets serve no effective purpose. God is not there. He's moved beyond all that stuff. God is in the today and the tomorrow and what he can continually do with our daily affirmation to follow Him. Begin with prayer. We will not only hear God's call but find the courage to trust that He will guide us where we need to be. God uses us in the most ordinary of ways through the simple daily expression of our lives.

## CHILDREN'S CORNER

#### Sharing the Gospel

Jesus knew that following him would not be easy. He could have made a lot of money. He could have had a beautiful home and a family to enjoy it with. Instead, Jesus chose to walk from town to town, teaching people about God. He gave up having nice things so that he could stay focused on God's work. That's what he asked his disciples to do, too.

### Prayer

Dear Jesus, thank you for giving up so much, so that I could grow close to God.

#### Something to Draw

Draw a picture of Jesus walking with his friends.

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Please pray for those who are sick especially:

Angela Darling Theresa Costa

and please continue to remember in your prayers the sick and recovering parishioners and their caregivers including:

Jamie Anderson Jay Bedell Alan Berry David Bucci **Rich Blankeney** Bonnie Blankenev Jack Braconnier, Sr. Andrew Brundage Sandy Calderhead Nancy Carney Theresa Cassidy Christine Cavaliere Ryan Chetty Jack Conm Joanne Cunningham Arlene Dalesio Janice Dawson Mary DeLitta Peggy Dragone Amber Draper Edward Felps Marie Finch Linda Finnev **Rick Finney** Shawn Foard Danny Forte Jackie Fiore-Warfield John Furey Katherine Glazier Gail P. Glynn Don A. Grace **Richard Harrison** Carol Healy John Heaney Helene Hendrixson Caroline Henry Tom Jewett Margaret Kenney Wayne Kershner Brigitta Klug Wendy Lovet Michelle Malloy Terry Mance Thomas Manlove Matthew McCormick

Reagan McGovern Rick McNeal Chris Mighton Donna Natelli Sierra Neidlinger Jean Nettleton Bernard Nowak Hilda Orlando Patty O'Donnell John Pellegrino Angel Piane Donald Pietlock **Eric Phillips** Alensia Nicole Quigly Jose Riera Carmen Riera Kellianne Robinson Gregg Rooney Sr. Maria Rosas James F. Russell, Jr. Evelvn V. Santos Veronica Scerca Louise Schumock Lenna & Andy Schott Brandon Shain Sue Sheehan **Bill Sherwin** Theresa Sherwin Connie Silpath Albert Silpath JoAnne Shain Denise Smith Kristin Suda Lou Tiberi Elaine Vadden Maureen A. Viehman Mary Alice Vinc Patricia Westerberg Vickie Weatherby Lucy Winsor Phillip Wolfe Claire Wright Carol Znacko

Please contact the Parish office 764-0357 to place or remove names on the sick list.

A **Vocation Blessing Chalice** to discern and pray for Vocations is available for families to sign out in the chapel.





**Please join us in prayers** as we ask for God's guidance and protection of our troops serving around the world. **Our prayer** "Lord, hold our troops in Your loving hands," especially those associated with our Parish:

Gregory Collins Timothy McAteer Jonathan Meier Christopher Morris Michael Coulombe Monica Bray-Abongan Stephen Hassink Andrew McElravy Joseph Orlando John Udall, III John B. Devine Bailey Bray

Blessed are the Peacemakers who serve our Country. If you wish to add the name of a parishioner who is serving in the Military, please contact the Parish Office 764-0357.

## **ADULT FAITH FORMATION**

We're excited to launch *INTO LIFE: Love Changes Everything*, an original, formational video series produced in partnership with the Sisters of Life and CampCampo Films.

The *INTO LIFE* program consists of 12 videos, personal reflection questions, and group discussion questions, along with both facilitator and participant guides. Although the program is designed to be completed in small in-person groups over the course of 12 weeks, it can be adapted to a wide variety of formats, including personal use at your own pace. It can be accessed at https://intolifeseries.com

Contact Rita McDowell at 302-764-4693 or rmcdowell@ihm.org with comments/questions.

#### **RETROUVAILLE:**

#### **REDISCOVER THE LOVE IN YOUR MARRIAGE**

Tens of thousands of couples have healed their marriages through Retrouvaille (pronounced Retro-vy). If you know anyone who could benefit from this program, please pass this on. Couples learn to build communication skills. It provides help for marriage problems, difficulties or crises. Upcoming weekend programs will be held **August 19 - 21** and October 14 - 16 at the Family Life Center in Malvern, PA.

For more information, or to register, visit www.HelpOurMarriage.org or call 215-766-3944 or 800-470-2230. All inquiries are strictly confidential.

### Hearing Help Available – Ask Ushers

IHM has an excellent listening system for the hearing impaired. If you would like to try it, ask an usher for one of the receivers. It is very easy to use with or without hearing aides. After Mass just give it back to an usher. We have 5 receivers to lend during Mass. Those who use a receiver are amazed how wonderful the sound is. Of the 6 or 7 Systems available, it is the clearest.

### It is wonderful to hear Mass again!

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## SOJOURNERS' PLACE



In continuation of our efforts to assist in providing for everyday needs, a bin has been placed in the multi-purpose room to

receive donation of items for the residents.

### Suggestions include:

spaghetti, spaghetti sauce, pancake mix, syrup, mashed potatoes, canned fruit and vegetables, vegetable oil, salad dressing, cereal, baked beans and rice, laundry detergent, bleach, paper products, extra-large garbage bags (50 gal).

Thank you, faithful and generous IHM parishioners!

### ALL ARE WELCOME

We are always pleased to welcome new members to our Parish Community. Please take a moment to stop by the parish office and introduce yourself to the staff. We look forward to getting to know you as we grow together in the knowledge and love of god.

## ANNOUNCED MASSES

| Monday, June 27  | 6:30  | AM | Mary Gildea            |
|------------------|-------|----|------------------------|
| -                | 9:00  | AM | Jack & Carol Karcher   |
| Tuesday, June 28 | 6:30  | AM | Sister Ruth Eisenhauer |
| -                | 9:00  | AM | Richard Maloney        |
| Wed., June 29    | 6:30  | AM | George Schrimpf        |
|                  | 9:00  | AM | Pat Brown              |
| Thurs., June 30  | 6:30  | AM | Danny Hill             |
|                  | 9:00  | AM | Douglas Tibbetts       |
| Friday, July 1   | 6:30  | AM | Helen Julian           |
|                  | 9:00  | AM | Jane Smiley            |
| Saturday, July 2 | 6:30  | AM | Regina Joyce           |
|                  | 9:00  | AM | Eliseo Carrizo         |
|                  | 5:00  | ΡM | IHM Parishioners       |
| Sunday, July 3   | 7:00  | AM | Tommy Gildea           |
| <i>,</i> .       |       |    | Robert Buccini         |
|                  | 11:00 | AM | Patty Goodvage         |
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## **RESPECT LIFE**

**Crisis Pregnancy / Post Abortion Healing:** If you or anyone you know is experiencing a crisis pregnancy or is in need of healing from an abortion and needs to talk to someone, please call our diocesan toll-free, 24-hour confidential pregnancy / post abortion counseling hotline at 1-877-225-7870.

Help is available. (http://www.cdow.org/lifeissues.html)

## **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

## Make a difference in a child's life! Give the gift of Faith!

Would you like to help children learn more about Jesus and our Catholic faith?

Volunteer as a CRE teacher or teacher's aide!

We are looking for volunteers to help with our Religious Education Program

### in grades 1st, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, and 7th.

IHM's CRE Program will begin September 20 and run to the end of March and is held on Tuesday evenings from 6:30-8:00 PM.

This can be a rewarding experience!

If you are interested, please visit the CRE Table in the Gathering Area to learn more about CRE

> OR contact the Religious Education Office at <u>ihmreled@ihm.org</u> or (302) 762-5550.

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### **ONLINE GIVING**

FAITH DIRECT rish eGiving Sign Up Today!

Switch to eGiving this summer and help us meet our Welcome Summer! eGiving Goal.

Online donations through Faith Direct help sustain our parish ministries and keep our offertory consistent during the busy summer vacation months. If you make the switch today, you'll be giving steady, consistent support to the parish ministries you care about most in the months ahead - even if you're out of town during summer weekends.

#### Sign up today by visiting faith.direct/DE719, or text 'Enroll' to 443-329-9611.

Thank you for your continued support of our parish family.

| -                      | FINANCIAL REPORT<br>Week 49-51 |              |           |
|------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------|-----------|
|                        |                                | Current Year |           |
| Offertory Collection - | 6/6/2022                       | \$           | 6,660     |
|                        | 6/13/2022                      | \$           | 7,138     |
|                        | 6/20/2022                      | \$           | 9,737     |
|                        | Online Giving                  | \$           | 25,714    |
| Budget YTD             |                                | \$           | 1,004,000 |
| Actual YTD             |                                | \$           | 1,076,132 |
| Surplus/(Deficit)      |                                | \$           | 72,132    |

Thank you for your generosity in helping

to meet our parish expenses

### "Marriage and Family Life Corner"

MARRIAGE MOMENTS : Sometimes the strife in our world can feel heavy and burdensome. May the love that you carry for each other prompt you to find one act you can do to relieve someone else's suffering this week.

PARENTING POINTERS : What clutters your home? Maybe you have many mementos of happy trips together. Maybe you have some tools, toys, clothes that are not being used. This week, ask your family to take a half day or hour to identify some clutter in a room or a drawer? Do something positive with it.

## **SCHOOL NEWS**

## **IMMACULATE HEART** OF MARY SCHOOL

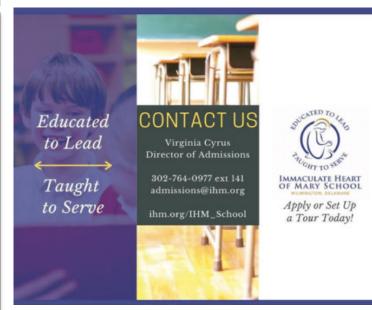
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Air Conditioning Fundraiser



Scan our QR **Code with** your phone!

https://www.givecampus.com/6f62pk



Save the Date – Friday, September 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2022. The IHM Golf outing, hosted by the Knights of Columbus,

Santa Maria Council and the IHM Athletic Association, tees off once again at the Ed Oliver Golf Club. Starting with a boxed lunch, afternoon golf will be followed by dinner and silent auction. All proceeds from the silent auction will go to the "Cool the School" fundraising initiative to air condition the IHM school.



### IHM Knights of Columbus



The Knights have a business meeting to discuss upcoming events and activities on the 2nd Wednesday of each month @7:00pm in the Rectory Meeting Room.

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