



IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY

CATHOLIC CHURCH

NOVEMBER 28, 2021

Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil: 5 pm

Sunday: 8 am & 10:30 am

Monday: No Mass

Tuesday: 6 pm

Wednesday - Friday: 8:15 am

Holy Days: As announced

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FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT



Monday, November 29

No Mass

Tuesday, November 30

6 pm †**Jackie Johnson**

By Dwight & Romana Jones

Wednesday, December 1

8:15 am †**Jimmy Erion**

By Ann & Bud Casavechia

Thursday, December 2

8:15 am †**Bill Raczkowski**

By Joan Raczkowski & Family

Friday, December 3

8:15 am †**Frank Strozyk Sr**

By Family

Saturday, December 4

5 pm †**Tom & Mildred Sponer**

By Grace Betts

Sunday, December 5

8 am †**Kevin Mayes**

By Flanagan Family

10:30 am For All Parishioners

This Week's Readings

Week of November 28th:

Sunday: Jer 33:14-16/1 Thes 3:12—4:2/Ps 25:4-5, 8-9, 10, 14 [1b]/Lk 21:25-28, 34-36

Monday: Is 2:1-5/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4b, 4cd-5, 6-7, 8-9/Mt 8:5-11

Tuesday: Rom 10:9-18/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 [10]/Mt 4:18-22

Wednesday: Is 25:6-10a/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 [6cd]/Mt 15:29-37

Thursday: Is 26:1-6/Ps 118:1 and 8-9, 19-21, 25-27a [26a]/Mt 7:21, 24-27

Friday: Is 29:17-24/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14 [1a]/Mt 9:27-31

Saturday: Is 30:19-21, 23-26/Ps 147:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 [cf. Is 30:18d]/Mt 9:35—10:1, 5a, 6-8

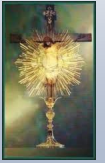
Next Sunday: Bar 5:1-9/Ps 126:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 6 [3]/Phil 1:4-6, 8-11/Lk 3:1-6

Eucharistic Adoration

"In the Mass and in Eucharistic Adoration we meet the merciful love of God that passes through the Heart of Jesus Christ."

- Pope John Paul II

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.



IT IS IMPOSSIBLE TO FIND A SAINT WHO DID NOT TAKE THE 'TWO P'S' SERIOUSLY:

Prayer and Penance

St. Francis Xavier



REMEMBER
in your prayers

For the repose of the soul of Jane Miller.

Special Intentions: Christina Quinteros, Tom Moix, Jimmy Bradley, Sr Catherine Markey OSB, Sr Delores Bauer OSB, Owen Forse, Danny Zajac, Dc John & Bonnie Hartnedy, Sandra Henson, John David Henson, Jeffrey Kita, Susan Moore, Erica Avery, Seth McCammon, Willie Piechocki, Kathy Kafka, Dave Jones, Angie Kaplon, Charles Strozyk, Dave Huey, Karen Banaszak, Chris Martin, Krista Tveidt, Sharon Weinsinger, Lizzy Pasierb, Larry & Peggy Aleshire, Louis Fredrick, Marilyn Henderson, Donna Hoover, Pattie Clark, Janet Paniagua, Trish Farmer, Regina Bawiec, Florence Szparaza, Ron Hopper, Virginia Norey, Bob Lynch, Tricia Whiteside, JoAnne Aldridge, Kevin Lee, Angie Johnson, Ed Ermann, Doris Stone, Jeanette Lisko, Richard Miller, Judy Greenbaum, Tom Kelley, Jody Sparks, Frances Chudy, Pearl Ives Harley, Mary Louise Oslica, Betty Gottsponer, Sara Raines, Don Howard, Donna Dear, Ed Crank, Christine Paris, Hattie Wilk, Lillian and Vince Chwalinski, Tara Gibson



Ministers for Next Weekend

December 4th & 5th

Lectors

5 pm Joanna Murphy	8 am Mary Howard	10:30 am Roxanne Jordan
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Altar Servers

5 pm Arianne Ricaurte Ethan Mullenbach	8 am Alexis Roswell Emma Huey	10:30 am Grace Dailey Aaron Dailey
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Ushers

5 pm Pete Ardoin Jana Ardoin	8 am Fred Rogers Lora Rogers	10:30 am Cary Pruss Jimmy McKinnon
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Advent Books

Advent Reflection books are available in the vestibule of the church. Please take one to use this Advent season as we prepare for the birth of our Lord.

Our Lady of Guadalupe Procession 2021



A beautiful opportunity for all Catholics to participate in an act of faith and tradition.

Mass at the completion of the walk at St Edward in Little Rock at approximately 12 noon.

Saturday December 11th at 9 AM departure from St. Mary's to St. Edward's.

All are welcome!

December Church Cleaning Group

Irene Pruss, Chairman, Beverly Alberson, Karen Ashley, and Tony Pruss. Thank you to those who helped for the month of November. Your hard work is greatly appreciated.



Christmas Caravan!

IHM will be participating in the Christmas Caravan to the homeless again this year! Our donations of toiletries have been very appreciated in past years, so we will continue to serve in this capacity. The toiletry items will be given out this year through Our House and various other organizations. Bags will be available in the back of the church for you to pick up and fill. Please return filled bags to the marked box in the vestibule by Dec 12. Thank you so much for your support of this effort.



Hope Ministry Holiday Food Drive

The holidays are here and IHM is collecting food for Hope Ministry thru Christmas. If you would like to help with Holiday dinners for the needy, please take a bag from the back of church to fill. It lists items needed. We will be handing out food for Christmas.

Joshua 1:9

IHM CYM Bingo

The IHM CYM Bingo is Friday, December 10th, 7 pm in the Parish Life Center. Cash prizes! Play 20 games for \$20! Special games and concessions available! Proceeds benefit the IHM CYM.



National Retirement Fund for Religious

Give in gratitude. A donor to the Retirement Fund for Religious writes, "I still remember the lessons the sisters gave us and how they instilled in us the love of our faith." Show your thanks for the prayerful service of elderly Catholic sisters, brothers, and religious order priests. Your gift to next week's special collection helps provide care, medicine, and more. Please be generous.

RCIA Classes

Wednesdays at 6 pm

Sessions	Topics
Dec 1st	Session 8: Why Do I Need the Church? The Mystery of the Catholic Church
Thursday Dec 9th	Tour of the Church
Dec 15th	Session 9: Mary & the Saints: Our Mother & the Communion of Saints



Financial Update

Weekly Collection Summary	Week Ending 11/14/2021	Year To Date 7/1/2021-11/14/2021
Actual	\$9,765.00	\$157,843.00
Budgeted	\$9,177.00	\$183,540.00
Over/(Under) Budget	(\$588.00)	(\$25,697.00)
Misc. Weekly Collections	Week Ending 11/14/2021	Year to Date 7/1/2021-11/14/2021
School Support	\$225.00	\$3,586.00
School Tuition Assistance	\$205.00	\$1,767.00
Capital Improvement	\$890.00	\$10,940.00

Sausage Supper

Mark your calendar for the 92nd Annual Sausage Supper on Saturday, December 4 at Our Lady of the Holy Souls Church Allen Center, Tyler & "I" Streets, Little Rock. Drive-thru 11 am—1 pm \$10 per person. Dinner starts at 5 pm with Happy Hour - \$15 per person. There will be a silent auction, raffle and door prizes. Drop off an unwrapped child's toy for Helping Hand. Buy sausage while it lasts. For more information, contact Mike Smith at 501-920-6806. Sponsored by Knights of Columbus Council 812.



Children's Christmas Memorial Service

If you are a parent or grandparent who has lost a child or grandchild at any age, including by miscarriage or stillbirth, please join us for a special memorial service to remember your loved ones on Sunday, December 5th at 3:30 PM at Joseph Church Conway in the Chapel. To register you may call or send a text to Helena Reynaud at 501-733-8178. Include your name(s), the number of people who will attend, and the name of your child(ren) who have died. There will be a litany of remembrance, scripture, candle-lighting, music, and prayer to make this a fitting celebration to honor the memory of your precious child(ren). You will also receive a Christmas keepsake ornament to take home for your tree. It is a privilege for the Beacon of Hope volunteers to sponsor this event for you and your loved ones during this holiday season. For planning purposes, please register no later than Thursday, Dec 2nd. This annual event is being offered in place of the former Children's Christmas Remembrance Tree.

Weekend Retreat for Women/Couples

Is there an abortion in your past? God wants you to be healed! Experience God's unconditional love and mercy. Find hope and peace at this Project Rachel Retreat, Friday evening through Sunday noon, December 3 - 5, in Northwest Arkansas. Text or call the CONFIDENTIAL direct phone line 501-663-0996 for more info. (The exact retreat location will only be shared with participants.)



Houndstooth Hustle 5K

Runners and walkers of all ages are invited to join Mount St Mary Academy for its family-friendly holiday fun run through Little Rock's beautiful Historic Hillcrest District on Saturday, December 4. If you're unable to attend the event in person, you can still participate now through race day via this year's virtual race option. Both the live and virtual 5K events offer a fun outdoor activity for the entire family this holiday season. Register online at www.mtstmary.edu/5K.

Registering for **FORMED** is easier than ever:

- ◆ Go to formed.org/signup
- ◆ Type in Immaculate Heart of Mary, North Little Rock, AR
- ◆ Register with your name and email address
- ◆ Check that email account for a link to begin using FORMED

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Ginny Stevener - Finance Council Chairperson
Lisa Siebold - Church Secretary
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Mary Loyd - Director of Religious Education
Steven Shook - Music Director
Brenda Hiegel - School Principal
Ines Mahfouz - School Administrative Assistant

Useful Information

Reconciliation/Confession

4:30 pm Saturdays, 5:30 pm Tuesdays

Baptisms

Any Sunday of the month by arrangement. Parents and godparents must attend class prior to baptism. Call the church office at 501.851.2763

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.

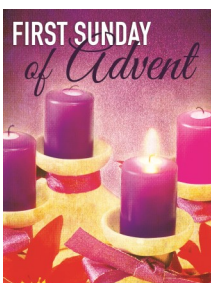
Music Ministry

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



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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.