



April 8, 2018

Sunday of Divine Mercy

We are a welcoming Catholic community centered in the Eucharist, striving to live and share the Good News and grow in discipleship with the Lord.

7770 Beechmont Avenue
Cincinnati, Ohio 45255

Parish Office Hours

Monday–Thursday: 9 a.m.–5 p.m.
Friday: 9 a.m.–4 p.m.
Saturday: 9 a.m.–12 p.m.

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Our Church at Prayer

Sacrament of the Eucharist

Sunday Mass

Saturday: 5 p.m.

Sunday: 7:30, 9:30 and 11:30 a.m., 1:30 p.m. (*en Español*) and 6 p.m.

(*Child care available for age 1 and walking to age 3 during 9:30 and 11:30 a.m. Masses*)

Weekday Mass

Monday, Wednesday, Friday: 12 p.m.

Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday: 8:15 a.m.

Holy Day of Obligation Mass: 6:30 a.m., 8:15 a.m., 12 noon and 7 p.m.

Civil Holidays of Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day and Thanksgiving Day Mass: 9 a.m.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in the Tabernacle:

Sunday: 8 p.m.–Saturday: 12 p.m. (*excluding regularly scheduled Mass times*)

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament in the Monstrance:

Thursday: 9 a.m.–4 p.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Individual: Tuesday, 6:30–7 p.m.; Saturday, 3:30–4:30 p.m.

Recitation of The Rosary:

Monday, Wednesday, and Friday: in Church, following the 12 p.m. Mass.

Saturday: 7:45 a.m. in Church.

Sunday: 8:50 a.m. in Church.

Every 3rd Thursday (*en Español*): 9 a.m. in Lourdes.

WEEKLY HIGHLIGHTS

Welcome This Week

Immaculate Heart of Mary extends a warm welcome to our new parishioners. We hope that they will come to find peace and joy as they become active members of our worship community.

Parish Membership

We joyfully welcome new members of our parish community. Please register in the Parish Office or after each weekend Mass in the Lourdes Room. Please also let us know if you plan to move from the parish.

Prayers are requested for the repose of the souls of

Clarence Tieman, brother-in-law of
Richard (Tudy) Thieken and
Lorraine Mideli and uncle of Ken
(Janet) Mideli

Sacrament of the Sick

Contact Marisue Naber in the Parish Office at 388-4184. Parishioners scheduled for surgery are encouraged to celebrate this sacrament at a weekday liturgy before they go to the hospital.

MASS INTENTIONS AND READINGS

Sunday, April 8

Sunday of Divine Mercy

Acts 4:32-35/1 Jn 5:1-6/Jn 20:19-31

Monday, April 9

The Annunciation of The Lord

Is 7:10-14; 8:10/Heb 10:4-10/Lk 1:26-38

12 p.m. †Douglas Elfers, req. by Jane Elfers
†Marty Bauer, req. by Garrett & Mimi Frey
†Edward McHale, req. by the Goshorn Family
†Leonzio & Teresa Carlini, req. by Eugene & Rosanna Ardine
†Joseph A. Meyer, req. by Eileen Stautberg & Chirstina Witte
†Jay Clasgens, req. by Mark & Sharon Johnson

Tuesday, April 10

Easter Weekday

Acts 4:32-37/Jn 3:7b-15

8:15 a.m. †Kathryn Terlecky, req. by Marie Monaco

Wednesday, April 11

Saint Stanislaus, Bishop and Martyr

Acts 5:17-26/Jn 3:16-21

12 p.m. †Suzette Casey, req. by John & Nancy Radcliffe
†Pat Brennan, req. by Jean Ann Sheeran
†Harold Miller, req. by Walt Moll
†Ernst Schwab, req. by Werner & Wilma vanTreeck
†Dawn Edwards, req. by Meg Walters
†Gail Brockman, req. by Jean Ann Sheeran

Thursday, April 12

Easter Weekday

Acts 5:27-33/Jn 3:31-36

8:15 a.m. †William Willging, req. by Faculty & Staff of IHM School

Friday, April 13

Easter Weekday

Acts 5:34-42/Jn 6:1-15

12 p.m. Intentions of Dave & Anne Spaeth, req. by Michael & Cheryl Spaeth

Saturday, April 14

Easter Weekday

Acts 6:1-7/Jn 6:16-21

8:15 a.m. †John Lubert, req. by Knights of Columbus #12359

Sunday, April 15

Third Sunday of Easter

Acts 3:13-15, 17-19/1 Jn 2:1-5a/Lk 24:35-48

5 p.m. (Sat.) †Ward Sheeran, req. by Jack & Maureen Wilke
7:30 a.m. Intentions of Father Tom Kreidler, req. by Al & Maureen Dufour
9:30 a.m. Intentions of Pat Merz, req. by Frank & Jayne Simms
11:30 a.m. †Paul Hurtubise, req. by Jim & Rosemary Mahoney
1:30 p.m. For the Parish
6 p.m. †John Maher, req. by Ed & Marge English

At all Masses, please pray for vocations to the priesthood, religious life, and diaconate.

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FROM OUR PASTOR

Dear Friends,

It is hard to express what a great experience my sabbatical was. This was true on many levels.

At the very start, at our first gathering in January, this statement was made: “The Church is much more than my experience of it.” I appreciated that insight. We can also apply that description to many things—to people, to God, for example.

We know the Church is universal and we only experience a certain part of that universality through our personal encounters. One of the great blessings of the sabbatical program at the School of Applied Theology was its great diversity which gave a broad experience through the many varied backgrounds of its participants.

Our roster of brothers, sisters and priests on sabbatical included:

- Bro. Andrew, a Christian Brother and missionary from Sierra Leone in Africa,
- Fr. Pat, an Irish Passionist priest, serving in Northern Ireland,
- Sr. Rita, a nun from England who served in various stations in Europe,
- Sr. Leonarda, a nun from Cameroon in Africa, who directed a physical rehabilitation center ministry,
- Fr. Mike, a priest from the Philippines who had done missionary work in Africa, before his time in Rome with his order’s administration,
- Sr. Kesta, a nun from Haiti, who spent the previous 12 years in Montreal, Canada as the Superior General of her order,
- Sr. Augustine, a nun from Nigeria, who served in educational ministries with her first book being published during our time on sabbatical,
- Fr. Chris, a Marianist priest, who had served in Mexico and San Antonio,
- Fr. Francisco, a priest from Mexico who will be ministering to a Hispanic community in Southern California,
- Sr. Terry, a nun from Ireland and Fr. Abe, a priest from Ireland, were late arrivals due to illness and finishing his particular assignment,
- Fr. Gerry, a missionary from the Philippines, who had also served in other countries,
- And me!

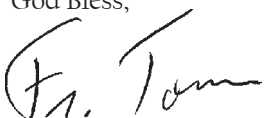
Our small group represented four continents and multiple countries and cultures with perspectives enriched by all those backgrounds. “The Church is much more than my experience of it.”

My sabbatical time was such a blessing—sharing with these fellow ministers, having the opportunity to take a step back from the day to day and not miss the big picture. As well, it was an opportunity to take time for an interior pilgrimage, with the assistance of Ignatian and Franciscan spiritual direction. Finally, there were many recreational opportunities I took part in—museums, sightseeing and a Napa Valley “educational” tour through a winery.

I want to thank Fr. Tony, Fr. Pat and our staff who continued the great work of IHM ministry to God’s people.

I’d like to thank everyone for your prayers and support to make this sabbatical possible and helping me to stretch and grow. Over time, I hope to try to share more input and experiences from these months.

God Bless,



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DISCIPLESHIP ALIVE

Worship & Serve: volunteer@ihom.org

Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration (PEA)

Pray for peace...pray for your family. Certainly you have a reason to pray. Spend an hour with the one who loves you enough to die for you.

Experience the love, the calm and the peace in the presence of our Lord.

Hours of Adoration:

Sunday 8 p.m. through Saturday 12 p.m.
(except during Masses)

Exposition of the Eucharist:

The Eucharist will be exposed in the Monstrance every Thursday. Thursdays the Eucharist will be exposed after the 8:15 a.m. Mass and will be reposed at 4 p.m.

If you have questions, please contact Kathie Hayes:
ihm-adoration@fuse.net or 513-202-3009.

Prayers for a successful surgery

Many of you may remember Gerardo Arias, art teacher at Cultural Center of Batahola Norte. He painted murals at McNicholas H.S., St. Ursula, and IHM in 2014 (the painting is displayed in the lobby of the parish center). His son, Gerardo Antonio, 23, married and father of a toddler, works as a security guard at a hospital. He was diagnosed with a tumor in his right hip and is scheduled to have surgery April 16 at Good Samaritan here in Cincinnati. Without our twinning community, Gerardo would have most likely lived with this tumor the rest of his life in Managua. Please pray for the success of this young man's surgery, and for others who are suffering around the world.

Weekday Lectors Needed

If you are a trained lector and attend a weekday Mass, we could use your assistance! Please contact Carol Stretch, 513-947-9140

Assisted Listening Devices

For many years, we have had an assisted listening device in the Church. This is designed for those who have experienced any level of hearing loss. Each unit has its' own independent volume control allowing each user to find just the right volume level for their needs. Earbuds are provided with the unit, or you can use your own (standard 3.5 mm plug).

If you would like to use of these devices, just let one of the ushers know before Mass begins.

Measure-Up Campaign April 7 & 8, following all Masses

The Measure-up Campaign as began by the Knights of Columbus, Ohio, to raise money to contribute to organizations such as the Special Olympics and various agencies/schools that teach and instruct developmentally challenged children. The Cardinal Bernardin Council, which is IHM-based since 1999, has raised in excess of \$85,000 to support this project. Currently our council contributes to St. Rita's School for the Deaf, Special Olympics of Clermont County and Merwin Elementary MRDD.

Your generosity will be greatly appreciated to help these worthy programs and their missions. Credit card donations can be made online at IHM.org or by stopping in the parish office during regular business hours.

In Christ's name, we thank you.

| Weekly Offertory | | Fiscal Year to Date | | |
|------------------|-----------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|
| March 25 Actual | March 25 Budget | Actual through 39 weeks | Budget through 39 weeks | % Increase or (Decrease) |
| \$35,683 | \$35,000 | \$1,988,811 | \$2,005,000 | -0.8% |

Information Needed!

We recently received a donation with no donor information enclosed. If you have recently made a donation from your Wells Fargo account, please contact Tammy Haynes at 388-4183 or tammyh@ihom.org.

Next week, our parish will take up The Catholic Relief Services Collection (CRSC). Funds from this collection help provide food to the hungry, support to displaced refugees, and bring Christ's love and mercy to all people here at home and abroad. Next week, please give generously to the CRSC, and help Jesus in disguise. Learn more about the collection at www.usccb.org/catholic-relief.

Divine Mercy Sunday, April 8

On the Sunday after Easter the entire Church is called to gather throughout the world to celebrate Divine Mercy Sunday. St. John Paul II established Divine Mercy Sunday as a feast day when he canonized St. Faustina Kowalska in the year 2000. In her diary, *Divine Mercy in My Soul*, she shares her experiences with the Lord as He reveals to her the message, painted image, novena, and chaplet of Divine Mercy.

This day is for us to remember to turn to God's mercy with trust, allow ourselves to receive His mercy, and share His mercy with others.

Begin to prepare for this feast day by reading some of St. Faustina's Diary or other books about Divine Mercy, learn & pray the Chaplet of Divine Mercy, and/or pray the novena to Divine Mercy from Good Friday through the Saturday prior to the feastday. Receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation in preparation for Divine Mercy Sunday and receive Holy Communion in the state of grace on that day. On that Sunday take time to gaze at the Image of Divine Mercy and allow Him to look at you.

Area Divine Mercy Sunday events on Sunday, April 8:

Guardian Angels Parish: 3 p.m.

St. Gertrude Parish: 2:30–4 p.m.

(confessions, Chaplet, & celebration)

We will once again have prayercards distributed after Masses at IHM.

Have a Blessed Feastday!



Save The Date: Vacation Bible School

VBS for K–5 will be Monday, June 18–Thursday June 21

Many volunteers, both adults and youth (grades 6–12) are needed to assist and be guides/station leaders during the camp week. Volunteer sign up is currently open on the parish website under Programs/Children/Vacation Bible School.

IHM's Vacation Bible School will open registration for campers entering grades K–5 soon! Please plan to register early, as classes will fill up!

Altar Server Training

All students currently in 6th, 7th or 8th grade are invited to consider serving the church as an Altar Server. It is a beautiful way to become more involved in our parish mass celebrations.

Servers typically serve 1–3 times a month and the schedule is created considering requests from the server families. There is a need for servers for 7:30 a.m. and 6 p.m. and new servers will be expected to help at those times in addition to preferred mass times.

**Training will be held: Tuesday, April 10th
6–8 p.m. in the church**

Please contact Joy Roose or Gloria Ann Castleman using the server email: ihomservers@gmail.com with any questions and to reserve a place at the training.

Please let us know to expect you so that we may prepare the necessary training materials. Parents need only to be present for first 20 minutes of the meeting.



Where does your Family like to go after Mass?
Dinner? Brunch? Lunch? Coffee? Donuts?

Stop in the Fatima Room after Mass to make your purchases. Every purchase raises funds to benefit the IHM Parish Community.

Evening Masses—Going out for Dinner after Mass? Pick up gift cards for Clough Crossings, Carrabba's, Flipdaddy's, El Coyote, Applebee's, Buffalo Wild Wings, Chipotle, Olive Garden, Butterbee's, Montgomery Inn and many more.

Morning Masses—Going out for Breakfast, Brunch, Coffee, Donuts or Lunch? Pick up gift cards for Original Pancake House, Servatii's, Panera, Frisch's, IHOP, Dunkin Donuts, Krispy Kreme, Starbuck's, Cracker Barrel, Bob Evans, McDonald's, Jersey Mike's and many more.

Stop in the Fatima Room after any weekend Mass to purchase the gift cards you need to welcome SPRING.

Getting each other to heaven.

The primary job of a Catholic husband and wife is to help get each other to heaven. That's a big part of what it means to say that marriage is both a sacrament and a vocation. When a husband and wife get married in the Catholic Church, they are affirming that they believe God has chosen them to play an essential role in each other's sanctification—second only to the saving power of Jesus Christ. Sounds like a big responsibility. How can we do that?

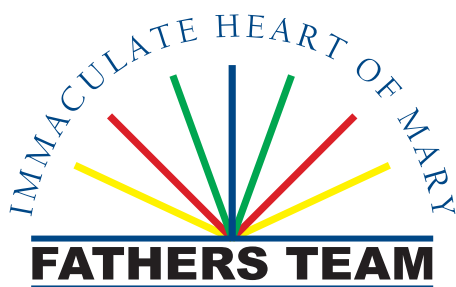
Join us Friday Mornings 6:03 a.m. for Fathers Team.

You can start any time!

St. Matthew's Room, IHM Welcome Center

www.Fathersteam.org

www.facebook.com/fathersteam



Fair Trade Coffee, Cocoa, Chocolate And Olive Oil on Sale This Week

K-Cups Are Back!

This weekend we will re-introduce single serve cups. This will be a great way to enjoy delicious, fairly traded coffee one cup at a time. Organic Breakfast Blend Single Serves will be priced at \$6.50 per box of 12 cups. Organic Decaf will be \$7.50 per box of 12.

Remember, buying Fair Trade products ensures small farmers in developing countries get a fair price for their products, have access to affordable credit and are able to support their families.

So do yourself a favor and make a difference for small farmers by buying Fair Trade coffee, cocoa, chocolate and olive oil and help plant the seeds of hope while enjoying a delicious product.

A Study of Islam: The Land, The Religion: Then and Now

Beginning Wednesday, April 11, 2018, 7 p.m. in the St. Matthew Room of the Parish Center

This study is an overview of Islam: the history, the land, the religion and the divisions. The goal is to help in the understanding of our differences and our similarities. Information will be drawn from several sources including "Inside Islam: A Guide for Catholics."

There is no requirement to purchase workbooks.

Register online: ihom.weshareonline.org or email peggys@ihom.org. Registration may also be done in person at the formation desk in the Parish Center.

Facilitator: Nancy McCafferty

IHM SACC welcomes our Cultural Center of Batahola Norte guests for this year April 17-23. Christina Blebea, International Liaison; Sonia Olivares, CCBN coordinator; and Darling Solorzano, Integrity Psychologist. During their visit they will speak to the IHM Christ Care Communities, McNicholas H.S., St. Ursula Academy, before all the masses, and at the From the Mountains to the Sea Luncheons as well as having dinners with Project Education and the Rummage Sale committees. They will be staying with Ed and Kimberly Bayliss. During their visit crafts from the Batahola artisans will be sold after all the masses.

Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish

RUMMAGE SALE

& Bake

Looking for Volunteers!
Drop off Weekends, Set-up, & Sale

**Excellent opportunity student service hours
and families wanting to volunteer together!**

Volunteer Opportunities

Drop off Weekend Volunteer

- Sundays , April 8, 15 & 22
 - Three shifts: 9:30 – Noon; 11:30 – 2:00pm; 1:30 – 4

Rummage Sale Set Up Volunteer

- Friday April 27
 - Two shifts: 3pm – 6:30; 6:30 – 9pm

Rummage Sale Volunteer

- Saturday, April 28
 - Two shifts, 7:30-10:30; 10:30 – 1:30

Rummage Sale Clean Up Volunteer

- Saturday, April 28
 - Two shifts, 7:30-10:30; 10:30 – 1:30

Have a truck? We need your help collecting large donation items ! Call 388-4466 and talk to Donna.

**Drop Off
Sundays**

**April 8, 15, 22
From 10am to 2pm**

**Set Up Date
April 27**

**Sale Date
April 28**

Attention Bakers!

We are looking for donations of brownies, cookies and cupcakes packaged for individual sale. Drop off donations Thursday April 26 & Friday April 27 in the parish office, or Saturday April 28 in the school lobby. Please mark them as rummage sale bake sale items. Email rula.driggers@yahoo.com with questions.



**Call 388-4466 to sign up or access the
Sign Up Genius link at <http://bit.ly/2tOaNpb>,**

513-388-4466 | IHM RummageSale@gmail.com | www.ihom.org

WEEKLY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Monday, April 9

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| 6:45 AM | Before Care | East Heritage |
| 3 PM | After Care | Gymnasium/Cafeteria |
| 4:30 PM | Boosters | Gymnasium |
| 6 PM | Brownie Troop 46219 | East Heritage |
| 7 PM | Boy Scouts | West Heritage |
| 7 PM | Small Faith Group | Parish Library |
| 7 PM | Cub Scout Pack | Cafeteria |
| 7 PM | CRHP Women #71 | St Philip the Deacon |
| 7 PM | PTO Board Meeting | St Matthew |
| 7:30 PM | Salve Regina Cenacle | Lourdes |
| 7:30 PM | St. Vincent de Paul | Blessed Mother |
| 7:30 PM | Baptism Preparation Class | Church |
| 9:30 PM | Men's Basketball | Gymnasium |

Tuesday, April 10

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| 6:45 AM | Before Care | East Heritage |
| 7 AM | School Starlab | West Heritage |
| 9 AM | Childcare | St Gabriel |
| 9:30 AM | Pastoral Staff | Bernardin |
| 9:30 AM | WOW Bible Study | St Matthew |
| 1:30 PM | Divine Will Cenacle | Fatima |
| 3 PM | After Care | Gymnasium/Cafeteria |
| 3 PM | School Musical Practice | Heritage |
| 3:15 PM | Faculty Meeting | Blessed Mother |
| 4 PM | Stretching & Fitness Class | Preschool |
| 6 PM | Server Training | Church |
| 6:30 PM | Fernside | Cafeteria |
| 6:30 PM | Reconciliation | Lourdes |
| 7 PM | Stewardship Comm | St. Joseph Huddle |
| 7 PM | True Devotion to Mary | Blessed Mother |
| 7 PM | Festival Committee | St Matthew West |
| 7 PM | Forward in Faith | Bernardin |
| 7 PM | Grief Support | St Francis of Assisi |
| 7 PM | CRHP Women #66 | Holy Family |
| 7 PM | CRHP Women #56 | Parish Library |

Wednesday, April 11

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|---------|------------------------|---------------------|
| 6:45 AM | Before Care | East Heritage |
| 9 AM | True Devotion to Mary | St Matthew |
| 9:50 AM | School Mass Practice | Church |
| 1 PM | Bible Study | Guadalupe |
| 3 PM | After Care | Gymnasium/Cafeteria |
| 4 PM | Grief Support Group | Guadalupe |
| 4:30 PM | Spring Sports Pictures | Heritage |
| 6:30 PM | 4th Gr Brownies | Cafeteria |
| 7 PM | Bible Study | St Matthew East |
| 7 PM | Small Faith Group | Guadalupe |
| 7 PM | CS Committee Meeting | St Phillip |
| 7:45 PM | Divine Will Cenacle | Fatima |

WEEKLY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

| Thursday, April 12 | | | Friday, April 13 | | | Saturday, April 14 | | | Sunday, April 8 | | |
|--------------------|----------------------------|--|------------------|-------------------------------|---------------|--------------------|--|--|-----------------|-----------------------|---------------------|
| 6:45 AM | Before Care | East Heritage | 6:03 AM | Father's Team | St Matthew | | | | 7 AM | Fair Trade Sales | Fatima |
| 8:15 AM | Mass with School Children | Church | 6:45 AM | Before Care | East Heritage | | | | 7 AM | Men's CRHP Weekend | Campus |
| 9 AM | Shop\$mart Sales | Fatima | 3 PM | After Care | East Heritage | | | | 7:30 AM | Shop\$mart Sales | Fatima |
| 9 AM | Childcare | St Gabriel | | | | | | | 8 AM | Parish Breakfast | Cafeteria |
| 9:30 AM | Bible Study | Blessed Mother | | | | | | | 9 AM | Preschool PRP | Preschool |
| 10 AM | Moms Bible Study | St Matthew | 6 AM | Confirmation Retreat Check-in | Cafeteria | | | | 9:05 AM | Childcare | St Gabriel |
| 10:40 AM | PTO Staff Lunch | East Heritage | 8 AM | Men's CRHP Weekend | Campus | | | | 10 AM | Rummage Sale Drop Off | Pavilion |
| 3 PM | Girls on the Run | Cafeteria | 9 AM | Walking Club | Julif's Park | | | | 10:45 AM | PRP | Gymnasium/Cafeteria |
| 3 PM | After Care | Gymnasium/Cafeteria | 9 AM | Lay Carmelites | West Heritage | | | | 1:30 PM | Preschool PRP | Preschool |
| 3 PM | School Musical Practice | Heritage | 9 AM | Martha Kushner Funeral | Church | | | | 6 PM | Shop\$mart Sales | Fatima |
| 4 PM | Stretching & Fitness Class | Preschool | 4 PM | Preschool PRP | Preschool | | | | 7 PM | HS Youth Group | Youth Room |
| 6 PM | AHG Meeting | Cafeteria | 5 PM | Shop\$mart Sales | Fatima | | | | 7 PM | CRHP Men #70 | Legion of Mary |
| 7 PM | Cancer Support Group | Guadalupe | | | | | | | 7:30 PM | AA Meeting | St Matthew |
| 7 PM | Marriage Prep Training | West Heritage | | | | | | | | | |
| 7 PM | CRHP Women #71 | Parish Library | | | | | | | | | |
| 7:30 PM | RCIA | Legion of Mary/ St Francis of Assisi/St Matthew | | | | | | | | | |
| 9:30 PM | Men's Basketball | Gymnasium | | | | | | | | | |

Do You Believe in Miracles?

On Thursday, April 12, 2018 at 7:30 p.m. Dr. John Cavadini, professor of theology at the University of Notre Dame, will explore the Catholic understanding of miracles, answering: Do miracles still occur? What is the biblical and theological basis for miracles? How do miracles serve in the process of the canonization of saints? Dr. Cavadini is author of numerous books including Miracles in Jewish and Christian Antiquity. The lecture will be held at the Bartlett Pastoral Center, The Athenaeum of Ohio/Mount St. Mary's Seminary, 6616 Beechmont Ave., Cincinnati, OH 45230. All are welcome and admission is free. The event is co-sponsored by the University of Notre Dame Alumni Association and the Notre Dame Club of Greater Cincinnati. For more information call 513-233-6172 or email dendres@athenaeum.edu. View live at www.athenaeum.edu.

Being Still With God

Offered by the Sisters of Charity Spirituality Center on Thursday, April 12 from 7-8:30PM. We're offering some time and sacred space so you can pause and "be still" with God for a while. A member of our Advisory Committee will offer a short reflection and then you are on your own to seek out a prayer space. At the end of our time we will gather for a short prayer. The program will be held at the Sisters of Charity Motherhouse, 5900 Delhi Road. There is no fee for this program but registration is requested. Please contact the Spirituality Center 513-347-5449 or spirituality.center@srcharitycinti.org to register or for additional information.

Welcome Weekend at the Athenaeum

This year's Welcome Weekend at the Athenaeum is taking place on April 13-14, 2018. Please invite college men you know to consider joining this weekend retreat with our seminarians. Those interested can call the Vocation Office at 513-421-3131 or register online at www.cincinnati vocations.org.

Men's Familia ministry

SMOY is hosting a Come and See on Sunday, April 15th @ 8pm. If you are interested in learning more, please feel free to contact Nate Schmitt nate.schmitt84@gmail.com, 513-526-3610

Opportunities to put your faith in action:

Catholic Charities Su Casa Hispanic Center is looking for childcare volunteers during evening and Saturday English classes and classroom assistants for the summer program, Vacaciones Útiles. For more information, call Karri O'Hara 513-672-3719, or email Brett Hamm bhamm@ccswoh.org.

Catholic Charities mobile food pantry visits 5 eastern counties each month. A food pantry "pops up" in just a few hours in a local church and then serves between 125-225 families in 2 hours. Catholic Social Teaching asks us to create opportunities for mutuality for both the poor and vulnerable to truly encounter each other so all are transformed and healed by the interaction. To volunteer one time or on a regular basis, contact Julie at 513-672-3720 or jpfeffer@ccswoh.org. Come and join us once and you will want to come back again.

Natural Family Planning

St. Gertrude Parish Health Ministry is hosting A Medical Perspective on Natural Family Planning April 17, 7-9 p.m., St. Gertrude Parish Center Lobby

Presented by Dr. Paul Day & Dr. Amber Day

They will be discussing:

- The Scientific Reasoning behind Natural Family Planning
- The Effectiveness of NFP
- NFP and its Legitimate Use in Marriage and Medicine

Home Care Funding Solutions

Join us Thursday, April 19, 2018, at 6:00 pm to learn about options for home care. Eric Plummer from Home Instead will speak about different types of home care, questions to ask when planning for home care, the cost of various types of home care services and the various funding options available. Bring your questions and get some answers. This presentation is courtesy of the Caregiver Support group at Immaculate Heart of Mary and will meet in the Guadalupe room, 7820 Beechmont Ave, Anderson, 45255. All events are free, but space is limited and registration is requested. Contact Angie Homoele at (513) 869-4483 or ahomoele@ccswoh.org to register or for more information. Sponsored by the Caregiver Assistance Network, a program of Catholic Charities Southwestern Ohio funded through the Council on Aging.

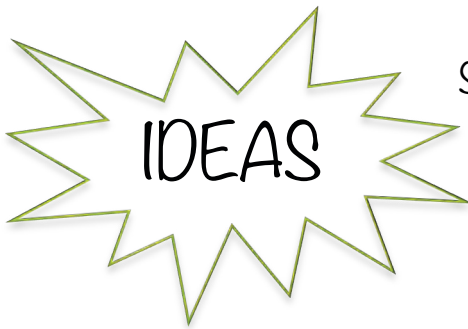


Bid n' Buy Festival baskets

Donations Needed

Festival Dates are July 20th-22nd

Why Donate? Great advertisement for your business. Over 10,000 people visit our festival each year. The profit goes to help our parish's many ministries—grief support, aid to those unemployed, strengthening of families and MUCH, MUCH more.



Sports Memorabilia Electronics (Kindle, I-Pads, TVs)

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Specialty Services (massages, tutoring, oil change, pedicure, tax prep, etc)

Check out our website, bid on items, buy raffle tickets and see how much money your basket/items raise!!

www.qtego.net/qmlink.ihm

PLEASE INCLUDE YOUR BUSINESS' PROMOTIONAL MATERIALS

Contact: Katie Herms at bkherms@yahoo.com or 859-466-0038

Christy Sway at desway4@gmail.com

DONATIONS due first week of July



ALL DONATIONS QUALIFY as a CHARITABLE DONATION!!!

Interested in being a



Come learn about IHM Cub Scout Pack 694
April Pack Meeting

Monday, April 16th from 7-8pm in the IHM Cafeteria. Activity: Rain gutter Regatta Race.
Dens for next year will be forming soon.



LION Den – Kids Starting Kindergarten in Fall 2018.



TIGER Den – Going into 1st grade in Fall 2018.



WOLFE Den – Going into 2nd grade in Fall 2018.



BEAR Den – Going into 3rd grade in Fall 2018.



WEBELOS Patrol – Going into 4th grade in Fall 2018.



ARROW of LIGHT Patrol – Going into 5th grade in Fall 2018.



FROM THE MOUNTAINS TO THE SEA SHOWCASE LUNCHEON

IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY, HERITAGE HALL
FRIDAY, APRIL 20, OR SATURDAY, APRIL 21, 2018
12:00 NOON

COME JOIN US IN CELEBRATING THE CULTURES OF OUR TWINNING COMMUNITIES!

Experience the cuisine, music, artisan crafts and meet the people from the Cultural Center of Batahola Norte and Our Lady of the Mountains Parish. Enjoy with us a meal, fellowship, and an opportunity to show your support for our twinning communities.

- Raffle will be held for a chance for a one week stay at an Italian villa (\$100 a ticket)
- Entertainment: **Friday** - Paul Lake; **Saturday** - The Children of IHM, Hispanic Ministry Dance Ensemble
- Babysitting will be available on Friday - contact Giselle Vaughn at info@signupgenius.com
- Questions, please contact Maggie Rosch at 513-232-4051 or Grottons@fuse.net

The price of \$20/person includes an international buffet. Donations can also be made in addition to the luncheon or if you can't attend but want to support our cause.

All profits directly benefit IHM's two twinning communities, Our Lady of the Mountains (OLM), Stanton, KY and Cultural Center of Batahola Norte, Managua, Nicaragua. The IHM Social Action Commission sponsors this event.

To register for the luncheon via credit card, visit <https://ihom.weshareonline.org/FromtheMountaintotheSeaLuncheon>. Raffle tickets are not tax deductible. You can also drop off the completed form at right at the IHM Welcome Center.



LUNCHEON TICKETS

TICKETS: FRIDAY _____ SATURDAY _____

TOTAL # TICKETS _____ x \$20 = \$ _____

PLEASE LIST GUEST NAMES BELOW OR ON ATTACHED SHEET.

FRIDAY: _____

SATURDAY: _____

PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY, EARMARK FTMTTS. PLEASE MAIL OR DROP OFF AT THE IHM PARISH OFFICE.

*I AM UNABLE TO ATTEND. PLEASE ACCEPT MY DONATION OF \$ _____

RESERVATIONS: MAGGIE ROSCH, 513-232-4051 OR GROTTONS@FUSE.NET

RAFFLE TICKETS

TICKETS _____ x \$100 = \$ _____

NAME: _____

PHONE: _____

EMAIL: _____

ADDRESS: _____

TICKET WILL BE MAILED TO ADDRESS ONE WEEK PRIOR TO THE LUNCHEON IF NOT ATTENDING THE LUNCHEON.

RAFFLE TICKET INFORMATION: SUE KEEFE, SKKEEFE37@GMAIL.COM

Archdiocesan Lay Pastoral Ministry Program now interviewing for fall classes

The Archdiocesan Lay Pastoral Ministry Program has been educating and forming lay men and women just like you since 1975 for service to their parishes, schools and communities. We offer graduate and non-degreed options, spiritual and ministerial formation and the opportunity to grow in faith, knowledge and skills. Evening and Saturday classes, flexible components and a great support system allow busy adults to maintain work and family commitments while preparing for new opportunities. Classes available in Cincinnati at the main campus in Mt. Washington and Good Shepherd in Montgomery. Call 513-231-1200 or email smcgurgan@athenaeum.edu for more information or to set up a personal interview. You too, go into my vineyard.

A Weekend of Discovery... A Lifetime of Love!!

You're invited to attend a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend, where married couples can get away from jobs, kids, chores, and phones—and focus only on each other.

April 20–22, Ascension Parish, Kettering, OH

June 8–10, Saint Patrick Parish, Taylor Mill, KY

September 21–23, Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish, Lexington, KY

****NOTE*** All three above weekends are Non-residential weekends. There is no overnight stay for these weekends. Participants will leave each evening and return each morning. ******

For more information or to register, contact Andy and Jeanne Folfas at (937) 866-5196 or 800-343-5621 or jeannemarie42@hotmail.com or www.esharing.org

Pregnancy Center East

Banquet For Life

Featuring

“An Evening with Michelle Malkin”

Thursday, April 19, 2018

5:30 p.m. Social • 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. Dinner & Program

Hyatt Regency Hotel

151 West Fifth Street • Cincinnati, OH 45202



Pregnancy Center
East

For more information or for reservations, please contact
513-321-3100 or www.supportpce.com

Online reservations are available at:
BanquetForLife2018.eventbrite.com

LITURGICAL MINISTERS SCHEDULE APRIL 14 & 15 (DEACONS PREACH)

| | Presider | Deacons | Coordinators | Lectors | Servers |
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| 5 p.m. (Sat.) | Fr. Tozzi | Dcn. Shaffer | Nancy Massaron Steve Green | Gene Baker Tom Geers Greg Luke (C) | Jacob Hamilton Connor Hamilton Kennedy Kramer McKinley Kramer |
| 7:30 a.m. | Fr. Tozzi | Dcn. Shaffer | Vivian Courtney | Mary Bruggeman Gloria Heideman Maureen Kelly Dufour (C) | Grace Elpers Karly Leibreich* Sophia Riccardi |
| 9:30 a.m. | Fr. Tozzi | Dcn. Shea | Mark & Nancy Kleespies | Patsy D'Netto Mark Kleespies Bob Sanker (C) | Ella Anderson Jack Goshorn Will Goshorn Carter Grubb |
| 11:30 a.m. | Fr. Kreidler | Dcn. Shea | Jeff & Linda Gauggle | Steve Latreille Betsy List Tim Tucker (C) | Calla Garretson Logan Maloney* Alex Reed Henry Ropp |
| 1:30 p.m. | Comboni | | Gloria Milord | Elvia Tuttle Atziri Davila Erika Arvizu Gaby Morales | Dan Mendoza Desire Mendoza |
| 6 p.m. | Fr. Kreidler | Dcn. Shaffer | | Giovanna Olivieri-Lewis Jim Kahles Judy Gerwe (C) | Max Stewart Nicholas Stewart* Seth Young |
| Reconciliation: Fr. Tozzi | | | | (C) Commentator | |

PARISH MINISTRY CONTACTS Consult Parish Directory for Phone Numbers

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| Adoration | Kathie Hayes | Evangelization/Catechesis Comm. | John Fahrmeier | Prayer Shawl Ministry | Terry Alvarez |
| Admin. & Fin. Comm. | Tom Armstrong | Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion | Rusty McHugh | Prison Ministry | Charlie Pfizenmayer |
| Altar Servers | Deacon Dave Shaffer | FATHERS Team | Jeff Farmer Jack Voet | PRP | Pete Taylor Tina Ramundo |
| Alzheimer's Family Support | Marisue Naber | Festival | Dale White, Jr. Craig Connolly | RCIA | Jay Mather Jane Elfers |
| American Heritage Girls | Elizabeth Ryan | Festival Volunteers | Scott Ackerman | Retrouvaille | Dick & Mary McConn |
| Art & Environment | Dave Auxier | Food from the Heart | Sherrie Heyse | SEM Manor | Cathy Beumer |
| Boosters | Rob Knarr Dave Caldwell | Girl Scouts | Becky Leibreich | St. Vincent de Paul | 388-4191 |
| Boy Scouts | Thomas Vaughan | Grief Support Group | Judy Sherlock | Scheduling Rooms | Linda Reekers |
| Bread Ministry | Pat Planitz | Health Ministry Comm. | Pat Armstrong | SHOP\$MART | Marge English |
| Bulletin | Michelle Peters | HeartBeat | Michelle Peters | Small Faith Groups | Donna Wentrup |
| Cancer Support Group | Sharon Sanker | Hispanic Ministry | Gloria Milord | Social Action Coordinating Comm. | Mike Suter Sherrie Heyse |
| Catholic Divorce Survival | Carol Higgins | Hispanic Ministry Choir | Don Harrison | Stewardship Comm. | John Murphy |
| Caregiver Careline | 513-929-4483 | Hospitality | Tim Arnold | Theology of The Body | Deacon Russ Feldkamp Missy Feldkamp |
| Charismatic Prayer Group | Betsy Ross | Knights of Columbus | Ed English | Twining CCBN | Sue Keefe |
| Child Care | Giselle Vaughn | Lectors | Michael Miller | Twining OLM | Judy O'Brien |
| Communications/Print/Electronic | Michelle Peters | MAGIC | Roxanne Your | Welcoming Committee | Gloria Ann Castleman |
| Communion/Anderson | JoAnn Best | Marriage Prep | Linda Reekers | Winter Gala | Nickie White Lisa Riccardi |
| Communion/Asbury Woods | Vivian Willging | Men's Fellowship League | John Hunt | Works of Kindness | Len Leber |
| Communion/Homebound | Marge Gutekunst | Music Ministry | David Auxier | Worship Commission | Joanne Middlekamp Steve Latreille |
| Communion/NEC | Carol Stretch | New Parishioner Registration | Jill Ambrose | Vacation Bible School | vbs@ihom.org |
| Communion/SEM Manor | Joe Keeler | NFP (Natural Family Planning) | Missy Feldkamp | Youth/Young Adult Ministry | Michael Haley |
| Core Nurses Group | Marisue Naber | PTO | Carie Masoner | | |
| CRHP Continuation Chair | Gloria Ann Castleman | Parish Coffee | Pam/Dan Payne | | |
| Cub Scouts | Kevin Novotny | Pastoral Council | Steve Herbert | | |
| Education Commission | Lea Beck | Planned Giving Committee | Dick Schimpf | | |
| Elizabeth Ministry | Marisue Naber | Prayer Circle | JoAnn Best Carol Stretch | | |
| Enthronement of the Sacred Heart | Jill Coffey Sally Schroder | | | | |