

4TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - JANUARY 28, 2024



SATURDAY- 01/27

5:00 PM

+COLETTE PARISI/FROM: PATTI RAVALESE

+MARY SINISCALCHI/FROM: MCMURDY FAMILY

SUNDAY-01/28

8:00AM

+COLETTE PARISI/FROM: IRENE MANCINI INTENTION FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH

10:30AM

+FRANK PETIELLO/THE CONN FAMILY TOM CONN(HAPPY BIRTHDAY), FROM: ADAM VIRCHINSKI & FAMILY

12:00PM

+EDMUND CAVIASCO/FROM: THE CAVIASCO FAMILY

MONDAY- 01/29

8:30AM

+REV EARL KEATING,CP/FROM: REV. MATEUSZ JASNIEWICZ

TUESDAY-01/30

8:30 AM

+REV. JEROME R DALY/FROM: REV MATEUSZ JASNIEWICZ

WEDNESDAY - 01/31

8:30 AM

+REV. TIMOTHY J MURPHY/FROM: REV. MATEUSZ JASNIEWICZ

THURSDAY - 02/01

8:30 AM

+REV. ALBERT L ROCA/FROM: REV. MATEUSZ JASNIEWICZ

FRIDAY - 02/02

8:30 AM

+REV MSGR LAWRENCE DENO/FROM: REV. MATEUSZ JASNIEWICZ

SATURDAY - 02/03

5:00PM

+CLYDE MCMURDY(HAPPY BIRTHDAY IN HEAVEN/FROM THE FAMILY INTENTION FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH

SUNDAY - 02/04

8:00 AM

INTENTION FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH

10:30 AM

+MICHAEL SEWEZYK/FROM: THE SEWEZYK FAMILY

12:00 PM

+VINCENT PAUL KERSULEC/FROM: THE MAKOWKA FAMILY



Welcome to Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish and School.

Welcome to our parish!
We're happy to have you here. If
you're new, please get in touch
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3400 to learn more about our Parish and to register formally. Alternatively, you can fill out registration information online at ihmwaynenj.org/im-new.





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MASS CARD?

The dedication of a Mass is a special way

to show an expression of support, sympathy, and care for those who are ill and those who have passed. We remember the deceased and invite their family members to attend a special liturgy to honor their loved ones. It has been a long-standing tradition of the Catholic Church to commemorate and pray for those who have gone before us with a special intention during the liturgy. The Prayer of the Faithful shares the name of the person to be prayed for.

Please visit or contact the Parish office, Monday – Friday from 9 am to 4 pm at (973) 694-3400 or visit our website www.ihmwaynenj.org/mass-card, if you would like to have a Mass offering for your loved one.

MASS INTENTION DONATION IS \$20.00

PRAYER FOR THE SICK

Please remember the sick and homebound of our parish family in your prayers during this week:

ROBERT RYAN, CATHY NOLAN
JOHN DAVIS, MARTY DWYER,
NEIL BAKER, TERESA HILL,
NICO, JIM POTTER, & NORA O'CONNOR

When requested, names will be included on the "Prayers for the Sick" list for four weekends. Please let us know if you would like the name added again or if someone's name can be removed sooner.

Call 973-694-3400 or email office@ihmwaynenj.org

PRAYER FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

Please pray for the souls of the departed members of the Parish.

Mary Siniscalchi



January 28, 2024

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dt 18:15-20 | 1 Cor 7:32-35 | Mk 1:21-28

Written by
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Oh, to not be anxious! What would that be like - to not have to worry about how we'll pay the bills or whether our kids are safe or if our health will fail? While anxiety is a very human emotion, we can take comfort in knowing that our God is more powerful than anything that may worry us. It is also important to note that in today's reading from St. Paul's Letter to the Corinthians, what he means by "anxious" is not a modern psychological concept with only a negative connotation. The connotation is more "to be concerned with," or "caring about" something, and can refer to things that are very good - including spouses and families! But when we care for many things, including our relationship with God, it is only natural for us to be anxious at times. But Jesus Christ gives us the assurance that the troubles of this world are temporary, and the peace of God eternal. Paul is encouraging the Corinthians, and us, to understand the importance of an undivided devotion to God, to care for him above all things - no matter if we are married or single - so that our whole life is devoted to holiness.

GO EVANGELIZE

PRAYER, INVITATION, WITNESS, ACCOMPANIMENT

I am always thankful when something good that has been anticipated, or predicted, comes to pass: The sunshine and mild weather holds true for that outdoor event I hosted; or the generous gift that a longtime friend mailed arrives unscathed. There is some anxiety in the waiting for, but relief in the fulfillment of, these beneficent promises. And while these are somewhat superficial examples, they do point us in the same direction of hope and gratitude that the divine gifts of God elicit in us. In today's first reading, Moses promises the people that the Lord will raise up for them, from among their own kin, a prophet who will speak God's own words and to whom the people will listen. And the Lord did provide numerous prophets, and kings, and judges, and eventually his only begotten Son, to call his people back to himself, and to save them from the wages of sin and death. The hope and anticipation God's chosen people had was fulfilled in Jesus' life, death and resurrection. We share in that gift of hope and of gratitude for our salvation.

PRAY Today's psalm (Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 7-9) is a beautiful prayer of thanksgiving and encouragement. It helps us steer our minds from those things which may make us anxious. Spend time in the morning or evening each day of the coming week, praying and reflecting on the words.

COLLECTION

Please remember the needs of our parish ministry in making your weekly offering. Thank you for all you do to enable the Gospel to touch the lives of God's people.

January 21,2024 E- GIVING - \$1,851.50 CHURCH - \$3,229.50 Total - \$5,081

> Church Maintenance 2024 Total - \$1,934

LECTOR SCHEDULE

Feb 03 - 5:00 pm Cheryll Forsatz
Feb 04 - 8:00am Phyllis Duke
Feb 04 - 10:30am Caroline Dipre
Feb 04 - 12:00pm Confirmation Student

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS SCHEDULE

 Feb 03- 5:00pm
 Voinov

 Feb 04 - 8:00 am
 Keith
 Heyman

 Feb 04 - 10:30am
 Andrew
 Brand

 Feb 04- 12:00pm
 Cassanova





We are calling all high school teens, young adults and youth leaders to join us and Catholic Heart Workcamp for a week of service, friendship, spiritual growth and memories that will last a lifetime!

JULY 21-26TH NIAGARA FALLS, NY

For this Mission Trip, we will be staying at Niagara University and have the unique opportunity to work on the Tuscarora Indian reservation and in the city of Niagara Falls, doing projects like building wheelchair ramps, home improvement, cleaning & organizing, yard work, working with children, at soup kitchens and more! Most importantly, we will be the light of Christ to those who may need it most!





Lisa Valentino: ihm@boldym.com/(973)988-3428

Upcoming BOLD Youth Ministry Events

Sunday Feb. 4th PST/Discipleship Night 7:15-8:30pm

All on our PST Team join us as we plan our next TNL and continue our Antioch planning, as well as celebrate Mardi Gras a bit early. Lent is right around the corner, let's get ready to dive in!

Friday Feb. 9th-11th BOLD annual Ski Trip

There is still time to register and join us for our annual ski trip with teens from around NJ from other BOLD parishes. We are headed to Gore Mountain for a weekend of skiing and community. Make new friends and get together with those who you have met at other events. See the ad in the bulletin for more info, and how to register!

Friday February 2nd Catholic Schools Week Alumni Dodgeball <u>Tournament 6-9pm</u>

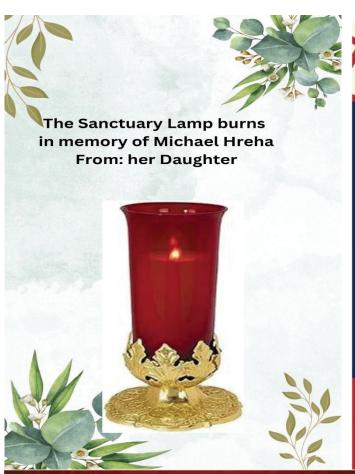
Calling all BOLD and IHM alumni to join the IHM alumni dodgeball team and tournament. \$5 to register for the team and play. For a sign up form contact Lisa Valentino.

Confirmation

Sunday February 4th 9th Grade hosts 12pm Mass

Sunday February 4th Confirmation Session 5:30-7pm

Thursday February 15th Antioch payments and forms due-10th grade only





Free Throw Championship

Since 1972 the Knights of Columbus has sponsored its Free Throw Championship for boys and girls to provide an athletic outlet and encourage the values of sportsmanship and healthy competition.

The competition is open to boys and girls between the ages of 9 to 14

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 2024, AT 11:00 AM
IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY
TO REGISTER PLEASE FIND THE FREE THROW CONTEST LINK
ON OUR WEBSITE IHMKNIGHTS.COM



No Greater Love, a vibrant musical drama that celebrates the passion, death, and resurrection of Jesus Christ, will be performed in our church's sanctuary.



Don't miss this captivating performance of No Greater Love, which brings to life the timeless and sacred story of Jesus Christ's Passion. Admission Free!

ST PAUL INSIDE THE WALLS

Joyful Ever After

Getting the Marriage You Want from the Marriage You Have With Keynote Speakers Damon and Melanie Owens

February 10 10am-3:30pm

From the beginning, God created marriage to perfect us in life, love, and joy! It was created to transfer His deepest mystery into the visible reality of our world. So, why is marriage so hard? Every stage of married life seems to carry its own challenges to our intimacy, faithfulness, finances, communication, prayer—even our dignity and identity.

We all start our marriage journey with such hope, joy, friendship, and confidence in our future life together. But the everyday weight of life can bring doubt, fear, frustration, and loneliness. We need constant renewal and refreshment in order to get the marriage we want from the marriage we have! This renewal begins first with you individually, then as a couple, and finally in community with other couples.

You can restore your wedding-day joy, and as we are discovering, grow it into something even greater than you can imagine. Let's enrich, strengthen, and encourage each other, learning together how to live joyfully ever after!



Before It came to this school, I had no friends and have had horrible expirences in my old school. But here everything charged I'm friends with everything charged I'm friends with everything here is so nice and really. Buerything here is so nice and really has made me happy, ever since the beginning. We have made so many make more was I will never frozet them! This school is a really special place and I can glad I was apart of it-y

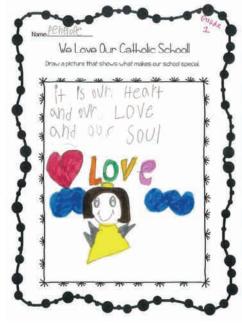


By: Giana



TALKING ABOUT OUR

We Love Our Catholic School Write Sinestry that shows what makes our school special



our school is special because we pray for people who are sick and we do fundraters for the honeless we do activities like maker space I also like lego club I enley doing things and activities with class mates I like my teachers because they are hice and smart Mrs. Giordano is a great principle because she sets up activities that bring the school community together

We Love Our Catholic School Write School Write School write School School Write School Special

some things that make our school special are all of the teachers. They all have latenice to teach us. Another thing that make school special is how we all care for evreyone in this school. we also do a lot of fundraisers for food pahtries and we donate other items that are needed. There is one mare very special person tatler matt. He makes our school special by how he teaches us about God and Jesus and how they love us. We do a bunch of fun things like Willy Wonka. Day. I enjoyed when we hade candy pridges and blew bubbles.



IHM School to Host Radio Contact with Astronaut Crew aboard International Space Station

In a groundbreaking achievement, IHM School proudly announces its selection as one of six schools worldwide chosen to host a radio contact with the astronaut crew aboard the International Space Station (ISS).

Remarkably, IHM stands as the sole Catholic institution and the only representative from New Jersey to embark on this cosmic endeavor, thanks to a successful proposal to ARISS (Amateur Radio on the International Space Station).

ARISS, a collaborative initiative involving NASA, the Center for the Advancement of Science in Space (CASIS), the American Radio Relay League, and the Radio Amateur Satellite Corporation, facilitates communication via Amateur Radio between astronauts aboard the ISS and schools and communities globally.

Principal Giordano expressed excitement, stating, "We're starting the year with a new frontier as we learn to infinity and beyond."

This extraordinary opportunity allows students from pre-K to 8 at IHM to delve into space exploration through projects, lessons, and activities. The curriculum integrates NASA's educational materials with the school's newly designed STREAM curriculum, encompassing Science, Technology, Religion, Education, Arts, and Mathematics.

The trailblazing team at IHM spearheading this ambitious project includes Damaris Herrera, IHM Educational ARISS Coordinator, Donna Roberto, Middle School Science Teacher, Christine DeRosa, STREAM Director, and Ria Jairam, Technology Coordinator. Together, they are committed to providing students with a unique and enriching experience that transcends traditional classroom boundaries.

This exceptional opportunity not only reflects IHM School's dedication to academic excellence but also emphasizes its commitment to fostering interdisciplinary learning and innovation. As IHM students embark on this cosmic journey, they are set to expand their horizons, exploring the wonders of space while integrating valuable lessons from diverse fields.

IHM School anticipates this experience will inspire and ignite a passion for learning that extends far beyond the confines of a traditional classroom lesson.

The entire IHM community eagerly awaits the upcoming radio contact with the astronaut crew aboard the ISS, marking a historic moment in the school's pursuit of educational excellence.



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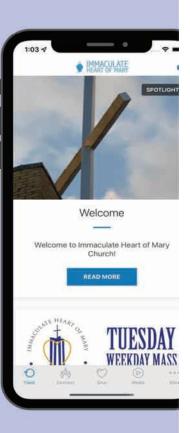




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Baby Jesus is Presented in the Temple

On February second we celebrate the feast of the Presentation of Jesus in the Temple. That is the day that Saint Joseph and Our Lady took the baby Jesus to the Temple in Jerusalem to consecrate Him to God. The Jews were supposed to dedicate their first-born sons to God, so Mary and Joseph were obedient to the law even though their Baby was God Himself!

This was a most amazing moment, even though almost nobody noticed it: here was the great Temple where the people came to worship God, and now God had actually come into it- as a little Baby! But only Mary and Joseph and the prophets Simeon and Anna knew what had happened.

Saint Paul tells us that our bodies are temples of the Holy Spirit. Every time you receive Holy Communion,

it's like baby Jesus entering the Temple. When you go to Communion, remember that you know that amazing secret- that even though the rest of

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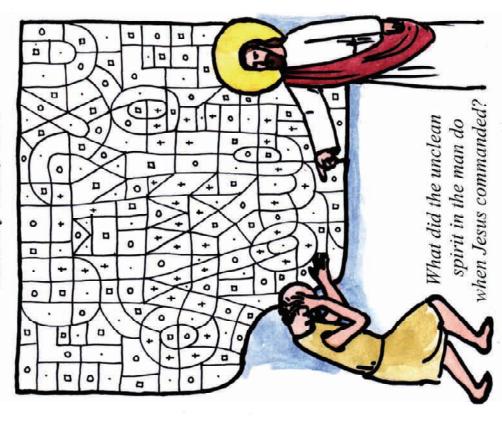
the world might not know, you have just received Jesus! What

a special moment!



The Kids' Bulletin

4th Sunday in Ordinary Time January 28th, 2024



Colour in only the spaces that have crosses to find out what it did.



Gospel Today Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time | Mark 1:21-28

Jesus teaches and heals with authority in the synagogue.

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Fill in the blanks with the underlined words from above.

Just like the people in Jesus' community, we still ask Jesus to help and heal us through daily prayer and attending mass.

- → Where can we hear the Good News?
- → How can praying help us in our daily lives?
- → Who in our community can help us keep our bodies healthy?





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PARISH MEMBERSHIP

For our parish to have accurate records, please notify the parish office when there are changes in your address or phone number. Please let us know if you are moving away and will no longer be members of our parish community.

For IHM to testify for you to be a Baptismal Godparent, a Confirmation sponsor, or witness to a Catholic marriage, it is necessary that you are a registered member of our parish. For additional information, please call the parish office at (973)694-3400.

PARISH MISSION

Enlivened by the Spirit and under the nurturing care of the Mother of Jesus, we are a Eucharistic community of the people of God. We gather together in Christ, to worship God with thanks and praise through education, compassion, and forgiveness. We seek to respond to God's love for us. We lovingly share what we are and what we have with all people on our journey together, strengthening our Christian way of life.

PLEASE TELEPHONE THE PARISH OFFICE IF YOU WOULD LIKE A PRIEST TO VISIT A FAMILY MEMBER AT HOME OR IN THE HOSPITAL



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OUR COUNCIL MEETS ON THE 2ND AND 4TH TUESDAY EACH MONTH AT 7:00 PM FOR OUR SOCIAL HOUR AND OUR MEETING FOLLOWS AT 8:00 PM AT THE IHM MEETING ROOM

CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Saturday Evening at 5:00 pm Sunday 8:00, 10:30 am & 12:00 noon Sunday 10:30 am Mass is live-streamed

Daily Mass: Monday- Friday 8:30 am Holy Days of Obligation 8:30 am, 7:00 pm

CELEBRATION OF THE RECONCILIATION

Saturday, 4:00 pm to 4:30 pm or by appointment, please call our office

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Thursday 9:00 am- 4 pm

No matter who you are, or where you are on life's journey. you are welcome at IHM.

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A SAFE ENVIRONMENT

To report an incidence of suspected child sexual abuse, please immediately contact the local County Prosecutor's Office and the Diocese's Victims Assistance Coordinator: Dr. Kenneth McNiel, (973) 879 -1489, or at kmcniel@patersondiocese.org, Rev. Msgr. Mark T. Condon, Vicar General and Moderator of the Curia, 973-777-8818 X 248, or Sister Joan Daniel Healy, S.C.C.,

Chancellor/Delegate for Religious, 973-777-8818 Ext. 248. The entire text of the Policy of the Diocese of Paterson in Response to Complaints of Sexual Abuse is available on the diocesan Web site: www.patersondiocese.org."



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