



DISCIPLE DISPATCH

May 28, 2021

...IN THE BLINK OF AN EYE

Sun May 30 Fr. Troy 25 Anniversary Mass 3:00pm

Mon May 31 NO SCHOOL Memorial Day

Tues June 1 6/7th Gr. Exams

Kindergarten to Zoo 9:00 am

3rd Gr. to GR Township Park 9:45 am

PK/K Playdate 1:30 pm

8th Gr. Graduation Mass 6:30 pm

Wed June 2 6/7th Gr. Exams

School Mass Gr 3,4,5 9:00am

Thurs June 3 6/7th Gr. Exams

Hot Dog Lunch/Field Day

4/5th Gr. Bowling 11:45 am

Fri June 4 School Mass Gr.1,2,6,7 9:00am

½ Day LAST DAY Dismiss 11:00 am



Mrs. Sombati's PK-3's celebrated the last day of their first year of Preschool with a group picture in front of the school's iconic Blessed Mother statue. For decades, parents have marked the years with a photo at the beginning and /or the end of each grade level.

IHM 8th graders pose, sans masks and up-close-and-personal, for one of the few *group* pictures taken during this year of restrictions. SO--A fond adieu to each, which is not *good bye*, but "until we meet again"...most certainly at IHM Mass!



KINDERKIDS AND PRESCHOOL PLAY DATE Circle your calendars for **Tuesday June 1 from 1:30pm - 3:00pm for the Kindergarten and Preschoolers Year-End Playdate!** Meet us on the IHM playground for bubbles-of-fun and treats and a time for parents to socialize with each other and our PK-K teaching staff.

CARLINE ALERT! Please be advised, **the only way to access the carline for pick up this afternoon, Friday May 28 and for morning drop off Tuesday June 1 is via the Plymouth Ave entrance.** There will be no drive through via the church parking lot on either day. The Reason? It's because a HUGE tent will be in the way. It's for Fr. Troy's Party. It's the end of the school year. It's our hope we may indulge your patience.



ALL ABOARD THE ROCKY RAILWAY! The **TOTALLY CATHOLIC IHM Vacation Bible School (VBS)** will be roaring onto campus this AUGUST 11,12, and 13th! Participation is open to the first 100 kiddos who sign up, grades PK4 through 4th grade, *from our IHM parish and school families only*. Volunteer positions open to kids grade 5 through adults. (Adults must be VIRTUS Trained) Registration will be online only and begins **JUNE 1 at 9am.** (www.ihmparish.com) Questions: email VBS@ihmparish.com

THE FAMILY THAT PRAYS TOGETHER The **Novena to St Joseph** ends tomorrow with our **consecration to St Joseph on Sunday May 30!** This is both our gift to Fr. Troy in celebrating his 25 Anniversary of Ordination to the Priesthood AND to ourselves...to be in the care and protection of the Foster Father of God!



IHM MENS RETREAT 2021 Every Man is called to be a father! Your parish and the world need you to lead as a **spiritual father**. St Joseph's example can be a guide for us in the path of life. This retreat will present the tools you need to become the spiritual father and leader you are meant to be. July 23-24. Sign up here mensministry@ihmparish.com



6/7TH GRADE EXAMS NEXT WEEK! Next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday 6th and 7th graders will have year-end exams and be dismissed early at 11am each day. Follow instructions on dismissal from their teachers. This is for junior high school students only!



FULL OF GRACE The traveling devotion to Our Lady of Fatima has brought grace upon grace to *numerous* families of IHM. We have now filled every week this school year! Praise God! Praying the family rosary each day for a week next week June 1 will be **The James Gerrard Family!**

CARING FOR MARY for the week of June 1 is **Mrs. Kori Wilson**

Hello IHM Families!



The countdown to summer begins! Today is the last day for our 8th graders. This class has impressed me with their positivity throughout this difficult year!

Their grit, determination, and positive attitudes will serve them well in their futures! These kids are genuinely nice and kind to each other and they are great witnesses for our

Catholic faith. They have servant's hearts and a love for Jesus and I'm so proud of them for all they have done! We are honored to have them go and represent IHM in high school! I can't wait to celebrate with them next Tuesday.

The school kids celebrated Father Troy in a special way this week at our Masses for his upcoming 25th anniversary of ordination. Each class made a spiritual bouquet full of prayers said for Father Troy and his intentions. We appreciate Father so much and his support and dedication to Catholic education and IHM school! We are so blessed to have him here!

Have a wonderful long weekend!
Blessings,

Mrs. Holly Lake
Principal
Immaculate Heart of Mary School



Tape be gone! First graders caught performing an act of mercy for our custodians...removing the floor tape markings for 6 foot distances.

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