

Fri June 4 180 Days of School In Person! **SUMMER VACATION!** Tues Aug 24 Meet and Greet K – 8<sup>th</sup> grade 5:00-6:00 pm Wed Aug 25 First Day of School ~ K-8 Parent Rosary 8:00 am Parent Coffee 8:20 am All School Mass 9:00 am **Child Care Opens** Tues Sept 7 PrK 3 and Young 5 Orientation Wed Sept 8 PrK 4 Orientation Young 5's First Day Thurs Sept 9 PrK 3 First Day Fri Sept 10 PrK 4 First Day Sat Sept 25 Fall Back Together Celebration

# DISCIPLE DISPATCH

## June 4, 2021

# THE POWER OF PRAYER!



First graders know good things happen when they stay in good graces with their Mother. Oversized decade-rosaries were created to be their reminder this summer of the power of their prayers. By the Grace of God, IHM was in session, in person everyday this school year! Thanks be to God!



THERE'S GOING TO BE A PARTY! Saturday night, Sept. 25th, 2021 6:30pm Fall Back Together - A Celebration of IHM School. Join us for a much-needed adults' night out to celebrate our amazing school and community. Details, from your Home and School Association, in the fall.

MORE REASONS TO CELEBRATE The 2020-21 MAPS scores are in and hokey Pete, they are outstanding! Our junior high (6<sup>th</sup> 7<sup>th</sup> 8<sup>th</sup> graders) hit it out of the park with scores well above the National and Diocesan averages! Scores were measured in Reading, Language Usage, General Science and Math. Well done staff and students!

**EIGHTH GRADERS WIN AWARDS!** Hat's off to 8<sup>th</sup> graders Noah Bui and John Kaufman, winning 2 of the 10 CCNEXT Academic Scholarships to Catholic Central. Based on the results of their PSAT 8/9 test, these gentlemen each will be awarded a \$2,000 scholarship for their Freshman year. Bravo! Bravo!



**REASONS TO GIVE THANKS!** Thanks to St Joseph, not only for those who consecrated themselves and their family to his care, but how about that weather? His intercession brought about picture perfect weather for **Fr. Troy's Anniversary Celebration** last Sunday, for **Graduation** Tuesday evening, for **Field Day** yesterday and **Playground Installation** today! **To all those involved in making these four events the absolute best they could be, thank you!** 

**MORE REASONS TO GIVE THANKS** Mega Blessings to all of our volunteers who are helping with the installation of our **NEW PLAYGROUND** this weekend! We couldn't tackle this project without you, and many hands make light work! A special thank you to our meal sponsors, **Solt Family Dental** and **Karen Weber** who are generously providing lunch for all of our volunteers each day and to all those who sent in snacks, Gatorade and water! Thank you to Steve Petzold for bringing in his personal skid steer to remove the woodchips and remaining structure. Thank you to Doug Nowak for removing the bulk of the old equipment and for doing all the "O, but can you do this too" for us!



**THE TRAIN IS FULL!** The TOTALLY CATHOLIC IHM Vacation Bible School (VBS) will be roaring onto campus this AUGUST 11,12, and 13<sup>th</sup> and **we've reached our capacity of 100 kiddos**! However, we still are looking for **VOLUNTEERS!** Volunteer positions are open to kids grade 5 through adults. (Adults must be VIRTUS Trained) Sign up here! www.ihmparish.com

#### THE 2021-22 SUPPLY LIST IS READY! See attached.

#### From the Principal:



Hello IHM Families!

I can hardly believe we have come to the last day of school. I look back on this year with such pride for all of our community who came together to take care of our kids and keep them in school. It was not easy,

and at times it was extremely difficult, but we did it! I just don't even know how to express my gratitude for all the hard work of teachers and staff and families as we navigated this year. The IHM community came together in a beautiful way!

Just some updates as we move into summer. We pray for Ms. Rachel Bartkowiak as she moves and gets married. She has been such a blessing to so many here at IHM. We are in the final stages of hiring our new Student Support teacher and new 2nd grade

#### School Office Hours this Summer:

9-11 am

Weeks of June 14-July 2:

June 7, 8, 9:

Tuesdays 9-12 Wednesdays 9:30-11

Office CLOSED the weeks of July 5 & 12

Weeks of July 19-August 13 Tuesdays 9-12 Wednesdays 9:30-11

August 16-19, 23, 24 9:00 am -2:00 pm

teacher. Pray for them as they join the IHM community. Our 7th grade class has grown enough to necessitate that group being split up for their classes, so Mrs. Kathy Menno and Ms. Abby Fatum will be the 7th grade homeroom teachers and Ms. Katie Hile will have the 6th grade homeroom. Seventh and eighth graders will move through their classes with Mrs. Menno, Ms. Fatum, Ms. Savillo and Mrs. Perry. Sixth graders will have Mrs. Menno and Ms. Fatum and Ms. Hile. Fifth grade will also split up for part of the day and Ms. Hile will teach some of their classes. It's going to be a great year!

Please pray for our new families as well, and we look forward to welcoming them properly in the new year! I know I will never again take for granted to opportunity to be social and smile and laugh and see each other's faces. Have an amazing summer and I'll see you back here in August! Blessings,

Mrs. Holly Lake Principal Immaculate Heart of Mary School

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