

Disciple Dispatch

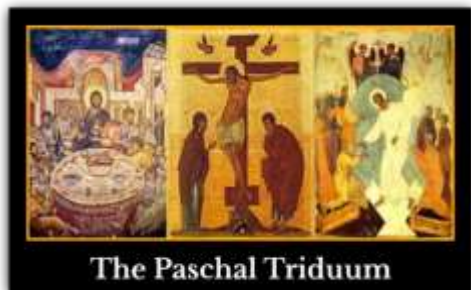
April 14 2022

“...And we held Him in no esteem”

Isaiah 53:3

Fri April 15	Good Friday Service	1:30 pm
Sat April 16	Easter Vigil Mass	9:00 pm
Sun April 17	Easter Sunday Mass	8:30 am / 11:00 am
Mon April 18	Easter Monday No School / No Childcare	
Tues April 19	Classes Resume	
Wed April 20	All School Mass	9:00 am
	Drop off for Second Blest Sale	7:30am-8:00pm
	Seedlings/Children's Choir	After school
	EDGE Night	6:30 pm
	Home and School Assoc. Mtg	7:00 pm
Thurs April 21	Drop off for Second Blest Sale	7:30am-8:00pm
Fri April 22	Second Blest Sale	9:00 am – 6:00 pm
Sat April 23	Second Blest Sale	8:00 am – 1:00 pm

IHM 8th graders, on Wednesday, invited the staff and student body to truly enter into HOLY WEEK with their presentation of The Way of the Cross. By their gifts and reverence, they helped us move from spectators to participants in Christ's Passion. To Him be the glory.



The Paschal Triduum

TRIDUUM BEGINS Sundown on Holy Thursday to sundown on Easter Sunday is considered the most solemn part of our liturgical year. This three-day period, the *Easter Triduum*, marks the sacred recounting of Christ's last three days on earth. "Though chronologically three days, they are liturgically one day unfolding for us the unity of Christ's Paschal Mystery" (USCCB). Note the services and times listed above. What a precious gift to give your family!

WELCOME TO THE FAITH LACHMAN FAMILY New to IHM School last year, the entire Blair and Sara Lachman family will be confirming in the faith at the Easter Vigil Mass Saturday evening! Our prayers and congratulations to them and their sponsors!

PROCEED WITH CAUTION When we return from the long Easter weekend, be advised of an increase in traffic on our IHM campus. **Next Wednesday and Thursday**, cars will be unloading donations for the Second Blest Sale all day by the gym doors. **On Friday morning**, there will still be carline drop off as per usual, however, **parents will need to park and pick their children up after school on as there will be no pick-up line due parking from the Sale.**



THE COUNTDOWN BEGINS: SECOND BLEST SALE 2022 to be held next Friday and Saturday, **April 22-23**. We could use more bakers for the Bake Sale portion of the sale and will welcome more Volunteers to work the sale. Here are links to sign

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0c4aa4ae2ca0fa7-bake1>

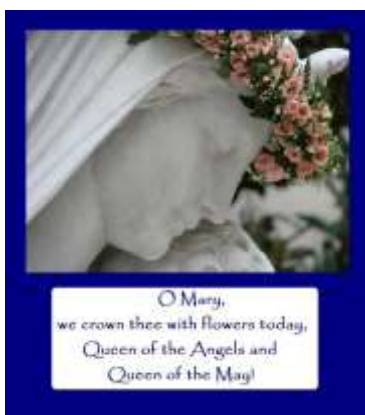
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Bakers should package your goods in dozens (cookies, brownies etc), Muffins in ½ dozens (or if they are large, in single serving packages), sweet breads as a whole or ½ dozen slices. You get the drift. Drop them off Thursday between 7:30am and 8pm. We will price them for you.



NOTE: we need at least one more person to man the bake sale on Friday from 8:30-11:00am. contact Mrs. Cathy England if you can fill this role England_cathy4@yahoo.com

Service Hours Needed: meet in the gym that Saturday at 12:30pm to help load items onto the St Vincent DePaul trucks.



SAVE THE DATE! VIP DAY RETURNS ON A SUNDAY! On MAY 1 we will celebrate our **Mother Mary May-Day Mass and Open House!** Gma and Gpa, Aunts, Uncles, and of course, Moms and Dads are invited to bring flowers for our Blessed Virgin Mary Statues prior to the 11am Mass that morning. Our Seedling and Children's Choirs will sing the Mass. IHM Student lectors and Altar Servers will serve the Mass, followed by an all-world Munch and Mingle (coffee and sweets) in the gym and a visit to your student's classroom for tour and May-Day gift. (*NOTE: This does not replace the May Crowning Mass/8th Grade Ceremony on Wed. May 4*) Got friends interested in moving their kids over to IHM? Extend an invitation to this Open House!

ANOTHER DATE TO SAVE: Parents of PreK 3, 4, Young5's and Kindergarteners—Save **Monday June 6th at 2:00pm** for a year-end playdate on the IHM "big kid" playground.

Popsicles and bubbles and a chance for parents to catch up and enjoy an hour outdoors before Summer starts. Preschool will have already ended classes by this date. Kindergarteners will already be here at school. Details forthcoming.



OUR LADY OF FATIMA FAMILY ROSARY DEVOTION Be a part of something incredibly special by keeping this devotion going solid for three school years! **NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY!** Instructions included! Pray the family rosary each day for a week and receive Grace upon Grace. **Beginning April 19, the DeBruyn Family** will be hosting. Sign up now! <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0e4ba8ac2fa1fe3-traveling>

CARING FOR MARY MINISTRY Beginning April 19, **The Byers Family** will make sure Mary is properly adorned.

Hello IHM Families!



As we enter into the Triduum, it is a blessing to be part of this community of faithful. This Lent has been especially meaningful for me. I think it might have to do with the feelings of emerging from our COVID protocols and resuming some life in the community. For me, it's important to work through Lent as a community as well as individually. I've appreciated staff and faculty and their focus during this time. The students have had the opportunity to reflect on Lent at Mass and in their classrooms in numerous ways. Many have learned about the stations of the cross. We had an amazing prayer experience yesterday as the 8th graders presented to us the Live Stations of the Cross. This had such a profound impact on our students. The story of Jesus' journey to the cross became so personal as we reflected on his love and sacrifice. I am so grateful.

We celebrate with the Lachman family this weekend as they all join our Catholic family. Jude in 6th grade and James in 8th grade, along with the rest of their family, have been preparing for this blessed event and we are so happy to welcome them.

I wish you all a blessed Triduum and Easter and will pray for families to experience this Easter in a new and personal way.

Blessings,

Mrs. Holly Lake,
Principal

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