

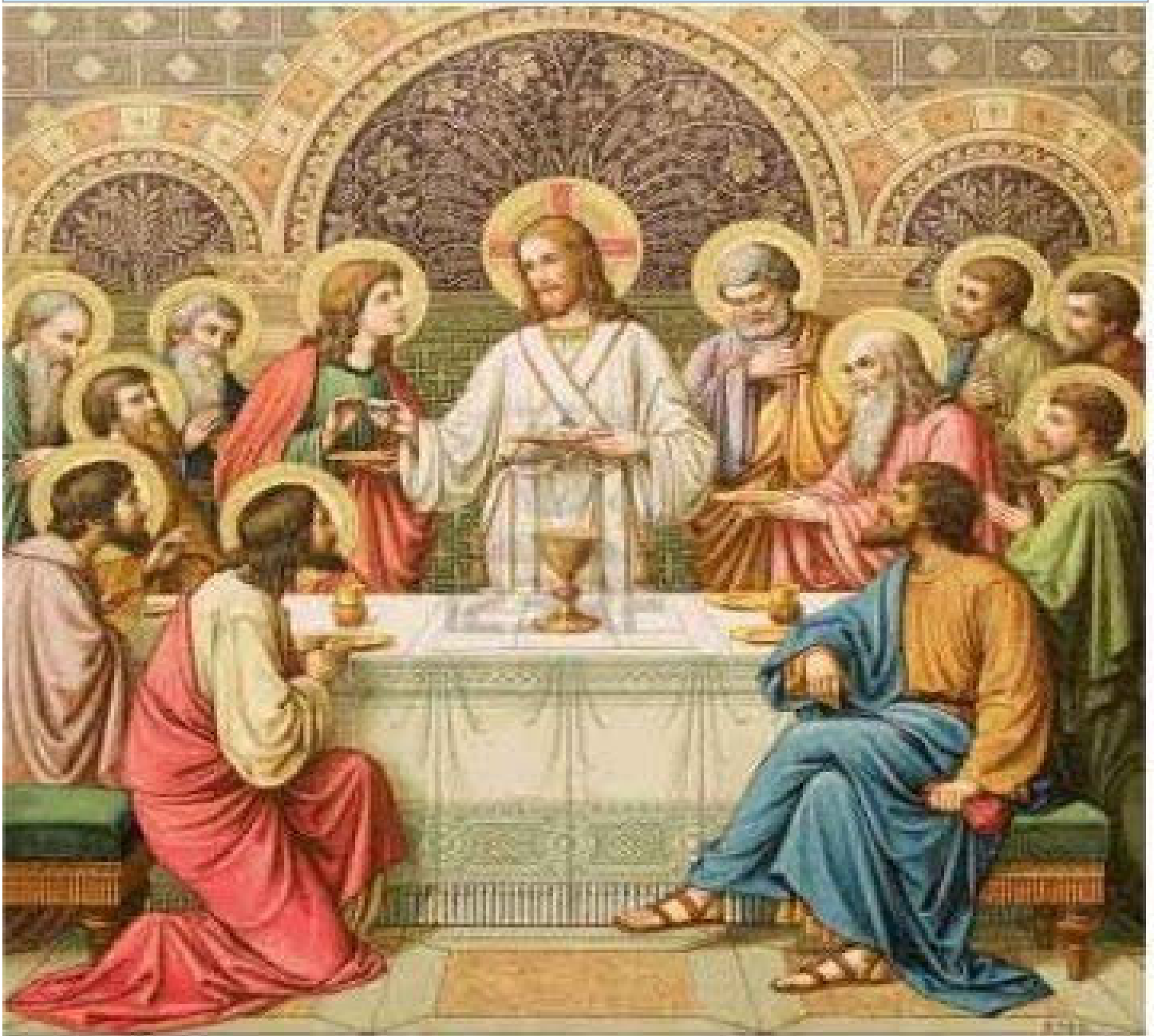


IMMACULATE HEART OF *M*ARY

— Parish Mission + Mision Parroquial —

*With Mary, we seek to know Christ better and to make him better known through our words and actions.
Con María, deseamos conocer mejor a Cristo y darlo a conocer por medio de nuestras acciones y palabras.*

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The Pastor's Page/Página del Pastor

Dear families of the Immaculate Heart of Mary,

Today the Church focuses on the Eucharist. Today's readings remind us how connected to ancient blood sacrifices we are when offering our unbloody sacrifice. The reading from Exodus describes a solemn ritual designed so the Israelites would never forget their covenant with God.

The reading from the Letter to the Hebrews turns us from those ancient animal sacrifices, the first efforts to worship the living God. Our sacrifice is the body and blood of the Son of God. Because of Christ we have a new covenant.

The Gospel from Mark retells the establishment of that covenant, the familiar story of the Last Supper. Juxtaposed with the story of animal sacrifice as it is here, we are challenged to listen with new attention, to remember the great price paid for our salvation. Jesus gave his body and every drop of his blood for us.

In the past month we have had over 225 children receive their First Holy Communion and come to the table of the Lord. This includes the children yesterday from Good Shepard classes at the 8AM Mass and the Spanish classes from IHM at the 12PM Mass. May we keep these young children in our prayers as they come in union with us joining in the feast as Christ reminded us to remember Him.

Next Saturday we will be celebrating our Immaculate Heart of Mary Feast Day. Attend the 8AM prayers and Benediction and our special Mass at 11:00am outside on the lawn. After mass stay for the special entertainment of choirs and dancers until 3:00pm. Many of the ministries will be providing information about their ministry. Packaged snacks and water will be provided as no food is permitted. Masks and social distancing will be required.

Immaculate Heart of Mary, pray for us.

Fr. Quang

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Queridas familias del Inmaculado Corazon de Maria,

Hoy la Iglesia se centra en la Eucaristía. Las lecturas de hoy nos recuerdan la gran conexión que existe entre los sacrificios de sangre de la antigüedad y el sacrificio incruento que ofrecemos ahora. La lectura del Exodo describe un rito solemne para que los israelitas nunca olviden su pacto con Dios.

La lectura de la Carta a los Hebreos nos lleva de los antiguos sacrificios de animales a los primeros esfuerzos para adorar al Dios vivo. Nuestro sacrificio es el Cuerpo y la Sangre del Hijo de Dios. A causa de Cristo tenemos una nueva alianza.

El Evangelio según San Marcos relata la creación de ese pacto, la conocida historia de la Última Cena. Si contrastamos la historia del sacrificio de animales que vemos aquí, se nos desafía a escuchar con nueva atención, para recordar el gran precio que pagó por nuestra salvación. Jesús dio su cuerpo y cada gota de su sangre por nosotros.

En el mes pasado hemos tenido más de 225 niños que recibieron su Primera Comunión y vinieron a la mesa del Señor. Esto incluye a los niños ayer de las clases del Buen Pastor en la misa de las 8AM y las clases de español de ICM en la misa de las 12PM. Mantengamos a estos niños en nuestras oraciones mientras vienen en unión con nosotros uniéndose a la fiesta como Cristo nos recordó que lo recordáramos.

El próximo sábado estaremos celebrando nuestra fiesta del Inmaculado Corazón de María. Participe en las oraciones y la bendición de las 8 de la mañana y en nuestra misa especial a las 11 de la mañana en el césped. Después de la misa quédense para el entretenimiento especial de coros y bailarines hasta las 3:00pm. Muchos de los ministerios estarán proporcionando información sobre su ministerio. Se proporcionarán bocadillos envasados y agua, ya que no está permitida la comida. Se requerirán máscaras y distanciamiento social.

Inmaculado Corazón de María, ruega por nosotros.

Padre Quang

Weekday Masses/Misas Diarias

Monday, Wednesday, Friday: 8:00AM (English) - Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday: 8:00AM (Bilingual)

Saturday Vigil Mass

5:00PM (English)

Sunday Mass/Domingo Misa

7:30am (English) 9:00AM (English) - 10:45AM (Español) - 12:30PM (English) - 2:00PM (Spanish)

5:00PM - Traditional Roman Rite (Latin)

Confessions

Tuesdays 6:00PM - 7:00PM — Saturdays 3:30PM - 4:30PM

Prayers & Weekly Scriptures/Oraciones y Lecturas de la Semana

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK INTENCIONES PARA MISAS DE LA SEMANA

Sat. June 5th

8:00am Legión de María - Special Intention
5:00pm † Billy V. Silva

Sun. June 6th

7:30am † Teresa de Silva Relva
9:00am Kyle Coaker - Thanksgiving
10:45am † Jesus Peres
12:30pm † Rosalina Amper
2:00pm † Manuel & Maria Bettencourt
5:00pm IHM Parishioners

Mon. June 7th

8:00am † Juan E. Tinnirello

Tues. June 8th

8:00am † Ana Franco

Wed. June 9th

8:00am † Roselio Angeles

Thursday June 10th

8:00 am † Robert & Virginia Hitchcock

Friday June 11th

† Rafaela Aceves



**Holy
Baptism**

**Baptisms for the
month of May**

Soraya Angela Ang
Desmond Allan Dollentas
Noah Pereyra Verdadero
Alaia Anali Lopez
Layla Bañales
Adolfo Decasas Jr.
Zaid Ezekiel Moreno
Santiago Avila
Judith A. Bañuelos Cerda
Adrian Eliel Vega Franco

Sick Relatives & Friends Parientes y Amigos Enfermos

Ryan McCloud, Ramon Antonio Toledo, Lyndsey Burrow, Chris Heuer, Meghan Heuer, Jan Cooper,, Louise Delia, Anita Camera, Richard Grimes, Art Silvergleid, Dcn. Ron Horan, Connie Healey, Gina Lilly, Giselle Honore, *****
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If You would like a name added to the prayer list, please call the parish office at (925) 634-4154 or e-mail: bulletin@ihmbrentwood.com. At the end of each month you must call to place the name again on the list.

Ud. quiere añadir un nombre en esta lista, por favor llame a la oficina de la parroquia al (925) 634-4154 o mande un correo electrónico al: bulletin@ihmbrentwood.com. Al final del mes, usted debe llamar a la oficina si desea que el nombre aparezca de nuevo.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Monday: 359: 2 Cor 1:1-7 Ps 34:2-9
Mt 5:1-12

Tuesday: 360: 2 Cor 1:18-22 Ps 119:129-133,
135 Mt 5:13-16

Wednesday: 361: 2 Cor 3:4-11 Ps 99:5-9
Mt 5:17-19

Thursday: 362: 2 Cor 3:15—4:1, 3-6 Ps 85:9ab,
10-14 Mt 5:20-26

Friday: 171: Hos 11:1, 3-4, 8c-9
(Ps) Is 12:2-6
Eph 3:8-12, 14-19 Jn 19:31-37

Saturday: 364: 2 Cor 5:14-21 Ps 103:1-4, 9-12
Lk 2:41-51

Sunday: 92: Ez 17:22-24 Ps 92:2-3, 13-16
2 Cor 5:6-10 Mk 4:26-34

Lectura

Primera lectura

Ex 24, 3-8

En aquellos días, Moisés bajó del monte Siná y refirió al pueblo todo lo que el Señor le había dicho y los mandamientos que le había dado. Y el pueblo contestó a una voz: "Haremos todo lo que dice el Señor".

Moisés puso por escrito todas las palabras del Señor. Se levantó temprano, construyó un altar al pie del monte y puso al lado del altar doce piedras conmemorativas, en representación de las doce tribus de Israel.

Después mandó a algunos jóvenes israelitas a ofrecer holocaustos e inmolar novillos, como sacrificios pacíficos en honor del Señor. Tomó la mitad de la sangre, la puso en vasijas y derramó sobre el altar la otra mitad.

Entonces tomó el libro de la alianza y lo leyó al pueblo, y el pueblo respondió: "Obedeceremos. Haremos todo lo que manda el Señor".

Luego Moisés roció al pueblo con la sangre, diciendo: "Esta es la sangre de la alianza que el Señor ha hecho con ustedes, conforme a las palabras que han oído".

Salmo Responsorial Ps: 116:12-13, 15-16, 17-18

Alzaré la copa de la salvación, invocando el nombre del Señor.

Segunda Lectura

Heb 9, 11-15

Hermanos: Cuando Cristo se presentó como sumo sacerdote que nos obtiene los bienes definitivos, penetró una sola vez y para siempre en el "lugar santísimo", a través de una tienda, que no estaba hecha por mano de hombres, ni pertenecía a esta creación. No llevó consigo sangre de animales, sino su propia sangre, con la cual nos obtuvo una redención eterna.

Porque si la sangre de los machos cabríos y de los becerros y las cenizas de una ternera, cuando se esparcían sobre los impuros, eran capaces de conferir a los israelitas una pureza legal, meramente exterior, ¡cuánto más la sangre de Cristo purificará nuestra conciencia de todo pecado, a fin de que demos culto al Dios vivo, ya que a impulsos del Espíritu Santo, se ofreció a sí mismo como sacrificio inmaculado a Dios, y así podrá purificar nuestra conciencia de las obras que conducen a la muerte, para servir al Dios vivo!

Por eso, Cristo es el mediador de una alianza nueva. Con su muerte hizo que fueran perdonados los delitos cometidos durante la antigua alianza, para que los llamados por Dios pudieran recibir la herencia eterna que él les había prometido.

Evangelio

Mc 14, 12-16. 22-26

El primer día de la fiesta de los panes Azimos, cuando se sacrificaba el cordero pascual, le preguntaron a Jesús sus discípulos: "¿Dónde quieres que vayamos a prepararte la cena de Pascua?" Él les dijo a dos de ellos: "Vayan a la ciudad. Encontrarán a un hombre que lleva un cántaro de agua; síganlo y díganle al dueño de la casa en donde entre: 'El Maestro manda preguntar: ¿Dónde está la habitación en que voy a comer la Pascua con mis discípulos?'" Él les enseñará una sala en el segundo piso, arreglada con divanes. Prepárennos allí la cena". Los discípulos se fueron, llegaron a la ciudad, encontraron lo que Jesús les había dicho y prepararon la cena de Pascua.

Mientras cenaban, Jesús tomó un pan, pronunció la bendición, lo partió y se lo dio a sus discípulos, diciendo: "Tomen: esto es mi cuerpo". Y tomando en sus manos una copa de vino, pronunció la acción de gracias, se la dio, todos bebieron y les dijo: "Esta es mi sangre, sangre de la alianza, que se derrama por todos. Yo les aseguro que no volveré a beber del fruto de la vid hasta el día en que beba el vino nuevo en el Reino de Dios".

Después de cantar el himno, salieron hacia el monte de los Olivos.

Credo de Nicea

Creo en un solo Dios, Padre todopoderoso, Creador del cielo y de la tierra, de todo lo visible y lo invisible.

Creo en un solo Señor, Jesucristo, Hijo único de Dios, nacido del Padre antes de todos los siglos: Dios de Dios, Luz de Luz, Dios verdadero de Dios verdadero, engendrado, no credo, de la misma naturaleza del Padre, por quien todo fue hecho; que por nosotros, los hombres, y para nuestra salvación bajó del cielo, **y por obra del Espíritu Santo se encarnó de María, la Virgen, y se hizo hombre;** y por nuestra causa fue crucificado en tiempos de Poncio Pilato, padeció al tercer día, según las Escrituras, y subió al cielo, y está sentado a la derecha del Padre; y de nuevo vendrá con gloria. Para juzgar a vivos y muertos, y su reino no tendrá fin. Creo en el Espíritu Santo, Señor dador de vida, que procede del Padre y del Hijo, que con el Padre y el Hijo recibe una misma adoración y Gloria, y que habló por los profetas.

Creo en una iglesia, que es santa, católica y apóstolica. Confieso que hay un solo bautismo para el perdón de los pecados. Espero la resurrección de los muertos y la vida futura del mundo. Amen.

Readings

First Reading

Ex 24:3-8

When Moses came to the people and related all the words and ordinances of the LORD, they all answered with one voice,
"We will do everything that the LORD has told us."
Moses then wrote down all the words of the LORD and, rising early the next day, he erected at the foot of the mountain an altar and twelve pillars for the twelve tribes of Israel.
Then, having sent certain young men of the Israelites to offer holocausts and sacrifice young bulls as peace offerings to the LORD, Moses took half of the blood and put it in large bowls; the other half he splashed on the altar.
Taking the book of the covenant, he read it aloud to the people, who answered, "All that the LORD has said, we will heed and do."
Then he took the blood and sprinkled it on the people, saying, "This is the blood of the covenant that the LORD has made with you in accordance with all these words of his."

Reponsorial Psalm Ps: 116:12-13, 15-16, 17-18

I will take the cup of salvation, and call on the name of the Lord.

Second Reading

Heb 9:11-15

Brothers and sisters:
When Christ came as high priest of the good things that have come to be, passing through the greater and more perfect tabernacle not made by hands, that is, not belonging to this creation, he entered once for all into the sanctuary, not with the blood of goats and calves but with his own blood, thus obtaining eternal redemption.
For if the blood of goats and bulls and the sprinkling of a heifer's ashes can sanctify those who are defiled so that their flesh is cleansed, how much more will the blood of Christ, who through the eternal Spirit offered himself unblemished to God, cleanse our consciences from dead works to worship the living God.
For this reason he is mediator of a new covenant: since a death has taken place for deliverance from transgressions under the first covenant, those who are called may receive the promised eternal inheritance.

Gospel

Mk 14:12-16, 22-26

On the first day of the Feast of Unleavened Bread, when they sacrificed the Passover lamb, Jesus' disciples said to him,
"Where do you want us to go and prepare for you to eat the Passover?"
He sent two of his disciples and said to them,
"Go into the city and a man will meet you, carrying a jar of water. Follow him.

Wherever he enters, say to the master of the house, 'The Teacher says, "Where is my guest room where I may eat the Passover with my disciples?"'

Then he will show you a large upper room furnished and ready.

Make the preparations for us there."

The disciples then went off, entered the city, and found it just as he had told them; and they prepared the Passover.

While they were eating, he took bread, said the blessing, broke it, gave it to them, and said, "Take it; this is my body."

Then he took a cup, gave thanks, and gave it to them, and they all drank from it.

He said to them, "This is my blood of the covenant, which will be shed for many.

Amen, I say to you, I shall not drink again the fruit of the vine until the day when I drink it new in the kingdom of God."

Then, after singing a hymn, they went out to the Mount of Olives.

The Nicene Creed

I believe in one God,
the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the Only Begotten Son of God,
born of the Father before all ages.
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father;
through him all things were made.

For us men and for our salvation
he came down from heaven,

and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate,
he suffered death and was buried,
and rose again on the third day
in accordance with the Scriptures.

He ascended into heaven

and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory

to judge the living and the dead

and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.
I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins
and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead
and the life of the world to come. Amen.



Save
THE DATE



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More details are forthcoming!

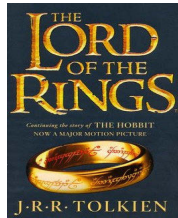
Register on the IHM website or at the
Feast Day Celebration, Saturday, June 12

PROGRAMME

- 7:00 AM Check-In / Snacks Booth Opens
- 8:00 AM Mass with Anointing of the Sick
Bishop Larry Silva (Diocese of Honolulu)
- 9:00 AM Opening Program
Welcome Remarks and Overview
Keynote Address
- 9:30 AM International Scriptural Rosary
- 10:30 AM Spanish Presentation
- 12:00 PM Open Time for Lunch
Enrollment in the Brown Scapular
Stations of the Cross
Confessions (until 3PM)
- 1:00 PM Praise and Worship
- 2:00 PM Holy Hour (*Church*)
- 3:00 PM Divine Mercy Chaplet
- 3:30 PM English Presentation
- 5:00 PM Closing Mass
Bishop Michael Barber, SJ (Diocese of Oakland)
- 6:30 PM Candlelight Rosary Procession



A minimum donation of \$15 per person is suggested to help defray the cost of organizing the Conference. Donations can also be made via FaithDirect or Eventbrite. We appreciate whatever support you can extend. There will be no full meals available for sale on site; only pre-packed snacks and bottled items will be sold. Except for the Holy Hour, all events for the day are planned for outdoors, and will be implemented following safety and health protocols in place at the time.



We are to announce the Spirituality of ***The Lord of the Rings*** class is set to begin on Saturday, June 19th at 9:00 am in Hall C. We will meet weekly. Remember, the class is based on the books by JRR Tolkien. Masks and social distancing are required. Class is presented by Ms. Julie St Andre, OP. See you there!

IHM Funeral Choir Recruitment

The IHM Funeral Choir is looking for singers that would like to participate in this ministry where we sing at the funeral services of our departed brothers and sisters of our community.

- Funerals are scheduled weekday late morning-early afternoons (Mon-Sat; between 10am-2pm).
- No regular weekday rehearsals – funeral repertoire remains the same hymnody at funeral services.

For more information, please contact Jerome Cuenco at: JCuenoco@ihmbrentwood.com
925-634-4154 x112

Oracion San Miguel

San Miguel Arcángel,
defiéndenos en la batalla.
Sé nuestro amparo contra la
perversidad y asechanzas del
demonio. Reprímale Dios,
pedimos suplicantes,
y tú Príncipe de la
Milicia Celestial,
con el divino poder de Dios,
arroja al infierno a Satanás
y a todos los espíritus malignos
que andan dispersos
por el mundo para la perdición de
las almas. Amén.



Prayer to St. Michael

St. Michael the Archangel,
defend us in battle,
be our protection
against the wickedness and
snares of the devil.
May God
rebuke him we humbly pray;
and do thou, O Prince of the
Heavenly host,
by the power of God,
cast into hell Satan
and all the evil spirits
who prowl about the world seeking
the ruin of souls.
Amen



Please Come and Join together
for Immaculate Heart of Mary Feast Day

On Saturday, June 12 beginning at 8:00am
there will be prayer and Benediction until 10:00am.

A special Eucharist
will be held outside in lawn area at 11:00am.
Following the Mass,
we will have Choirs singing, entertainment and snacks
for community gathering until 3:00pm.

Several ministries will have tables with information.

Masks and social distancing guidelines must be maintained.

Information/Información

St. Vincent de Paul for Friday's Food Pantry

For the weekend of June 13, 2021, please bring canned tuna and other meats. THANK YOU!

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Para el fin de semana del 13 de junio, 2021, por favor traigan atun enlatado y otras carnes. GRACIAS!!!

SCHEDULE OF SECOND COLLECTIONS

June 20, 2021 - Maintenance Fund
July 4, 2021 - Facility Improvement

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FECHAS DE SEGUNDAS COLECTAS

20 de junio, 2021 - Fondo del Mantenimiento
4 de julio, 2021 - Fondo del Mejoramiento de las Instalaciones

CONTRA COSTA FOOD BANK



The Contra Costa Food Bank Mobile Produce Distribution Program distributes FREE produce on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of each month in the IHM parking lot from 12:00 noon to 1:00pm to families in need. This program is only for low-income families.

For more information, please call Ralph at 925-437-3509.

Hours of Adoration

are on Thursdays from 9:00AM to 6:00PM. On Fridays Adoration begins at 9:00am and continues until 4:00pm.

Horas de Adoración son los jueves de 9:00AM a 6:00PM. Adoración los viernes empieza a las 9:00AM y continúa hasta las 4:00PM.



Promise: I promise to the soul that visits Me frequently in this Sacrament of Love, that I will receive it affectionately together with all the Blessed and the Angels in Heaven, and that each of its visits will be written down in the Book of its life and I will grant to it.

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE 2021 SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS



Scholarships for 2021 graduating High School and continuing College students have been selected. Funding comes from the Knights, Italian Catholic Federation, Pancake Breakfast Scholarship teams, Catholic Daughters of America and anonymous donors. Thank you to all who help make this possible. Congratulations and Good Luck in your further pursuit of your education!

High School:

Kyle Coaker
Kayla Longoria
Katarina Sinson

College:

Anisa Barbosa
Aleisha Burke
Olivia Bustos
David Camacho
Feliza Juarez
Emily Sobolik

Dear Parishioners at IHM,

Over the past two years, we have been hard at work improving both our systems and facilities. Some of the major projects are: Painting the church, resurfacing the parking lots, updating all computer systems, updating and installing new security systems, tree trimming, replanting, new flooring, and other upkeep. Without your generous donations to the Facilities Improvement and Maintenance Funds, none of this would be possible. Thank you very much for your support and dedication to IHM!

IMPORTANT NOTICE: Please do not leave any food in the vestibule of the Church.

ANUNCIO IMPORTANTE: Por favor no dejen comida en el vestibulo de la Iglesia.

The Greeter Ministry is looking to become active once again now that we can accommodate a greater number of participants at each of our weekend Masses. For the present time, we only need one Greeter at the Front Door to welcome people back to Mass on Saturdays at 5:00 p.m. and Sunday Masses at 7:30 a.m. 9:00 a.m. and 12:30 p.m.

The Greeter will follow the protocol established by the County which includes wearing a mask and not exchanging handshakes or other physical contact. Each attendee will pick up their own Bulletin. If you are interested in volunteering to help in this Ministry, please call Carol Smith, Greeter Coordinator, at 925-390-6980.

Ministry Meetings/Reuniones de Ministerios

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Confessions / Confesiones

Tuesday/Martes: 6:00 - 7:00PM
Saturday/Sabado: 3:30 - 4:30PM

Devotions/Devociones

Monday to Friday/Lunes a Viernes
7:30AM

Holy Rosary/Santo Rosario

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Wednesday/Miércoles
8:30AM

Mother of Perpetual Help Novena Novena Madre del Perpetuo Socorro

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Friday/Viernes
8:30AM

Divine Mercy Chaplet Novena Coronilla a la Divina Misericordia

Anointing of the Sick Unción de los Enfermos

Home Communion Comunión a los Enfermos

Contact a priest / llame a un sacerdote

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Marriage/Matrimonios

Requires at least six month preparation
Requiere por lo menos 6 meses de preparación

Baptism/Bautismos

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Funerals/Funerales

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Jesus Christ revealed to humankind what man could never know by the power of the human intellect alone: the mysterious and wondrous secret of the inner life of God: the Most Holy Trinity. Through the revelation of the Holy Trinity a new dimension of understanding is presented to man, which throws a divine and revealing light upon the reality of who the human person is, the purpose of his existence, and the life to which he is called. The Catechism of the Catholic Church (CCC) teaches:

"The mystery of the Most Holy Trinity is the central mystery of Christian faith and life. It is the mystery of God in himself. It is therefore the source of all the other mysteries of faith, the light that enlightens them. It is the most fundamental and essential teaching in the hierarchy of the truths of faith" (CCC No. 234).

Over the past twenty-centuries, under the guidance of the Holy Spirit, the Catholic Church has carefully reflected on the mystery of the Most Holy Trinity. From this, our understanding of the relationship between the Holy Trinity and the human person has unfolded by the light of the Holy Spirit working through the Church. This relationship, a bond of life-giving love, is of such depth and magnitude as to be indescribable. It is our Triune God whose life-giving power and love sustains us from moment to moment. It is the Holy Trinity who allows us each breath, provides us with the energy of life, and graces us with that seed of faith deep within our hearts. Yet Christ's revelation of the inner life of God illumines not only our dependence on God, but who we are as persons, how we should relate to others, and how society should function and exist in relation to God. Therefore the Most Holy Trinity is the Light that enlightens every aspect of the human person.

The Compendium of The Social Doctrine of The Church (CSDC) states: "The revelation in Christ of the mystery of God as Trinitarian love is at the same time the revelation of the vocation of the human person to love. This revelation sheds light on every aspect of the personal dignity and freedom of men and women, and on the depths of their social nature" (CSDC, No. 34).

Errors of Our Age

Pope John Paul II stated in his apostolic letter *Mulieris Dignitatem* (On the Dignity and Vocation of Women) that "Man - whether man or woman - is the only being among the creatures of the visible world that God the Creator has willed for its own sake; that creature is thus a person. Being a person means striving towards self-realization, which can only be achieved through a sincere gift of self. The model for this interpretation of the person is God himself as Trinity, as a communion of Persons."

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