# Immaculate Heart of Mary Church

Sunday, July 28, 2024 Seventeenth Sunday in Orinary Time

# Parish Staff

Very Rev. Ilyas Gill, Pastor/Dean Deacon John M. Cantirino Mr. John M. Mancuso, Youth Minister/Development Manager Mr. Connor M. Whelan, Music Director Ms. Laisha Morales, Director of Faith Formation Ms. Rosa Rosas, Administrative Assistant

#### **Priest in Residence** Rev. Francis Obu-Mends, CSSp

Retired Deacon

Deacon James D. Noble

### **Our School**

Saint Joseph the Worker Catholic Academy Ms. Stephanie-Ann Germann, Principal



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#### Schedule of Masses

Saturday Vigil - 5:00 PM Sunday - 8:45 AM & 11:45 AM & 4:30 PM (Urdu) Weekdays - 8:45 AM

#### **Confessions**

Saturday - 4:00PM. By appointment for all other times.

#### **Devotions**

Miraculous Medal Novena, Mondays following the 8:45 AM Mass.

St. Anthony Novena, Tuesdays following the 8:45 AM Mass. Recitation of the Rosary following weekday morning Mass. Eucharistic Adoration, every third Saturday of the month from 3:30PM-4:30PM

#### **Baptism**

Parents should call the rectory to make an appointment. Please note that there are no baptisms during the season of Lent.

#### Marriage

Please call the rectory to schedule an appointment with a member of the Parish Staff. Marriage arrangements must be made at least six months prior to the intended wedding date. In addition, please log on to <u>www.pre-cana.org</u> for complete information about marriage preparation in the Diocese.

#### Parish Registration

All are welcomed and invited to register at the Parish Office and participate in our parish.

#### **Rectory Office Hours**

 Monday through Friday
 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

 Saturday
 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

 Sunday
 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

To see a particular Staff Member, please call for an appointment.

### **PARISH MISSION STATEMENT:**

With confidence that the Immaculate Heart of Mary will guide us, our parish is:

- A faith community proclaiming the Word of God as preached by Jesus Christ
- Strengthened by the Eucharist and striving to live in faith, hope and charity
- A loving family that works collaboratively to establish and develop ministries that address the diverse needs of our community

Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish welcomes all who wish to join us in our journey of faith.





# ANNOUNCED MASS INTENTIONS

#### MONDAY, JULY 29, 2024

Jer 13:1-11 Jn 11:19-27 8:45 Luciana Salvador By Ocampo Family

#### **TUESDAY, JULY 30, 2024**

Jer 14:17-22 Mt 13:36-43 8:45 Mordocco Susan By Brian & Kelly Masullo

#### WEDNESDAY, JULY 31, 2024

*Jer 15:10, 16-21 Mt 13:44-46* 8:45 Carmen Leyva (1st Anniversary) By Daughters & Sons

#### THURSDAY, AUGUST 1, 2024

Jer 18:1-6 Mt13:47-53 8:45 Gloria Daley By SantaCroce Family

#### FRIDAY, AUGUST 2, 2024

*Jer 26:1-9 Mt 13:54-58* 8:45 Charles M. O'Donnell By Carol Segarra

#### SATURDAY, AUGUST 3, 2024

Jer 26:11-16, 24 Mt 14:1-12 8:45 Maria Ranchez Hemulgada By Angie Hemulgada 5:00 Thomas Edward Brennan By Judy Morace Edward & Naomi Lamont By Daughter, Diana Lamont

#### SUNDAY, AUGUST 4, 2024

18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ex 16:2-4, 12-15 Eph 4:17, 20-24 Jn 6:24-35 8:45 Living & Deceased Members of the Rosary Society By IHM Rosary Society 11:45 Monthly Mass Enrollment 4:30 Urdu





Please remember our men and women serving throughout the world in the US Military in your prayer.

# *IN MEMORIAL* <u>WEEK OF JULY 28 , 2024</u>



The candle at the IHM Statue is being offered for *Special Intention* requested by Joyce Jones.



The candle at the St. Joseph Statue is being offered in loving memory of *Lennie Charles* requested by Joyce Jones & Family.



The candle at the Sacred Heart Statue is being offered for *Special Intention* requested by Joyce Jones.



The candle at the St. Anne statue is being offered in loving memory of *JoAnn Taylor* requested by Joyce Jones & Family.



The candle at the Our Lady of Guadalupe picture is being offered in loving memory *Deacon Antonio J. Gonzalez*.



The red rose at the Immaculate Heart of Mary Statue is being offered in loving memory of *Pasquale Perrotta* requested by his family.





The sick and the homebound Immaculate Heart of Mary

WEEK 1 Phool Manhori Chandra Jorge Escalante Laura Garcia Martinez John Hannigan Mary Mooney Maria Plasencia Joseph Palmer Delia WEEK 2 Gerri Bartolomeo Brian Bohn Jose Perez Cruz Charlie Dorego Anthony Deredita Laura Leach Eileen O'Neill

WEEK 3 Vincenza Iuliano Jerome Khokhar Joseph Paloscio Albi Ruocco Geraldine Treyman Anita Valentino Tony Valentino



## Albert F. Noce



Dear Friends,



The 72nd Precinct Community Council has organized a National Night Out on Tuesday, August 6, 2024, at Greenwood Playground, East 5th Street, Brooklyn, NY 11218. This free event will feature fun and games for the whole family. Please join us, your friends, and your family in supporting this community event and our NYPD family.

The Immaculate Heart of Mary Young Adult Summer BBQ, a lively and engaging event, will take place on August 2, 2024, at 7:00 PM in the Rectory Parking Lot and Yard. Anyone between the ages of 18-30 is warmly invited to join the group to grow in their Catholic faith and build a spirit of community and belonging. It will be a night filled with fun games, delicious food, and lively music. Kindly RSVP to John at 646-573-9418. Thank you!

As you know, the cost of living has risen significantly—whether it is for weather-related expenses, groceries, gas, or electricity. Unfortunately, our weekly collection has remained the same. I humbly request that you consider increasing your contributions according to your means, as this will greatly help us meet our financial challenges. I am deeply grateful for your continued support of our church, and I understand the challenges we all face. Your generosity is greatly appreciated. May God bless you all!

Our Faith Formation registration is now open at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church. I encourage every family and parent to register their child to receive their sacraments, grow in Christian faith, and build a lifelong friendship with Jesus.

We are approaching our goal for the Annual Catholic Appeal, and I kindly ask each Immaculate Heart of Mary Church member to consider participating in this appeal. Whether through a one-time donation or a pledge over the next few months, your support will help Immaculate Heart of Mary Church shine brightly in the Diocese of Brooklyn and Queens. Thank you, and may God bless you all.

In Christ,

Fr. Gill



United in Communion ~ United in Charity

Parish Goal: \$43,224.00 Pledged to Date: \$34,687.00 Paid to Date: \$31,762.00 Donors: 78

Please be as generous as you can when asked to participate in the Annual Catholic Appeal.



It's Easy to Donate Online Go to our parish website: www.ihm-brooklyn.org

Scroll down to Announcements on main page, click on Annual Catholic Appeal 2024 Diocese of Brooklyn. This takes you to the ACA webpage; click on





16th Sunday in Ordinary Time July 28th, 2024 2 Kgs 4:42-44; Eph 4:1-6; Jn 6:1-15

The servant and the little boy in our readings today are excellent examples for us as Chris-

tian stewards. The servant gave the very best of what he had, and the boy gave all that he had, then God did the rest.

A key component of living as a good steward is constantly evaluating our lives, particularly our relationship with God to ensure we are not just scraping by but rather giving God our entire lives.

We should ask ourselves — 'how am I giving God my time, using my talents, and sharing my treasures?'

We are called to give God adequate time each day. If we don't plan for this time, likely, He won't get any. We need to find what works best for us so that God can become a more significant part of our daily lives. We are also called to put our gifts and talents to good use too. The servant and the boy teach us that it is not up to us to decide how our gifts will affect others. God will do that. All we need to do is to give it well.

Lastly, the servant reminds us that we are called to give the first fruits of our treasures. It is easy to give something; it is difficult to give the finest gift. Giving our best requires us to reevaluate our priorities in life.

When we strive to live out our call as Christian stewards by entrusting all that we have been given to the One who graciously gave us these gifts, we will be blessed beyond measure. As we begin a new week, let us spend some time evaluating our relationship with God by asking, 'what is my very best, and am I giving it to God?'

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# La Communídad Híspana

The next monthly Spanish Mass at Immaculate Heart of Mary will be on Sunday, August 11th at 1:30 pm with hospitality following Mass. All are welcome!

La proxima misa en español en el Inmaculado Corazón de María será el domingo, 11 de agosto, a las 1:30 pm con hospitalidad siguiendo. Todos son bienvenidos!



It's Vacation Time! Find a Mass wherever you go at:

#### www.masstimes.org

*"Rejoice always, pray continually, give thanks in all circumstances " 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18* 



### Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament each Friday of the month.

Please note that on the first Friday of the month, we will have Exposition, Adoration, and Benediction following the 8:45 a.m. Mass.

On all other Fridays of the month with the second Friday dedicated to Adoration for Life, the Blessed Sacrament will be exposed for adoration and private prayer from 8:00 am until 8:30 am.



Eucharistic Adoration Come and spend An hour with the Lord

IHM Eucharistic Adoration Saturday, August 17, 2024 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm in the church.

"When you look at the Crucifix, you understand how much Jesus loved you then. When you look at the Sacred Host, you understand how much Jesus loves you now." ~ Mother Teresa of Calcutta

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available every Saturday from 4:00 pm - 4:45 pm in the church.



### Associated Vincentian Charities of Brooklyn Gives Back

Immaculate Heart of Mary should share in the profits. For each car, truck or van, running or not the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul will give back to our church \$75/\$200 per vehicle. Maybe you don't have a vehicle, but a family member, friend or neighbor has an old or neglected vehicle in their driveway that they would like to dispose of.

Call the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul at: 718-491-2525.



"Christ has no body now but yours. No hands, no feet on earth but yours. Yours are the eyes through which he looks with compassion on this world. Yours are the feet with which he walks to do good. Yours are the hands through which he blesses all the world. Yours are the hands, yours are the feet, yours are the eyes, you are his body. Christ has no body now on earth but yours."

– Teresa of Avila

# Immaculate Heart of Mary Ministry in Action

The IHM Cancer Guild and the Crochet & Knitting Club takes their call to service to heart with love, compassion, and action!

- The Cancer Guild provided 190 hand sewn pads and large hospital bed pads to Rosary Hill Home.
- 14 hand sewn shopping bags and inserted inside precious metals inside the bags made by parishioner, Debra Kayata.

Thank you to those who serve in these ministries and thank you to our generous parishioners who donate the supplies and goods needed to keep these ministries going!! May God Bless You!!



- In Loving Memory of Andrew D'Agostino Glenn D'Agostino Katherine D'Agostino Mary D'Agostino Paul D'Agostino Phil D'Agostino "Big" Phil D'Agostino **Robin D'Agostino** Rose D'Agostino Salvatore D'Agostino Violet D'Agostino Rose D'Agostino Casulli Ray Casulli Miguel Marquez Davila Julia Ross Julia Ross Leona Ritchie JoAnn Smythe **Donald Summermyer Praying for World Peace** Thanking God for all blessings **Residents of Palm Garden NH** Military & 1st Responders
- **By Diane Summers Devanney By Diane Summers Devanney By Diane Summers Devanney** By Diane Summers Devanney **By Diane Summers Devanney By Diane Summers Devanney By Diane Summers Devanney By Diane Summers Devanney By Diane Summers Devanney** By Diane Summers Devanney By Diane Summers Devanney By Diane Summers Devanney By Diane Summers Devanney By Wife, Eusebia Marquez By Liz Olivieri-Lenahan & Mike Lenahan **By Deacon Jim & Mary Noble By Deacon & Mary Noble By** Noble Family **By** Noble Family **By Ruocco Family By Ruocco Family By Ruocco Family By Ruocco Family**



#### **Immaculate Heart of Mary Prayer Group**

For the month of July & August Prayer Group will meet on Tuesdays from 2:30 pm - 4 pm in the Marian Center.

#### **Opportunities to Help & Volunteer**

"When I was hungry, you gave me to eat." (Mt. 25)

Our pantry is in need of non-perishable items such as: cereals, peanut butter, jelly, canned vegetables, fruits, and soups, tuna fish, crackers, non-refrigerated milk (ex. Parmalat), etc.

Our Parish pledged to #WalkwithFrancis—donating to the Food Pantry is a good way to *walk*.



# **IHM MONTHLY 50/50 DRAWING**

Join our monthly 50/50 drawing. You will find the 50/50 envelope in your quarterly envelope packets. All you need to do is put \$10 in the envelope and drop it in the collection basket at Mass.



If you are not registered for envelopes or if you want additional chances to win, you can pick up spare envelopes in the vestibule of the church or at the rectory. The winner is drawn the 1st of each month.



# Immaculate Heart of Mary Youth Ministry Summer BBQ 2024

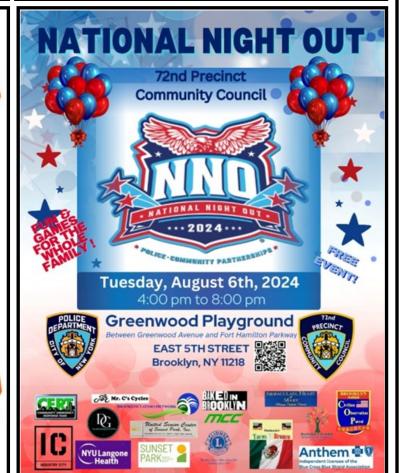
Date: Friday, July 26<sup>th</sup> @ 6PM Place: Rectory Parking Lot and Side Yard

Join us for Food, Music, Cornhole, Yard Pong, Horseshoes, Giant Jenga, and the <u>Biggest Water Balloon Fight in Brooklyn!</u>

All Teens from 13-17 are Invited

RSVP to John via Text at 646-573-9418 or email at johnmancuso@ihm-brooklyn.org

RSVP by July 25th





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