

Body and Blood of Christ

June 26, 2011

Today is Corpus Christi, the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ. Today, we give thanks for the gift of the Eucharist: the bread of life and the cup of salvation; that food that we share and that makes us one. As one body in Christ, let us pray.

Masses of the Week

Beginning June 27, 2011

8:00 am Daily Mass

- MON:** John Sunderland Vilma Drury
- TUES:** Frances Krueger John Wandishin
- WED:** George S. Thaler Antonio & Angie Gugliano
- THURS:** Winnie Hayden Amelia Berroya
- FRI:** Mary Fuka Lehman (Chic) Francis

Parish Feast Day - July 2 Immaculate Heart of Mary

SAT: 9:00 AM Grace Hare Marie Sunderland

Saturday, July 2, 2011

4:30 PM People of the Parish

6:00 PM. Susan Slattery

Sunday, July 3, 2011

7:30 AM Marie Cicero

9:00 AM Charles R. Gallagher Dennis & Michael Carmody

10:30 AM Giovanni Forte

Noon: Aniseh Shomali

N.H. – indicates Nursing Home

S.I. – indicates Special Intention

SCRIPTURE READINGS for July 3, 2011

First: Zech. 9:9-10 The true king comes to us meek and humble.

Second: Romans 8:9,11-13. If the Spirit of God lives in us, we will live.

Gospel: Matt. 11:25-30 “Come to me, all who are burdened, and I will give you rest.”

PRAYER CHAIN If you have a PRAYER REQUEST call any member of the IHM **Prayer Chain:** Call , Mary Ann Thaler 410-668-7738, Corrine Kelly 410 -252-2009

IHM Travel Group – Save the Dates

Aug. 17 – Wednesday – Crab Feast – Suicide Bridge \$82.00
Leave 9:00 AM return to IHM 5:00 pm

Sept. 14 Emmitsburg Shrine & Grotto - \$53.00 Visit Shrine, Grotto, Dinner at Dutch’s Daughter. Leave 8:30 – return 5:00
Call Dot Raab at 410-668-7760 – Make check payable to:
IHM Travel Group/Dot Raab– send to 8537 Oak Road
Baltimore MD 21234

Collections for the Weekend of June 19, 2011

Envelope Donations	\$	8095.49
Loose	\$	2014.50
Children	\$	42.35
Total	\$	10152.34
Less Cathedraticum	\$	1522.85
Available for Parish	\$	8629.49
Second Collection	\$	1968.47 Cath. Com
Poor Box	\$	332.94

The donations for the Capital Campaign for the month of May were \$5834.83.

ELECTRONIC GIVING. – is a direct payment program whereby your contribution is debited automatically from either your checking or saving account, or can be charged to your credit card. Call parish office at 410-668-7935. Ext. 209.. The form is also available on the Parish website

RESPECT LIFE In a statement adopted on 06/16/11, the nation’s Catholic bishops issued a firm message for how the end-of-life debate should be handled: oppose assisted suicide but provide help and support for patients. “To Live Each Day With Dignity” is the statement by the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops addressing the hardships and fears of patients facing terminal illness and the importance of life-affirming palliative care. It cites the Church’s concern for those who are tempted to commit suicide, its opposition to physician-assisted suicide, and the consistency of this stance with the principle of equal and inherent human rights and the ethical principles of the medical profession. The bishops declare that true compassion eliminates suffering, not the patient himself, and that medical workers must dedicate themselves to addressing patients’ needs and affirming their value as human beings. To read more go to: <http://www.ncregister.com/daily-news/bishops-will-vote-on-statement-opposing-assisted-suicide/#ixzz1PPCLO5MH>

PRAY FOR VOCATIONS

“Whoever eats this bread will live forever.” The Gospel today concludes with these awesome words of promise. Who will bring the Bread of Life to the people longing for Eternal Life? As you recognize the importance of the priesthood, make a commitment to support vocations. God is calling priests today. Help to facilitate that call. Encourage someone to think about priesthood this week.

ALTAR FLOWERS

If you would like to contribute to the church altar flowers on a particular weekend please call the parish office at 410-668-7935 and speak with Donna.

ON VACATION

To find a church Mass time anywhere in the country, go to **www.masstimes.org**

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL OUTREACH:

Sunday, July 10, - 2011 is our day to collect food for the pantry
Following are the items most needed for the pantry:
Peanut butter and jelly, Jell-O, canned fruit, cold drinks
Canned meat, pasta sauce, canned vegetables and potatoes
Tuna fish, tea bags and cereal

Thanks to your generosity, approximately 50 families were helped last month with food, rent, BGE bills, and **bus tokens**

Please check the expiration dates on your food. Two entire bags of food were discarded. During the summer months our pantry is very low and we need your help. If you are away the week of the food drive, you can bring your donation another weekend.

Thursday July 7th is our day to collect casseroles for **OUR DAILY BREAD** we will be on the parking lot from 7:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. Please freeze casseroles if possible if you are away that Thursday, you can drop your casseroles off at the outreach office. **Our DAILY BREAD** is in dire need of casseroles.

Mark Your Calendars: **IHM Blood Drive** co-sponsored by Babcock Presbyterian Church – BLOOD DONORS ARE URGENTLY NEEDED. July 14 from 1 to 7 PM in Cartwright Hall. Call 410-663-4357 to make your life-saving donation.

Please Remember God's Poor by use of the Poor Boxes as you leave Mass each Weekend. Your donations go to our IHM St. Vincent de Paul Office to help with those in our parish who are in need.

Faith Formation Registrations for grades Kindergarten through grade eight for the school year starting in September have been sent to all currently enrolled students. If you wish to enroll your child for the coming year and have not received a registration form or will be new to the program please call the Faith Formation Office at 410-661-3820. Children planning to receive either Eucharist or Confirmation must be in a program the year prior to receiving the sacrament.

INTERESTED IN BECOMING A DEACON?

The Office of Deacon Formation is in its final stages of interviewing potential candidates for those men who would be anticipating being ordained in the spring 2015. All inquiries must be made by June 30, 2011. Please contact Fr. Patrick Carrion; pcarrion@archbalt.org or 410-752-8498 x1114.

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharistic

If you have been taking Holy Eucharist to a family member, a friend or on scheduled communion call and have borrowed a Pyx from the church and are no longer using it, we are asking that the Pyx be returned to the Church or the Parish Office. Thank You

Vacation Bible Camp

Shake it up Café

Where Kids carry out God's Recipes

Mark Your Calendars!

When? June 27 – July 1. Adults and teens are needed to lead and assist with music, crafts, snacks, games, Bible storytelling and MORE!
Contact Amie at 410-661-3820. to volunteer, or apost@immaculateheartofmary.com

Four year olds through fourth graders get ready to meet in the "Shake it Up Cafe" for Vacation Bible Camp. Mark your calendars for June 27 - July 1. From 9:00 AM to Noon. Adult and youth volunteers are needed. For registration information or to volunteer please call 410-661-3820.

We are now accepting registrations – pink flyers are available in the back of the church.

CONFIRMATION - Students attending private school who are completing the 8th grade and wish to be confirmed should call the Faith Formation Office (410-661-3820) to register as soon as possible. The program has already started so please respond promptly.

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY – *Mary's Hands* – If you knit or crochet or would like to learn or want to become part of this wonderful Ministry at IHM call Pat Novak at 410-321-1438

SODALITY: Mass 9 AM, 3 July. Prayer Shawls will be blessed prior to Mass. Please bring any completed shawls to Mass on Sunday.

Immaculate Heart of Mary School is currently accepting Registrations for Grades Pre-K - 8th. Please call the school office: 410-668-8466 or visit our website www.immaculateheartofmary.com and click the school link.

We have all been hearing about the changes that are coming to the Mass beginning with Advent 2011. If you would like to research some of the information on your own – here are two links to try:

United States Bishops Roman Missal page www.usccb.org/romanmissal

The Archdiocese of Baltimore Office for Worship page <http://www.archdioceseofbaltimore.org/evangelization/worship/roman-missal-implementation.cfm>