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from
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pilgrims!



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LITURGY SCHEDULE

Mass in English

Monday-Friday and 1st Saturdays: 8:30 a.m.

Saturday: 4:00 p.m. Vigil Mass

Sunday: 9:00 a.m.; 11:30 a.m.; 5:00 p.m.

Misa en Español

Jueves: 7:00 p.m.

Sábado: 6:00 p.m.

Domingo: 1:30 p.m.

Reconciliation

Saturday 9:00 a.m. (except Holy Saturday)

Thursday 6:00 p.m.

Confesiones

Sábado 9:00 a.m. (excepto Sábado Santo)

Jueves 6:00 p.m.

Eucharistic Adoration

Thursdays 9:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Adoración al Santísimo

Jueves 9:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.

The Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick is offered monthly in church following the Saturday 4:00 p.m. and Sunday 1:30 p.m. Masses, and is available by appointment with a priest.

Catholic patients in metro area hospitals receive the sacraments from the neighboring Catholic parish; priests, deacons and Eucharistic ministers from IHM will visit whenever possible. Please call the parish office if you or a family member will be hospitalized or homebound.

PARISH INFORMATION

Office Hours /Horas de Oficina

Monday-Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.


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SAFE ENVIRONMENT

Report abuse of children and vulnerable persons : **1-888-437-0764**

MASS INTENTIONS / INTENCIONES DE LA MISA

OCTOBER 22 — OCTOBER 30

Saturday Vigil Masses are livestreamed at www.ihmatlanta.org/livestream.

Sunday, October 23

30th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sir 35:12-14, 16-18; 2 Tm 4:6-8, 16-18; Lk 18:9-14

Saturday, October 22 Vigil Masses:

4:00 p.m. Elvira McClain †

6:00 p.m. Maria Elene Tavares †

Sunday, October 23:

9:00 a.m. Sam Wheeler †

11:30 a.m. Jon Francis Eiswerth †

1:30 p.m. All people of the parish

5:00 p.m. Prasab Baby †

Monday, October 24

Weekday

Ephesians 4:32—5:8; Luke 13:10-17

8:30 a.m. Elvira McClain †

Tuesday, October 25

Weekday

Ephesians 5:21-33; Luke 13:18-21

8:30 a.m. Jon Kasik †

Wednesday, October 26

Weekday

Ephesians 6:1-9; Luke 13:22-30

8:30 a.m. Communion Service

Thursday, October 27

Weekday

Ephesians 6:10-20; Luke 13:31-35

8:30 a.m. Carol Clarke †

7:00 p.m. Daniel Quintero †

Friday, October 28

Saints Simon and Jude, Apostles

Ephesians 2:19-22; Luke 6:12-16

8:30 a.m. Vincent and Maria Kutty
Kalathil †

Saturday, October 29

Weekday

Philippians 1:18b-26; Luke 14:1, 7-11

Sunday, October 30

31st SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sir 35:12-14, 16-18; 2 Tm 4:6-8, 16-18; Lk 18:9-14

Saturday, October 29 Vigil Masses:

4:00 p.m. Bob Briggs †

6:00 p.m. Bartolo Niño Perez †

Sunday, October 30:

9:00 a.m. Vincent Manuel D'Souza †

11:30 a.m. All people of the parish

1:30 p.m. Emiliano Perales Lindero †

5:00 p.m. Elvira McClain †

PRAYERS/ORACIONES

Please pray for our loved ones who have died: Alice Bishop, Doris Koch, David Hiland, Vi Clement, Lydia Esther Suarez Rivera, Dorothy Todd, Don Roux, Linli Yueh Leo, Gloria Armstrong, Fred Hedges, Elizabeth Malloy, Miriam Herrera Lovera, Evelyn Beardsley, Mabel Francis Caron, Elvira McClain, Luz Maria Reducindo Garcia, Amira Estela Mendez, Alma Delia Rebolledo Garcia, Luis Enrique Pérez, Robert Cowhig, Roy Kern, Jean Pajuelo and Judith Brosovich.

And please pray for the sick: Teresa Gauthier, Nan Nettleman, Blanca Azcuy, Ben Wilson, Phil Jardina, Amos Holcomb, Phyllis Lewis, Pat Howard, Estrella Muñiz, Ryan Lewis, Elizabeth Lewis, Phyllis Lewis, Richard Yelton, Hiuko Adams, Anne Rutz, Sylvia Dominguez, Dennis Patron, Mark Sebacher, Mary Ann McCullough, Gary Payne, Kenneth Nicolosi, Nelson Paredes, Guillermo Ramirez, Teresa Gernazian, William Luse and Carmen Graciaa.

STEWARDSHIP RENEWAL

THANK YOU to the hundreds of households who returned parish Stewardship Commitments of Time, Talent & Treasure in recent weeks!

IF YOU HAVE NOT YET had a chance to respond this year, please give these commitments your sincere thought and prayer and return them this week. It will take a response from every household in the parish for us to accomplish the holy work the Lord has placed before us at IHM.

THANK YOU for your good stewardship of IHM!



ELECTRONIC GIVING

Electronic giving helped IHM survive two years of pandemic by ensuring that many parishioners' support came through even when they were unable to come to church in person. E-giving can still help you support your parish when you are traveling or homebound. If you are not presently using a form of electronic giving, please contact the parish Business Manager, Rich Plachta, who can answer your questions.

GIVE BY TEXT

You can now make a contribution to IHM with a quick text message! Simply send a text to 888-418-5704. In the message just indicate the amount you would like to contribute. (Make sure to include the dollar sign before the amount. Example: \$25.) Within a few minutes, you'll be sent a text with a link to register. Click on the link and enter your cardholder name and credit or debit card information. Once your registration is complete, you will receive a text verification and a receipt via email. For future giving, simply send a text with the amount you wish to give, and it will process automatically!

PAYPAL

You can conveniently make one-time offertory gifts scanning this QR Code. This code will take you directly to the IHM PayPal account. Please enter your envelope number in the notes field if you have it available.



HAVE YOU REMEMBERED IHM IN YOUR WILL?

Leaving assets to the parish through your will enables you to help IHM long into the future, without affecting your cash flow now. For more information, contact Juliet Greco at the Catholic Foundation of North Georgia at jgreco@cfnga.org or 404-497-9440, or go to cfnga.org.

Please stay in touch!

Visit www.ihmatlanta.org and click "Stay in Touch" under the "Our Church" tab.

And follow us:



OFFERTORY

October 15-16

Offertory:	\$ 17,686.00
Electronic Offertory:	\$ 11,594.00
Total Offertory:	\$ 29,280.00
St. Vincent de Paul	\$ 11,538.53
Debt Reduction	\$ 2,697.00

SECOND COLLECTIONS

This weekend's second collection is for the Church in Latin America and Eastern Europe, and World Missions.

Next weekend's second collection will be for our Parish Debt Reduction Fund.

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KEEPING NOVEMBER AT IHM

ALL SAINTS DAY

November 1 is the Solemnity of All Saints, a Holy Day of Obligation. Come celebrate our solidarity with the holy men and women of every generation who surround God's throne!

Monday, October 31

7:00 p.m. (Spanish)

Tuesday, November 1

8:30 a.m. (English)

12 Noon (English)

7:00 p.m. (English)

ALL SOULS NOVENA

Monsignor Al and Father Robbie will celebrate a novena of Masses for the intentions of our beloved dead beginning on November 2. If you would like to participate in this novena, please submit the names of your deceased loved ones on the form enclosed with your church envelopes. Extras are available in the narthex and parish office.

ALL SOULS MASS OF REMEMBRANCE

Monsignor Al and Father Robbie cordially invite you to the bilingual All Souls Mass of Remembrance for our parishioners and family members who have died in the last year. Wednesday November 2 at 7:00 p.m.

BOOK OF THE NAMES OF THE DEAD

The Book of the Names of the Dead will be placed near the baptismal font beginning on All Souls Day. Everyone is welcome to inscribe the names of their deceased loved ones. As you pass the Book and see the burning candle upon entering and leaving church during November, remember to offer up a prayer for all whose names are enshrined there.

ALTAR OF THE DEAD

All Souls Day is the Day of the Dead (*el Día de Muertos*) in Mexico. A beautiful custom associated with the Day of the Dead is the family altar or *ofrenda*. Familiarized by the recent Disney movie "Coco," these altars are based on popular belief that the souls of the departed return at this time of the year, and show them that they are not forgotten. An *ofrenda* will be erected in the church narthex on All Souls Day by members of our Hispanic community.

CHRISTMAS IN OCTOBER!

Support Mustard Seed's work with developmentally disabled children by purchasing quality, live Christmas greenery at our online store. Funds raised will support our spring mission trip to Mustard Seed Communities in Jamaica. Our online store is live NOW through November 6. Go to <https://ihm-msc-greenery.square.site> to order online or go to our website to download the order form and submit it with payment to the parish office by November 4. Greenery will be delivered between November 28 and December 2. Email notification will be sent with specific pick up dates and times once delivery is confirmed. For more information, contact Marty Bova-Banks at 404-403-3952.

SYNOD 2021-2023: WHAT'S NEXT?

October 24

Last spring, IHM participated in a global exercise in listening and discernment. We talked about the joys and challenges of "journeying together" in the Church. What did we learn? In addition to our local parish report, we have an archdiocesan report and a national synthesis to discuss. Join the IHM Synod Team for a conversation about what we've heard so far, and what the next steps might be. Monday, October 24, 7-8:30 p.m. in the church lower level. For more information contact Drew Denton at ddenton@ihmaltanta.org.



CALLING ALL PARENTS

October 25

Save the Date for the Parent Presentation on Catholic Social Teaching, Tuesday, October 25 at 7:00 pm in the cafeteria. This evening will be a great opportunity to grow in your understanding of the Seven Themes of Catholic Social Teaching. All are welcome! IHM's own Deacon Erik, Jayna Hoffacker (Associate Director of the Archdiocese's Justice and Peace Ministries), and others will lead us in an engaging presentation. If you have any questions about the event, please contact Stacey Williams at Stacey.L.Williams@hotmail.com

TRUNK OR TREAT

Friday, October 28

The IHM Women's Club and Men's Group are happy to bring back one of our parish's favorite fall activities, Trunk or Treat! Join us in the lower parking lot on Friday, October 28, 6:00-8:00 p.m. (If you are planning to give out candy, please arrive at 5:30.) For more information and to register, visit <https://ihmatlanta.org/trunk-or-treat>.

VIRTUS TRAINING

October 29

The next VIRTUS Protecting God's Children session, part of the Archdiocese of Atlanta's Safe Environment compliance, will be held in-person from 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. on Saturday, October 29 in the church lower level. Preregistration is not required: Just email IHM's VIRTUS facilitator Nancy Koughan at nkoughan@comcast.net to be added to the class.

IHMERS (55 & OLDER)

November 3

Newcomers welcome! Our first post-Covid Luncheon is tentatively set for Thursday, November 3 at 11:30am in the Historic Church. Our presenter, back by popular demand, is professional singer Nick Morrett. The event will be held only if enough people respond. Once responses are received, an official notice & details will be sent via email and posted in the bulletin. Masks will be required when not eating and social distancing will be observed. RSVP to "B.J." Abraham by October 20 if you PLAN to attend: bjstory@hotmail.com, 404-633-3277.

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FAITH FORMATION SCHEDULE

October 23, 2022

- All classes will meet at their regularly scheduled time this week.
- Todas las clases se reunirán en su horario regular esta semana.

SYNOD 2021-2023

The listening sessions that we conducted here at IHM this spring were part of a broad consultation of the People of God in the Archdiocese of Atlanta, throughout the United States, and indeed around the world. Our parish report was submitted to the Archdiocese, where it was synthesized with dozens of other parish reports to produce a diocesan report. The various diocesan reports have now been compiled into regional syntheses and a national synthesis, just released this week. The next steps involve compiling the various national reports into a global document, or *instrumentum laboris*, in preparation for the Synod of Bishops to be held in Rome in October 2023.

The U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops calls the national synthesis “an invitation for the People of God to prayer, discernment, and dialogue about what the Holy Spirit is saying to the churches.” In order to continue this process of prayer, discernment, and dialogue here at IHM, we’ll be hosting a conversation later this fall about the various reports produced so far: local, diocesan, regional, and national. Check here for more details soon!

BECOMING CATHOLIC

Are you interested in becoming Catholic or learning more about the Catholic faith? Contact Drew Denton for more information.

SCRIPTURE STUDY

Each Thursday, Dr. Louanne Bachner leads an informative and prayerful discussion of the lectionary readings for the following Sunday. Scripture study is currently being offered on Zoom. Contact Dr. Bachner for instructions on how to join:
bachner@juno.com

SYNOD 2021-2023 U.S. DIOCESAN PHASE



30,000 Opportunities



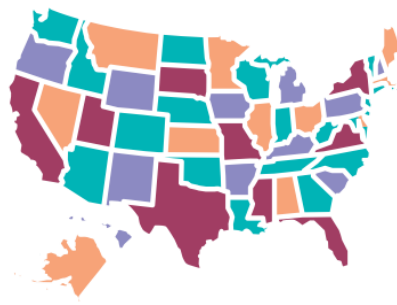
22,000 Reports



700,000 People



178 Latin Archdioceses



66.8 Million Catholics

178 Latin (Arch)Dioceses
18 Eastern Catholic (Arch)Eparchies

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YOUTH MINISTRY

PARENT DAY

We'll be hosting a Parent Day for our Youth Group on Sunday, Nov. 6th. This means that one parent (or both!) will be invited to attend a session. The parents will come at the regular time that their teen attends youth group (with their teen), and we will have a special session for both the parents and teens. We look forward to spending time with you all!

CHWC 2023

Where: Richmond, VA

When: June 18-23, 2023

Why: to grow in faith and relationship with Christ while getting to serve those in need as Christ's hands and feet, while making some great memories along the way!

Sign-ups are available now! Save your spot today! <https://ihmatlanta.org/chwc>



YOUTH GROUP

We look forward to seeing all of our teens this Sunday, October 23, Middle School teens at 10:00 a.m. - 11:20 a.m. in the Lower Level (Youth Lounge) and High School teens at 6:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. in the Lower Level (Youth Lounge)! See you soon!

STRONGER TOGETHER

The Youth Group is working on supporting other groups each month this year. This month our focus is on the Catholic Charity, "Box of Joy," who provide gifts to children suffering in poverty who otherwise would not get a gift. One great way you can help is by writing a \$9 check, made out to "Cross Catholic Outreach". Each box we make for a child needs a check in order for it to be shipped. Please drop checks off to Michele McPheely either at the Maloney Center M-F 9am-4pm or during youth group. Our deadline is Nov. 5. Thank you for your help!



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CONGRATULATIONS

We would like to recognize and celebrate two of our marvelous IHM men! At the recent Archdiocesan in-service, Mr. Bob Baldonado received a pin for his 30 years of dedicated service to IHM school. Mr. Jarvis Tiller was recognized as the Employee of the Year by his colleagues. Although Jarvis splits his time between the church and the school, no matter where you find him on campus, he always has a smile on his face and a desire to help! Congratulations, Bob and Jarvis!



BAUTISMOS

Los padres DEBEN registrarse antes en la oficina parroquial; en ese momento recibirán la fecha de la plática correspondiente y del bautismo. Al registrarse deben entregar copia del Acta de Nacimiento de la persona que va a ser bautizada.

CONFESIÓN Y UNCIÓN

Jueves de 6:00 p.m. - 6:45 p.m. en español, y en inglés los sábados a las 9:00 a.m. (Se requieren mascarillas, y se observa el distanciamiento social)

MATRIMONIOS

Llamar al Padre Robbie Cotta y hacer cita para hablar de los requisitos, por lo menos 6 meses antes de la fecha deseada.

QUINCEAÑERAS

Llamar a la parroquia por lo menos 6 meses antes de la fecha deseada

INICIACIÓN CRISTIANA PARA ADULTOS (RICA)

Si no eres católico (a) o si eres mayor de 18 años y no has recibido los sacramentos de Bautismo, Primera Comunión y Confirmación, te invitamos a aprender más acerca de nuestra fe. Comuníquese con Alicia Guerrero en la oficina parroquial.

TERAPIA PSICOLÓGICA

La Licenciada Marianela Matheus es una Terapeuta Certificada en Salud Mental en el Estado de Georgia y en Terapia de Juego a Nivel Nacional y proveerá sus Servicios para Adultos, parejas y Niños en la Iglesia. Si desea hacer una cita puede contactarla al 678-310-8122.

LECTURAS DEL DOMINGO

Siracides 35:12-14, 16-18
2 Timoteo 4:6-8, 16-18
Lucas 18:9-14

OFERTORIO SEMANAL

Octubre 15-16

Ofertorio :	\$	17.686,00
Ofertorio Electrónico:	\$	11.594,00
Ofertorio Total	\$	29.280,00
Reducción de Deuda	\$	2.697,00

NOVENA DEL DÍA DE LOS MUERTOS

Miércoles 2 de noviembre

Monseñor Al y Padre Robbie celebrarán una novena de misas por las intenciones de nuestros amados difuntos, empezando el Día de los Muertos, 2 de Noviembre. Si usted quiere participar en esta novena, envíe los nombres de sus difuntos en el formulario adjunto con sus sobres de ofertorio. Extras están disponibles en el nártex.

TRUNK OR TREAT (CAJUELA O TRUCO)

Viernes 28 de octubre

¡El Club de Mujeres y el Grupo de Hombres de IHM están felices de traer de vuelta una de las actividades de otoño favoritas de nuestra parroquia, Trunk or Treat! Únase a nosotros en el estacionamiento inferior el viernes, 28 de Octubre, de 6:00 PM a 8:00 PM. Trunk or Treat es una forma divertida de celebrar Halloween con nuestra parroquia. ¡Habrá dulce, juegos y comida! Para registrarse y obtener más información, visite <https://ihmatlanta.org/trunk-or-treat>

OFRENDA DEL DÍA DE MUERTOS

Como todos los años, estaremos edificando un altar con ofrendas a nuestros seres queridos que ya no están con nosotros; especialmente a los que fallecieron este año. Si te gustaría incluir a un ser querido en el altar de este año, por favor de proporcionar una ofrenda, foto o nombre completo antes del 25 de octubre. Para más información, por favor de comunicarse con Alicia Guerrero o David Nieto de nuestra oficina.

DONACIONES PARA LA FIESTA DE NUESTRA VIRGEN DE GUADALUPE

La fiesta de nuestra Virgen de Guadalupe tomara lugar el 11 y 12 de Diciembre. Como en todos los años, solicitamos la ayuda de nuestra comunidad para poder hacer esto posible. Este año pedimos ayuda con donaciones de tamales, chocolate caliente, champurrado, y pan dulce. Para más información, por favor de buscar nuestra mesa después de misa o llamar a Gabriela Pérez al 404-326-7303.

RETIRO JUVENIL

La Pastoral Juvenil de la Archidiócesis de Atlanta anuncia retiro para jóvenes entre 18 a 35 años. Este retiro tomara lugar el 18, 19, y 20 de noviembre en Temple, GA. Las puertas abren el viernes a partir de las 6:00 PM. Para más información ve el boletín en el nártex.

SEGUNDA COLECTA

La segunda colecta de este fin de semana es para las Misiones Mundiales de Latinoamérica y Europa.

La segunda colecta del próximo fin de semana será para el fondo de Reducción de Deuda de Nuestra Parroquia.