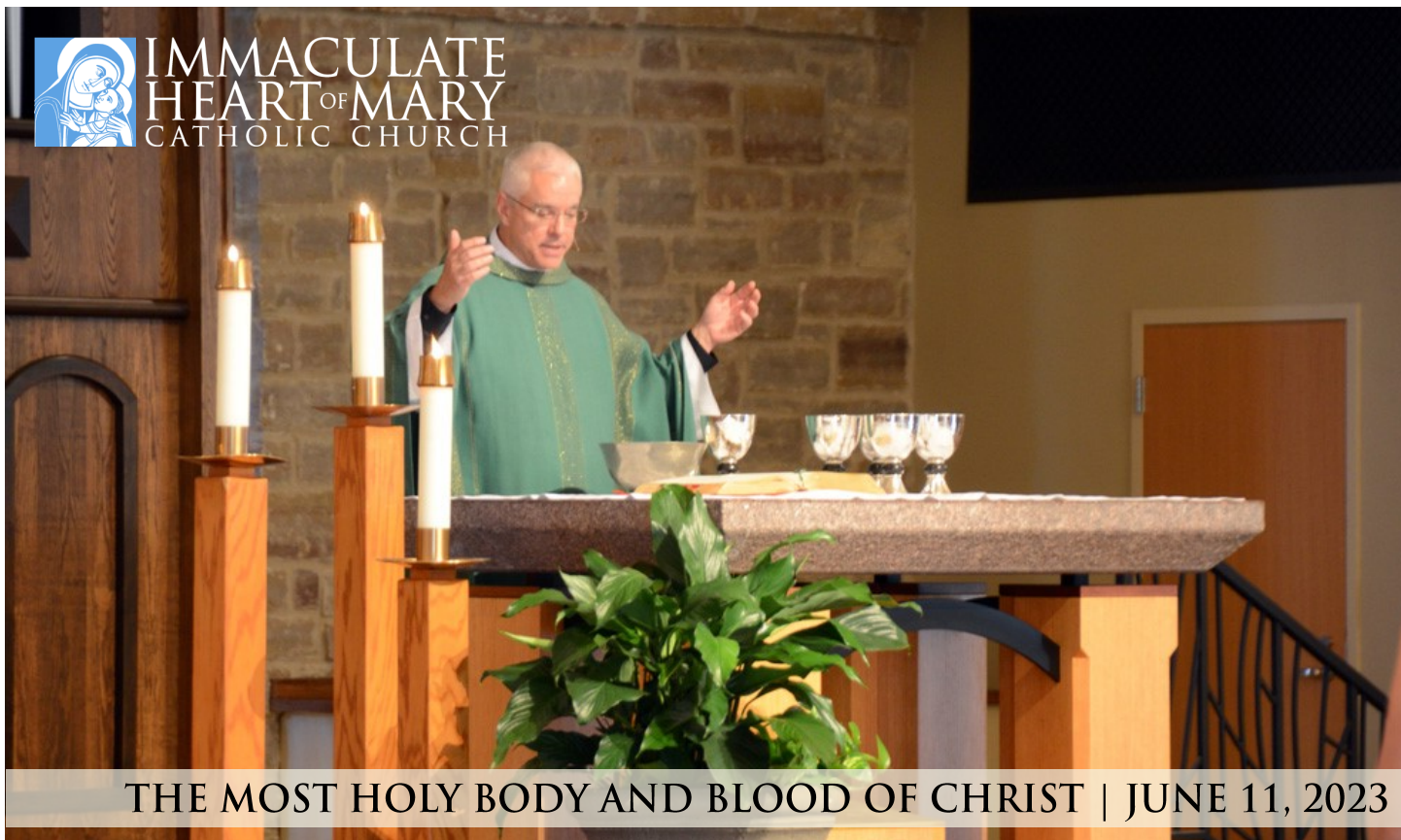




IMMACULATE  
HEART<sup>OF</sup>MARY  
CATHOLIC CHURCH



THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST | JUNE 11, 2023

“ What difference  
does it make  
if the bread and wine  
turn into the  
Body and Blood  
of Christ  
— if we don’t? ”

— Godfrey Diekmann, OSB  
1908-2002

## 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 5:30 p.m.

### Confesiones

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

Jueves 5:30 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.


### IHM School/Escuela de IHM


404-636-4488

### Website/Sitio Web

<http://www.ihmatlanta.org>

 [www.facebook.com/IHMatlanta](http://www.facebook.com/IHMatlanta)

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## SAFE ENVIRONMENT

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

## MASS INTENTIONS / INTENCIONES DE LA MISA

JUNE 11- JUNE 18

Saturday Vigil Masses are livestreamed at [www.ihmatlanta.org/livestream](http://www.ihmatlanta.org/livestream).

### Sunday, June 11

#### MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a; 1 Cor 10:16-17; Jn 6:51-58

#### Saturday, June 3 Vigil Masses:

4:00 p.m. Paul Skehan †

6:00 p.m. Luis Marciano Ramos †

#### Sunday, June 4 Masses:

9:00 a.m. All the people of the parish

11:30 a.m. Doris Valentino †

1:30 p.m. Lis Jimenez †

5:00 p.m. Zeljko Ferina and Ana Ferina †

### Monday, June 12

Weekday

2 Corinthians 1:1-7; Matthew 5:1-12

8:30 a.m. Fr. Robbie Cotta

### Tuesday, June 13

St. Anthony of Padua, priest and doctor

2 Corinthians 1:18-22; Matthew 5:13-16

8:30 a.m. Bill and Susan Smith

### Wednesday, June 14

Weekday

2 Corinthians 3:4-11; Matthew 5:17-19

8:30 a.m. Communion Service

### Thursday, June 15

Weekday

2 Corinthians 3:15-4:1,3-6; Matthew 5:20-26

8:30 a.m. Kathleen Prudhome

7:00 p.m. Jesús Fierro Calixto †

### Friday, June 16

#### The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

Deuteronomy 7:6-11; 1 John 4:7-16; Matthew 11:25-30

8:30 a.m. Cynthia Manning

### Saturday, June 17

Weekday

Isaiah 61:9-11; Luke 2:41-51

### Sunday, June 18

#### THE IMMACULATE HEART OF THE BLESSED

#### VIRGIN MARY

Isaiah 61:9-11; Romans 8:28-30; Luke 2:41-51

#### Saturday, June 17 Vigil Masses:

4:00 p.m. Fathers' Day Novena

6:00 p.m. Fathers' Day Novena

#### Sunday, June 18 Masses:

9:00 a.m. Fathers' Day Novena

11:30 a.m. Fathers' Day Novena

1:30 p.m. Fathers' Day Novena

5:00 p.m. Fathers' Day Novena

## PRAYERS/ORACIONES

**Please pray for our loved ones who have died:** Lucille Gifford, José Bonilla, Raymundo Lung, Jim Knuerr, Juan Butanda, Livia Mowiser, Rita Panayioti, Rafael Gonzalez, Fr. Tom Stegman, SJ, Richard Plachta, Joseph Lechowicz, Mark Sebacher, Paul Skehan, Betty Connell, Christine Burns, Donald Weber, Bob Andrews, Lorenzo Corripio, Arnold D'Amico, Phyllis Lewis, Pat Howard, Ben McGraw, Mark Jeffrey, and Virginia Krawiec.

**And please pray for the sick:** Mary Anne Shamatta, Holly Holz, Joan Whitcomb, Julian Moon, Sylvia Dominguez, Carmen Berenguer, Paul Galvin, Julie Coleman, Oscar Ramirez Jr., Marion Conzelmann, Miceli de la O, Georgina Corripio, Charleigh Strickland, Suzanne Wassel, Luisa Fernanda Vazquez, Michael Somer, Ann Marie Wickson, and Mary Edwards.

# Fulfilling the PROMISE!

WE RECEIVED

101

additional pledges last weekend in our campaign to raise \$3 million for the renovation of our historic church into a parish hall that will serve IHM for generations! That is tremendous progress! Thank you!

**FUNDS RAISED NOW** will be combined with the approximately \$500,000 raised over the years through the *Finish in Faith* campaign, which have been held in reserve for this project.

**IF YOU HAVEN'T ALREADY DONE SO**, please think and pray about a gift to *Fulfilling the Promise* that is right and meaningful for you, and return a pledge form this week by mail or by placing it in the collection basket at Mass. This will help ensure that we can move forward soon to begin construction. Pledge forms are available in the church narthex and at the parish office. Or call the parish office and ask that pledge materials be mailed to you.

**THANK YOU** for your good stewardship of IHM!

## ELECTRONIC GIVING

Electronic giving can help you support your parish when you are traveling or homebound. If you are not presently using a form of electronic giving, please contact your bank or visit our parish website for more information.

## 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.



## OFFERTORY

### June 3 & 4

Offertory	\$ 9,494.00
Electronic Offertory	\$ 18,057.00
<b>Total Offertory</b>	<b>\$ 27,551.00</b>

## SECOND COLLECTIONS

This weekend's second collection is for our parish St. Vincent de Paul Society.

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

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## AROUND THE PARISH

### FAREWELL, FATHER AL!

**June 25**

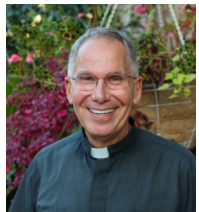
Father Al retires for reasons of health on June 30, and he is throwing an ice cream social to say goodbye! Join us on Sunday, June 25, 2:30

-4:30 p.m., in the historic church to send Father Al to his retirement with our gratitude and affection.



### WELCOME, FATHER FRED!

**July 1-2**



Father Alfred "Fred" Wendel returns to IHM as our pastor on July 1.

Father Fred was born in Seattle, but graduated from Clarkston High School in Stone Mountain. He attended the University of Georgia and Georgia State University. In his early 20s he served in

the US Army and was stationed in Germany.

Father Fred was ordained to the priesthood in 1978 in Cheyenne, Wyoming and served numerous parishes in Wyoming and in the Archdiocese of Atlanta. He was IHM's pastor from 1998 to 2002. In 2008 he returned to active duty as an Army chaplain. He most recently served as director of the UGA Catholic Center in 2020-21.

Father Fred enjoys working out, racquetball, long distance cycling, playing piano, traveling and building things with Legos!

Join us for a welcome reception in his honor following each Mass on July 1-2 in the church lower level.

## TACO SALE after every Mass



All proceeds will benefit the renovation of the parish hall

**OUR PARISH HISPANIC MINISTRIES** will sell tacos following all Masses on Father's Day weekend to raise funds for the renovation of the historic church. Plan now to enjoy the good food for a great cause!

### SABBATH FILM SCREENING

**June 21**

Join us in the church lower level on June 21 from 6:30-9:00 p.m. for the new 2-hour documentary film *SABBATH*. Told as a collection of short stories, *SABBATH* explores the history of one of the world's most important spiritual practices and its timeless relevance for a stressed-out, modern world.

### FATHERS' DAY NOVENA

Monsignor Al and Father Robbie will offer a novena of Masses for the intentions of our fathers, living and deceased, beginning this weekend on Father's Day. If you would like to participate in this novena, please submit your father's name on the form enclosed with your June church envelope. Extras are available in the church narthex.

### MUSTARD SEED MISSION TRIP

Help support our Mustard Seed mission team that is traveling next month to the Dominican Republic. Check out Mustard Seed's wish list on Amazon. Purchased items will ship to our team leader and then be brought to the DR with the group.

If you wish to make a monetary donation, checkout the second QR code. A gift - of any size - will help improve the care and life of many residents who have a range of disabilities.



## AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

### RETREAT FOR HIGH SCHOOL MEN

**June 16-18**

*Quo Vadis, Where are you going?* is a discernment retreat for high school men sponsored by the Office of Vocations July 16-18 at Camp Gideon in Acworth, GA. The retreat is open to rising 10th graders through recently graduated seniors who are open to considering God's call for their lives. For more information, contact the Office of Vocations at 404-920-7460 or [vocationsatl@archatl.com](mailto:vocationsatl@archatl.com).

## FAITH FORMATION

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### FAITH FORMATION 2023 –2024

Enrollment for next year's Faith Formation program  
is open through July 31!

Visit <https://www.ihmatlanta.org/faith-formation-standard-enrollment-2023>

or scan the QR code below

to enroll your children, grades K-12, in our Sunday School  
and Youth Ministry programs for the next school year.



### 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](mailto:bachner@juno.com)

### GETTING TO KNOW OUR FAITH FORMATION PROGRAMS

**GROWING IN FAITH TOGETHER (GIFT):** our parish Sunday school for elementary-age children, supports parents in their effort to fulfill the promise they made at their child's baptism: "to bring him/her up to keep God's commandments as Christ taught us, by loving God and our neighbor." We seek to help parents pass the Catholic faith on to their children and make it come alive in their everyday life. Classes take place in the IHM Elementary School building on Sunday mornings, 10:15-11:15 a.m., during the school year. All classes are taught in English, using the bilingual Finding God curriculum from Loyola Press.

**EDGE:** a program designed for 6th-8th graders to teach them how they were created to be in Christ and helps them understand their mission. Edge meets in the youth lounge (lower level of the church) on Sunday mornings, 10:15-11:15 a.m., throughout the school year.

**LIFE TEEN:** a program designed for 9th-12th graders. Its mission is to lead teenagers and their families closer to Christ. Life Teen will strengthen our teens' Catholic identity, while rooting them firmly in Christ and in His Church. This group meets in the youth lounge on Sunday evenings from 6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. during the school year.

### THE RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA)

If you are interested in learning more about the Catholic faith, or possibly becoming Catholic, a new class of adult inquirers will be forming at IHM this summer. There are no expectations or commitments at the beginning of this process—everyone is welcome to attend and learn more. Email Drew Denton to be added to the contact list for this year's group: [ddenton@ihmatlanta.org](mailto:ddenton@ihmatlanta.org).

## YOUTH MINISTRY

### YOUTH GROUP

Look for registration for next school year's youth group programming (including confirmation registration), which is live on the church website now! You can find it at this link: [ihmatlanta.org/faith-formation-standard-enrollment-2023](http://ihmatlanta.org/faith-formation-standard-enrollment-2023)

### MASS IN HONOR OF GRADUATING SENIORS

It was our honor to celebrate the milestone of high school graduation for our IHM parishioners. Look for photos online under the youth ministry tab.

### CONFIRMATION

Congratulations to all our newly confirmed! What a beautiful Mass it was. Please go to the parish website to see all the pictures (under tab "Youth Ministry" then "Pictures"). For anyone hoping to receive the sacrament next year, please go ahead and register on the parish website.

### CHWC - CATHOLIC HEART WORK CAMP 2023

Pray for our teens who are going on mission June 18-23!

### VBS

Teens are wanted and needed to help host VBS at the parish this summer! June 26-30, please go to this link for more information: [ihmatlanta.org/vbs](http://ihmatlanta.org/vbs)

20/20/20

Parents, our last meeting for this school year was Wednesday, May 17. Please think about joining us next school year on Wednesday mornings at 8:00 a.m.



I am the living bread that came down from heaven;  
whoever eats this bread will live forever;  
and the bread that I will give  
is my flesh for the life of the world.

— John 6:51

## IHM SCHOOL

2-Time National Blue Ribbon School of Excellence • [www.ihmschool.org](http://www.ihmschool.org)



## SCHOOL'S OUT FOR SUMMER!

Congratulations to all our students on the completion of another successful year at IHM School! While the students and teachers may be out of the building for a break, we are still fast at work on the campus.



### SUMMER HOUR FOR THE OFFICE ARE:

Monday-Thursday, 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.  
(closed the week of July 3-7)

### SUMMER HOURS FOR THE LIBRARY ARE:

Monday-Thursday, June 5-July 20, 9:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.  
(closed the week of July 3-7)

COME JOIN IN THE SUMMER READING PROGRAM,  
"READING AROUND THE WORLD"





11 DE JUNIO DE 2023

SOLEMNIDAD DEL CUERPO Y LA SANGRE DE CRISTO

## 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 5:30 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

Deuteronomio 8:2-3,14b-16a  
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Juan 6:51-58

## OFERTORIO SEMANAL

3-4 de junio

Ofertorio:	\$ 9,494.00
Ofertorio Electrónico:	\$ 18,057.00
<b>Ofertorio Total</b>	<b>\$ 27,551.00</b>



## VENTA DE TACOS PARA RECAUDACION DE FONDOS

Los ministerios hispanos de nuestra parroquia venderán tacos y otros antojitos mexicanos después de todas las Misas el fin de semana del Día del Padre para recaudar fondos para la renovación de la iglesia histórica. Planifique ahora para disfrutar de la buena comida para una gran causa!

Si desea ayudar como voluntario o con alguna donación, por favor de comunicarse con David Nieto al (404) 636-1418.

## ¡ADIÓS, MONSEÑOR AL!

25 de junio

El Padre Al se jubila por razones de salud el 30 de junio, y está organizando una fiesta de helados para despedirse. Acompáñanos el domingo 25 de junio, de 2:30 a 4:30 p.m., en la histórica iglesia para enviar al Padre Al a su jubilación con nuestra gratitud y afecto.



## ¡BIENVENIDO, PADRE FRED!

1-2 de julio



El Padre Alfred "Fred" Wendel regresa a Inmaculado Corazón de María como nuestro párroco el 1 de julio.

Padre Fred nació en Seattle, pero se graduó de Clarkston High School en Stone Mountain. Asistió a la University of Georgia y a Georgia State University. A los 20 años sirvió en el ejército de los Estados Unidos y estuvo estacionado en Alemania.

Padre Fred fue ordenado sacerdote en 1978 en Cheyenne, Wyoming y sirvió en numerosas parroquias en Wyoming y en la Arquidiócesis de Atlanta. Fue pastor aquí de 1998 a 2002. En 2008 regresó al servicio activo como capellán del Ejército. Recientemente se desempeñó como director del Centro Católico UGA en 2020-21.

Acompáñanos para una recepción de bienvenida en su honor después de cada misa el 1 y 2 de julio en el nivel inferior de la iglesia.

## SEGUNDA COLECTA

La segunda colecta de este fin de semana es para la Sociedad de San Vicente de Paul de nuestra parroquia.

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