

THE IMMACULATE HEART OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY PARISH

June 23, 2024 • Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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OFFICE HOURS

St. Mary, Groveport Church By appointment

St. John XXIII CW Church

Monday: Closed Tuesday-Thursday: 9:00 am-4:30 pm Wednesdays: Closed between 11:30 am-1:00 pm Fridays: 9:30 am-4:30 pm Sunday: 9:00 am-12:45 pm

MASS SCHEDULE

Weekend Mass

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Saturday	4:00 pm	St. Mary Groveport
Sunday	8:00 am	St. Mary Groveport
	9:45 am, 11:15 am	SJXXIII CW
Weekday Ma	ass	
Monday	8:30 am	SJXXIII CW
Tuesday	6:00 pm	SJXXIII CW
Wednesda	ay 12:00 pm	St. Mary Groveport
Thursday	8:30 am	SJXXIII CW
Friday	8:30 am	St. Mary Groveport

Holy Days of Obligation will be listed in the bulletin, as they occur.

SAINT MARY CATHOLIC CHURCH 5684 Groveport Road,

Groveport, Ohio 43125

SAINT JOHN XXIII CATHOLIC CHURCH 5170 Winchester Southern Road NW Canal Winchester, Ohio 43110

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MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, June 23

12th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. Repose of the Soul of Linus Osterloh by Marvin & Karen Eilerman

Mass at St. Mary Church

9:45 a.m. Repose of the Souls of the Deceased Members of the Noble Family by the Noble Family *Mass at St. John XXIII Church*

11:15 a.m. For the Intentions of the People of The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish

Mass at St. John XXIII Church

Monday, June 24

8:30 a.m. Repose of the Soul of Trish Farren by Carol Groom *Mass at St. John XXIII Church*

Tuesday, June 25

8:30 a.m. Repose of the Soul of Allen Coffin by the Leonard SistersMass at St. John XXIII Church

Wednesday, June 26

8:30 a.m. Repose of Linus Osterloh by Joan & Phil Buehler *Mass at St. Mary Church*

Thursday, June 27

8:30 a.m. For the Living & Deceased Members of the Paulus Family by Tom & Jeanne Paulus *Mass at St. John XXIII Church*

Friday, June 28

8:30 a.m. Repose of the Soul of Chris Craycraft by Lissie Scherer, Larry & Eric Felts

Mass at St. Mary Church

Saturday, June 29

4:00 p.m. For the Intentions of the People of The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish

Mass at St. Mary Church

Sunday, June 30

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. Repose of the Soul of Jennifer Richards by Tom Richards

Mass at St. Mary Church

9:45 a.m. Repose of the Souls of the Deceased Members of the Noble Family by the Noble Family

Mass at St. John XXIII Church

11:15 a.m. Repose of the Soul of Amy Allen by Ed & Barbara AndersonMass at St. John XXIII Church

COLLECT

[Foundation of God's Love]

Grant, O Lord, That we may always revere and love Your holy name, for You never deprive of Your guidance those You set firm on the foundation of Your love. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son, who lives and reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever. Amen.

PARISH INFORMATION

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RECONCILIATION

St. John XXIII – Tuesdays, 5:30-6:00 p.m.; Wednesdays, 6:00-7:00 p.m. or by appointment.

St. Mary, Groveport - Saturday, 3:00 p.m. or by appointment.

BAPTISMS, WEDDINGS Contact Fr. O'Connor

SACRAMENTAL EMERGENCIES ONLY

Please call Father at 614-920-1563, ext. 102.

SACRAMENTAL EMERGENCY LINE UPDATE

We are pleased to share our improved Sacramental Emergency Line. Call the Parish Office at **614-920-1563** and if we are closed, or on another call, **the greeting will prompt you to dial 102** to be directed to the sacramental emergency line directly. If you call during regular business hours, Heather is always able to get in touch with Father O'Connor for sacramental emergencies. If the office is closed, the greeting will prompt you to dial 102 for sacramental emergencies and your call will go directly to Father O'Connor. He will receive your message if he is unable to answer your call immediately. We hope you find this to be an improved process!

BAPTISMS

Baptismal Preparation is needed if you are expecting or have had your first child. Also, if you need to schedule your child's Baptism, please call the Parish Office at 614-920-1563 or email the Parish Office at office@sjxxiiiparish.org for details. Baptisms can be scheduled following the 11:15 a.m. Mass for the second, third and fourth Sundays of the month.

Welcome to the Family: Reagan Louise Goodyear

MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA - EVERY MONDAY

Every Monday, we will have the opportunity to gather and recite the Miraculous Medal Novena after daily Mass.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT WEEKLY HOLY HOUR

Eucharistic Adoration is offered every Wednesday at 6:00 p.m. for one hour at St. John XXIII.

Fr. O'Connor is available for Confessions during this hour. Please know that you may come for the full hour or a brief period of time to pray before our Lord Jesus Christ. All are welcome! Please join us as we continue to grow as a parish who prays together. Please come when you can and leave when you must. It is so wonderful to sit and pray, talking and listening to Jesus.

Again, you can come for a few minutes or stay for the full hour. All are welcome! Please join us as we continue to grow as a parish who prays together. "The Holy Eucharist is the perfect expression of the love of Jesus Christ for man."

- St. Maria Goretti

WEDNESDAYS FAMILY ROSARY

Next Family Rosary will be **Wednesday**, **July 3rd**. We gather to say a Rosary at 5:30 p.m. every other week. Families and all parishioners are welcome. We look forward to seeing you there.

UPCOMING PARISH MEETINGS/EVENTS

WEEK of June 23, 2024	MASS & EVENT TIMES
Sunday, June 23, 2024 12th Sunday of Ordinary Time	8:00 a.m. – Mass at St. Mary Church 9:45 a.m. – Mass at SJXXIII Church 11:15 a.m. – Mass at SJXXIII Church Parish Office Closed
Monday, June 24, 2024	 8:30 a.m. – Mass at St. John XXIII Church 9:00 a.m. – Miraculous Medal Novena 12:00 – 6:00 p.m. – Blood Drive at St. Mary Church 7:00 p.m. – Choir Rehearsal
Tuesday, June 25, 2024	5:30 p.m. – Confessions at SJXXIII Church 6:00 p.m. – Mass at SJXXIII Church Parish Office Closed All Day
Wednesday, June 26, 2024	 12:00 p.m. – Mass at St. Mary Church 6:00 p.m. – Family Holy Hour & Confessions at SJXXIII Church Parish Office Closed All Day
Thursday, June 27, 2024	8:30 a.m. – Mass at SJXXIII 11:00 a.m. – Women's Ministry at SJXXIII Church Parish Office Closed All Day
Friday, June 28, 2024	8:30 a.m. – Mass at St. Mary Church 8:00 p.m. – Praying with Fire Men's Minstry Parish Office Closed All Day
Saturday, June 29, 2024	3:00 p.m. – Confessions at St. Mary Church 4:00 p.m. – Mass at St. Mary Church
Sunday, June 30, 2024 13th Sunday of Ordinary Time	8:00 a.m. – Mass at St. Mary Church 9:45 a.m. – Mass at SJXXIII Church 11:15 a.m. – Mass at SJXXIII Church

2024 ALTAR FLOWERS AT ST. MARY

There are many dates available if you would like to remember or honor loved ones with altar flowers. The sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board. Please note the price increase for the flower arrangements that started January 1, 2024. Make sure you write your name and phone number along with the intention of the flowers on the sheet.

THANK YOU



We want to extend a heartfelt thank-you to everyone who helped with the Totus Tuus program. Your participation and support helped to make the week a memorable and engaging faith experience for our young people. This would not be possible without all the help from so many people. We are blessed at our parish. We had a great group of volunteers who assisted with the daily group activities. Our missionaries were impressed by the generous hospitality of their hosts for the week and all the delicious food for lunch and dinner! We are grateful to all!

SECOND BREAKFAST CLUB: A CATHOLIC FICTION BOOK GROUP

Join Father O'Connor and other parishioners in a study of Catholic fiction. The book group will meet on the second and fourth Saturdays of each month in the lower level of St. John XXIII. We will begin with *The Lord of the Rings* trilogy (April-June), then continue to read together additional works of Catholic fiction throughout the coming year. We will also discuss the consumption of media and how this affects our lives as Catholics. You do not have to come to every meeting to participate. Come when you can. The next meeting will be **July 13th.** We look forward to meeting together soon!

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION FOR THE HOMEBOUND NEEDED

We have a need in our parish for the Holy Eucharist to be taken to those who are homebound or in a nursing home. For many years, Deacon Roger Pry visited some of these individuals on Monday every week, even after he retired in 2022. He is stepping down from this role and we are in need of people to fill this role. We also have parishioners that will provide Communion to those who are in our local nursing or rehab facilities. We would love to add to this ministry as well. If you are interested in helping with this ministry, please connect with Heather in the Parish Office at 614-920-1563 or email office@ihbvm.org.

BLOOD DRIVE JUNE 24TH - PLEASE SIGN UP

Blood drive at St. Mary, Groveport Church will be on Monday, June 24th from 12:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Please connect with JoEllen Stebleton if you have any questions.

PRAYING WITH FIRE – ALL MEN OF THE PARISH ARE INVITED

Calling all men! Do you want to grow deeper in your understanding of our Catholic faith? Do you have questions about our beliefs and traditions? Have you ever wondered how you can actively put your faith into practice every day? This Summer, join us to start discovering the answers to some of these questions around the campfire!

We will be hosting a series of fireside reflections that incorporate theological lessons and discussions to help men learn and grow deeper in their understanding of our faith. These sessions will also help bring clarity to how you can put your faith into action every day.

When: Friday, June 28, 2024 at 8:00 p.m. Where: St. John XXIII Outdoor Pavilion Agenda:

- 1. Welcome and Introductions
- 2. Fellowship
- 3. Evening Prayer (Liturgy of the Hours)
- 4. Reflection/Lecture on topics of our faith
- 5. Q&A and Open Discussion
- 6. Wrap-up

This event is open to all men so bring a friend! If you have any questions or would like to know more, please contact Andrew Ortiz at andrew@agortiz.com or 614-286-2405. Hosted by Knights of Columbus Council 16561.

DONUT SUNDAYS

We will take the summer off from Donut Sundays. We will not have donuts following Sunday Mass at SJXIII for the months of June and July.



WORLD'S LARGEST DIAPER DRIVE 2024 HAS ENDED

FINAL NUMBERS ARE IN! We are excited to share that our parish was one of the last collected and we helped push the total over 1,000,000 diapers! Until our diapers, they were hoovering just under the goal and our donation of 2,161 added up to be enough to bring the total over one million! THANK YOU, IMMACULATE HEART PARISH!



WOMEN'S MINISTRY

Please join us! All women of St. Mary and St. John XXIII are encouraged to join this wonderful group of faith-filled ladies! We began an eight-week study of Catholic Mystics on Thursday, June 6th. Dominique Alban will be leading that study. There will be no homework and ladies may attend any of the weeks that they are available. There will not be any books that the ladies need to buy. The meetings will take place at SJXXIII in the lower level at 11:00 a.m. Please contact Karen Self if you have any questions. Karen's number is 614-209-6299 or email karenself@aol.com.

DO YOU HAVE A GREEN THUMB?

If you have an interest in gardening and would like to use your talents to help establish a community garden here at the campus of SJXXIII, we would like to talk with you! We would also like anyone who would like to help keep the flower beds on the grounds weedfree and tidy. If you are interested, please join the Gardening group in Flocknote.

SANDWICH SATURDAY

Sandwich Saturday here at St. John XXIII has been going strong for over 15 years. The sandwiches we make are delivered to St. Lawrence Haven in downtown Columbus to feed the homeless. This wonderful ministry here at St. John XXIII has had so many of our volunteers return for the joy of helping others. All are welcome to come at 8:00 a.m. Saturday morning, **July 20, 2024**, to do as Christ asks us to do: Take care of our brothers and sisters.

DID YOU KNOW? KROGER REWARDS CAN HELP US!

Do you shop at Kroger? If so, you can join the Kroger Community Rewards Program and earn money for our Parish without incurring any additional cost on your part. Here are the steps to sign up for the Kroger Community Rewards:

- 1. Get a Kroger Plus Card if you don't already have one. If you do not yet have a Kroger Plus card, they are **available at the customer service desk at any Kroger**. Click on Sign In/Register. If you are a new online customer, click on SIGN UP TODAY in the *New Customer*? box.
- 2. Go to kroger.com
- 3. Click on the person icon in the upper right hand
- 4. Go into "My Account" and scroll down to the community rewards tab
- Once there, scroll down to sign up for Pope John XXIII Parish #NR343.

Once you are enrolled, Kroger will donate a small percentage of the total cost of your purchase to our Church. The next time you shop at Kroger, look at the bottom of your receipt and it will indicate that they are contributing to the Church.



THE APPEAL 2024

The Appeal 2024 has officially launched. Thank you to all who have already pledged and especially those who have already paid their balance! We are off to a wonderful start. As of May 31st, we have 39% of our goal in pledges and just under 24% of our goal paid. If you have yet to make your pledge, you still have time. All monies received over the goal of \$74,748.35 will be returned to our parish.

There are Appeal 2024 envelopes in the Narthex if you would like to make your pledge and payment. Last year, both parishes were successful in reaching the set goal for each location. Let's make this a phenomenal first year for The Appeal under our new parish of The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

We believe we can surpass the goal of \$74,748.35. As in years past, anything over the goal we collect will be returned to the parish to use for parish needs. Let's make The Appeal 2024 another year of success!

THE ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION (O.C.I.A.)

Is an educational and spiritual program developed to engage and instruct non-Catholics who may want to join the Catholic Church AND Catholics who are interested in learning more about or returning to the Catholic faith. O.C.I.A. acts as the compass for individuals who would like to come into full communion with the Catholic Church. If you would like to learn more, call the Parish Office at 614-920-1563.



OUR GIFT TO YOU -FREE ACCESS TO FORMED.ORG

As has been tradition here at St. John XXIII Parish, we renewed our subscription to Formed.org for 2024. Please take advantage of the multitude

of resources available to you through this site. There are videos for individuals, families, couples, sacraments, children, life as a Catholic, etc. We purchase this for YOU, our parish family, to be able to grow even more like Christ. Just go to the site Formed.org and select "Sign Up" on the top of the page. In the box, type in St. John XXIII. Make sure you choose the one with our parish address. This will give you free access.

HELP WANTED - DEADLINE APPROACHING:

Want to help someone? Stephen Ministry (SM) may be your answer. Qualifications: two listening ears and one caring heart. SM is a lay Christian confidential ministry based on Acts Chapter 6, where St. Stephen was asked by the Apostles to minister to those in need so they could continue to travel the world and preach. In ministering to those who are hurting (from the loss of a loved one, divorce, loss of a job, etc.) you walk alongside them by listening, praying for and with them, providing encouragement and support. It is not counseling. The Stephen Minister is the Caregiver and God is the Curegiver. In our world, there are plenty of people hurting, so there is a great need for compassionate listeners. A new training class is starting August 13th. A few of your fellow parishioners have already signed up for the class. The application deadline is **July 19th.** If you have any questions or would like to sign up, please contact Steve Mustard at 614-226-0525.

AROUND THE DIOCESE

A CATHOLIC EDUCATION IS NOW MORE AFFORDABLE, THANKS TO EDCHOICE!

The Ohio EdChoice Expansion Scholarship program now offers ALL Ohio students the opportunity for a scholarship to attend a Catholic school!

With the EdChoice Expansion Scholarship, a family of four making \$140,400.00 per year or less is eligible for a full scholarship for each child in the amount of \$6,166.00 (K-8) and \$8,408.00 (grades 9-12). Families above that income level are eligible for scholarships awarded on a sliding scale based on income and household size, with no less than \$650.00 awarded per child.

Visit **ohiocathconf.org/edchoice** to learn how EdChoice scholarships can help you send your child to a Catholic school

near you. Applications are now open for the 2024-2025 school year!

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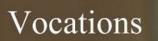
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TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

CATHOLIC SCHOOL SENIOR SPOTLIGHTS

Listen to St. Gabriel Catholic Radio, AM 820, to hear Catholic School Senior Spotlights! These identification messages highlight graduating senior leadership roles and university acceptances! These recordings will run until August 2nd, 2024, at the top of each hour between 7:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. each day.

Monday – St. Charles Preparatory Tuesday – St. Francis DeSales High School Wednesday – Bishop Watterson High School Thursday – Bishop Ready High School Friday – Bishop Hartley High School Saturday – Newark Catholic High School Sunday – Fisher Catholic High School Daily at 2:59 p.m. – Cristo Rey



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QUO VADIS VOCATION DISCERNMENT CAMP

Quo Vadis is a vocations discernment camp led by priests and seminarians of the Diocese of Columbus and is supported by the diocesan Office of Vocations.

When: July 28-31, 2024

Who: Young men entering Grades 9-12

Where: The Pontifical College Josephinum, 7625 N. High Street, Columbus Cost: \$50.00 – Scholarships available.

Registration Deadline: July 19. To register or for more information, visit https://www.vocationscolumbus.org/quovadis or email columbusquovadis@gmail.com.



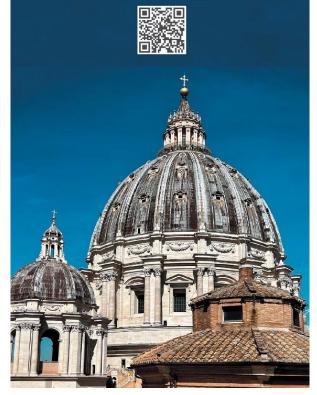
STAY INFORMED ON OHIO LEGISLATION FROM THE CATHOLIC CONFERENCE OF OHIO (CCO)

The Conference works on behalf of the Ohio bishops as an official voice of the Catholic Church in Ohio, primarily in public policy matters. At the end of each month, they send a newsletter summarizing key legislation, action alerts, and relevant information that empowers Catholics across the state to uphold the Church's beliefs and values. Sign up to receive important updates on legislation and help inform your parishioners to engage as Faithful Citizens. Visit https://www.votervoice.net/OHCATHOLIC/Register.

A 9-Day Pilgrimage to ROME & SIENA

for Josephinum Friends & Alumni October 9-17, 2024

Father Jeffrey Rimelspach '79, Chaplain Register at stcharlespilgrimages.com/pcj-rome



PILGRIMAGE TO ROME AND SIENA INFORMATION Josephinum Pilgrimage to Rome and Siena

All Pontifical College Josephinum friends and alumni are invited to make a special faith-filled journey to the Eternal City and the birthplace of Saint Catherine! Join alumnus Father Jeffrey Rimelspach '79, Chaplain, for a Pilgrimage to Rome and Siena on October 9-17, 2024. Highlights include lodging near the Vatican; daily Mass and spiritual guidance; visits to many churches and basilicas; private tours of the Vatican's Necropolis, Vatican Museums, and Sistine Chapel; Sunday Mass in Saint Peter's Basilica; Angelus with Pope Francis in Saint Peter's Square; a day trip to Siena; front row seats for a papal audience; and free time to explore independently. **Registration open through July 1**. Complete information and online registration at stcharlespilgrimages.com/pcj-rome

SUMMER SACRED MUSIC CONFERENCE:

Cincinnati, July 24-26

Splendor and Majesty Are Before Him: The Power of Musical Worship The Sacred Music Institute (SMI) at Mount St. Mary's Seminary & School of Theology (MTSM) is again offering a three-day conference for priests and church musicians. The 2024 theme is "Splendor and Majesty Are Before Him: The Power of Musical Worship." The conference begins on Wednesday, July 24 and goes through lunch on Friday, July 26, 2024, at Mount St. Mary's Seminary. Lodging at the Seminary is available. For more information and registration, please visit https://www.athenaeum.edu/july-24-26-sacredmusic-institute-conference-the-power-of-musical-worship/#july-24-26sacred-music-institute-conference-the-power-of-musical-worship.

Be There When God Moves

July 17–21, 2024, tens of thousands of passionate Catholics will experience an outpouring of grace on a scale this generation has never seen. This historic moment is called the 10th National Eucharistic Congress. Catholics from every corner of the U.S. will be in Indianapolis for this transformative gathering, and YOU are invited to represent our parish at this pivotal moment!

Whether you join us for the full experience or one day, you'll enjoy worldclass teaching from some of the most trusted Catholic voices in the United States. Come encounter and worship Jesus in a new way, and be anointed to share those graces with our community when you return home.

More than ever, you will be proud to be Catholic and excited about the future of the Church in America.



Scan the code to learn more about the event and explore the full schedule for each day. Contact our parish office for more information about registering with your fellow parishioners.

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JULY 17-21, 2024 | INDIANAPOLIS, IN

NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL

Scandal, division, disease and doubt. The Church has withstood each of these throughout our very human history. But today, we confront all of them, all at once. In the midst of these roaring waves, Jesus is present, reminding us that He is more powerful than the storm. He desires to heal, renew and unify the Church and the world. We NEED Jesus. *The Holy Spirit is inviting us to return to the source and summit of our faith – the Eucharist. The National Eucharistic Revival seeks to restore understanding and devotion to this great mystery by helping us renew our worship of Jesus Christ in the Eucharist. Visit eucharisticrevival.org.*

PDHC NEEDS - URGENT

The Lancaster Center is experiencing some HIGH NEEDS, especially for baby equipment. If you would like to donate, please visit the Amazon link at https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/2Z7BD917Z2JSG?ref_=wl_share. You can also choose an option for these items to be shipped to the Center at no charge.

If not purchasing from Amazon, the following are HIGH NEED items: infant body carriers, baby monitors, strollers, diaper bags, Tummy Time play mats, highchairs, baby swings, and baby bouncers (we also accept *gently used of these items*).

As we navigate our cultural challenges this year, hold close to His promises: "And the One who was sitting upon the throne, said, 'Behold, I make all things new.' And he said to me, 'Write, for these words are entirely faithful and true."" ~ Revelation 21:5.



It's not too late to join us on the pilgrimage of a lifetime. Space is limited!

National Eucharistic Congress

July 17-21, 2024 Indianapolis, IN

\$785 includes:

5-day conference pass, hotel, breakfast, bus transportation from Columbus to Indianapolis, and daily transportation from hotel to conference.



For more information or to register, visit St. Joan of Arc's website or follow the QR code.



For questions, contact Jen Whitsett jwhitsett@stjoanofarcpowell.org

NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS TICKETS AVAILABLE

The National Eucharistic Congress is a five-day, four-night event in Indianapolis, IN from July 17 to July 21, 2024. Thanks to the Diocese securing a limited number of discounted tickets, St. John Neumann can offer these savings directly to you! Don't miss out on this incredible opportunity to participate in this enriching gathering. (St. John Neumann/St. Joan of Arc) "For I am convinced that neither death nor life, neither angels nor demons, neither the present nor the future, nor any powers, neither height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God that is in Christ Jesus our Lord." Romans 8:38-39

TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

PLENARY INDULGENCES

The Dominican Order is currently celebrating a Triple Jubilee in honor of St. Thomas Aquinas, remembering the 700th Anniversary of his canonization (which was celebrated in July 2023), the 750th Anniversary of his death (which was celebrated on March 7, 2024), and the 800th Anniversary of his birth (which will be celebrated in 2025). In honor of these anniversaries, the Apostolic Penitentiary grants a Plenary Indulgence to those who make a pilgrimage to a holy place connected with the Dominican Order, and there devoutly take part in the jubilee ceremonies, or at least devote a suitable time to pious recollection, concluding with the Lord's Prayer, the Creed, and invocations of the Blessed Virgin Mary and of Saint Thomas Aquinas. Any church, shrine, or chapel currently entrusted to the Dominican Order can meet the requirements for the pilgrimage. In the Diocese of Columbus, St. Patrick Church in Columbus, St. Joseph Church in Somerset, and Holy Trinity Church in Somerset are entrusted to the Dominican Friars. The Plenary Indulgence may be obtained until January 28, 2025 under the usual conditions of Sacramental Confession, 20 days before or after the indulgenced act, reception of Holy Communion, prayers for the Intentions of the Holy Father, and complete detachment from sin, including venial sin. For more information, visit https://www.op.org/rescript-of-the-apostolicpenitentiary-with-translation/.



JOIN OUR FLOCK - NEW GROUPS HAVE BEEN ADDED

What is Flocknote? A communication tool that we hope will provide our parish a wonderful way to help you grow your faith and be aware of the different events and opportunities we provide here at The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary in addition to the weekly bulletin. Our monthly newsletter will have faith formation content emailed to you via our Flocknote Newsletter, to help you and your family grow in your relationship with Jesus Christ. There are several groups you can join as well to receive information about specific groups straight to your email or text! Please join us! If you would like additional information, please email office@ihbvm.org. If you need assistance with signing up for Flocknote, please see Heather. She will be happy to help get you signed up to receive our notes.

MONTHLY EXPENSE/OFFERTORY REPORT:

Monthly Expenses for May for St. Mary Church	\$	10,686.72
Monthly Expenses for May for SJXXIII Church	\$	37,731.59
Monthly Offertory in May for St. Mary Church	\$	12,334.00
Monthly Offertory in May for SJXXIII Church	\$	35,553.89
MASS ATTENDANCE Total for the Month of May at St. Mary Church		914
Total for the Month of May at St. John XXIII Church	1,711	



SERRA, NOW MORE THAN EVER!

NO PRIEST, NO EUCHARIST!

GOD IS STILL CALLING -

Are you looking to get more involved in promoting, encouraging, and praying for vocations? Serra Clubs, a lay apostolate, have been in our Columbus Diocese for 70 years. We seek members to stand alongside our priests and seminarians to support vocations for the Diocese of Columbus.

Serra Club of North Columbus meetings include the Rosary, lunch, and a speaker at 11:30 on the 1st Tuesday of every month at the Jessing Center at the Josephinum. Downtown Serra Club meetings include lunch and a speaker at noon on the 2nd Friday of each month at the Cavello Center at St. Charles Preparatory School

> Check out our website SERRACOLUMBUS.ORG or more information and scheduled events

MOBILE APPS FOR CATHOLICS

You may have heard there are numerous Catholic apps you can upload on your smartphone or mobile device. A couple we like to use are iBreviary and Laudate. They each have the Missal for all Masses, so you always have it handy and can follow along. There are countless prayers, readings, rites, and other Catholic resources. These are available for both Apple and Android users. Here are QR codes for you to scan – choose either the Apple App or the Android App:





Laudate for Android



Laudate for Apple



iBreviary for Android



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