



# THE IHM WEEKLY

## *Immaculate Heart of Mary School*

Immaculate Heart of Mary School is a Community of Faith in which school and parents join together in the formation and education of each child to achieve a balance of faith, character, and academic excellence.

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Graduates of Immaculate Heart of Mary strive to become:

*Children as Lifelong Learners*



MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL  
MARCH 2, 2022

Dear IHM families,

Today marks the beginning of the season of Lent. As we transition out of ordinary time, I pray that we all take some time to notice all of the "ordinary" blessings that abound without losing sight of how truly extraordinary God's wonder is. Let us find some time to quiet our hearts and minds so that we can humbly bring ourselves to God and ask for guidance in determining how we can truly serve Him.

Today also marks the end of the 2nd trimester. Thank you, students, for all your hard work these first two trimesters. As we begin the last trimester, please continue to remain diligent in your academics. We are approaching the final stretch!

This final stretch also means that it is about time we revisit some of our school policies. Beginning tomorrow, we will reimplement our tardy policy. Your attendance at school is crucial in developing good work habits, furthering your academics, and in preparing our students for the future. We understand that, under some circumstances, students may arrive after our 8:30 AM start time. However, these circumstances are the exception, not the rule. Students will be allowed 2 tardies per trimester. On the third tardy, there will be a \$5 fee per child for every day that they are tardy. Tardies due to doctor's appointments will be excused, but students must come to school with a doctor's note.

Thank you for all that you have continued to do these first two trimesters. I am looking forward to all that you will continue to accomplish in this last third of the school year!

Blessings,  
Ms. Bautista



EXTRA, EXTRA, READ ALL ABOUT IT!  
IMPORTANT NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

- As we begin this Lenten journey, we are reminded to pray, fast, and give alms. Every child has been provided a **CRS Rice Bowl** to fill up during Lent. Through the CRS Rice Bowl, families learn about how, through Lenten alms, we have the power to make the world a better place for all. Visit <https://www.crsricebowl.org/> to learn about how your donation provides lifesaving support to more than 140 million people in more than 100 countries.
- Today is **Dr. Seuss' birthday!** As we continue to remember him this week, dress up in theme for these FREE events:
  - **March 3rd:** "Fox in Socks" day (wear your craziest socks with your PE uniform)
  - **March 4th:** DEAR Pajama Day (come to school in your pajamas with a book, blanket, stuffed animal, and pillow; join us as we **Drop Everything And Read**)
- Tomorrow, we will be publishing the newest edition of our **IHM newspaper!** Keep an eye on your inboxes for the latest news from our newspaper team.
- We are blessed to be able to work with and educate your students here at school. However, the biggest impact is made when we work in partnership with their primary educators - their parents and guardians at home. We thank you for your partnership and want to support you by providing **resources for faith formation at home:**
  - Lent for kids: <https://youtu.be/MkMjIVGSWW4>
  - Picking a "thing" (Lenten promise) for Lent: <https://youtu.be/XmwKpcJKLt8>
  - Lent Bible reading plan: [biblegateway.com/reading-plans/lent?version=NIV](http://biblegateway.com/reading-plans/lent?version=NIV)
  - Daily Readings (and more!): <https://www.usccb.org/prayer-worship/liturgical-year/lent>
- As a reminder, we still have our **service hour** (up to 5 service hours offered)/**marketing initiative** for those of you are willing to:
  - help us in our door-to-door efforts to reach out to our neighbors
  - bring our marketing materials to your places of work
  - visit the local pre-schools to give information about our schoolPlease contact Ms. Bautista or Mrs. Giron if you are interested.
- The Archdiocese of Los Angeles mandates that all adults who work in any capacity with or around children complete the VIRTUS® Protecting God's Children for Adults program. It is mandatory that all volunteers working with our students are **VIRTUS trained and fingerprinted**. For more information, visit <https://lacatholics.org/education-and-training/> and <https://lacatholics.org/fingerprinting/>.



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WHAT'S GOING ON AT AND AROUND IHM?

**IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY CHURCH**  
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**STATIONS OF THE Cross**

We retell this story of Jesus' self-giving love in order to open our hearts to what is already given to us: mercy.

**FRIDAYS OF LENT**  
**March 4, 11, 18, 25      April 1, 8, 15\***  
**4:30pm- Divine Mercy Novena**  
**5:00pm- English Mass**  
**5:45pm- Stations of the Cross**  
**\*Good Friday—April 15, 2022 at 10:00am**

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**Holy Week Schedule**  
*Horario de Semana Santa*

**PALM SUNDAY / DOMINGO DE RAMOS: APRIL 10, 2022**  
 8:00am & 9:30am- English Mass w/ Palm distribution  
 11:00am & 1:00pm- Misa en Español con Palmas  
 4:00pm- Tagalog Mass w/ Palm distribution

**HOLY MONDAY / LUNES SANTO: APRIL 11, 2022 \*5:30pm Mass Cancelled \***  
 7:00am- English Mass      6:00pm- Christa Mass at Cathedral of L.A.

**HOLY TUESDAY / MARTES SANTO: APRIL 12, 2022**  
 7:00am- English Mass      7:00pm- Misa en Español

**HOLY WEDNESDAY / MIERCOLES SANTO: APRIL 13, 2022**  
 7:00am- English Mass      5:30pm- English Mass      7:00pm- Misa en Español

**HOLY THURSDAY / JUEVES SANTO: APRIL 14, 2022**  
 7:00pm- Mass of the Lord's Supper (Bilingual) / Misa de la Última Cena del Señor (Bilingual)  
 \* Presentation of Holy Gels / Presentación de Santos Oleos  
 \* Washing of the Apostles' feet / Lavatorio de los pies  
 \* Transfer of Blessed Sacrament / Traslación del Santísimo Sacramento  
 10:00pm- Reposition of Blessed Sacrament / Reserva del Santísimo Sacramento / Reposición

**GOOD FRIDAY / VIERNES SANTO: APRIL 15, 2022**  
 10:00am- Bilingual Stations / Via Crucis Bilingüe  
 11:00am- English Divine Mercy Novena / Novena en Inglés a la Divina Misericordia  
 3:00pm- The Passion of the Lord:  
 \* Liturgy of the Word  
 \* Veneration of the Cross  
 \* Holy Communion  
 6:00pm- La Pasión de Cristo:  
 \* Liturgia de la Palabra  
 \* Veneración de la Cruz  
 \* Santa Eucaristía  
 7pm- 9pm- Holy Bunsal / Santo Entierro (Inside the Church / Dentro de la Iglesia)

**HOLY SATURDAY / SABADO SANTO: APRIL 16, 2022**  
 8:00am- Morning Prayer  
 7:00pm- Bilingual Easter Vigil Mass w/ Rites of Christian Initiation / Misa Bilingüe de Vigilia Pascual con Ritos de Iniciación Cristiana

**EASTER SUNDAY / DOMINGO DE PASCUA: APRIL 17, 2022**  
 8:00am & 9:30am- English Mass  
 11:00am & 1:00pm- Misa en Español  
 4:00pm- Tagalog Mass

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**LENTEN PENANCE SERVICE**

**SERVICIO PENITENCIAL DE CUARESMA**

**Monday, April 4 & Wednesday, April 6**

**7:00pm**

Please wear your facemask.  
Favor de usar su cubrebocas.

**FREE SUNFLOWER GARDENING PROJECT TAKE HOME KITS FOR TODDLERS TO 6TH GRADE**

Cahuenga Branch Library, 4591 Santa Monica Blvd, Los Angeles, Ca. 90029,  
(323) 664-6418, www.lapl.org.

Library Hours: Mondays and Wednesdays 12 pm-8pm, Tuesdays, Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays 12 pm-5:30 pm, Sundays and Holidays Closed

After picking out some great books about sunflowers and gardening, visit the reference desk for a Kids Takeout Kit\* to enjoy a library program experience at home. Inside the kit there is a small paper gardening pot, two sunflower seeds, a cup to scoop the soil, and soil in a baggie.

**Sunflower Gardening kits are available starting March 1 .**

\*Available when the library is open while supplies last. One kit per child accompanied by a parent or legal guardian.

For ADA accommodations, call (213) 228-7430 at least 72 hours prior to the event.  
Para ajustes razonables según la ley de ADA, llama al (213) 228-7430 al menos 72 horas antes del evento.