

This Week’s Calendar of Events



Sunday, July 16	(Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time)
7:30 AM	Spanish Mass at IHM
8:30 AM	Mass at St. Thomas
9:00 AM	Mass at IHM
10:00 AM	Mass at Sacred Heart, Winona
11:00 AM	St. Francis Parish Mass
1:30 PM	Spanish Mass at St. Francis
Monday, July 17	
7:00 AM	Mass at IHM in Church
9:00 AM	Mass at Locus Benedictus Chapel
Tuesday, July 18	(St. Camillus de Lellis)
7:00 AM	Mass at IHM in Church
9:00 AM	Mass at Locus Benedictus Chapel
10:00 AM	No Rosary at IHM
10:30 AM	No Women’s Scripture Study at IHM
Wednesday, July 19	
6:15 AM	Men’s Prayer Group at IHM
9:00 AM	Mass at Locus Benedictus Chapel
9:00 AM	No School Mass at St. Francis
10:00 AM	Prayer Chain at St. Francis
5:00 PM	Mass at IHM in Church
5:30-5:55 PM	No Light Meal
6:00 PM	No Faith Formation
Thursday, July 20	(St. Apollinaris)
7:00 AM	Mass at IHM in Church
7:30 AM-3:00 PM	IHM-Eucharistic Adoration in Church
9:00 AM	Mass at Locus Benedictus Chapel
5 :30 PM	No Choir Practice at IHM
6:00 PM	A Spiritual Path to Addiction Recovery at Locus Benedictus
Friday, July 21	(St. Lawrence of Brindisi)
7:00 AM	Mass at IHM in Church
9:00 AM	Mass at Locus Benedictus Chapel
10:00 AM	No IHM Book Club meeting at IHM
Saturday, July 22	(St. Mary Magdalene)
8:30 AM	Rosary at Locus Benedictus
11:00 AM-Noon	Sacrament of Reconciliation at IHM
6:00 PM	Mass at IHM
Sunday, July 23	(Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time)
7:30 AM	Spanish Mass at IHM
8:30 AM	Mass at St. Thomas
9:00 AM	Mass at IHM
10:00 AM	Mass at Sacred Heart, Winona
11:00 AM	St. Francis Parish Mass
1:30 PM	Spanish Mass at St. Francis



Please don’t forget the less fortunate. The Food Pantry is asking for your continued support, especially during this time of the year. Please remember to buy a few extra cans of goods when shopping (*especially peanut butter and jelly from IHM and soap from St. Francis*). Any food products would be greatly appreciated, whether canned, dried beans, rice or pasta.

SAVE THE DATE

Fr. Greg’s Farewell Party  
Sunday, July 30th at 5 PM  
Leflore Civic Center



All Parishes are invited.  
Please bring an hors d’oeuvre or snack to share as we come together to thank Fr. Greg for serving us during these past 15 years. All ages are welcome to come and join us.  
Fr. Greg will also be out of town from July 8 and will return July 21, where he will remain until around the first week of August.



Inner Healing Through  
Scripture & Prayer  
By Cindy Scardina

Friday, July 21, 2017 @ 6:30 p.m.  
& Saturday, July 22, 2017, 9:00  
a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Locus Benedictus Spirituality  
Center  
1407 Levee Road  
Greenwood, MS 38930

Cost is \$60 made payable to:  
Locus Benedictus, P.O. Box 9791,  
Greenwood, MS 38930

For More Information, call:  
(662) 299-1232

Registration Form

Name(s)		
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Address	City	Zip
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Telephone #	Email	
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Dietary Restrictions?		
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Please Mail to Locus Benedictus P.O. Box 9791 Greenwood, MS 38930		

On Saturday, August 5th, we will kick off the new school year with a **Life Teen Lock-In** at Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish Center. All youth entering grades 8th through 12th are invited! The day will consist of games, movies, prayer, and several other opportunities. The Lock-In will start at 3 PM on Saturday and will end the next morning after the 9 AM Mass. Please reserve your child’s spot by calling Marie at the Parish Office or contacting Derrick at 225-206-2430. Once you reserve your spot, Derrick will send you a packing list and paperwork for your child.



Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church

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**Pastor:** Rev. Gregory Plata, OFM (gregorysilver@mac.com)  
**Director of Religious Education:** Sr. Kathleen Murphy, OSF  
**Family Life & Communications:** Mrs. Mary Jane Faulkner  
**Receptionists and Parish Secretaries:** Mrs. Marie Aldridge, IHM and Mrs. Sandra Santos, St. Francis  
**Administrative Assistant:** Mrs. Sandra Correro  
**Youth Director:** Mr. Derrick Fauchaux

Sunday Mass Schedule

Immaculate Heart of Mary ..... Saturday, 6:00 PM  
..... Sunday, 7:30 AM (Sp)  
..... 9:00 AM  
St. Francis of Assisi ..... Sunday, 11:00 AM  
..... 1:30 PM (Sp)  
St. Thomas the Apostle ..... Sunday, 8:30 AM  
Sacred Heart of Jesus ..... Sunday, 10:00 AM

Please see back page for further calendar information.  
For Baptism and Marriage Preparation, please call the parish offices to arrange for classes and scheduling. You can register by either stopping by the parish offices, or go online at either parish website.

Download our free app, **Catholics 4 Ever**, to keep up to date on what’s happening in your parish.





# Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish News

**IHM's Parish Council members:** Loretta Assini, Stella Britt, David Bugg, Billy Dunn, Marty Makowsky, Russell Martin, Amy Makowsky, Ray Girnys, Sarah Iwanski, Sue Oltremari, and Lauren Smith

## Birthdays and Anniversaries

If your birthday/anniversary is omitted from the list or incorrectly dated, please contact the church office, 453-3980.

July 16 - Connor Bready

July 18 - Lisa Graham, Adam Horn  
Vincenzo Verderaime

July 19 - Rosa M. Correro,  
Matthew Hicks, Federico Lopez, Sr.

July 20 - Nathaniel Iwanski, Adam Reifers

July 21 - Drew McCurdy

July 22 - Cailin Bennett

July 23 - Hartley Kittle, Ewin Henson,  
Daniel Smith

July 25 - Nancy Boulter



July 23 - David & Kathy Grossman

**The Flowers in Church this weekend are to honor Mrs. Rosa Correro on her 100th birthday and were given by her family.**



**In Memory of...**The Canton Community recently lost Fr. Patrick Noonan, a gifted pastor, avid golfer and beloved friend. In lieu of flowers, Fr. Noonan asked his friends to please feed the hungry in the Canton area by donating to *Our Daily Bread Feeding Ministry*. If you wish to request a memorial or to make a donation in Fr. Noonan's name, kindly send to: Our Daily Bread

P. O. Box 1021

Canton, MS 39046

God bless Fr. Noonan and may he rest in peace. And God bless you for honoring our friend and benefactor.



## WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

July 15 - 23, 2017

Saturday, 6 PM..... Sp. Int-Rosa Correro (B'day)  
Sunday, 9 AM..... Woody Overley (RIP)  
Monday, 7 AM..... Mary Ehret (RIP)  
Tuesday, 7 AM..... Robert Ritchey (RIP)  
Wednesday, 5 PM..... Carol Becker (RIP)  
Thursday, 7 AM..... Minnie Tominello (RIP)  
Friday, 7 AM ..... Communion Service  
Saturday, 6 PM..... Rosa Roberts (RIP)  
Sunday, 9 AM..... Rosemary Tominello (RIP)



### This Week's Stewardship Report: 7/9/2017

General Collection this week .....\$ 3,855.00  
**Total deposit for this week:** .....\$ 3,855.00  
Building Fund Collection.....\$ 375.00

Weekly Operating Budget:.....\$ 5,100.00



The IHM Parish Council will **not** meet during the month of July.

### SAVE THE DATE:



**STEWARDSHIP**  
Pancake Breakfast  
Sign-Up Sunday  
August 27th at 10 AM

**PLEASE NOTE:** The IHM Parish Center will be closed from **July 17th through 21st**, because of the floors being stripped and waxed. There will be no meetings, and daily Masses and Eucharistic Adoration will be held in the Church.

My God and my all!



## St. Francis of Assisi Parish News

### Offerings for the week of July 9, 2017

Envelopes & Checks ..... \$1,481.00  
Basket Collection ..... \$ 150.00  
Maintenance Collection ..... \$5.00  
Spanish Collection ..... \$ 150.00

**Total Income ..... \$1,786.00**

**\$2000 is the amount needed each week from parishioner offerings to meet daily expenses.**

### Other Deposits

50/50 Collection..... \$ 63.00  
Pledge ..... \$100.00

*Thank you for sharing your Treasure for the sake of the Kingdom and work of the Church*

### Prayer Chain at St. Francis

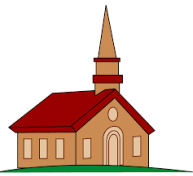
The Prayer Chain will meet Wednesday, **July 19th, at 10 AM** in the Fr. Nathaniel Conference room. Anyone interested is welcomed to attend.



## Sharing the Pro-Life Message

Defend the cause of the weak and fatherless; maintain the rights of the poor and oppressed. Rescue the weak and needy. Deliver them from the hand of the wicked. We must end abortion now. The future of our nation depends on it.

A second collection for the **Building and Maintenance Fund** will be taken up next weekend, July 22nd and 23rd.



### TOWARD HEAVEN

Think well. Speak well. Do well. These three things, through the mercy of God, will make a person go to heaven.

--St. Camillus de Lellis

### TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Two centuries ago, Archbishop John Carroll worried that Americans would not appreciate the linguistic veil over our worship, and asked that the liturgy in the new United States be in English, not Latin. How did our liturgy come to be in Latin in the first place? In the first century, the dominant language in the regions where the church first flourished was Greek. Today in much of the world, almost everyone speaks at least a bit of English. Recently, the European Union even considered making English its official language, a curious proposal since only two English-speaking countries are members.

Just as English is a unifying language today, it was hard to function in the ancient world without a smattering of Greek. Even the word "Eucharist" comes from the Greek for "thanksgiving." For a long time, Greek was the language of worship, even in Rome. Slowly, society in the west shifted to a bias for Latin and against Greek. Latin first appeared in public prayer at the end of the second century, in the colonial outposts of North Africa. Soon, Latin became the language of culture, and so as fixed prayer forms were written, they were transmitted in Latin. From Rome and Africa, over the next four centuries, the new liturgical language of Latin spread north to Gaul and Britain.

--Rev. James Field, Copyright (c) J. S. Paluch Co.

### Our Stewardship Reflection for this Sunday

*"The seed sown among thorns is the one who hears the word but then the cares of the world and the lure of riches choke the word and it bears no fruit."*

MATTHEW 13:22

Does the lure of riches and material goods choke God out of your life? Are you so caught up in worldly activities that you have no time for God? Stewardship is a lifestyle to be lived every day. It effects all the decisions we make. What we receive at Mass every Sunday should be shared with others all the other days of the week.



### LISTEN

Listen and attend with the ear of your heart.

--St. Benedict