


# *Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish*

## IMPORTANT DATES SCHEDULE for FIRST RECONCILIATION & FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2023-24

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<b>OCTOBER 5, 17</b> <b>2023</b> <del>(Thursday)</del> <b>(TUES)</b> <b>7-8:00 PM</b>	<u>First Reconciliation "PARENT" Gathering</u> <b>WHO:</b> For 1 <sup>st</sup> time communicant <b>PARENTS ONLY</b> <b>WHERE:</b> <del>IHM School, Room 19</del> <b>LOWER HALL</b>
<b>OCTOBER 24,</b> <b>2023</b> <b>(Tuesday)</b> <b>6:30-7:30 PM</b>	<u>First Reconciliation "FAMILY" Gathering – <i>Family, Friends &amp; Forgiveness</i></u> <b>WHO:</b> For all communicant <b>FAMILIES</b> Come join in this fun learning experience through dramatization to prepare for the sacrament of Reconciliation. <b>WHERE:</b> Church
<b>NOVEMBER 28,</b> <b>2023</b> <b>(Tuesday)</b> <b>6:30-7:15 PM</b>	<u>First Reconciliation "SONG PRACTICE"</u> <b>WHO:</b> For CRE, ACAD & Homeschooled <b>STUDENTS ONLY</b> <b>CRE Students</b> will prepare a special song with our music ministry leaders to be sung at the First Reconciliation Celebration. <b>Homeschool and Academy students</b> will report to the IHM School Office for their room number for Song Practice. <b>IHM school students</b> will have Song Practice scheduled during their school day. <b>WHERE:</b> IHM School classrooms
<b>NOVEMBER 29,</b> <b>2023</b> <b>(Wednesday)</b> <b>7-8:00 PM</b>	<u>First Reconciliation "REHEARSAL"</u> <b>WHO:</b> For all <b>STUDENTS and PARENTS</b> All of our students preparing for First Reconciliation will gather with their parents/guardians to practice for the upcoming celebration. <b>WHERE:</b> Church
<b>DECEMBER 1,</b> <b>2023</b> <b>(Friday)</b> <b>7:00 PM</b>	<u>First Reconciliation "CELEBRATION"</u>  <b>7:00 PM</b> All <b>FAMILIES</b> and <b>STUDENTS</b> <b>(Reception in LH to follow)</b> 
<b>FEBRUARY 7,</b> <b>2024</b> <b>(Wednesday)</b> <b>7-8:00 PM</b>	<u>First Holy Communion "PARENT" Gathering I</u> <b>WHO:</b> For 1 <sup>st</sup> time communicant <b>PARENTS</b> If this is your 1 <sup>st</sup> child to be receiving their First Holy Communion, then this is for you. A discussion of the sacrament, rituals, and theology reflecting the lessons your child is receiving. <b>WHERE:</b> IHM School, Room 19
<b>FEBRUARY 29,</b> <b>2024</b> <b>(Thursday)</b> <b>7-8:00 PM</b>	<u>First Holy Communion "FAMILY" Gathering</u> <b>WHO:</b> For all <b>FIRST COMMUNICANTS &amp; PARENTS</b> Students and parents will be preparing for the special day! <b>WHERE:</b> Church

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<b>APRIL TBD, 2024 (Monday) 4:30-6 PM</b>	<u><b>Foschi Photography</b></u> <b>WHO:</b> If you are interested in purchasing portraits of your First Holy Communicant, please call Foschi Photography to set up an appointment time. <b>WHERE:</b> Church	
<b>APRIL 23, 2024 (Tuesday) 6:30-7:30 PM</b>	<u><b>First Holy Communion "SONG PRACTICE"</b></u> <b>WHO:</b> For all <b>STUDENTS</b> Students will prepare a special song to be sung at the First Holy Communion Celebration with our music ministry leaders. <b>WHERE:</b> Church	
<b>APRIL 30, 2024 (Tuesday) 6:30-7:30 PM</b>	<u><b>First Holy Communion "SONG PRACTICE"</b></u> <b>WHO:</b> For all <b>STUDENTS</b> Students will practice their special song to be sung at the First Holy Communion Celebration with our music ministry leaders. <b>WHERE:</b> Church	
<b>MAY 1, 2024 (Wednesday) 6-6:45 PM &amp; 7-7:45 PM</b>	<u><b>First Holy Communion "REHEARSAL"</b></u> <b>WHO:</b> For <b>PARENTS</b> and <b>STUDENTS</b> in: Terry Carlini, CRE, Room 5 Chrissy Moran, IHM School, Room 6 Academy Students <b>WHERE:</b> Church <b>WHEN:</b> 6:00-6:45 PM	<b>WHO:</b> For <b>PARENTS</b> and <b>STUDENTS</b> in: Jennifer Myers, CRE, Room 4 Katherine Kuhn, IHM School, Room 8 <b>WHERE:</b> Church <b>WHEN:</b> 7:00-7:45 PM
<b>MAY 4, 2024 (Saturday) 10:30 AM &amp; 1:00 PM</b>	<u><b>First Holy Communion "CELEBRATION"</b></u> <div> <div> <b>10:30 AM Mass:</b>  Terry Carlini, CRE, Room 5  Chrissy Moran, IHM School, Room 6  Academy Students </div> <div> <b>1:00 PM Mass:</b>  Jennifer Myers, CRE, Room 4  Katherine Kuhn, IHM School, Room 8 </div> </div>	

