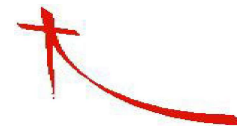




ADORATION NEWS

Immaculate Heart of Mary
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Express Your Gratitude!

In the last issue, we talked about Jesus personally greeting you as you enter the Adoration Chapel. Now, express your gratitude!

Express gratitude for the blessings in your life!

Express gratitude for your relationship with God!

Express gratitude for God's goodness!

Express gratitude for the Grace that makes your Adoration Chapel visit possible!

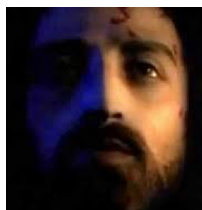
Jesus is alive and infinitely active! He is ever-creating, ever-sustaining, ever-redeeming, ever-loving, ever-forgiving, ever-giving! He never ceases and never tires calling us.

Prayer in the presence of Jesus is active, interactive and inner-active!

It can be peaceful and quiet.

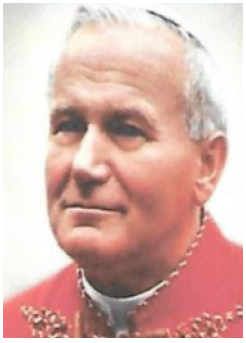
***Your time on earth is the only time you have to gain heaven.
Don't waste it! Take advantage of the unfathomable graces
available through participation in Eucharistic Adoration.***

God is with us in many different ways but none more intimate than experiencing him face-to-face in Adoration.



Is this the face of Jesus? This picture was generated using computer facial recognition technology on the Shroud of Turin image.

Please be sure to read "On the Issue of Adoration Substitutions" in this issue.



*From St. Pope John Paul II on the importance of
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.*

I hope that this form of Adoration, with permanent exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, will continue into the future. Specifically, I hope that the fruit of this Congress results in the establishment of Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration in all parishes and Christian communities throughout the world.

Source: International Eucharistic Congress in Seville, Spain June 1993)

May / June Adoration Prayer Requests and Thanksgiving

Please pray for...:

- ...children who have fallen away that they will experience God's mercy and return to the church.
- ...for our country, our government, and officials and leaders...for our President and his safety.
- ...healing for those suffering from cancer, sickness, depression, stress, and anxiety.
- ...that God grants His grace to all parents giving them strength and guidance to recognize and meet the needs of their children.
- ...the unborn and those struggling with the issue of abortion.

...and give God thanks for prayers answered...:

- ...remission of cancer of the esophagus.
- ...celebration of a blessed marriage of 36 years.
- ...sale of home.
- ...business that is producing so much during this time.
- ...renewed focus on what is meaningful in life.
- ...successful surgery.
- ...thanks for good friends.
- ...and the group of Elect entering the Church at the 2019 Easter Vigil.

Important Note:



*The Adoration Chapel will be closed Monday May 27 for the
Memorial Day Holiday. The Chapel's normal schedule resumes
at 8:00 AM
on Tuesday morning May 28.*

On the Issue of Adoration Substitutes!

We have 60 volunteers who signed up as Adoration *substitutes*. This does not guarantee you will find a substitute when you have need one, but with this large number chances are in your favor. During the next couple weeks, I will contact some of the subs who have not specified which hours and days they are available. As this information is updated, the sub-list will become more valuable.

Tips Regarding Substitutions:

The entire sub list is available on line at: www.adorationpro.org/ihmmi. **To find a sub**, connect to the AdorationPro web site, click **Find a Sub**, enter the password **subpass**, click **Login**, then click **Manually Find a Sub From a List**.

This gives you the list of substitutes with phone numbers, email addresses and day and time available. If desired, you can do a 'print screen' so you have a hard copy handy for future use.

If you are a member of an '**Adoration Cluster**' and need a sub, your first request should be among other members of your **cluster**. See if another member will cover your hour or if you could trade hours with each other. If you can't secure coverage that way, then go to the website and make your request through the standard "Find A Sub" routine above.

If you have a prayer partner, and you won't be able to be in the chapel for your assigned hour, check with your partner. If he or she plans to be there, no further action is required on your part. We only require one person in the chapel while the Eucharist is exposed.

New to AdorationPro is the ability to see the **Sub Request Log**. This log shows substitution 'requests', 'acceptances', and requests remaining 'open'. At this time, the log is *information only* - you can't do anything but view the screen. To access the log, go to the AdorationPro web site, click on **Find a Sub**, enter the password **subpass**, click **Login**, then click **Sub Request Log**.

We are very fortunate to have our beautiful Adoration Chapel and the many people dedicated in our Adoration Ministry. Let's spread the word about the many blessings available, and encourage others to get involved committing to one hour per week before the Blessed Sacrament.

God's Peace,
Tom Kartes

Check this site out - <https://ihmadoration.blogspot.com> - it contains a lot of information about adoration in general and about our program at IHM in particular.

Thank You!

Thank you to everyone who stepped up and answered the call as Adoration substitutes during Spring Break. The seven day period of Adoration, March 28 to April 5, saw fourteen sub requests in AdorationPro. Thirteen of those were filled through the system. It's hoped that the one that wasn't filled through AdorationPro was filled by direct contact. It's unknown how many other requests were initiated and filled manually during this period.

Thank you all again!

WE STILL HAVE OPEN HOURS IN THE ADORATION CHAPEL!

Our Adoration Ministry is in need of Adorers to commit to the following time slots:

Open Hour	11:00 AM - 12:00 Noon	Monday
Open Hour	1:00 AM - 2:00 AM	Wednesday
Open Hour	8:00 AM - 9:00 AM	Wednesday

Partners Needed:

11:00 AM - 12:00 Noon	Friday
6:00 PM - 7:00 PM	Friday

Our goal is two people assigned to every Adoration hour, but we are a long way from reaching that goal.

If one of the hours listed above doesn't fit your schedule, and you would still like to become a regular Adorer, please go to the website and sign up for any hour showing a 'Sign Up' box next to it. We currently have 52 hours every week with only one adorer assigned.

Our website can be found at: www.adorationpro.org/ihmmi

If you are able to cover one of the special needs hours please give Tom Kartes a call at 616-325-9305