

IHM FIRST RECONCILIATION & FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

2026-2027 SAVE THE DATES

DATE	EVENT	TIME	LOCATION	WHO ATTENDS	IMPORTANT DETAILS
Sun. Aug. 30	Parent Meeting	10:30-11:15 AM	IHM Heritage Hall	Parents only	Preparation for First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion
Sat. Oct. 3 or Sun. Oct. 4	Rite of Enrollment	During Mass	IHM, GA & SJF	Child + parents	Children sign the scroll before Mass and stand with parents for a blessing
Sun. Nov. 15	First Reconciliation Mini-Retreat	10:30 AM-12:00 PM	IHM Cafeteria	Child + adult	Come anytime during the window; parent-guided learning stations
Tues. Dec. 1	First Reconciliation Last Names A-L	7:00 PM	IHM Church	Child + family	Rite of Reconciliation followed by individual confessions. Parents are also welcome to receive the Sacrament.
Thurs. Dec. 3	First Reconciliation Last Names M-Z	7:00 PM	IHM Church	Child + family	Rite of Reconciliation followed by individual confessions. Parents are also welcome to receive the Sacrament.
Sat. Apr. 17	First Holy Communion Retreat & Rehearsal	10:30 AM-12:30 PM	IHM	Child + 1 adult	Real Presence Craft, Opportunity to Taste Unconsecrated Host and Wine, Sacristy Tour of Vessels and Vestments, Last Supper Story Telling, First Communion Mass rehearsal Required; no alternate date
Apr. 24 or 25	First Holy Communion Mass	Selected Mass time	IHM Church	Child + family	Arrive 20 minutes early; children gather in Lourdes Room; family pew assigned

MASS SIGN-UP DEADLINE

Return the First Communion Mass selection form to Peggy at peggys@ihom.org by October 31, 2026.

FIRST COMMUNION DAY

Bring the completed pew banner. Families will sit in their assigned family pew. Group photo follows Mass. Optional individual photos require arrival 45 minutes early.

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