

MiND-fuel Reads: Summer 2022

Our Lady of Kibeho by Immaculée Ilibagiza

MiND-fuel Reads is designed to fuel curiosity and creativity, while deepening the consciousness of our learning community around topics that are worthy. Through the common read, the MND Community will grow in knowledge through one-on-one interaction with a book and through the large-scale activities, discussions, and reflections surrounding it.

The MND community will explore *Our Lady of Kibeho: Mary Speaks to the World from the Heart of Africa* by Immaculée Ilibagiza. The story focuses on the visions of the Virgin Mary and Jesus in the remote Rwandan village of Kibeho that occurred prior to the genocide in 1994. It is a story of faith, forgiveness, and healing.

We look forward to hearing from the author, Immaculée Ilibagiza, in the fall and look forward to sharing in this multicultural community activity throughout the 2022-2023 school year!

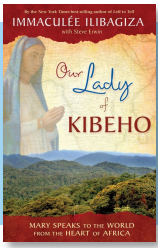
For the summer, MND students are asked to complete the following:

- Read the book
- Complete the Exploration Guide
- Bring your completed Exploration Guide to Religion class on August 22 or 23 (per your schedule)

If you enjoyed this book, you may want to consider reading Immaculée Ilibagiza's *Left to Tell: Discovering God Amidst the Rwandan Holocaust*.



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Exploration Guide

Name: _____ Grade: _____

<p>1. If you were leading a book discussion on this book, what would you like to talk about?</p>	<p>2. Choose a moment from the book that inspired you. Explain.</p>
<p>3. Chose a moment from the book that required an act of faith. How did the person show faith in the situation?</p>	
<p>4. What is one message from Mary that resonated with you?</p>	
<p>5. If the Virgin Mary were to appear today in our area, what message do you think she would bring?</p>	