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WEEKLY SCHEDULE

ADORATION

Mon-Fri 11 am—Noon

CONFESSION

Mon-Fri 11:15 am

Sat 8:15 am & 3:00 pm

MASS

Sunday 8:00am, 9:30am and
11:00am

Monday-Friday—Noon

Sat 9:00 am & 4:00 pm

THE DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET IS
PRAYED AFTER EVERY MASS



*The Diocesan Shrine
of Divine Mercy
and Saint Faustina*

“Jesus, I trust in YOU”

Divine Mercy Sunday

April 11, 2021

This Sunday is a most joyful and holy day of celebration for us at the Shrine of Divine Mercy. Jesus told St. Faustina that He wanted the Sunday after Easter to be the Feast of Divine Mercy. It was so promulgated by Pope John Paul II, at the canonization of Sister Faustina on April 30, 2000.

This Feast is now celebrated throughout the world. In St. Faustina's Diary there are at least fourteen passages in which our Lord requested this Feast. This Feast is to be not only a day designated for the singular worship of God's mercy, but also a day of grace, particularly for Sinners:

"I desire that the Feast of Mercy," said Jesus, "be a refuge and shelter for all souls, and especially for poor sinners." (Diary #699)

"Whoever approaches the Fount of Life on this day will be granted complete remission of sins and punishment." (Diary #300) This is more powerful than a Plenary Indulgence.

"On that day all the Divine floodgates through which graces flow are opened. Let no soul fear to draw near to Me, even though its sins be as scarlet." (Diary #699)

Whoever wishes to benefit from these great gifts must satisfy the conditions required for the worship of Divine Mercy. That means to place one's trust in God, to carry out acts of mercy, to be in the state of sanctifying grace, and to come to the Fountain of Life by receiving Holy Communion. "No soul will be justified," said Jesus, "until it turns with confidence to My mercy, and this is why the first Sunday after Easter is to be the Feast of Mercy. On that day, priests are to tell everyone about My great and unfathomable mercy." (Diary #570)

Apostles Of Divine Mercy Prayer

Merciful Jesus, we believe in You and we trust in You. Come to the aid of our weakness and our incapacity. Grant that we may be able to make You known and loved by all and confident in the immensity of Your love we may be able to combat the evil which is in us and in all the world, for Your Glory and our salvation. Amen.

Act of Entrustment Of The World To Divine Mercy

God, Merciful Father, in Your Son, Jesus Christ, You have revealed Your love and poured it out upon us in the Holy Spirit, the Comforter. We entrust to You today the destiny of the world and of every man and woman. Bend down to us sinners, heal our weakness, conquer all evil, and grant that all the peoples of the earth may experience Your mercy. In You, the Triune God, may they ever find the source of Hope. Eternal Father, for the sake of the sorrowful Passion and Resurrection of Your Son, have mercy on us and upon the whole world! Amen.

Saint John Paul II

Mass Intentions:

Sunday, April 11th— Divine Mercy Sunday

8:00am: Carolyn O’Laughlin

11:00am: Parishioners & Benefactors

3:00pm: +Father Evan Harkins

Monday, April 12th

Noon: +Denver Sublette

Tuesday, April 13th—St. Martin I

Noon: +Msgr. Ralph Kaiser

Wednesday, April 14th

Noon: Don & Theresa Lewis

Thursday, April 15th

Noon: +Dianne Anderson

Friday, April 16th

Noon: Purgatorial Society

Saturday, April 17th

9:00am: Tom & Joanie Zemencik

4:00pm: The Wilson Family

Sunday, April 18th—3rd Sun. of Easter

8:00am: Sr. Maria Mater Dei and Family

9:30am: +Alan Carroll

11:00am: Parishioners & Benefactors

Parish Calendar

Monday, April 12th, 7pm: New Inquiry Session
Inquiry is for non-Catholics. Contact Mark Sappington if you know of someone who might like to attend)

Wednesday, April 28th, 7pm: Confirmation

Sunday, May 9th: Mother’s Day

Friday, May 14th, 7pm:
Men’s Opus Dei Recollection

Saturday, May 15th, 10am:
Women’s Opus Dei Recollection

Saturday, May 15th, 12:15pm:
Mass for Bl. Alvaro del Portillo

Inquiry Sessions are for any non-Catholics who have questions about the faith. The next round begins Monday, April 12th.

Questions?
Contact Mark Sappington
sappington@olgckc.org

Last Week’s Giving to God’s Work

March 27/28: \$13,123.72
Easter Sunday: \$16,325.00

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The Devotion to The Divine Mercy

“This is not just one more devotion, just another booklet or picture. It’s incomparable with anyone or anything. The Devotion to the Divine Mercy is determining the destiny of the world, the destiny of humanity. No diplomacy, politics, or any human faculty or skill can save that which seems to be heading for the destruction Man has prepared – not just for one individual, but for humanity.

Only Jesus, the Crucified One and the Risen One can do this; and, this I maintain – through Mary.”

*Franciszek Cardinal Macharski,
Archbishop Emeritus of Krakow, Poland*

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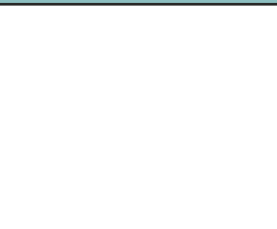
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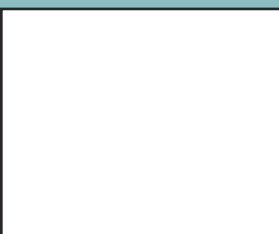
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