

SAIN^T JOHN PAUL II CATHOLIC CHURCH

April 11, 2021

OPEN WIDE
THE DOORS

TO CHRIST
CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

WEEKEND MASS

No sign up required.

Sunday

8:00 and 10:00 AM
Divine Mercy Parish Hall

WEEKDAY MASS

No sign up required.

Tuesday-Thursday

7:00 AM
Pathway Community
Church

CONFESSIONS

No sign up required.

Saturday

4:00-6:00 PM

Wednesday

6:00-7:00 PM

At the storm door
of the parish office.

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Divine Mercy
SUNDAY

Saint John Paul II Catholic Church is called to open doors to Jesus Christ through authentic witness in the home, joyful hope in worship, and fruitful service to our neighbors, offering the opportunity not to have more but to be more.

PARISH OFFICE: 16680 S LIND ROAD, OLATHE, KS 66062 | OFFICE HOURS: MON - THURS 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM

NEW TO OUR PARISH? Welcome!

Registration and stewardship information
can be found at jp2kc.org.

SACRAMENT INFORMATION

Please see our website (jp2kc.org) for
information regarding the following
sacramental needs.

- Religious education
- Becoming Catholic
- Sacramental emergency
- Anointing of the sick *
- Infant baptism
- Marriage
- Funeral

*To receive the anointing of the sick, there is no need to wait until a person is at the point of death. Please contact the parish office to set up an appointment prior to a surgery or scheduled hospitalization.

The Memorare

Please continue to entrust our parish and the capital campaign to our Lady by praying the *Memorare*, each day.

Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to thy protection, implored thy help, or sought thine intercession was left unaided.

Inspired by this confidence, I fly unto thee, O Virgin of virgins, my mother; to thee do I come, before thee I stand, sinful and sorrowful.

*O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not my petitions, but in thy mercy hear and answer me.
Amen.*



“Trust me.”
—GOD

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DONATIONS FOR PARISH OPERATIONS FOR APRIL 2021

Ordinary Collections required for April	\$62,958
Collections through 4/4/21	9,660
Funds needed to cover expenses	53,298

Mass Intentions



SATURDAY, APR 10

6:30 PM † Maria & Joseph Nguyen

SUNDAY, APR 11

8:00 AM † Bill & Katherine Marble
10:00 AM The People of the Parish

TUESDAY, APR 13

7:00 AM Andrew & Mary DeBost

WEDNESDAY, APR 14

7:00 AM † Joseph & Anna Hoang

THURSDAY, APR 15

7:00 AM † Suzanne Phelan

FRIDAY, APR 16

7:00 AM Clint & Kaitlyn Useldinger

SATURDAY, APR 17

6:30 PM † William Reed

SUNDAY, APR 18

8:00 AM The People of the Parish
10:00 AM † Donna Myers



RE • SOUND

A Journey through the
Catechism of the Catholic Church
one paragraph at a time

Wednesdays, 7:00-8:30 PM at
Pathway Community Church
(15885 S Black Bob Rd., Olathe)

The word “catechesis” literally means “to resound” – to echo the voice.
True catechesis takes place when we listen to the voice of Christ
resounding in His Church via Sacred Scripture and Sacred Tradition.

LORD, TEACH US TO PRAY

Each Wednesday we will come together to listen to the voice of our Lord in the Catechism, starting with the part on Christian Prayer. We will end each meeting with Evening Prayer from the *Liturgy of the Hours*.

All adults welcome.

No registration or commitment required.
Materials will be provided.

For more information, contact curtiskeddy@jp2kc.org

The Summit

A three-day youth conference in Overland Park



Who: All Incoming 9th through Graduating 12th Graders

Where: The Church of the Ascension

When: June 14th-16th, 2021 | 9:00am-9:00pm each day
(this means you go home each night and can sleep in your own bed!)

Cost: \$150
(includes lunch & dinner all three days, a t-shirt, name tag, & more)

To register talk to Claire Hollis after Mass or email clairehollis@jp2kc.org



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Divine Mercy Sunday Stewardship Message

"The community of believers was of one heart and mind, and no one claimed that any of his possessions was his own..."

- ACTS 4:32

All that we are and all that we have is a gift from God!

Think of your family, your friends, your life, your talents, and your money – these are all gifts from God!

We aren't really owners of anything, we are merely "stewards" of the gifts God has blessed us with.



We are called to be grateful and generous with all of our gifts for the benefit of others.

"From the Eucharist comes strength to live the Christian life and zeal to share that life with others"

- St. John Paul II

Please pray for our children who are preparing to make their First Holy Communion in the Easter season.



Donuts are back!

Sunday, April 11th
following the
8:00 and 10:00 AM Masses



CATHOLIC CHARITIES

**Clothing, Household Gadget,
& Home Décor Drive**

Sunday, April 11th at Divine Mercy

St. John Paul II and Divine Mercy are collecting spring and summer clothes for men, women, and children in addition to household gadgets and home décor items to benefit Catholic Charities.

(Please NO winter clothing at this time.)

Please bring your items to the Catholic Charities truck.



PRAYERS AND READINGS FOR HOLY MASS

PRAYER BEFORE MASS

(Take time to turn your heart to the Heart of Jesus.)

Behold, O my most loving Jesus, how far Thine exceeding love hath reached! Of Thine own Flesh and Most Precious Blood Thou hast prepared for me a divine table in order to give Thyself wholly to me. What hath impelled Thee to such transports of love? Nothing else surely save Thy most loving Heart. O adorable Heart of my Jesus, burning furnace of divine charity, receive my heart within Thy most sacred wound; to the end that in this school of love, I may learn to make a return of love to the God who hath given me such wondrous proofs of His love. Amen.

THE MEMORARE

(Together we renew our parish consecration to Our Blessed Mother.)

Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to thy protection, implored thy help, or sought thine intercession was left unaided. Inspired by this confidence, I fly unto thee, O Virgin of virgins, my mother; to thee do I come, before thee I stand, sinful and sorrowful. O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not my petitions, but in thy mercy hear and answer me. Amen

THE ORDER OF THE MASS

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

Like newborn infants, you must long for the pure, spiritual milk, that in him you may grow to salvation, alleluia. (1 Pt 2:2)

GREETING

PENITENTIAL ACT - CONFITEOR

I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do, *(And, striking their breast, they say)* through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

KYRIE

PRIEST:	Kyrie, eleison.	<i>Lord, have mercy.</i>
PEOPLE:	Kyrie, eleison.	<i>Lord, have mercy.</i>
PRIEST:	Christe, eleison.	<i>Christ, have mercy.</i>
PEOPLE:	Christe, eleison.	<i>Christ, have mercy.</i>
PRIEST:	Kyrie, eleison.	<i>Lord, have mercy.</i>
PEOPLE:	Kyrie, eleison.	<i>Lord, have mercy.</i>

GLORIA

Glo-ry to God in the high-est, and on earth peace to peo-ple
of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we a-dore you,
we glo-ri-fy you, we give you thanks for your great glo-ry,
Lord God, heav-en-ly King, O God, al-might-y Fa-ther.
Lord Je-sus Christ, On-ly Be-got-ten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God,
Son of the Fa-ther, you take a-way the sins of the world, have mer-cy on us;
you take a-way the sins of the world, re-ceive our prayer;
you are seat-ed at the right hand of the Fa-ther, have mer-cy on us.
For you a-lone are the Ho-ly One, you a-lone are the Lord,
you a-lone are the Most High, Je-sus Christ, with the Ho-ly Spir-it,
in the glo-ry of God the Fa-ther. A-men.

Text: The Roman Missal
Music: The Roman Missal
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COLLECT

PRIEST: Let us pray.

And all pray in silence with the Priest for a while.

Then the Priest, with hands extended, says the Collect prayer, at the end of which the people acclaim:

PEOPLE: **Amen.**

The Liturgy of the Word

FIRST READING (Acts 4:32-35)

The community of believers was of one heart and mind, | and no one claimed that any of his possessions was his own, but they had everything in common. | With great power the apostles bore witness | to the resurrection of the Lord Jesus, and great favor was accorded them all. | There was no needy person among them, | for those who owned property or houses would sell them, | bring the proceeds of the sale, and put them at the feet of the apostles, | and they were distributed to each according to need.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM (Psalm 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24)



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Let the house of Israel say,
"His mercy endures forever."
Let the house of Aaron say,
"His mercy endures forever."
Let those who fear the Lord say,
"His mercy endures forever." *℟.*

I was hard pressed and was falling,
but the Lord helped me.
My strength and my courage is the Lord,
and he has been my savior.
The joyful shout of victory
in the tents of the just: *℟.*

The stone which the builders rejected
has become the cornerstone.
By the Lord has this been done;
it is wonderful in our eyes.
This is the day the Lord has made;
let us be glad and rejoice in it. *℟.*

SECOND READING (1 John 5:1-6)

Beloved: | Everyone who believes that Jesus is the Christ is begotten by God, | and everyone who loves the Father | loves also the one begotten by him. | In this way we know that we love the children of God | when we love God and obey his commandments. | For the love of God is this, | that we keep his commandments. | And his commandments are not burdensome, | for whoever is begotten by God conquers the world. | And the victory that conquers the world is our faith. | Who indeed is the victor over the world | but the one who believes that Jesus is the Son of God? | This is the one who came through water and blood, Jesus Christ, | not by water alone, but by water and blood. | The Spirit is the one that testifies, | and the Spirit is truth.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

℟. Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

You believe in me, Thomas, because you have seen me, says the Lord; Blessed are they who have not seen me, but still believe! (Jn 20:29)

℟. Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

GOSPEL (John 20:19-31)

On the evening of that first day of the week, | when the doors were locked, where the disciples were, | for fear of the Jews, | Jesus came and stood in their midst | and said to them, "Peace be with you." | When he had said this, he

showed them his hands and his side. | The disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. | Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. | As the Father has sent me, so I send you." | And when he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, | "Receive the Holy Spirit. | Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them, | and whose sins you retain are retained." | Thomas, called Didymus, one of the Twelve, | was not with them when Jesus came. | So the other disciples said to him, "We have seen the Lord." | But he said to them, | "Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands | and put my finger into the nailmarks | and put my hand into his side, I will not believe." | Now a week later his disciples were again inside | and Thomas was with them. | Jesus came, although the doors were locked, | and stood in their midst and said, "Peace be with you." | Then he said to Thomas, "Put your finger here and see my hands, | and bring your hand and put it into my side, | and do not be unbelieving, but believe." Thomas answered and said to him, "My Lord and my God!" | Jesus said to him, "Have you come to believe because you have seen me? | Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed." | Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of his disciples | that are not written in this book. | But these are written that you may come to believe | that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, | and that through this belief you may have life in his name.

HOMILY

PROFESSION OF FAITH

I believe in one God,
the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all things visible and invisible.
I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the Only Begotten Son of God,
born of the Father before all ages.
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father;
through him all things were made.
For us men and for our salvation
he came down from heaven,
(All bow through "became man")
and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary,
and became man.
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate,
he suffered death and was buried,
and rose again on the third day
in accordance with the Scriptures.
He ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory
to judge the living and the dead
and his kingdom will have no end.
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.
I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.
I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins
and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

RESPONSE: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

The Liturgy of the Eucharist

OFFERTORY HYMN

There's A Wideness in God's Mercy

1. There's a wide-ness in God's mer-cy Like the wide-ness
 2. For the love of God is broad-er Than the mea-sures
 3. Trou-bled souls, why will you scat-ter Like a crowd of

1. of the sea; There's a kind-ness in his jus-tice
 2. of our mind, And the heart of the E-ter-nal
 3. fright-ened sheep? Fool-ish hearts, why will you wan-der

1. Which is more than lib-er-ty. There is plen-ti-ful re-
 2. Is most won-der-ful-ly kind. If our love were but more
 3. From a love so true and deep? There is wel-come for the

1. demp-tion In the blood that has been shed; There is
 2. sim-ple We should take him at his word, And our
 3. sin-ner And more grac-es for the good; There is

1. joy for all the mem-bers In the sor-rows of the Head.
 2. lives would be thanks-giv-ing For the good-ness of our Lord.
 3. mer-cy with the Sav-ior, There is heal-ing in his blood.

Text: 87 87 D; Frederick W. Faber, 1814-1863, alt.
 Music: Oude en Nieuwe Boerenlides, c. 1710.

PREPARATION OF THE GIFTS

PRAYER OVER THE OFFERING

PRIEST: Pray, brethren, that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.

PEOPLE: **May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory of his name, for our good and the good of all his holy Church.**

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

PRIEST: The Lord be with you.

PEOPLE: **And with your spirit.**

PRIEST: Lift up your hearts.

PEOPLE: **We lift them up to the Lord.**

PRIEST: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

PEOPLE: **It is right and just.**

PREFACE

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY (Sanctus, Sanctus, Sanctus)

San-ctus, San-ctus, San-ctus Dó-mi-nus De-us Sá-
 ba-oth. Ple-ni sunt coe-li et ter-ra gló-ri-a tu-a.
 Ho-sán-na in ex-cél-sis. Be-ne-dí-ctus qui ve-nit in
 nó-mi-ne Dó-mi-ni. Ho-sán-na in ex-cél-sis.

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

We pro-claim your Death, O Lord, and pro-fess your Res-ur-rec-tion
 un-til you come a-gain.

GREAT AMEN

OUR FATHER

PRIEST: At the Savior's command and formed by divine teaching, we dare to say:

PEOPLE: **Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.**

PRIEST: Deliver us, Lord, we pray, from every evil, graciously grant peace in our days, that, by the help of your mercy, we may be always free from sin and safe from all distress, as we await the blessed hope and the coming of our Savior, Jesus Christ.

PEOPLE: **For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours now and for ever.**

LAMB OF GOD (Agnus Dei)

A-gnus De-i, qui tol-lis pec-cá-ta mun-dí: mi-se-
 ré-re no-bis. A-gnus De-i, qui tol-lis pec-cá-ta
 mun-dí: mi-se-ré-re no-bis. A-gnus De-i,
 qui tol-lis pec-cá-ta mun-dí: do-na no-bis pa-cem.

Text and music: Chant: Graduale Romanum, 1974.

PRIEST: Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.

PEOPLE: **Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.**

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Bring your hand and feel the place of the nails, and do not be unbelieving but believing, alleluia. (Jn 20:27)

ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

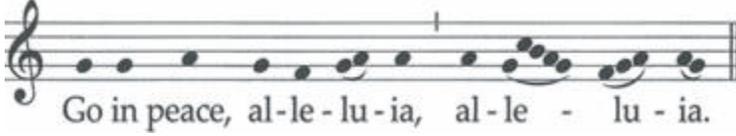
(For those not presently able to receive Holy Communion.)

My, Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

The Concluding Rites

DISMISSAL

PRIEST:



PEOPLE:



RECESSIONAL

PRAYER TO ST. MICHAEL

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; And do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan and all evil spirits who wander about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

PERSONAL PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Receive, Lord, my entire freedom. Accept the whole of my memory, my intellect and my will. Whatever I have or possess, it was you who gave it to me; I restore it to you in full, and I surrender it completely to the guidance of your will. Give me only love of you together with your grace, and I am rich enough and ask for nothing more. Amen.

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LIVE THE GOSPEL THIS WEEK

The Gospel for today begins by setting the scene: "On the evening of that first day of the week, when the doors were locked...Jesus came and stood in their midst." The Resurrection marks the beginning of a new creation – but how many of us still seek safety behind locked doors? Do we continue to fear? Perhaps we think that the love and mercy of Christ is for others, but not ourselves. It is at that

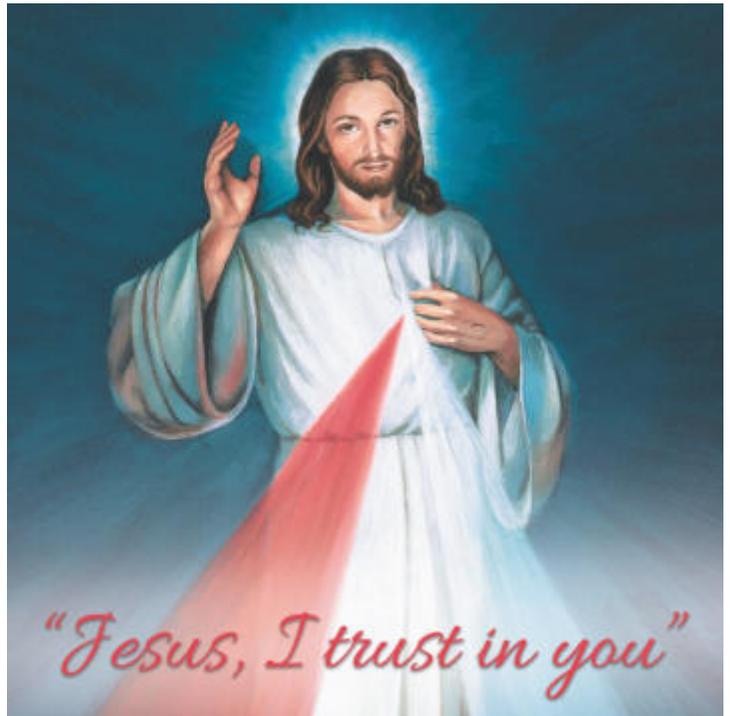
very moment that Christ comes – no locked door can keep Him away! He seeks us out and finding us, invites us to trust in Him. May we heed the words of St. John Paul II today and "be not afraid"!

WEEKLY CHALLENGE

Do you ever struggle with doubt? You are not alone! This week, take some time to reflect on your doubts – what are they and what causes them? Once you have inventoried your doubts, offer them to Christ. Pray that He may strengthen your faith and love for Him.

FAMILY MEALTIME QUESTION

It says in the Gospel that Jesus breathed on his disciples when He gave them the Holy Spirit. Why do you think He did this? Is there anywhere else in Sacred Scripture where God breathes on someone or something?



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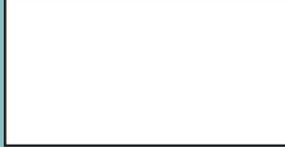
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