Divine Mercy Sunday - April 11, 2021



Daily Bible Reading

Monday, April 12th – Acts 4:23-31; John 3:1-8

Tuesday, April 13th – Acts 4:32-37;

John 3:7-15

Wednesday, April 14th – Acts 5:17-26; John 3:16-21 Thursday, April 15th – Acts 5:27-33; John 3:31-36 Friday, April 16th – Acts 5:34-42; John 6:1-15 Saturday, April 17th – Acts 6:1-7; John 6:16-21 Sunday, April 18th – Acts 3:13-15, 17-19; 1 John 2:1-5; Luke 24:35-48



Tuesday, 04/13 6:30 PM Francis Feala Wednesday, 04/14 8:30 AM Friday, 04/16 7:30 AM (SCB) Saturday, 04/17 5:30 PM (SCB) Sunday, 04/18 8:15 AM (SCB) 10:15 AM (SL)

Denis & Camilla Westermann[‡] TBA

Joseph J. & Mary A. Buresh P TBA

TBA

Ministry Schedule – St. Charles

Tuesday, April 13th, 6:30pm Lector: Rolland Dvorak

Saturday, April 17th, 8:15pm Lectors: Bob Hoops EMHC: Nancy Hoops

Sunday, April 18th, 8:15am Lector: Jan Hobza EMHC: Mary Buller

Ministry Schedule – St. Leo

Sunday, April 11th, 10:15am Lector: Ethan Kreikemeier EMHC: Amanda Diekemper

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Weekly Sacrificial Giving

Weekend of April 4, 2021

St. Charles Borromeo Adult April 4, 2021 \$625 *Total: July 5, 2019 – April 4, 2021 \$62.054.44

Special Collections: Easter: \$3,890

St. Leo's Adult March 28, 2021 \$645 *Total: July 5, 2019 - March 28, 2021 \$18,563.26 Special Collections:

Catholic Relief: \$20 Votive Candles: \$15



Happy Birthday to the following members of our parish family:

April 12 – Maci Jo Jedlicka; April 13 – Burkett Peters; April 14 – Mary Lou Satorie: April 15 – Jean Foy, Marilyn Shanahan, *William Lenneman; April 17 – Jeff Van Nortwick;* Kenneth Burger; April 18 – Jennifer Battenhorst

The Sacrament of Reconciliation

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is offered at St. Charles every Saturday from 2:00-3:00pm You may also call Fr. Keith to schedule an appointment.

MASK OPTIONAL. Social distancing is recommended but the wearing of masks is optional. Sunday masses will continue to be 'Mask Required'.

"Let him have all your worries and cares, for he is always thinking about you and watching everything that concerns you." 1 Peter 5:7

SCRIPTURE REFLECTIONS

"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.

VOCATION BLURBS

"Peace be with you. As the Father has sent Me, so I send you." If you are considering to be a priest, sister or brother who proclaims the truth and peace of Jesus Christ? Contact Fr. Andrew Roza for more information at 402-558-3100 or email www.vocations@archomaha.org

St. Leo's Guild Ladies

Thank you to all the ladies of St Leo's Guild who helped clean our church. A job well done!



Thank you for the Easter flower donations! Our church was beautiful for our Easter celebration! Donations were made in memory of the following:

Joseph J. & Mary A. Buresh - from Mary Ann Buresh

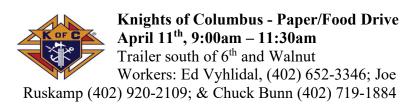
Kathryn & William Pieper

Bill Vyhlidal, Connie Dvorak, James & Antoinette Vanek & William & Ludmilla Vyhlidal

Russell & Loretha Brunken & Herman & Martha Dvorak

Joe & Ann Tworek & Ed & Anna Urkoski – from Richard & Maxine Urkoski

<u>CALENDAR</u>



Knights of Columbus Regular Business Meeting – 7:00pm

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP April 15th and 22nd 6:30pm – 8:00pm

Methodist Fremont Health Health Park Plaza, 3rd Floor Methodist Fremont Health is offering a grief support group for those who have experienced the loss of a loved one. Open to the community and is free of charge. Masks required along with social distancing. There will be music, testimonies, food and door prizes. Their theme is "Come to the Table" (Luke 14:15). Call 402-563-1096 to RSVP

<u>Divine Mercy Sunday</u>

In the 1930s, St. Faustina Kowalska, a young Polish Roman Catholic nun and mystic wrote a diary recording revelations she received about God's mercy. The Diary of Saint Maria Faustina Kowalska: Divine *Mercy in My Soul shares the message that* God's love is unlimited and available to everyone—especially the greatest sinners. The message exhorts us to ask for God's mercy, be merciful to others and to be aware that God's mercy is dependent upon our trust in Jesus. The Divine Mercy image was painted based on her visions and Pope John Paul II established the Feast of Divine Mercy on the first Sunday after *Easter. Jesus asked that a Novena to the* Divine Mercy begin on Good Friday by praying the Divine Mercy chaplet with a specific daily intention, with the most difficult intention of all on the last day: for the souls Feast of divine mercy of the lukewarm and indifferent that caused Jesus more suffering than any other. Jesus promised on Divine Mercy Sunday to "pour put a whole ocean of graces upon those souls who will approach the fount of My *Mercy on this day." He also grants the soul* that goes to the Sacrament of Confession and receives Holy Communion in a state of grace on Divine Mercy Sunday complete forgiveness of their sins and the punishment due them."

The actual Feast Day of Divine Mercy is April 11th but it is celebrated on the 2nd Sunday after Easter.