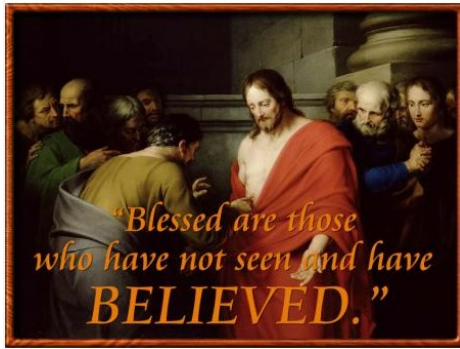


Mass Intentions And Schedule Week of April 17th to April 23th



Tuesday 18

11:30 a.m. Staff Meeting.
6:00 p.m. **MISA.**

Wednesday 19

10:15 a.m. **MISA.**
11:00 a.m. Seniors Program in the San Martín Hall.
1:00 p.m. *Práctica del Coro de las 9 a.m. en la Iglesia.*
6:00 p.m. **Confirmation Class** in Guadalupe Hall.
6:00 p.m. Practice of Noon Choir.

Thursday 20

6:00 p.m. **MISA.**
8:00 p.m. *Alcohólicos Anónimos en S. J. Diego Room.*

Friday 21

12:00 p.m. **MASS.**
6:00 p.m. Cash Bash in San Martín Hall.

Saturday 22

10:30 a.m. Baptism Preparation Classes in Guadalupe Hall.
5:00 p.m. **MASS.**

Sunday 23

9:00 a.m. *MISA intención por el eterno descanso de Gloria Reynaga de parte de Victoria y familia.*

Reynaga

10:15 a.m. **Religious Education for Children K-8th.**
10:15 a.m. **RCIA Program** in San Martín Hall/ *RICA en el Salón de San Martín.*
10:15 a.m. *Educación Religiosa para los Adultos en Guadalupe Hall.*
12:00 p.m. **MASS**
3:00 p.m. Dance Practice for Niños de Cristo Rey in Guadalupe Hall.

NEXT SUNDAY READINGS AND LITURGY MINISTERS

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

Acts 2:14, 22-23 1Pt 1:17-21 Lk 24:13-35

LITURGY MINISTERS FOR SATURDAY

Lector

E. Minister

MINISTROS DE LITURGIA PARA EL DOMINGO

Lector

E. Minister

Altar Server

Teodoro Beltran

Liboria Torres

Manolo Hennig, Ariana

Lomas-Ayala, Emily A.

MINISTROS DE LITURGIA PARA EL DOMINGO

Lector English

Lector Spanish

E. Minister

Altar Server

Nancy Arredondo

Barbara Rodriguez

Renata Perez Arredondo and

Mariana Freeman

FROM THE PASTOR/DEL PADRECITO

Dear Brother and Sisters in Christ,

Happy Easter to each of you for the Lord Jesus Christ is risen!! You did not get the wrong bulletin today. This is the **second** Sunday of Easter for us as Catholic Christians as we can continue to celebrate the gift of Christ's resurrection. After over 40 days of fasting during Lent we have **FIFTY** days of Easter to feast in celebration of God's saving grace for us.

Today specifically is Divine Mercy Sunday, where we hear how Jesus responds to these men who abandoned him during his time of trial, and to the one denied even knowing him when the going got rough. Jesus had every right to reject these men who talked the talk but didn't walk the walk when the going got rough. At the very least they deserved punishment for their sins and not anything good. That would be the Old Covenant perspective to a certain extent. The faithful are blessed and the unfaithful and bad are cursed generally with slight exceptions like Job. This is not how Jesus responds. Jesus shows them the effects of their sins (with his wounds), offers them mercy, and empowers them to offer this mercy to others as well.

Because God chooses them and offers them mercy, these apostles are able to minister this mercy to others as well. This is a biblical foundation for the sacrament of reconciliation for us as Catholics. God continues to offer his mercy through imperfect vessels in his priests. I want to encourage each of us to draw near to this sacrament of mercy this Easter season especially if we didn't get the chance to do so during Lent. God's grace and mercy are here for you. Three other priests and I will be celebrating Divine Mercy at Immaculate Heart of Mary today starting at 2:30 and concluding at 4 PM. Come to pray the Chaplet and get reconciled with God if you need to.

Spring Cleaning this Saturday Morning (April 22nd)

We have been blessed with a good amount of spring weather this past week of Easter and now it is time for some spring cleaning. This Saturday morning, we need all the help that we can get to clean up three main areas of our facilities in preparation for Fiesta and the hall rentals we will have in the coming months. We will be cleaning out the shed in the back, the kitchen of San Martin Hall, and a storage room upstairs. We will begin at **9 AM** and conclude with lunch at **1 PM**. Please come help out for at least a couple of hours to get our Church looking nice and clean going forward into spring.

SVDP Cash Bash Friday

This Friday evening (4/21) our St. Vincent De Paul Conference will be having their Cash Bash event in San Martin Hall from **6 PM to 8 PM**. Thanks to all those who have bought tickets in support of this important ministry. Even if you didn't buy a ticket, you are welcome to the dinner with Sloppy Joes, hot dogs, and chips along with pop and adult beverages being available for purchase. Come support this important ministry to our neighbors in need.

Your Servant in Christ, Fr. Vincent Richardson

Queridos Hermanos y Hermanas en Cristo,

¡¡Feliz Pascua a cada uno de ustedes porque el Señor Jesús ha resucitado!! No agarraste el boletín equivocado hoy. Este es el Segundo Domingo de Pascua para nosotros cristianos católicos mientras continuamos celebrando el regalo de la resurrección de Cristo. Después de los 40 días de ayuno durante la Cuaresma tenemos CINCUENTA días de Pascua para celebrar la gracia salvadora de Dios por nosotros.

Hoy específicamente es el Domingo de la Divina Misericordia, donde escuchamos como Jesús responde a estos hombres que lo abandonaron durante su momento de la prueba, y al que lo negó cuando las cosas se pusieron difíciles. Jesús tenía cada derecho a rechazar a estos hombres que no lo apoyaron cuando los necesitaba. Por lo menos merecían el castigo por sus pecados. Esta hubiera sido hasta cierto punto la perspectiva de la Antigua Alianza.

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Los fieles son bendecidos y los infieles son castigados generalmente con algunas excepciones como Job. Así no es como Jesús responde. Jesús les muestra los efectos de sus pecados con sus heridas, les ofrece misericordia, y les da poder para ofrecer esta misericordia a otros también. Porque Dios los escoge y les ofrece misericordia, estos apóstoles son capaces de ofrecer este ministerio de misericordia a otros también. Esta es la fundación bíblica del sacramento de la Reconciliación para nosotros como católicos. Dios continúa ofreciendo esta misericordia a través de sus vasijas imperfectas, sus sacerdotes. Quiero animar a cada uno de ustedes a acercarse a este sacramento de la misericordia durante esta temporada de Pascua especialmente si no tuviste el chance de hacerlo durante la Cuaresma. La gracia y la misericordia de Dios están aquí para ti. Otros tres sacerdotes y yo estaremos celebrando la Divina Misericordia en la Iglesia de Immaculate Heart of Mary hoy comenzando a las 2:30 y terminando a las 4 PM. Ven a rezar la Coronilla y reconcíliate con Dios si necesitas.

Limpieza de Primavera este Sábado 22 de abril en la Mañana

Hemos sido bendecidos con un tiempo de primavera muy bueno esta semana pasada y ahora es el momento para hacer limpieza de primavera. Este sábado en la mañana, necesitamos toda la ayuda que podamos tener para limpiar las tres principales áreas de nuestro edificio en preparación para la Fiesta y la renta de los salones que tendremos en los próximos meses. Estaremos limpiando el cobertizo en la parte de atrás, la cocina de San Martín, y un salón en el piso de arriba. Comenzaremos a las 9 AM y terminaremos con almuerzo a la 1 PM. Por favor ven a ayudar por lo menos por dos horas para poner nuestra Iglesia hermosa y limpia para la primavera.

Cash Bash de San Vicente de Paul el Viernes

Este viernes 21 de abril nuestra Conferencia de San Vicente de Paul tendrá un evento de Cash Bash en el Salón de San Martín de 6PM A 8PM. Gracias a todos aquellos que han comprado boletos para apoyar a este importante ministerio. Aun si no compraste boleto eres bienvenido a cenar con Sloppy Joes, hot dogs, y papitas junto con soda y bebidas para adultos disponibles para comprar. Ven a apoyar este importante ministerio para nuestros hermanos en necesidad.

Su Servidor en Cristo, Padre Vicente Richardson

THE STORY OF THE DIVINE MERCY

Sister Mary Faustina, an apostle of the Divine Mercy, belongs today to the group of the most popular and well-known saints of the Church. Through her the Lord Jesus communicates to the world the great message of God's mercy and reveals the pattern of Christian perfection based on trust in God and on the attitude of mercy toward one's neighbors. She was born on August 25, 1905, in Glogowiec in Poland of a poor and religious family of peasants. Called during a vision of the Suffering Christ, on August 1, 1925, she entered the Congregation of the Sisters of Our Lady of Mercy and took the name Sister Mary Faustina. The Lord Jesus chose Sr. Mary Faustina as the Apostle and "Secretary" of His Mercy, so that she could tell the world about His great message. The mission of the Blessed Sr. Mary Faustina was recorded in her *Diary* which she kept at the specific request of the Lord Jesus and her confessors. In it, she recorded faithfully all of the Lord Jesus' wishes and also described the encounters between her soul and Him. Sr. Mary Faustina's work sheds light on the mystery of the Divine Mercy. It delights not only the simple and uneducated people, but also scholars who look upon it as an additional source of theological research. Sister Mary Faustina, consumed by tuberculosis and by innumerable sufferings which she accepted as a voluntary sacrifice for sinners, died in Krakow at the age of thirty-three on October 5, 1938. On April 18, 1993, St. John Paul II raised Sister Faustina to the glory of the altars.

CASH BASH!!!

Friday, April 21th, 2023 from 6pm to 9pm
In the San Martín Hall.

Good food and drink available for purchase.
For the benefit of St. Vincent de Paul Society.

Viernes, 21 de abril del 2023 de las 6pm a las 9pm
En el Salón de San Martín.

Habrà buena comida y bebida disponible de venta.
Para beneficio de la Sociedad de San Vicente de Paul.



The Fiesta Committee

is planning for this year's Fiesta. We still need an Assistant Fiesta Director. Let Guillermo Lopez know if you are interested in this vacancy. We also have a list for volunteers to sign up in the front of the Church. And please remember to pick up your Raffle Tickets in the office to sell. Help us to help our Church and community!

El Comité de la Fiesta

Está planeando para la Fiesta de este año. Todavía necesitamos un Asistente del Director para la Fiesta. Dejala saber a Guillermo Lopez si estas interesado en este puesto. También tenemos una lista para voluntarios para registrarse en el frente de la Iglesia. Y por favor no te olvides de recoger tus Boletos de la Rifa en la oficina para vender. ¡Ayúdanos a ayudar a nuestra Iglesia y comunidad!

**Pope Francis Intention for the month of April:
For a non-violent culture.**

Everyone, said the Pope, is called to "develop a culture of peace." Nonviolence, he said, can offer a guide for our actions, "both in daily life and in international relations." "Let us remember that, even in cases of self-defense, peace is the ultimate goal, and that a lasting peace can exist only without weapons."

PLEASE REMEBER TO PRAY FOR THE SICK

Ingham Facility 3860 Dobie Rd. Okemos, MI: Evita Salinas.
HOME: Ray Medrano, Linda Davaloz and Leo LeVeque, Bernabé García, Juan Lopez, Marta Romero, Gonzalo Cajas, Chris and Melody Marinez, Lucy Rendon, Juan Trevino and Juan Trevino Jr., Mamie Pérez, Johnny & Ortencia Martínez, Héctor & Lupe Arroyo, Chris Hall, Zoila Torres, Nena Moreno, Lisa & Chayo Cervantes, Carlos Vázquez, Higinio Rivera, Ruty Bonilla, Gloria Anguiano, Katy Smith, Rosa Parr, Gaylord Brooks, Hugo Victor Molina, Doug Power, Carmen Enrique, Pedro Pérez Gutiérrez, Mark García, Roger Massman, Ignacio, Rosa Centeno, Agustín Martínez, Marta Bobillo, Lalo Servantes, Andrea Cuellar, Matthew Jordan, Elva Reyes, Willie Castilla, Carrie Guzman, Barbara Rdgz, Eva Rendon, Ryan Ebbinghaus, Cristiano Rios Martinez and Tina Torres.

Stewarship/Corresponsabilidad April 8/9

Envelopes/Sobres	\$4,492.00
Loose Cash/Dinero Suelto	\$1,231.76
Electronic Donations/Donaciones Electrónicas	\$1,800.00
Building Fund	\$340.00
Total Collection for our Church/Colecta Total	\$7,863.76