

# GOOD NEWS *Benedictine*

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**DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY**



**2ND SUNDAY OF EASTER**  
(DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY)

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." - Jn 20:26-27

# ONE FAMILY WEEKLY CALENDAR

April 12th – April 19th, 2026

**CHR-CHURCH / CHP-CHAPEL / CNV-CONVENT**

**Sunday April 12th / Divine Mercy Sunday**

*Acts 2:42-47/Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24/1 Pt 1:3-9/Jn 20:19-31*

**Confessions @ 10:15am/Celebration of Mass @ 11am CHR**

**Knights and Ladies Low Sunday Turnout**

**OCIA @ 9:30 am CNV**

**Confirmation Prep @ 12:15 pm CNV**

**Coffee Hour after Mass CNV**

**Monday, April 13th**

*Acts 4:23-31/Ps 2:1-3, 4-7a, 7b-9/Jn 3:1-8*

**Tuesday, April 14th**

*Acts 4:32-37/Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5/Jn 3:7b-15*

**ONE FAMILY CATHOLIC CENTER "DROP IN" 10 AM-4 PM CNV**

**Wednesday, April 15th**

*Acts 5:17-26/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Jn 3:16-21*

**ONE FAMILY CATHOLIC CENTER "DROP IN" 10 AM-4 PM CNV**

**Confessions @ 11:30 am/Mass @ 12:05 pm CHP**

**Mother of Perpetual Help Devotion @ 12:30 pm CHP**

**Thursday, April 16th**

*Acts 5:27-33/Ps 34:2 and 9, 17-18, 19-20/Jn 3:31-36*

**Our Lady of Guadalupe Prayer Meeting @ 9:00 AM CHP**

**Friday, April 17th**

*Acts 5:34-42/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14/Jn 6:1-15*

**Confessions @ 11:30 am/Mass @ 12:05 pm CHP**

**Saturday, April 18th**

*Acts 6:1-7/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19/Jn 6:16-21*

**Mass @ 8:00 am / Confessions/Adoration @ 8:30 CHP**

**Youth Bible Study @ 9:40 am CNV**

**Religious Ed @ 11 am CNV**

**Sunday, April 19th / 3rd Sunday of Easter**

*Acts 2:14, 22-33/Ps 16:1-2 and 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11/1 Pt 1:17-21/Lk 24:13-35*

**OCIA @ 9:30 am CNV**

**Confessions @ 10:15am/Celebration of Mass @ 11am CHR**

**Confirmation Prep @ 12:15 pm CNV**

**Coffee Hour after Mass CNV**

## HOLY DAYS

**PLEASE CALL THE PARISH OFFICE FOR DAYS/TIMES**

### ANointing OF THE SICK

**Call Parish Office For Appointment (opt #3)**

### MARRIAGE

**Must contact Parish Priest 6 months prior to marriage date**

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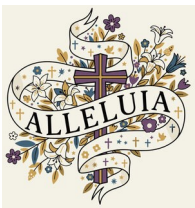
**Sunday, April 12th**

*Special Intentions for the Parishioners of St. Scholastica and Presentation Our Lady of Victory*

To have a Mass offered with either Parish, there are envelopes located at Outer Drive and side entrances of the Church.

Please complete the information with your name, phone number, include your \$10 check or cash and drop in one of the parish collection baskets. We will contact you to confirm receiving and complete the final date of Mass Intention.

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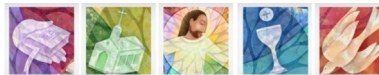


**We congratulate Donnett Jourdan on being fully initiated in the Sacraments of Baptism, Communion and Confirmation**

**WE ARE AN ALLELUIA PEOPLE!**



**ONE FAMILY RELIGIOUS FORMATION**



**Sacramental Preparation**  
Saturday, April 11th & 25th  
@ 11:00 am

**Confirmation Preparation**  
Sunday, April 12th & 19th  
@ 12:15 pm

**Religious Education**  
Saturday, April 18th  
@ 11:00 am

**YOUTH SUNDAY**  
Sunday, April 26th

Today we celebrate the 2nd Sunday of Easter, also known as Divine Mercy Sunday.

The Easter season is 50 days from the Sunday of the Resurrection to Pentecost Sunday and are celebrated in joy and exultation as one feast day. **These are the days above all others in which the Alleluia is sung!**

**NOTE:** Responsorial Psalms that we sing between the first and second reading every week, may be substituted with **“Alleluia”** as a response during this season.

As sung on Easter Sunday, we will sing **“Alleluia”** as our Responsorial response during the 50 days of Easter.

This means, instead of the Psalm response/antiphon that is usually intoned/sung by the cantor, you will hear an **“Alleluia”** sung. This is also shown in the Sunday’s Word as an option.

**REMEMBER.... Your immediate reaction will be to stand. Please note, this is still the Responsorial response and is not meant as a time to stand. Remain seated until after the second reading when the Gospel acclamation will be proclaimed and you see the President stand.**

It may be a bit confusing at first, but after 40 days without singing our praises, this will be a beautiful way to sing for joy and lift our praises to the Lord multiple times throughout the Mass!!

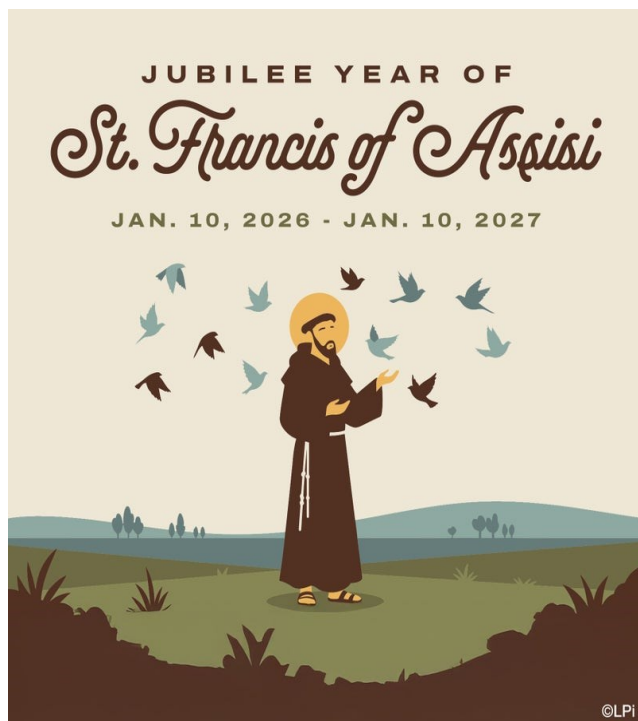
**NEW “DROP-IN” HOURS**

Since the opening of our OFCC, we have decided to open it up another day!!

**YOU CAN NOW JOIN US ON  
Tuesday and Wednesdays  
from 10am- 4pm**

We’ve had a nice response so far with parishioners coming and enjoying a cup of coffee while sharing stories or eating their bagged lunch brought from home. Some have played cards and listened to some classical music or took time away to pray in the Chapel. We would like to start a movie series, possibly even a book club or exercise program!

**PLEASE COME AND JOIN US!!!**





## DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

# PASTOR'S PAGE



### Trust in the Divine Mercy

The devotion to Divine Mercy is a beautiful reminder that God's love is greater than our sin. Through the revelations given to Saint Faustina Kowalska, Jesus showed the world how deep His mercy truly is and how much He longs to forgive and heal us. In a world often marked by fear, guilt, and discouragement, this message is especially important. We are reminded that no matter how far we may feel from God, His mercy is always available to us, especially through the Sacrament of Confession. Promoted strongly by Pope John Paul II, this devotion continues to be a powerful source of hope for the Church today.

To live out this devotion, we are first invited to trust in God's mercy—but this trust must lead us to true repentance. Receiving God's mercy is not simply about being forgiven; it means turning away from sin and allowing God to transform our lives. When we repent sincerely, we open our hearts to the grace that God freely gives us—the grace we need to grow in holiness. God does not leave us as we are; His mercy heals us, strengthens us, and helps us become the people He created us to be.

Prayer is essential in this journey of conversion. The Divine Mercy Chaplet, a simple yet powerful prayer, helps us meditate on the Passion of Christ and the price of our redemption. Many are encouraged to pray it daily, especially at the 3:00 p.m. hour—the hour of Jesus' death—as a moment to pause, reflect, and entrust ourselves to His mercy. Through this prayer, we not only ask for forgiveness but also receive the strength to persevere in the struggle against sin and to grow in virtue.

But Divine Mercy is not only about receiving God's love; it also calls us to give that same mercy to others. As we experience God's forgiveness, we are sent forth to forgive those who have hurt us and to act with compassion in our daily lives. This can be challenging, but God's grace makes it possible. By practicing mercy—through patience, kindness, and forgiveness—we become instruments of Christ's love in the world. In this way, living the Divine Mercy devotion transforms not only our hearts, but also the lives of those around us.

Ad Maximam Trinitatis Gloriam

Fr. Marco Kiyon PES

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### How to Receive Holy Communion?

Receiving Holy Communion at Mass is a sacred moment in which we receive Jesus Christ truly present in the Eucharist. When it is time for Communion, as you approach the minister, make a simple gesture of reverence, usually a bow of the head. The priest or minister will say, "The Body of Christ," and you respond, "Amen," affirming your belief in the True Presence. You may receive on the tongue or in the hand (where permitted). If receiving in the hand, place one hand over the other, forming a

"throne," and **consume the Host immediately in front of the minister.** After receiving, return to your place and spend some time in silent prayer and thanksgiving. This is a privileged moment of intimacy with Christ, who has just come into your soul.

**Call to action:** Next time you approach to receive Communion, keep this in mind.



# 2026 APRIL

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	
<b><u>HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE</u></b>						03	04
<b><u>Palm Sunday Mass at St. Scholastica @ 11:00 am</u></b>							
<b><u>Holy Thursday - Family Meal @ 5:45 pm/Lord's Supper Mass at Corpus Christi @ 7:30 pm</u></b>							
<b><u>Good Friday-Stations@12pm/Rosary@12:45pm/ Mass of the Passion at St. Scholastica @ 1:30 pm</u></b>							
<b><u>Holy Saturday - Easter Vigil of the Night at Corpus Christi @ 8:30 pm</u></b>							
<b><u>Easter Sunday - The Resurrection of the Lord at St. Scholastica - 11:00 am</u></b>							
05	06	07	08	09	10	11	
<b><u>EASTER SUNDAY</u></b> Mass of the Lord's Resurrection @ 11am <b>NO OCIA</b>			<b><u>Confessions/Mass</u></b> 11:30am/12:05pm Mother of Perpetual Help @ 12:30 pm <b>OFCC Drop-In CLOSED</b>	Our Lady of Guadalupe Prayer Meeting @ 9:00 am	<b><u>Confessions/Mass</u></b> 11:30am/12:05pm	<b><u>Mass/Confessions</u></b> 8:00am/8:30am <b><u>Adoration</u></b> 8:30am YOUTH BIBLE STUDY @ 9:40 am Sacramental Prep @ 11:00 am	
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19	20	21	22	23	24	25	
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26	27	28	29	30			
<b><u>EASTER 4</u></b> OCIA @ 9:30am Youth Sunday Mass @ 11am Coffee Hour after Mass LPC Meeting @ 12:30 pm		OFCC Drop-In 10am-4pm	<b><u>Confessions/Mass</u></b> 11:30am/12:05pm Mother of Perpetual Help @ 12:30 pm OFCC Drop-In 10am-4pm	Our Lady of Guadalupe Prayer Meeting @ 9:00 am			



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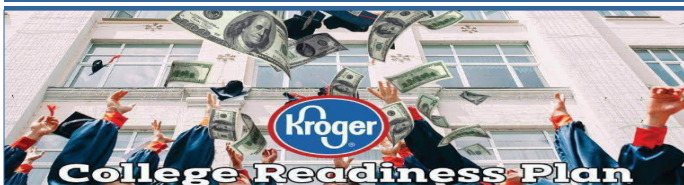
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- TIME:** Mon-Fri 8:30am-12pm, Sat 1-4pm
- LOCATION:** Corpus Christi Parish
- PRICE:** \$10 per camper  
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## **GOSPEL**

Jesus gave the power to forgive sins through his apostles. Today the priests are his apostles. They remind us of how God forgives our sins. You have the power to forgive those who hurt you. It is your choice to forgive as Jesus has forgiven you. It is healthy for you to forgive. Anger makes your body tense and your muscles ache. When you forgive others, God sends his love to fill your body and soul with peace.

## **PRAYER**

Lord, help me forgive those who hurt me.



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# GROWING

WITH THE *Gospel*

CYCLE A



## COLOR

Read the Gospel of the week and color the image.



2nd Sunday of Easter • John 20:19-31



# PUZZLE

Which key will unlock this door?



# MISSION

I will pray for those who hurt me and forgive them.



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