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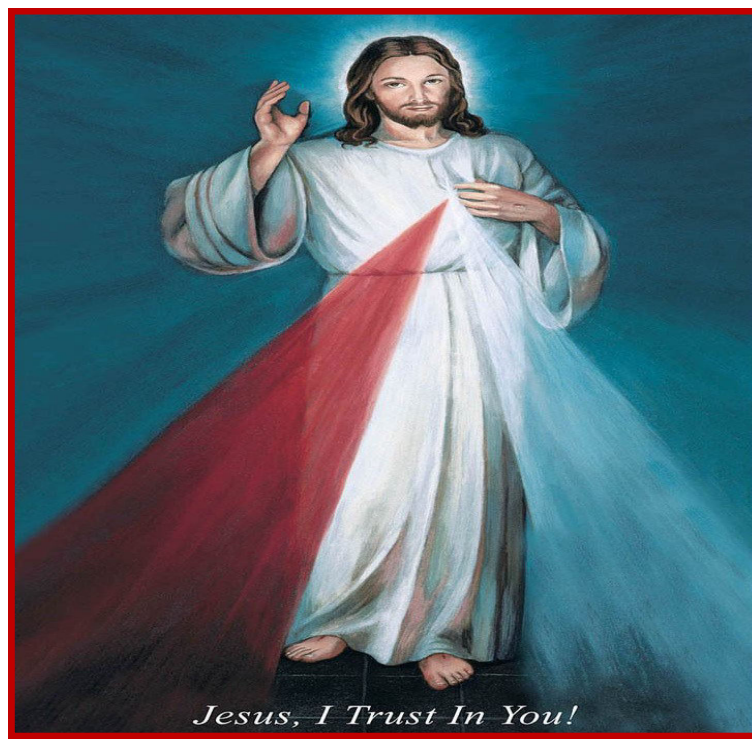
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Jesus, I Trust In You!

MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday to Friday: 6:30 p.m.
Saturday: 5:00 p.m. Sunday Vigil Mass (English)
Sunday: 10:00 a.m. Mass (English)
12:00 noon Mass (Spanish)
4:00 p.m. Mass (Spanish)

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Tuesday to Friday: 6:00 p.m. - 6:20 p.m.
Saturday: 4:00 p.m. - 4:50 p.m.
At other times call for appointment

Sacraments

♦ **Baptisms**
By appointment only. On the third Saturday of each month at 10:00 A.M. Contact the Parish Office for more information regarding preparation.

♦ **Marriage:**
By appointment only. Please contact the Parish Office at least six (6) months prior to the proposed wedding date to avoid any complications or scheduling conflicts.

♦ **Quinceañeras Mass:**
By appointment only. Please contact the Parish Office at least six (6) months prior to the proposed Quinceañera date. They must have received: Baptism, and First Communion. The also must be enrolled in Confirmation Classes and/or Youth Group.

♦ **Anointing of the Sick:**
Please call the Parish Office when someone is seriously ill so that we can provide spiritual care.

Parish Office Hours

Monday to Thursday:
9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. and 1:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Parish Office (956)726-0210 ext. 100
Religious Education Office (956)726-0210 ext. 113

Mission Statement

Divine Mercy Catholic Church strives to create a parish that reflects unity by witnessing, teaching and proclaiming the love of our Lord Jesus Christ; to educate our community through the teachings of the Catholic Church by spreading the message of mercy; to dedicate ourselves to the mission of Christ through the celebration of the sacraments, evangelization and services to others.

Clergy and Staff

Father Michael A. De Leon, Pastor
Father Luis E. Mares, Parochial Vicar
Deacon Mario Guerra
Deacon Gerardo Mares
Deacon Michael Santasieri

Aby Acosta Administrative Assistant
Imelda Castro Administration / Office Assistant
Veronica D Garcia.. Coordinator of Religious Education

Ministries and Organizations

Any information about Ministries, Parish Groups, Organizations or Parish events please call the parish office.

Welcome New Parishioners



We are glad you were led by God to join us!
If you are new to Divine Mercy Parish, we invite you to register as a parishioner.

Weekly Schedule

SATURDAY, JANUARY 28
05:00pm Sunday Vigil Mass (English)

SUNDAY, JANUARY 29
10:00pm Mass (English)
12:00pm Mass (Spanish)
04:00pm Mass (Spanish)

MONDAY, JANUARY 30
No Mass

TUESDAY, JANUARY 31
06:30pm Mass (Spanish)

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 01
06:30pm Mass (Spanish)

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 02
06:30pm Mass (Spanish)

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 03
6:30pm Mass (Spanish)
07:00pm Hora Santa

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 04
05:00pm Sunday Vigil Mass (English)
10:00am Apóstoles de Fátima (Reparación al Inmaculado Corazón de María)

Sunday Readings

FIRST READING
Zephaniah 2:3; 3:12-13 "Seek the Lord, all you humble of the earth."
RESPONSORIAL PSALM
Psalm 146 "Blessed are the poor in spirit; the kingdom of heaven is theirs!"
SECOND READING
1 Corinthians 1:26-31 God chose the foolish of the world to shame the wise.
GOSPEL
Matthew 5:1-12a Blessed are the lowly, the sorrowing, the poor in spirit.

Take home a candle that was lit in the presence



Donation per candle \$6.00 @ the Office

Last Week Offertory Collection

05:00pm Saturday Mass	\$ 1,569.00
10:00am Sunday Mass	\$ 1,447.00
12:00pm Sunday Mass	\$ 2,004.00
04:00pm Sunday Mass	\$ 1,267.00
Sunday Collection Online	\$ 473.00
Building Fund	\$ 0.00
Online Building Fund	\$ 25.00
2nd Collection (non-parochial)	\$ 0.00
TOTAL	\$ 6,785.00



Monthly Dedications (Devotions)



Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ordinary Time gives us the opportunity to focus on the ordinary aspects of our faith and realize their continuity through history. Take the value of humility. Centuries before Jesus, Zephaniah told the people of Judah to seek humility. In the early years of Christianity, Paul explained that God chose the lowly to show that the arrogant are nothing before God. Finally, we hear Jesus teach his disciples that the meek and lowly will inherit the land. Now—two thousand years later—may God's word call us to humility as well.



El Tiempo Ordinario nos da la oportunidad de centrarnos en los aspectos ordinarios de nuestra fe y darnos cuenta de su continuidad a lo largo de la historia. Toma el valor de la humildad. Siglos antes de Jesús, Sofonías le dijo a la gente de Judá que buscara la humildad. En los primeros años del cristianismo, Pablo explicó que Dios escogió a los humildes para mostrar que los arrogantes no son nada ante Dios. Finalmente, escuchamos a Jesús enseñar a sus discípulos que los mansos y humildes heredarán la tierra. Ahora, dos mil años después, que la palabra de Dios también nos llame a la humildad.

Question Of The Week

For whom do I find it difficult to have empathy? How can I strengthen my empathy toward those who are not like me?

¿Por quién me resulta difícil tener empatía? ¿Cómo puedo fortalecer mi empatía hacia aquellos que no son como yo?

NOTICE TO 2nd YEAR CONFIRMATION PARENTS
Upcoming meeting to be held
Thursday Feb. 9th @7pm
Make plans to attend

"Mi alma Glorifica al Señor"
Iglesia de San Jose
723-4172
Febrero 11, 2023
9:00am - 11:30am
Celebrantes
Rev. Jose Cadena
Rev. Toribio Guerrero
Rev. Dr. Janusz Glabinski
Enseñanza-Misa de Sanacion-Confesiones
Alabanzas por Elvia Granados y equipo

This Week Observances

Sunday 29	FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Catholic Schools Week begins (Jan. 29-Feb. 4)
Monday 30	Weekday
Tuesday 31	St. John Bosco, Priest
Wednesday 01	Weekday / National Freedom Day
Thursday 02	The Presentation of the Lord World Day for Consecrated Life / Groundhog Day
Friday 03	St. Blaise, Bishop and Martyr St. Ansgar, Bishop
Saturday 04	Optional Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, JANUARY 28
07:00pm Divine Mercy Parishioners

SUNDAY, JANUARY 29
10:00am † Matthew E. Bondoc
12:00pm Marcos Gutierrez (B-Day)
Veronica & Santiago Gutierrez Jr. (Wedd. Aniv.)
† Petrita Alonzo
† Rosa Rendón
04:00pm Guillermina & Gerardo Mario Zapata (57 Wedd. Aniv.)
† David Garcia
† Cesar Manuel Inurreta

MONDAY, JANUARY 30
No Mass

TUESDAY, JANUARY 31
06:30pm † Maria Hernandez
† Hector Marines

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 01
06:30pm Por los matrimonios en dificultades

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 02
10:00am Juan Antonio Martinez (B-Day)
† Maria Salazar de Martinez
† Juan Francisco Martinez Hernandez
† Jose Hernandez

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 03
06:30pm † Michelle Mika Martinez
† Maria Salazar de Martinez
† Juan Francisco Martinez Hernandez



Sanctuary Candle

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† Jose Guadalupe & Maria Hernandez
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First Sunday of the Month 3:00pm

Announcements

Every first Friday of the month. Come, let us Adore Him!

7:00pm

Primer viernes del mes
¡Adorémosle!

Do you have any problems? Go to the Blessed Sacrament
Do you feel sad? Go to the Blessed Sacrament
Do you not have a job? Go to the Blessed Sacrament
Does nobody understand you? Go to the Blessed Sacrament

Apóstoles de Fátima
Rosario de Reparación al Inmaculado Corazón de María

Primer Sábado de cada mes a las 10:00 AM
Promesa de María:
Asistimos en la hora de la muerte con las gracias necesarias para la salvación de nuestra alma.

MINISTERIO DE APÓSTOLES DE FÁTIMA

La fiesta de la Presentación del Señor es una fiesta de esperanza. Como María y José, como Simeón y Ana, también nosotros podemos encontrar a Jesucristo, luz de las naciones y gloria de Israel.

Él viene a nuestra vida en sus sacramentos, sobre todo en el sacramento de su Cuerpo y de su Sangre, para iniciar de este modo en nuestro corazón la vida eterna, esa vida que no tiene fin y que consiste, para siempre, en el encuentro con Cristo en el cielo.

2 de Febrero
Bendición de las Velas
6:30pm

3 de Febrero
San Blas
Protector de las vías respiratorias
6:30pm
Bendición de la garganta y las vías respiratorias

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