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DOMINGO DE LA DIVINA MISERICORDIA
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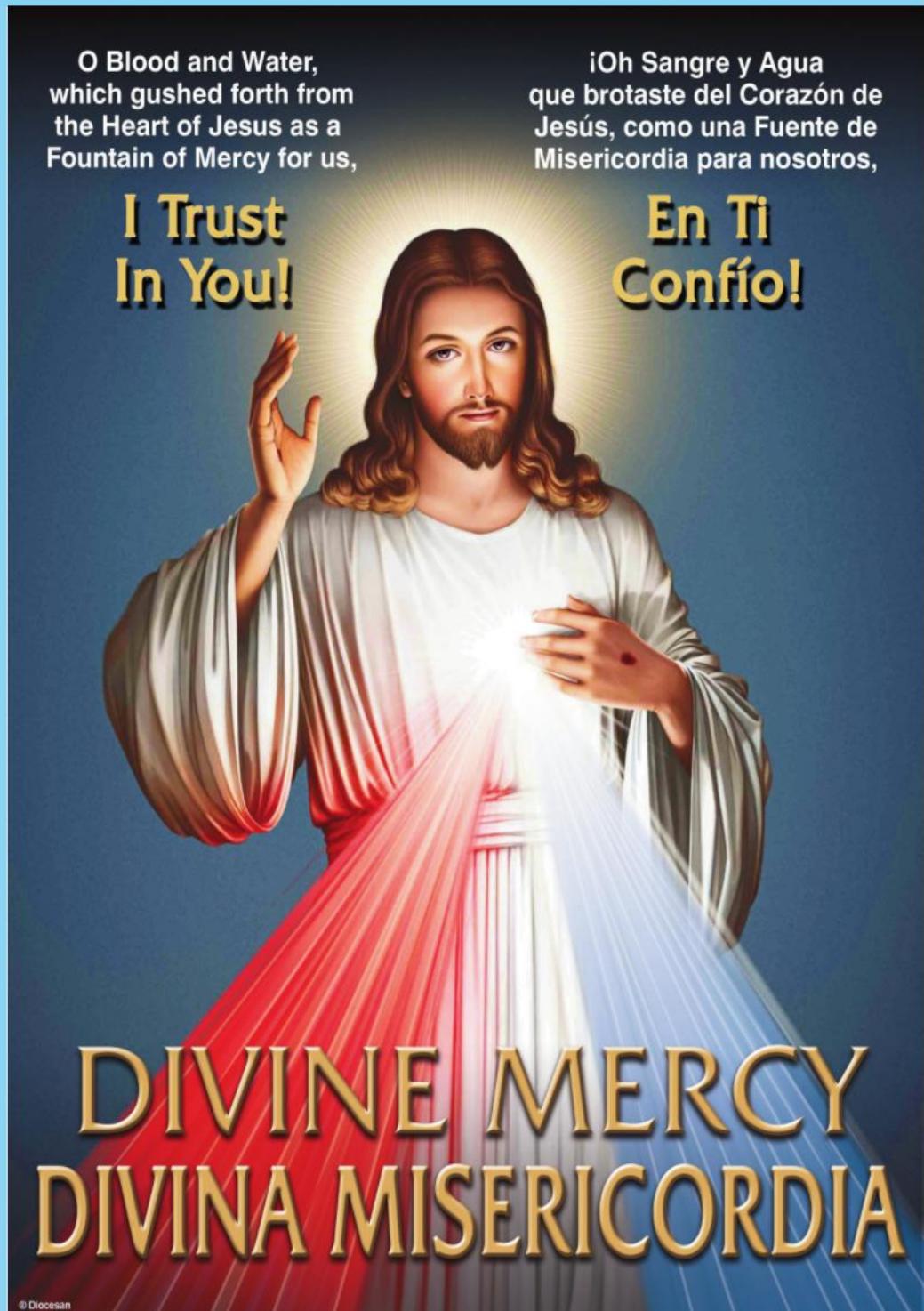
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FORMED.org invites everyone to join them for a *Lent to Remember* specials. One can tune in to their programs called *Symbolon and Forgiven*, where one can explore the ways God reaches out to each of us with mercy. It will take us to Christ's suffering on the cross

in the Paschal Mystery and his perpetual reception of His people in the Sacrament of Reconciliation. *A Lent to Remember* communicates God's invitation to come and experience God's indescribable love this Lenten season.

Also, FORMED welcomes everyone to God's love by watching short, daily videos from Scripture scholar Dr. Tim Gray. These will serve as awakening reflections during Lent. The Office of Religious Education urges everyone in the parish to see what FORMED offers. Please follow the following steps to sign up: 1) Google FORMED.org <https://signup.formed.org/> 2) Click on "I belong to the Parish Organization" and type 1311 Robinson Dr. Haines City 33845 3) Type your name 4) Type your e-mail address. At this point, the program will appear on your screen, and you can start navigating the page. The next time you open the page, go to Formed.org; just sign in with your e-mail address, and that's it. Enjoy!

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, April 10, 2021

- 4:00 PM + Craig Wallner
7:00 PM (Sp.) + Eric Sanchez

Sunday, April 11, 2021

- 7:30 AM + Arthur Anacker
10:00 AM + John Reiter
12:00 PM (Sp.) + Rogelio Salinas Arteaga
7:00 PM (Sp.) Pro Populo

Monday, April 12, 2021

- 9:00 AM + Joe Lopez

Tuesday, April 13, 2021

- 9:00 AM + Fred Villacci

Wednesday, April 14, 2021

- 9:00 AM + Memorial Mass Association

Thursday, April 15, 2021

- 9:00 AM + Felipe Landeros

Friday, April 16, 2021

- 9:00 AM + Dan Mejia
7:00 PM (Sp.) + Ana Maria Robles Alicea
Saturday, April 17, 2021
4:00 PM + Ann Seitz
7:00 PM (Sp.) + Carlos Soto
Sunday, April 18, 2021
7:30 AM + Linda Savitskie
10:00 AM + Audrey Gold
12:00 PM (Sp.) + Hipolito Arendondo
7:00 PM (Sp.) Pro Populo

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April 3 & 4, 2021

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Need: \$65,837.47

DIVINE MERCY PRAYER



You expired, O Jesus,
but the source of life gushed forth
for souls, and an ocean of mercy
opened up for the whole world.
O Fount of Life,
unfathomable Divine Mercy,
envelop the whole world
and empty Yourself out upon us.
O Blood and Water,
which gushed forth from the Heart
of Jesus as a fount of mercy for us,
I trust in You. Amen.

The Chaplet of Divine Mercy will be prayed before every Mass this weekend.



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We have resumed our normal Mass schedule.

Monday-Friday	9:00 AM - Eng.
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Saturday, Vigil Mass for Sunday	4:00 PM - Eng.
Saturday, Vigil Mass for Sunday	7:00 PM - Sp.
Sunday 7:30 AM - Eng.	10:00 AM - Eng.
12:00 PM - Sp.	7:00 PM - Sp.

We will continue to broadcast Sunday Mass on Social Media.

Parishioners are invited to come celebrate with us. It is mandatory that you wear a mask and practice social distancing. Confessions are available by appointment only.

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Thank you.

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Thank you to all of our parishioners who were able to help during the 2020 tax year. During this trying time, your generous monetary donations were able to keep St. Ann Catholic Church open and running smoothly. Again, thank you for all your gifts.

Tax Donation Statements are now available in the Church Office.

MERCY WITHOUT MEASURE



On this Second Sunday of Easter, we celebrate the Feast of Divine Mercy. In it, we can reach the center of the first Christian communities, whose formation is a privileged testimony to find the traces of the Mercy that God offers us through his Son. He, who has given his life for our salvation, has left the mandate to his disciples so that, by assuming the ministry of mercy, all his sons and daughters can reach the arms of the Father. That nascent community that had dispersed at the time of the cross is now reunited with new vigor, as witnessed by the account of the apostles' deeds: "The multitude of those who had believed had only one heart and one soul" (Acts 4:32).

The bonds that unite the new community are stronger than those they had with Jesus in their human life because they unite in the Spirit of Christ, and they can tune their lives with the merciful heart of the Father. On this feast of Mercy, the Church invites us to pray, with the meditation on the chaplet of Divine Mercy, which the Lord revealed to Saint Mary Faustina Kowalska with the promise that whoever prays it will receive his infinite Mercy (Diary, 1541). This devotion allows us to surrender our miseries to the Redemptive Passion to obtain the forgiveness of sins; thus, the soul is exalted and can honestly say, "I trust you."

Saint John Paul II reaffirmed the need to deepen our understanding of God's mercy. He emphasized the permanent ecclesial mission of proclaiming God's mercy to the world. From this, we are taught: "The Church cries to God to implore His mercy, the certain manifestation of which she professes and proclaims as having already come in Jesus crucified and risen, that is, in the Paschal Mystery. It is this mystery which bears within itself the most complete revelation of mercy, that is, of that love which is more powerful than death, more powerful than sin and every evil, the love which lifts man up when he falls into the abyss and frees him from the greatest threats" (Dives in Misericordia n. 15).

Since the Lord knows us intimately, let us ask him to take our miseries and restore us by consciously saying: "For His sorrowful Passion, have mercy on us and on the whole world."

Fr. Duber



OUR SINCERE APPRECIATION AND GRATITUDE

Fr. Alfonso and Fr. Duber would like to thank: The Knights of Columbus, the Columbiettes, Juan XXIII, The Charismatic Group, the Staff of St. Ann, Cantors, Lectors, Altar Servers, Sacristans, Ushers, and Money Counters, and specifically: Kris Schave, Tammy Higgins, Bob Higgins, Ann Wolber, Karilyn Mangual, Ed Phillips, and Ed Leo for your faithful services, talents, and ministry for our parish during all of our celebrations for Holy Week, at the Easter Vigil, and Easter Sunday. The Lord has blessed us with amazing people who serve for the Glory of God!

WHAT IS DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY?

In a series of revelations to St. Maria Faustina Kowalska in the 1930s, our Lord called for a special feast day to be celebrated on the Sunday after Easter. Today, we know that feast as Divine Mercy Sunday, named by Pope St. John Paul II at the canonization of St. Faustina on April 30, 2000.

The Lord expressed His will with regard to this feast in His very first revelation to St. Faustina. The most comprehensive revelation can be found in her *Diary* entry 699:

My daughter, tell the whole world about My inconceivable mercy. I desire that the Feast of Mercy be a refuge and a shelter for all souls, and especially for poor sinners. On that day, the very depths of My tender mercy are open. I pour out a whole ocean of graces upon those souls who approach the fount of My mercy. The soul that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion shall obtain complete forgiveness of sins and punishment. On that day opened are all the divine floodgates through which graces flow. Let no soul fear to draw near to Me, even though its sins be as scarlet. My mercy is so great that no mind, be it of man or of angel, will be able to fathom it throughout all eternity. Everything that exists has come from the very depths of My most tender mercy. Every soul in its relation to Me will contemplate My love and mercy throughout eternity. The Feast of Mercy emerged from My very depths of tenderness. It is My desire that it be solemnly celebrated on the first Sunday after Easter. Mankind will not have peace until it turns to the Fount of My mercy.

In all, St. Faustina recorded 14 revelations from Jesus concerning His desire for this feast.

Nevertheless, Divine Mercy Sunday is NOT a feast based solely on St. Faustina's revelations. Indeed, it is not primarily about St. Faustina — nor is it altogether a new feast. The Second Sunday of Easter was already a solemnity as the Octave Day of Easter. The title "Divine Mercy Sunday" does, however, highlight the meaning of the day.

The Divine Mercy.org

WHAT'S UP IN RELIGIOUS EDUCATION?

We are very excited to welcome to our Catholic Family the 31 who were baptized and received Holy Communion for the very first time and the 51 who were confirmed at the Easter Vigil: Fernando, Mia, Gerardo, Miranda, Dulce, Ahmed, Majid, Esteban, Reyna, Elizabeth, Juilana, Maicol, Christopher, Daniel, Daniela, Mauro, Harry, Marisenia, Guillermo, Sebastian, Marcos, Isabella, Noe, Araceli, Araceli, Giselle, Alonzo, Adrianna, Jhonovan, Alondra, Jaimilyn, Jose, Diana, Javier, Natalia, Jazmaidee, Kathy Armando, Jewelian, Margarita, Abran, Jailine, Adan, Jeovany, Carlos, Cristian, Ecker, Shelsy, Tony, Elisa, Angel, Anibal, and Hugo. We will continue to pray for you all.



The RCIA catechists and team offer our thanks to all those present for the Masses for the past five Sundays and the Easter Vigil as well as our parish community as a whole, who prayed for and with our candidates during the RCIA Penitential Rite, and our elect during the RCIA Scrutinies. Please continue to pray for our elect and candidates as they enter into the period of the RCIA process, which is the neophyte year. All who were baptized and received into full communion are called neophytes in this period until the anniversary of their initiation next Easter. The final period of regular weekly formation extends through the Easter Season, the seven weeks from Easter to Pentecost. This post-baptismal catechesis is called mystagogy. It is a time for deepening the Christian experience, especially in appreciation for the sacramental life, for spiritual growth, and for entering more fully into the life and unity of the Catholic community. The neophytes now share with Christ, and his Body in the parish community, the intimate communion of the Eucharist. Now they have access to all the means of sanctification. We, as a parish community, pledge to help them grow and mature in the Christian life and develop a genuine Catholic worldview. Please pray for all those whom God has called to join us as we continue on our pilgrimage to our Father in Heaven.

How to pray The Chaplet of Divine Mercy

1. Make the Sign of the Cross

2. (Optional*) Pray,

You expired, Jesus, but the source of life gushed forth for souls, and the ocean of mercy opened up for the whole world. O Fount of Life, unfathomable Divine Mercy, envelop the whole world and empty Yourself out upon us.

O Blood and Water, which gushed forth from the Heart of Jesus as a fountain of Mercy for us, I trust in You!

3. "Our Father,"

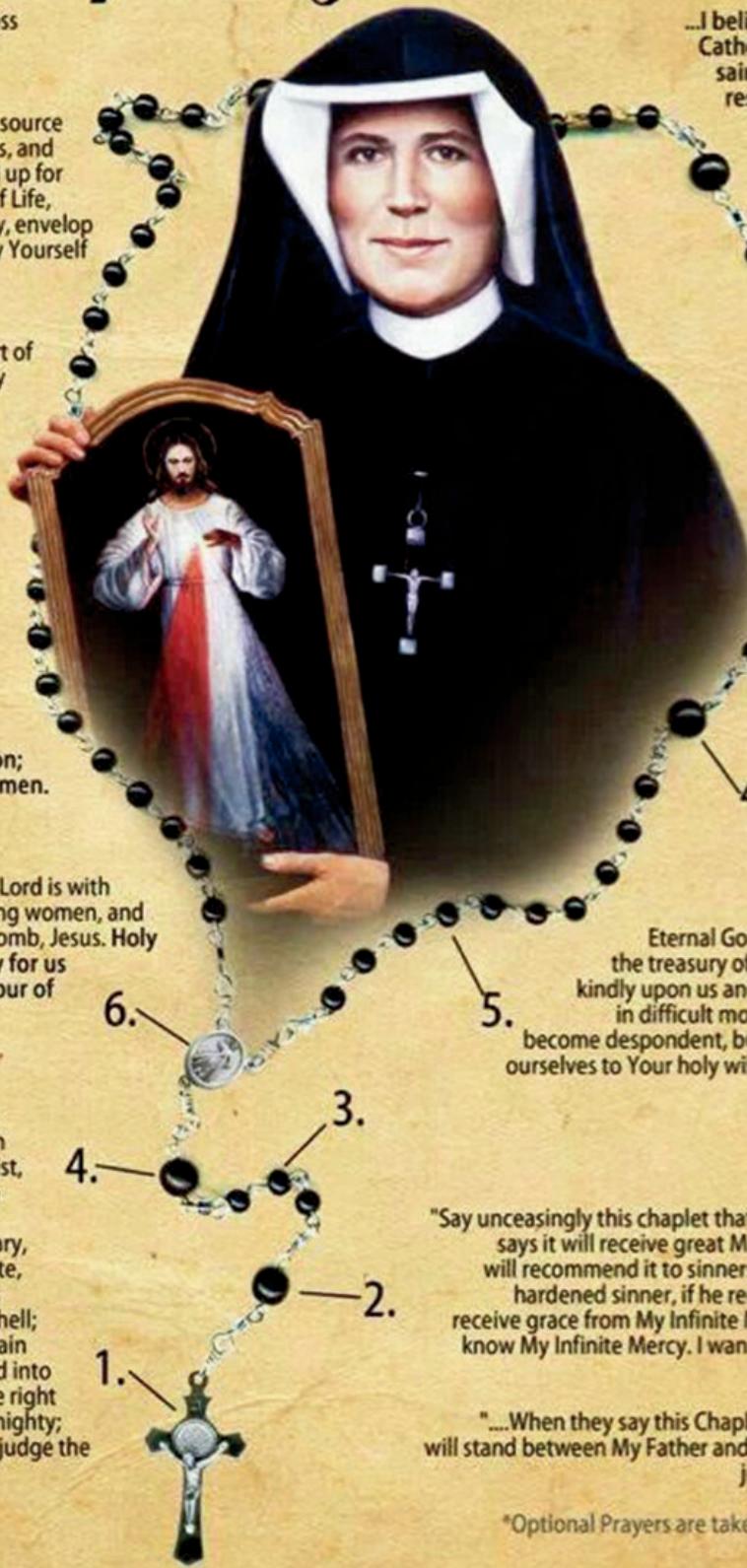
Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name; Thy kingdom come; Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil. Amen.

"Hail Mary,"

Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee; blessed art thou among women, and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus. Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death. Amen.

"And The Apostle's Creed."

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; He descended into hell; on the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty; from there He will come to judge the living and the dead....



...I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Holy Catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

4. On the Our Father beads pray,

Eternal Father, I offer You the Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity of Your dearly beloved Son, Our Lord Jesus Christ, in atonement for our sins and those of the whole world.

5. On the Hail Mary Beads pray,

For the sake of His sorrowful Passion, have mercy on us and on the whole world.

6. Pray three times,

4. Holy God, Holy Mighty One, Holy Immortal One, have mercy on us and on the whole world.

(Optional)

Eternal God, in whom mercy is endless and the treasury of compassion inexhaustible, look kindly upon us and increase Your mercy in us, that in difficult moments we might not despair nor become despondent, but with great confidence submit ourselves to Your holy will, which is Love and Mercy itself.

Close with the Sign of the Cross.

Jesus' promise to St. Faustina

"Say unceasingly this chaplet that I have taught you. Anyone who says it will receive great Mercy at the hour of death. Priests will recommend it to sinners as the last hope. Even the most hardened sinner, if he recites this Chaplet even once, will receive grace from My Infinite Mercy. I want the whole world to know My Infinite Mercy. I want to give unimaginable graces to those who trust in My Mercy...."

"....When they say this Chaplet in the presence of the dying, I will stand between My Father and the dying person not as the just judge but as the Merciful Savior".

*Optional Prayers are taken from *The Diary of St. Faustina*.

CATHOLIC

April 11, 2021

MISERICORDIA SIN MEDIDA



Al terminarse la octava de Pascua, celebramos hoy la Fiesta de la Misericordia. En ella podemos llegar al centro de las primeras comunidades cristianas, cuya conformación es un testimonio privilegiado para hallar las huellas de la Misericordia que Dios nos ofrece a través de su Hijo. Aquel que ha dado su vida por nuestra salvación, ha dejado el mandato a sus discípulos para que asumiendo el ministerio de la misericordia todos sus hijos e hijas podamos llegar a los brazos del Padre. Aquella naciente comunidad que se había dispersado en el momento de la cruz, ahora es reunida con un nuevo vigor, como lo atestigua el relato de los hechos de los apóstoles: "La multitud de los que habían creído tenían un solo corazón y una sola alma" (Hch 4,32).

Los lazos que unen a la nueva comunidad, son más fuertes que cualquier lazo humano, pues unidos en el Espíritu de Cristo resucitado, pueden sintonizar su vida con el corazón misericordioso del Padre. En esta fiesta de la misericordia la Iglesia nos invita a orar, con la meditación de la coronilla a la Divina Misericordia, que el Señor reveló a santa María Faustina Kowalska, con la promesa que quien la recibe recibirá su infinita Misericordia (Diario, 1541) esta devoción permite entregar nuestras miserias a la Pasión Redentora para obtener el perdón de los pecados; así el alma se enaltece y puede decir con sinceridad "En vos confío".

Recordemos como presentaba san Juan Pablo la necesidad de meditar en la Divina Misericordia: "La Iglesia dirige sus clamores a Dios, para implorar su misericordia, cuya manifestación ella profesa y proclama en cuanto realizada en Jesús crucificado y resucitado, esto es, en el misterio pascual. Es este misterio el que lleva en sí la más completa revelación de la misericordia, es decir, del amor que es más fuerte que la muerte, más fuerte que el pecado y que todo mal, del amor que eleva al hombre de las caídas graves y lo libera de las más grandes amenazas" (Dives in Misericordia n. 15).

El Señor, quien nos conoce profundamente, tome nuestras miserias y nos restaure al decir conscientemente: "Por su dolorosa pasión: ten misericordia de nosotros y del mundo entero".

Fr. Duber

¿QUE ES EL DOMINGO DE LA DIVINA MISERICORDIA?

En una serie de revelaciones a Santa María Faustina Kowalska en la década de 1930, nuestro Señor pidió que se celebrara una fiesta especial el domingo después de Pascua. Hoy conocemos esa fiesta como el Domingo de la Divina Misericordia, nombrada por el Papa San Juan Pablo II en la canonización de Santa Faustina el 30 de abril de 2000.

El Señor expresó su voluntad con respecto a esta fiesta en su primera revelación a santa Faustina. La revelación más completa se puede encontrar en la entrada 699 de su Diario:

Hija mía, cuéntale al mundo entero de Mi inconcebible misericordia. Deseo que la Fiesta de la Misericordia sea un refugio y un refugio para todas las almas, y especialmente para los pobres pecadores. En ese día se abren las profundidades de Mi tierna misericordia. Derramo todo un océano de gracias sobre aquellas almas que se acercan a la fuente de Mi misericordia. El alma que se confesará y recibirá la Sagrada Comunión obtendrá el perdón completo de los pecados y el castigo. En ese día se abren todas las compuertas divinas a través de las cuales fluyen las gracias. Que ningún alma tema acercarse a Mí, aunque sus pecados sean como la escarlata. Mi misericordia es tan grande que ninguna mente, sea de hombre o de ángel, podrá sondarla por toda la eternidad. Todo lo que existe ha venido de lo más profundo de Mi más tierna misericordia. Cada alma en su relación conmigo contemplará Mi amor y misericordia por toda la eternidad. La Fiesta de la Misericordia surgió de Mi mismísima ternura. Es Mi deseo que se celebre solemnemente el primer domingo después de Pascua. La humanidad no tendrá paz hasta que se dirija a la Fuente de Mi misericordia.

En total, Santa Faustina registró 14 revelaciones de Jesús sobre su deseo de esta fiesta.

Sin embargo, el Domingo de la Divina Misericordia NO es una fiesta basada únicamente en las revelaciones de Santa Faustina. De hecho, no se trata principalmente de Santa Faustina, ni es una fiesta completamente nueva. El segundo domingo de Pascua ya era una solemnidad como la octava de Pascua. Sin embargo, el título "Domingo de la Divina Misericordia" resalta el significado del día.

La Divina Misericordia.org

¿QUÉ HAY DE NUEVO EN LA EDUCACIÓN RELIGIOSA?

Los catequistas y el equipo de RICA agradecen a todos los presentes en las Misa de los últimos cinco domingos y la Vigilia Pascual, así como a nuestra comunidad parroquial en su conjunto, que oraron por y con nuestros candidatos durante el Rito Penitencial de RICA, y a nuestros elegidos, durante los escrutinios de RICA. Continúe orando por nuestros elegidos y candidatos al entrar en el período del proceso de RICA, que es el año de los neófitos. Todos los que fueron bautizados y recibieron en plena comunión son llamados neófitos en este período, hasta el aniversario de su iniciación la próxima Pascua. El final el período de formación semanal regular se extiende a lo largo de la temporada de Pascua, las siete semanas desde Pascua hasta Pentecostés. Esta catequesis posbautismal se llama mitogogía. Es un momento para profundizar en la experiencia cristiana, especialmente en aprecio por la vida sacramental, por el crecimiento espiritual y por entrar más plenamente en la vida y la unidad del comunidad católica. Los neófitos comparten ahora con Cristo y su Cuerpo en la comunidad parroquial, la intimidad-comunión de la Eucaristía. Ahora tienen acceso a todos los medios de santificación. Nosotros como comunidad parroquial.

Comprometerse a ayudarlos a crecer y madurar en la vida cristiana ya desarrollar una auténtica cosmovisión católica.



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Gracias a todos nuestros feligreses que pudieron ayudar durante el año fiscal 2020. Durante este tiempo de prueba, sus generosas donaciones monetarias pudieron mantener nuestra St. Ann abierta y funcionando sin problemas. Nuevamente, gracias por todos sus regalos.

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El Padre Alfonso y el Padre Duber quisieran agradecer: Los Caballeros de Colón, las Columbiettes, Juan XXIII, el Grupo Carismático, el Staff de Santa Ana, cantores, lectores, monaguillos, sacristanes, ujieres y contadores de dinero y específicamente: Kris Schave, Tammy Higgins, Bob Higgins, Ann Wolber, Karilyn Mangual, Ed Phillips, Ed Leo por sus fieles servicios, talentos y ministerio en nuestra parroquia durante todas nuestras celebraciones de Semana Santa, en la Vigilia de Pascua y el Domingo de Pascua. ¡El Señor nos ha bendecido con personas maravillosas que sirven para la Gloria de Dios!



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Por favor ora por todos aquellos a quienes los nuevos miembros de nuestra Familia Católica: 31 que se bautizaron y recibieron la Sagrada Comunión por primera vez y a los 51 que fueron confirmados en la Vigilia Pascual: Fernando, Mia, Gerardo, Miranda, Dulce, Ahmed, Majid, Esteban, Reyna, Elizabeth, Juilana, Maicol, Christopher, Daniel, Daniela, Mauro, Harry, Marisenia, Guillermo, Sebastian, Marcos, Isabella, Noe, Araceli, Araceli, Giselle, Alonso, Adrianna, Jhonovan, Alondra, Jaimilyn, Jose, Diana, Javier, Natalia, Jazmaidee, Kathy Armando, Jewelian, Margarita, Abran, Jailine, Adan, Jeovany, Carlos, Cristian, Ecker, Shelsy, Tony, Elisa, Angel, Anibal, and Hugo.

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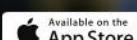
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