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Mass Schedule Saturday Vigil 4:00 p.m.

> Sunday 8:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m.

Daily Mass Monday thru Saturday 9:00 a.m.

Holy Day Masses 9:00 a.m. 7:00 p.m.

Confessions
Saturday 3:15—3:45 p. m.

OB

Baptisms and Weddings Please contact the parish office



Welcome

Our Lady of Mercy Church, the clergy and faithful, welcome you to the parish. In Word and Sacrament, we pray you find the spiritual and communal life of grace which the Church promises to all who approach her. You are welcome in faith. *Fiat voluntas tua...*

Nineteenth Sunday Ordinary Time

God speaks in a gentle breeze.

Jesus spoke to the storm and there followed a great calm. God spoke to Elijah in the whisper of a gentle breeze.

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give

I give because the parish is the church and community where I belong.

The first responsibility of a parish is to serve its members— a dignified place for sacred worship. a physical plant, sufficient staff, perhaps a school. From that foundation the community of believers is called to share the Faith by teaching the members, witnessing to the non-believer, and fulfilling acts of charity. Your weekly support provides this local moment in the Universal Church.

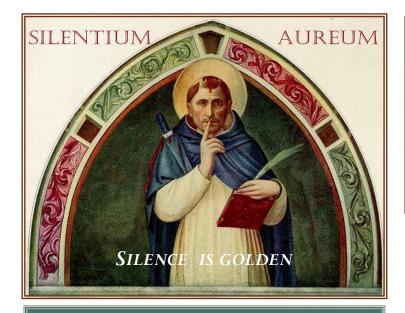
I give to my parish.

"Fear not, it is I, do not be afraid.'" Matthew 14:22

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Prayer for the Hurricane Season

Dear brothers and sisters, as we enter upon a time of vigilance and preparedness with the beginning of the hurricane season,

let us humbly bring our prayers to God,
the Lord of the winds and rains,
the Lord of good seasons and bad,
the Lord of blessings and hope,
that he might bless us with his mighty power,
and protect us in our way.

We pray for the protection of the vulnerable and those unable to move and evacuate when necessary, all who are disabled and limited, watch over them, Lord, and show us their need that we might assist them. Amen





Visitors and Guests

If you are visiting the parish and considering a church home, we pray you will find a welcome here at Our Lady of Mercy. Membership in a parish is a statement that signifies not only attachment and a sense of responsibility for the common good but also personal accountability participating in the Body of Christ.

Join us in this pilgrimage of Faith Welcome

From Conception to Birth

A timeline of development of a fertilized egg to a fully formed baby

FIRST TRIMESTER

3 weeks With fertilization, all human chromosomes are present and unique human life begins. By day 22, the heart begins to beat with the child's own blood. The backbone, spinal column and nervous system are forming.

4 weeks Over the next six weeks, all of the baby's organs will begin to develop and some will start to function. The baby is now ten thousand times the size of the fertilized egg.

5 weeks The baby's entire body is now about the size of a sesame seed. Eyes, legs, and hands begin to develop.

6 weeks Facial features (like eyes and nostrils) are beginning to form, and little buds appear where arms and legs will develop. Brain waves are detectable.

8 weeks Arms and legs are growing, and your baby now has little fingers as well as a nose and upper lip. The baby is moving although the mother won't feel it. All the organs are in place and fingerprints begin to form. Now the baby can hear..

9 weeks Eyes have developed though the eyelids are fued shut for now. Teeth begin to form and fingernails develop. The baby is kicking and swimming.

10 weeks The baby's vital organs such as kidneys, intestines, brain, and liver are starting to function. The baby can turn his head, frown and hiccup. The baby can grasp objects placed in its hand.

11 weeks The baby is almost fully formed. Bones are beginning to harden, genitalia are developing. The baby can hiccup.

12 weeks All the parts necessary to experience pain are present including nerves, spinal cord, and thalmus. Vocal cords are complete and the baby can suck its thumb.



Remembered in Prayer

A time and a season for all things... A time to heal...

Tom April Jean Kline Joseph Berardino Christine Lefevre Eileen Blades J'Aime Maix Lilia Blenman Mary Jo Mano Maryellen Bombardier Christopher Marcelin S'ean Borchardt [Albert Matarese Debra Mattalino Gloria Bruno Bud McDonald John and Mary Bourgeois Robert Bushey David Moore Margaret Cacciatore Bella Morales Marietta Calayag Andres Moros

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A time to die

Cindy Messina Deacon William Watkins

A time of war...

Michael David William Kasten

Barry Kimbal

John Lane

Mary Jane Wunder

And a time of peace. Ecclesiastes

Mass Intentions

Saturday, August 8

9:00 a.m. Madeline Hollwedel 4:00 p.m. Erricho Auricchio

Sunday, August 9

8:30 a.m. Pro Populo - For the People

10:30 a.m. Guylane Andres

Vincenza Mantione

Monday, August 10

9:00 a.m. Guido Rijo

Tuesday, August 11

9:00 a.m. Vincent Zappi

Wednesday, August 12

9:00 a.m. Helen Whalen

Thursday, August 13

9:00 a.m. Madeline Hollwedel

Friday, August 14

9:00 a.m. Erricho Auricchio

Saturday, August 15

9:00 a.m. Madeline Hollwedel 4:00 p.m. Erricho Auricchio



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Sanctuary Memorials

Week of August 9, 2020 Sanctuary Candle, Altar Bread and Wine

> In Memory of Cindy Messina

May my prayer rise like incense, O Lord

« Musica»

All Creatures of Our God and King

#745 in Word & Song

 All creatures of our God and King, Lift up your voice and with us sing: Alleluia!
 Alleluia! O burning sun with golden beam And silver moon with softer gleam:

Refrain:

Oh, praise him! O, praise him! Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

- 2. O rushing wind and breezes soft, O clouds that ride the winds aloft: Oh, praise him! Alleluia! O rising morn, in praise rejoice, O lights of evening, find a voice.
- O flowing waters, pure and clear, Make music for your Lord to hear. Oh, praise him! Alleluia! O fire so masterful and bright, Providing us with warmth and light,

I Received the Living God

#549 in Word & Song

Refrain:

I received the living God, and my heart is full of joy. I received the living God, and my heart is full of joy.

- 1. Jesus said: I am the Bread Kneaded long to give you life; You who will partake of me Need not ever fear to die.
- 2. Jesus said: I am the Vine, And my branches you shall be; Come and drink the saving cup, Till the Kingdom you shall see.
- 3. Jesus said: I am the Way; and my Father longs for you; So I come to bring you home To be one with us anew.

Gift of Finest Wheat #538 in Word & Song

Refrain:

You satisfy the hungry heart With gift of finest wheat; Come, give to us, O saving Lord. The bread of life to eat.

- As when the shepherd calls his sheep, They know and heed his voice, so when you call your fam'ly, Lord, We follow and rejoice
- 2. With joyful lips we sing to you Our praise and gratitude, That you should count us worthy, Lord, To share this heav'nly food.
- 3. Is not the cup we bless and share The blood of Christ outpoured? Do not one cup, one loaf, declare Our oneness in the Lord?

Lord of All Hopefulness

#659 in Word & Song

- Lord of all hopefulness, Lord of all joy, Whose trust, ever childlike, no cares could destroy: Be there at our waking, and give us, we pray, Your bliss in our hearts, Lord, at the break of the day.
- Lord of all eagerness, Lord of all faith, Whose strong hands were skilled at the plane and the lathe: Be there at our labors, and give us, we pray, Your strength in our hearts, Lord, at the noon of the day.
- 3. Lord of all kindliness, Lord of all grace, Your hands swift to welcome, your arms to embrace: Be there at our homing, and give us, we pray, Your love in our hearts, Lord, at the eve of the day.





How can I...

Attend Mass and remain healthy?

Continue to be part of the parish?

Prepare for changes?

Keep the lights on?

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There has never been a more critical time for Catholics to witness their Faith.

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