

DIVINE MERCY PARISH

SACRED HEART CHURCH • ST. PHILIP THE APOSTLE CHURCH

MARCH 17, 2019

Second Sunday of Lent

LENT:

Follow
in the
Footsteps
of
Christ



FROM THE PASTOR'S PEN

EVANGELIZATION AT DIVINE MERCY

As many of you know, we have begun work on phase 5 of Renew My Church. This phase is now referred to as Building the New Reality. This final phase will lead us into the future as we work to renew our parish. We'll focus on three critical steps to support parish vitality: develop our senior leadership team, create a long term pastoral plan to make disciples, build community and inspire witness; and build and foster a culture of evangelization.

As we begin to build that culture of evangelization at Divine Mercy, it's important to understand what that means. I'd like to share with you an article on evangelization written by Beth White, the Director of the Office of Evangelization and Missionary Discipleship for the Chicago Archdiocese. It's an excellent article that all should read.



Note: This article appeared in the March 10, 2019 issue of the Chicago Catholic. chicagocatholic.com.

Renew My Church: What is a culture of evangelization?

During the Renew My Church Summit in October, participants were invited to participate in "next step" opportunities like an Evangelization Day — a half-day session dedicated to sharing the vision of what a vital parish could be.

Hosted in each of the six vicariates over the past few months, Evangelization Days, which were offered in English, Spanish and Polish, pulled together nearly 1,200 priests, deacons, laypeople and religious from 228 parishes throughout the archdiocese.

Father Peter Wojcik, director of the

Department of Parish Vitality and Mission, and Marco Oropeza, chief program management officer, who are overseeing the last phase of Renew My Church called "Building the New Reality," provided a grounding for the event.

They shared key insights into how our world has changed, and how our modes may need to give way to new ideas and new methods so that we are better able to fulfill the mission of the church, to make disciples in our modern times.

A focus of "Building the New Reality" encourages parishes to develop and nurture a culture of evangelization. Coordinators from the Office for Evangelization and Missionary Discipleship — José Coronel, Jennifer Delvaux, Alicja Pozywio and myself — sought to animate evangelization and a culture of evangelization for participants as well as provide first steps to start forming that culture.

We assured participants that all parishes likely have natural evangelizers who share their faith with ease and invite others to join them in the life of the community. We know there are parishes that have ministries focused on evangelization. A culture of evangelization, however, is different.

Culture as values

The culture of any organization reflects its values. These values are reflected not in what is said, but rather in actions. An organization values what it celebrates, tolerates and presumes. A value or mission statement is good, but how those in the organization or parish act demonstrates the values more than words.

Put another way, do we presume that everyone in our pews are baptized disciples and followers of



Christ? Do we help all feel welcome and provide a sense of belonging? Do we invest as much in the formation of our adults as we do our children? Do we regularly celebrate those who have joined us, those who have become disciples and those who have become more engaged in the church?

A culture of evangelization gives priority to introducing people to Jesus Christ, to inviting people into a relationship with him and the community, to accompanying and forming people on their discipleship journey, and to sending missionary disciples out to give witness to Christ through their lives. It is a community that reflects the priorities of Renew My Church — to make disciples, build community and inspire witness.

Culture as soil

Another way to look at a culture of evangelization is to look at culture as soil, rocky or rich. During Evangelization Days, people paired off into small groups and used the Parable of the Sower (Mt 13: 1-9; 18-23) to ask, "Does our parish have rich soil where seeds can be sown that will bring forth mature disciples with deep roots who will bear much fruit?"

The seeds are the programs, tools and resources we utilize. The fruit is getting someone more engaged in their relationship with Jesus and in life of the community.

Parishes have tended to focus on the seeds — programs, RCIA, retreats, etc. — trying to spread the Good News. Many have been successful in helping people encounter Jesus. What has become evident, however, is that the seeds are not taking root

FROM THE PASTOR'S PEN (CONTINUED)

— they are not leading to engagement.

Through this exercise, parishes were invited to take a step back and start looking at their soil, the culture of their parish, to ask, "Why are we like this?" and "How might we change?"

All parishes have some rich soil and thorns and rocky ground and hard paths. The invitation, as parishes prepare to be activated in the Renew My Church process, is to look for the rich soil and expand that soil so that when the community utilizes programs and tools, they increase engagement in their communities, bearing much fruit.

About the Author: Elizabeth White is director of the Office for Evangelization and Missionary Discipleship.

Note: Part II of this article, entitled "What is a missionary disciple in Renew My Church" will be featured next week.

Pictured right: Beth White during a recent appearance on Relevant Radio.



LENTEN SERIES

THANKS TO OUR FIRST LENTEN SPEAKERS AND ATTENDEES

Many thanks to all the parishioners who came to hear Beth White and Jenn Delvaux speak to us about evangelization and the Archdiocesan efforts for Renew My Church.

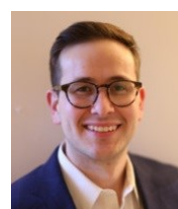


LENTEN SPEAKER SERIES

BUILDING THE NEW REALITY AT DIVINE MERCY PARISH LENTEN SPEAKER SERIES: FROM MAINTENANCE TO MISSION

As we near the end of phase four of Renew My Church, the operations phase, we have a much better understanding of our needs as a new combined parish. There's still a lot of work ahead of us, but we have turned a corner and are now headed towards the final phase of renewal in which we'll begin to build our new reality.

The good news is that the St. Philip and Sacred Heart faith communities have gotten to know each other a little better. We've gathered together for Mass, for Adult Formation events, and parish events like the Pancake Breakfast. We all have to work on getting to know each other better, and that takes time. In an effort to help guide us into the final phase of building our new reality, we will host a speaker series during Lent that will offer parishioners insight into the future.



TOMORROW NIGHT!

FR. JASON MALAVE - WHAT IS CHURCH?

Monday, March 18th at 7pm at St. Philip the Apostle Church

We'll also welcome Fr. Jason Malave, the Cardinal's Liaison to Renew My Church. Fr. Jason will discuss the topic of Church, which can range from the universal church, the Church in Rome to a small faith community that meets in your family room!

FR. PETER WOJCIK & MARCO OROPEZA - BUILDING THE NEW REALITY: WHAT DOES IT MEAN?

Monday, April 1st at 7pm in the Sacred Heart Parish Center

Finally, Fr. Peter Wojcik, Director of Parish Vitality and Mission, and Marco Oropeza, Chief Program Management Officer will talk about building our new reality. What does that mean? They'll discuss the need to transform our culture, and the mission we are called to embrace and sent forth into the world to realize.

As you prepare for this Lenten series, think about ways you and / or your family can help Divine Mercy help build the new reality. How can you help to live out our parish mission of making disciples, building church and serving others? Think big!

JOIN US AT 6:30PM FOR FOOD & BEVERAGE BEFORE THE PRESENTATION BEGINS!

PRAYER AND WORSHIP

EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP: A LOOK AT THE SCRIPTURES

"I am the Lord who brought you from Ur of the Chaldeans to give you this land as a possession." (GENESIS 15:7)

Just as the Lord gave Abraham, Moses and the Israelites a land to possess, He has also given each of us a home. Whether your home is grand or humble, it is a gift from God. Abraham prepared a great sacrifice to the Lord in gratitude for the home God gave him. How do you show your gratitude to God for the home He has given you? Do you make a sacrifice of any kind? Do you return any of your finances to God, investing equally in your eternal home just as you invest in your earthly home?

HOLY HOUR AT ST. PHILIP

Join Divine Mercy parishioners for Holy Hour every Friday afternoon at 3:00p.m. at St. Philip Church.

RESPECT LIFE PRAYER

That the poor and the homeless may experience the protection of the God who guided Abraham, we pray to the Lord.

WEEKLY SCRIPTURE REFLECTION GROUP

Note: the Scripture Reflection Group will not meet on Monday, March 18th so that all can attend the Lenten Speaker Series in the evening.

We'll resume our sessions next Monday, March 25th after the 8:30am Mass at Sacred Heart Church.

PAPAL TWEETS

"Let's take a little time every day to examine our conscience, to convert to the Lord. Five minutes at the end of each day will help us think about a change of heart and conversion to the Lord, without procrastination."



ALPHA PILOT BEGINS

A primary evangelization tool of the final phase of Renew My Church, or Building Our New Reality, is called Alpha. Alpha is a series of sessions exploring the Christian faith, usually run over several weeks by lay leaders on behalf of the parish. Each talk or video looks at a different question around faith and is designed to create conversation. No two Alphas look the same, but generally they have three key things in common: food, a talk and good conversation.

Divine Mercy Parish is currently piloting Alpha, so that various lay leaders can learn how to best host these sessions in the future and welcome people into conversation about their faith.

A key component of Alpha is **prayer**. It is the Holy Spirit that leads people to conversion, so we ask that all of our parishioners pray for the participants and the success of the Alpha pilot. Thank you!

ST. PATRICK BREASTPLATE PRAYER

Christ be with me,
Christ within me,
Christ behind me,
Christ before me,
Christ beside me,
Christ to win me,
Christ to comfort and restore me,
Christ beneath me,
Christ above me,
Christ in quiet,
Christ in danger,
Christ in hearts of all
that love me,
Christ in mouth of
friend and stranger.



HEALING OURSELVES FROM A PLACE OF CENTERING PRAYER

Be Still and Know That I am God.
(Psalm 46:10)

This simple wisdom saying is an invitation given to you by God during this Lenten Season. It is a call to take time and set aside some of your activities to explore the rich wisdom and teachings of the Contemplative tradition through the Method of Centering Prayer, and come into intimate relationship with God, with yourself, with others, and learn how to rest in God in silence, stillness, and solitude. It is our hope that this journey will transform your relationship with yourself, others, and most importantly, with God.

This five-week course is an opening to the presence of God through contemplative dimension of the Gospel. The topics for the course include: The Spiritual Journey with Fr. Thomas Keating, (A Cistercian Trappist monk); Who is God - Attitudes Toward God; Emotional Programs for Happiness; and the Spiritual and Psychological Experience of Centering Prayer. Centering Prayer is a contemporary prayer of the heart, a prayer of simplicity, a prayer of faith, and a method as a way of reducing obstacles to the development of grace.

Weekly classes will be offered on 2 different days and times:

Thursdays at 7-8:30 pm: March 7, 14, 21, 28, and April 4, 2019.
Saturdays at 9:15 – 10:45 am: March 9, 16, 23, 30, and April 6, 2019.

PLACE: 319 WAUKEGAN RD.
NORTHFIELD, ILLINOIS

All are welcome! There are no fees, just an offering for the handouts and other materials.

CONTACT Sr. Leonette Kaluzny at either 847-881-8424; 847-441-0126, or leonettekaluzny@aol.com.

LENTEN RESOURCES

LENT...A TIME FOR...

Renewal, transformation, preparation, restoration, conversion, reflection. These are all common themes we ponder as we begin the season of Lent. In simple terms, Lent is the season in which we refocus ourselves on the passion, death and resurrection of Jesus Christ. We hope and imagine that our Lenten journey will be different: focused, prayerful, and full of desire to have a closer relationship with our Lord. Lent is a time we retreat to the desert and venture into the wilderness with Christ. We pray it will be a season of full of prayer, grace, love, sacrifice and service.

As we began our Lenten journey, we were marked with the sign of Christ. Let this sign be the cause or opportunity for discussion. Let us recall the prayer recited as we received our Lenten Ash: Remember that you are dust, and to dust you shall return, or Repent, and believe in the Gospel.

PRAYER, FASTING & ALMSGIVING

These are three traditional practices of Lent that can easily be incorporated into your life at home. They are meant to help us turn away from unhealthy habits and open our hearts to God.

Through **prayer**, we come to know God. Talk to God during Lent. There are many different kinds of prayer (petition, intercessory, thanksgiving, adoration). Simply put, it's a conversation with God.

Fasting is actually a spiritual exercise. We fast to grow our inner spirit and life. It draws us nearer to God and opens our hearts to God. We fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday to remember Christ's passion and death and the sacrifice he made for our sins.

Almsgiving benefits those in need. As Catholics, we are *always* called to



share what we have with the less fortunate, but during Lent, we are *especially* called to share God's love with others through the giving of our time, sharing our gifts & talents, and offering our treasure for those in need. Almsgiving involves sacrifice, a reminder of Christ's passion and sacrifice for us.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Join us every Friday evening at 7:00 p.m. during Lent for the Stations of the Cross, which will be held at St. Philip the Apostle Church. Stations of the Cross will be held on Good Friday at Noon at Sacred Heart Church.



RESOURCES FOR LENT

The following is a list of online resources to help with your Lenten observance. (Many include APPs.)

If you have been following the parish news about Renew My Church, and building our new reality, you may be very interested in exploring the **Divine Renovation APP**. It includes news and video podcasts featuring representatives from the Divine Renovation Network, including Fr. James Mallon, the author of Divine

Renovation.

Visit the Ascension Press videos on YouTube featuring **Fr. Mike Schmitz**, from the University of Minnesota's Newman Center. His lively features address all kinds of interesting topics of interest to Catholics.

Bishop Barron's Daily Lenten Reflections: Visit the homepage of WordonFire.org to sign up for daily emails.

Bustedhalo.com offers a variety of Lenten resources which appeal particularly to young people.

The **Jesuits in Ireland** have a website that includes daily prayer. Visit www.sacredspace.ie.

Loyola Press, a Jesuit ministry, is offering a daily email reflection entitled Living Lent Daily. Visit the following link to sign up: www.loyolapress.com/our-catholic-faith/liturgical-year/len/living-lent-daily.

Interested in the **Spiritual Exercises**? There is a wonderful APP available called Reimagining the Examen. It offers a guide for the traditional Examen, as well as other facets of the spiritual practice. It even offers a multitude of background music options if you like to include music in your daily prayer.

Experience the "**Best Lent Ever**" with Matthew Kelly by visiting www.dynamiccatholic.com/bestlentever/ to sign up for free daily reflections and other resources.

Creighton University Online Ministries offers wonderful daily reflections, prayers, essays, retreats and audio discussions. Visit: <http://onlineministries.creighton.edu/CollaborativeMinistry/Lent/>.

COMMUNITY

FR. JOHN FOLEY, SJ

Many parishioners have asked about Fr. John Foley, SJ, the presider at the 7:30am Mass at St. Philip the Apostle Church for the last several years. After many wonderful years with us, Fr. Foley decided to retire at long last. If you would like to contact him, his address is 1030 W. Loyola Avenue, Chicago, IL 60626. Thank you Fr. Foley!!

KEEP US UPDATED!

Have you moved? Changed your email address? Help us keep our database up-to-date by sending us such changes to Andrea Steinert at asteinert@divinemercynorthshore.org

REGISTER AS A PARISHIONER

If you regularly worship at St. Philip or Sacred Heart, we ask that you please register with Divine Mercy Parish. Complete the registration online or at the parish office. Thanks!

DO YOU RECEIVE THE E-BLAST?

The E-Blast is Divine Mercy's weekly electronic newsletter delivered each week or for special announcements. To register, please call the parish office and provide us with your email address.

ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO



THE ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO IS HIRING

Are you seeking an opportunity to draw closer to our Lord through your work? Consider applying your professional strengths and experience at the service of sharing Christ with others. The Archdiocese of Chicago is in the midst of exciting changes as we renew our local Church. With our competitive salary and benefit packages, the archdiocese provides many opportunities for professional and personal growth and development. For the listing of current openings please visit archchicago.org/careers or follow us on [LinkedIn](#).

The Archdiocese of Chicago, pastored by Cardinal Blase J. Cupich, has more than 15,000 employees that serve more than 2.2 million Catholics in Cook and Lake Counties. Our elementary and secondary schools comprise one of the largest U.S. private school systems and have garnered more U.S. Department of Education Blue Ribbon Awards than any system of any type.

STEWARDSHIP GIVING

FINANCES AT A GLANCE AS OF March 10, 2019

	(SP)	(SH)	(Total DMP)	(YTD DMP Budget)
YTD 2018-2019 Sunday Collection	\$ 198,972	\$439,577	\$638,549	\$727,391
YTD 2017-2018 Sunday Collection	\$ 202,236	\$490,164		
YTD Christmas Collection for Divine Mercy Parish		\$ 214,469		
Budgeted Christmas Collection for Divine Mercy Parish		\$ 235,000		
Shortfall:		(\$20,531)		

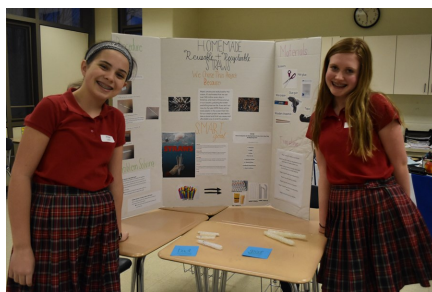
**DON'T FORGET! Make donations payable to
Divine Mercy Parish.**

LOOK WHAT'S HAPPENING AT SACRED HEART SCHOOL!



At Math & Literacy Night, Preschool-2nd grade children and parents had a great time playing a variety of games scattered throughout the school gym focusing on different math & reading concepts. Once they played the magic number of games on their game ticket, they earned a prize! The children had a wonderful time learning, exploring, and playing with friends, family, & teachers! Ms. Youkhana, Mrs. Smith and all primary teachers would like to thank all the families and students for supporting and attending this event!

Immediately after Math and Literacy Night we headed upstairs for the STEAM Showcase put on by our 5th-8th grade students. It was an open house format so you could stop by at any time to view the hard work of our eldest students. There were projects throughout the upstairs hallway as well as in the junior high classrooms. The finished projects were truly incredible! Thank you to all those who came to support our amazing students!



The Sacred Heart School Board is seeking volunteers to serve on a selection committee to help select candidates for the new school board slate. If interested, please contact J.D. Byrnes at byrnesjd@gmail.com by March 27.

**Have a safe and blessed
spring break!**

HAPPY ST. PATRICK'S DAY!

Monday, March 18th
8th grade Dance Class at FHC 3:00pm

Wednesday, March 20th
Thursday, March 21st
Junior Tower Players present:
YE-HA! The Wildest Musical in the West!
7:00pm Winnetka Community House

SPRING BREAK BEGINS AFTER SCHOOL ON
FRIDAY, MARCH 22nd!
Classes will resume on Monday, April 1st

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO YOUTH LEADERSHIP AWARDS



On March 3rd, Divine Mercy Parish participated in the 20th Annual Youth Leadership Awards Banquet, during which 5 of our high school students were honored for their service to Christ and his church in our Religious Education program. We are blessed by Maeve Eskandari (not pictured), Brendan Hering, Ryan Hering, Alexandra Riedinger and Isabel von Kapff and the gifts they have shared with the children of our parish. Please join us in congratulating these amazing young people.

CONFIRMATION IS APRIL 5, 2019



Last Sunday we welcomed a special guest Chelsea Piper to our confirmation preparation session. Chelsea is the Coordinator of Youth and Young Adult Ministry (High School Campus Ministry) for the Archdiocese of Chicago. Discussions included topics such as faith and real life, how we know God is really there, our images and expectations of God as well as why bad things happen.



A Confirmation Prayer

Loving God,
By water and the Holy Spirit
you freed us from sin and gave us new life,
through your son, Jesus Christ.
We ask that you send your Holy Spirit upon us
to be our Helper and Guide, as you did to
the Apostles at Pentecost.
Give us the **Spirit of Wisdom**,
to aspire after the things that are eternal;
the **Spirit of Understanding**,
to enlighten our minds with the light of your divine truth;
the **Spirit of Right Judgement**,
to choose the surest way of pleasing God;
the **Spirit of Courage**,
to bear my crosses;
the **Spirit of Knowledge**,
to grow in truth;
the **Spirit of Wonder and Awe**,
to form a loving reverence towards You;
and the **Reverence**,
to find joy in service to others.
We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS SCHEDULE - Weekend of March 23-24, 2019

SACRED HEART CHURCH

5:00 p.m.

Presider: Fr. Cassidy
Greeters: Ludy Mariano, Marion Powers
Servers: Lily Hartvigsen, Nora Hartvigsen
Lector: Nicola Brown Howard
EMs: Barbara Fifer, Samuel Fifer, Julie Hartvigsen
Cantor: Saturday Choir

7:30 a.m.

Presider: Fr. Semmer (Deacon McNulty preaching)
Greeter: Rae Fritz
Servers: Timmy Ledwon
Lector: Roberta Olshansky
EMs: Bernadette Broccolo, Roberta Olshansky
Cantor: Bernadette Garza

9:00 a.m.

Presider: Fr. Semmer (Deacon McNulty preaching)
Greeter: Mary Netwon
Servers: Joe Drehkoff, Quinn Drehkoff
Lector: Mary Newton
EMs: Robert Maganuco, Mary Newton
Cantor: Bernadette Garza

10:30 a.m.

Presider: Fr. Solazzo
Greeters: Barbara Anderson, Edward Kuffert
Servers: Matthew Bradley
Lector: Bill Hague
EMs: Frieda Baker, Tim Cawley, Kay Madden
Cantor: Sacred Heart Choir

4:30 p.m.

Presider: Fr. Cassidy
Greeter: Dan Hagedorn
Servers: Luke Campbell, Charlotte O'Bryan
Lector: Dan Kubasiak
EMs: James Collins, Lynn Finneke, Deb Kubasiak
Cantor: Dianne Fox

MINISTERS OF CARE

Lake Cook: Mike Pearson

Glen Oaks: June Hocter, Mike Pearson

Maryhaven / Lutheran General:

Mary Breen, Mary Claps, Maureen Claps, Marilyn Hielscher,
Marty Kearney, Anna Koberda, Michael Koberda,
Diana Scheeler

ST. PHILIP THE APOSTLE CHURCH

5:30 p.m.

Presider: Fr. Solazzo
Servers: Carter Dernulc
Lector: Julie Buzza
EMs: John Meade, Bobbie Weiss, Susan Corley Turk
Ushers: Rick Turk, Gino D'Egidio, Tom Stegich

7:30 a.m.

Presider: Fr. Cassidy (Deacon Keenan)
Servers: Volunteer needed
Lector: Bill Doll
EMs: Caroline Duppler, Cathy Stegich, Bob Snediker
Ushers: Joe Salazar, Joe Pacini, Greg Clingan

9:30 a.m.

Presider: Fr. Lanza
Servers: Oliver Banks
Lector: Pat Doherty
EMs: Lori Racine, Diana Scheeler, Jeanne Doherty
Ushers: Patrick Krohn, Stan Smith, Jody Smith,
Paul Weiss

PLEASE PRAY

For Those Who Are Sick

*If you have a loved one who is ill,
please call the main parish office to let us know.*

*The following people suffer from illness or chronic conditions.
They have asked for the prayers of our parish family.
Please remember them to the Lord.*

Mark Agnew, Jeannie Ambrose, Michael Anderson,
Jim Baisley, Dorothy Banas, Donald Blair, Sande Bolan,
Paula Brady, Dennis Braun, Wendy Braun, Luciana Butera,
Milly Calabrese, Kierre Caldwell, Patt Carlson,
Patricia Catarello, Teresa Chapman, Kelly Bolan Chevalier,
Tim Doll, Rick Doucette, Maureen Dwyer, Reese Felderman,
John Flynn, Lisa Franke, Lydia Gatton, Benjamin Grillo,
Philip Hall, Laura Hendricks, John Hoerster, Nancy Holihan,
Mario Iturino, Cindy Jatis, Emily Jatis, Sean Jatis, Tom Jatis,
Becky Jones, Marge Kalsch, Edward Kennedy, Ginny Kunkel,
Gina Quirk Lazicki, Anne Lesniak, John Madden, Jackson Mans,
Charles Maniscalco, Matthew Morgan, Beth O'Brien, Sally
O'Malley, Don O'Meara, Ennio Rossi, Donna Sabid, Dick
Schager, Catherine Scheid, Mary Shepherd, Edna Smith, Judy
Sokal, Mary Tatro, Ed Vamenta, Linda Walsh and Lisa Zitella

For Those Who Have Died

*May the souls of the faithfully departed,
Through the mercy of God, rest in peace.*

**Jake Fruchey, son-in-law of Marge Kalsch
Ann Herrmann**

MASS INTENTIONS

SACRED HEART

Monday, March 18

7:00am -

8:30am - Holy Souls in Purgatory

Tuesday, March 19

7:00am -

8:30am -

Wednesday, March 20

7:00am -

8:30am - Jim O'Toole

Thursday, March 21

7:00am - Roland & Rosemary Hoffman

8:30am -

Friday, March 22

7:00am -

8:30am - Steven Black

Saturday, March 23

8:30am - Bill DeLeonardis

5:00pm -

Sunday, March 24

7:30am - Fran & Teresa D'Astici

9:00am - Andrew Block

10:30am -

4:30pm - Parishioners of Divine Mercy

ST. PHILIP THE APOSTLE

Monday, March 18

8:00am - Mary Prindiville

Tuesday, March 19

8:00am - Vincent S. Casey III

Andrew Berghoff

Wednesday, March 20

8:00am - Matthew A. Cohn

Thursday, March 21

8:00am - Henry and Irene Berning

Friday, March 22

8:00am - Robert Hutchings

Isabel Gallagher

Saturday, March 23

8:00am - Holy Souls in Purgatory

Daniel J. McNamara

5:30pm - Pauline Corley

Sunday, March 24

7:30am - Parishioners of Divine Mercy

9:30am - Lewis T. Acott

THIS WEEK AT DIVINE MERCY

Monday, March 18

Scripture Reflection 9:00am /

SH Fireplace Room

Tuesday, March 19

Crafty Ladies 9:00am / Convent

Prayer Group 9:00am /

SH Fireplace Room

Wednesday, March 20

Finance Council 8:00am / SH PO CR

RCIA 9:00am / SH PO FR

Interfaith Meeting 9:00am / SH PCR

Thursday, March 21

Religious Education Board Meeting

9:00am / SH PO CR

Friday, March 22

Holy Hour 3:00pm / SPA Church

Stations of the Cross 7:00pm /

SPA Church

Saturday, March 23

Men's Study Group 7:30am /

SH PO FR

Confessions 5:00pm / SPA

Sunday, March 24

SACRAMENTS

Sacraments can be scheduled at either church. Arrangements should be made through the main office at Sacred Heart.

RECONCILIATION

Wednesday—3:00-5:00pm (SP)

Saturday—9:00-9:30am (SH)

Saturday—5:00-5:15pm (SP)

or by appointment

BAPTISM

By appointment. Please call the main parish office or visit our website for the requisite forms.

MARRIAGE

Contact the main parish office 6 months prior to the anticipated date of the marriage.

ANOIDTING OF THE SICK

Contact the main parish office to arrange for the sacrament for the seriously ill and homebound.

DO YOU HAVE A BULLETIN SUBMISSION?

Please adhere to the following specifications when submitting an item for the bulletin. The deadline is Tuesday, 9:00am for the following Sunday.

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Continue to create ads for special events like A Moveable Feast, Oktoberfest or NiteLites. We simply ask you incorporate the Corbel font style when you are able. Please submit all items to divinemercybulletins@gmail.com.

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Winnetka, IL 60093

(847) 446-0856

Fax: (847) 501-5311

Monday thru Thursday:

8:30am to 4:30pm

Office

St. Philip the Apostle

1962 Old Willow Road

Northfield, IL 60093

(847) 446-8383

Fax: (847) 446-8338

Monday thru Friday:

9:00am-5:00pm

Religious Education Offices

Sacred Heart (847)446-6535

St. Philip (847)446-8390 or

(847)446-8383

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1095 Gage Street

Winnetka, IL 60093

(847) 446-0005

www.shwschool.org

www.divinemercynorthshore.org

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