



DIVINE MERCY PARISH

SACRED HEART CHURCH · ST. PHILIP THE APOSTLE CHURCH

MAY 29, 2022

THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD



JOIN US FOR OUR
MEMORIAL DAY
MASS ON
MONDAY @ 10AM
AT SACRED
HEART CHURCH

We are a Welcoming
Community that
Inspires Disciples
of Jesus to Share
God's Love and
Transform the
World.

FROM THE PASTOR'S PEN

Ascension

I really love this feast which we celebrate today, the solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord Jesus Christ. After his resurrection from the dead, and after having appeared to his disciples on a number of occasions, the Risen Lord was "taken up" (Acts 1:2, Luke 24:51). He sits now at the right hand of God the Father in glory.

The Preface Prayer for this feast, which is said right before the Holy Holy, proclaims, "Mediator between God and [humanity], judge of the world and Lord of hosts, he ascended, not to distance himself from our lowly state but that we, his members, might be confident of following where he, our Head and Founder, has gone before." Yes, the Ascension is a sign of wonder and hope that spurs us onward.

I love this feast for that reason, but also because due to this extraordinary event, Jesus is continually with us in a unique, unprecedented way. By his leaving the original disciples, the Holy Spirit descends upon them, and us.

It's as if the Spirit is unleashed upon the world by the Risen Lord Jesus being taken up in glory. Through that same Spirit, we are put in touch with the Lord Jesus. The gifts of the Holy Spirit are keys given to us that unlock the richness of the fullness of life in Christ.

Oh, blessed event that lavishes upon us the graces of heaven! Jesus ascends so that we might have a share in divinity, disciples linked forever with the Master, the Teacher, our Savior!

FINE ARTS MASS

Two weekends ago, we focused on the fine arts and all young folks involved in the fine arts at the 10:00 Sunday morning Mass. Bishop Bartosic, episcopal vicar for this area, was the main celebrant and homilist.

We had a very good crowd at the 10:00 Mass, and it was a lively celebration. It also marked the final session of the

year for Children's Ministry. What a wonderful year it was!

I am grateful for the many committed adults who participated as catechists this past year. Some were new at it. Some have been catechists for many years.

We also had 13 teenagers who acted as catechist aides this time around, five more than helped last year, which is a beautiful sign of hope for us as a parish.

Children's Ministry here at Divine Mercy is constantly evolving. They are trying new things, attempting to make sessions lively and challenging, while encouraging young people to experience the Lord Jesus beyond sessions through special prayer encounters and service & outreach projects. This is exactly where we want to go in Children's Ministry, so that we are not relying solely on catechetical sessions, but enriching the faith development of young people so that they truly build a relationship with the living, Risen Lord Jesus.

Thanks to all those who gave of their time and talent, and those who obeyed the promptings of the Holy Spirit, as they worked with and guided young people closer to the Lord and to the Lord's Church, this household of the faithful.

The ultimate goal of all our parish ministries is to cultivate and deepen our relationships: the relationship we have with Christ, and because of him, the many relationships we have with one another. In other words, the goal of all our parish ministries is set forth in our parish vision statement: **Divine Mercy Parish is a welcoming community that inspires disciples of Jesus to share God's love and transform the world.**

Yes, indeed, I would say that the key to our parish vision statement is, in a word – *relationship* - the relationship



we have with Jesus as his disciples, and the relationship we have with one another as his modern-day disciples. Amen!

DAILY MASS TIME CHANGE FOR WEDNESDAY MORNINGS

Once the Sacred Heart School year has ended, the time of daily morning Mass on Wednesdays at Sacred Heart Church will change to 8:00 a.m. to be consistent with the time of our other daily Masses. The change will take effect on **Wednesday, June 8th** and run through August 17th, as School resumes August 24th.

MEMORIAL DAY MASS

Join us for Mass on Memorial Day on Monday, May 30th at Sacred Heart Church at **10:00 a.m.** as we remember those who have died in service to our country.

Do you have a family member that died in service to our country during a U.S. War, and would like to have them remembered at our Memorial Day Mass? Please send their name(s) to Ron Vanasdlén at 847-446-0856 or rvanasdlén@divinemercynorthshore.org. Thank you!



ADULT FAITH FORMATION

ALL ALPHA REUNION "THE BLESSINGS OF ALPHA"

Thursday, June 2nd 6-9pm in the Parish Center

If you've participated in Alpha, we sure would like to see you!

We'll have a great Alpha dinner, reminisce with each other, reconnect with small groups and maybe start something new! (And who can't wait to hear an Alpha joke?)

RSVP to Liz McGowen at lmcgowen@divinemercynorthshore.org or 847-446-0856 x108.



The Blessings of Alpha. The Blessings of Alpha. The Blessings of Alpha. The Blessings of Alpha.



WHY ALPHA MATTERS TO DIVINE MERCY AND TO YOU

Alpha is our chosen mechanism to jump start conversion and intentional discipleship at Divine Mercy. It is our hope that Alpha becomes the first step in a journey of many more steps as people encounter Jesus in their lives. As you read this, already over 160 individuals have gone through Alpha.

If you are one of the persons who has done so, you know how important it is to invite others to experience Alpha. Just as Jesus told the disciples to go and make disciples, it's our responsibility as well. Think about the early Church and how quickly Christianity spread. It spread because people shared their experience of Jesus with one another. Renewal and revitalization is in our

grasp. Together, we can effect change and growth in our parish, and in our Church. If you haven't tried Alpha, do it. You have nothing to lose, and much to gain if you are open to the possibilities the Holy Spirit can bring.

"We cannot forget that evangelization is first and foremost about preaching the Gospel to those who do not know Jesus Christ... Many of them are quietly seeking God, led by a yearning to see his face, even in countries of ancient Christian tradition. All of them have a right to receive the Gospel. Christians have the duty to proclaim the Gospel without excluding anyone."

Pope Francis, Evangelii Gaudium, 15
(The Joy of the Gospel, paragraph 15)

OUTREACH

A LOOK AT HUNGER, JUST 7.5 MILES AWAY

by Liz McGowen

Each month, multiple Divine Mercy parishioners volunteer at the Rogers Park non-profit community kitchen A Just Harvest. They help distribute food to area residents, transport donations of bread, deliver Uncle Pete's sack dinners made once a month by Divine Mercy volunteers, and bring non-perishable food donations.



On a recent visit to A Just Harvest, Director of Food Services David Crawford shared that he is seeing an upswing in need. The donations provided by Divine Mercy Parish are increasingly important to their operations.

Ninety percent of the non-perishable food pantry items A Just Harvest receives go

out each week. The bread delivered weekly by Divine Mercy volunteers goes out quickly, as does the produce they receive through other sources.

David further described the population they serve. They currently have 10 families with 6+ members. They are feeding 140 people each week from a nearby social service agency, and the shelter across the street recently closed so they have about 100 people from there they are feeding. That is in addition to those who simply walk up and request help.



In addition, A Just Harvest volunteers make upwards of 120 deliveries per week. He reports that they are also receiving an increase in calls from the City's emergency services looking for help for people with no food.

How can you help?

David said that our new Uncle Pete's Ministry sandwich dinners, which Divine Mercy Parish delivers each month, are very helpful. This is food his staff can plan on receiving and it gives them a little breathing room as they struggle to meet demand.



Please donate to our efforts to make Uncle Pete's sandwich dinners. Our next sandwich-making event will be on Monday, June 6. We are currently requesting monetary donations so that supplies can be purchased. Click [here](#) to be taken to our Give Central safe and secure site to donate to Uncle Pete's Ministry or scan the QR code to the right.



The information for signups will be available in next week's bulletin.

The support Divine Mercy parishioners are providing to A Just Harvest is vitally important to this organization and to the people they serve in Rogers Park, a mere 7.5 miles away from our parish. Thank you for all that you do, and please consider supporting this important effort.

Liz McGowen is the Director of Pastoral Care, Outreach, and Events at Divine Mercy Parish. She also currently manages the Alpha program.

PRAYER AND WORSHIP

JOIN US FOR ADORATION

We gather on Wednesdays from 2-3:00 p.m. at Sacred Heart Church and on Fridays from 8:30-9:30 a.m. at St. Philip the Apostle Church. We hope you'll join us and spend some time with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament! It's good for the soul!



The following Adoration story is from Focus (see their webpage: <https://focusequip.org/stories-to-bring-to-adoration/>), written by Melissa Keating. Here's her introduction and "The Origin Story".

"If you're anything like me, then you need all the help you can get when it comes to prayer. I'm just not always sure what I'm supposed to do in Adoration. Do I sit there and try to look holy? Do I pray for other people the whole time? Do I read the Bible? Or do I just talk to God about what's on my heart?"

There's lots of super smart documents out there explaining this. However, we also have some really beautiful stories that we pass on to each other about the power of Eucharistic prayer. I encourage you to remember these the next time you go to the chapel.

THE ORIGIN STORY

The people in the Middle Ages experienced more acute anguish than modern day Cubs fans. They had to combat plagues, horrific medical procedures, and lots of nasty heresies. One of the nastiest of the nasty heresies was called Jansenism. Followers of this heresy really stressed that we're all awful and chock full of Original Sin. They also advocated the idea of predestination and, most importantly for this story, taught that the faithful should rarely receive the

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PRAYER AND WORSHIP

Eucharist, on account of us being so terrible and unworthy.

This mentality seeped into all levels of the Church. St. Louis only received the Eucharist six times a year. The Poor Clares actually had to write into their rule that they would receive. The hierarchy fought this (the fourth Lateran Council specifically said the faithful *had to* receive once a year), but everyone's mentality had been skewed.

However, the people still loved the Eucharist. They still knew it was the Body and Blood of Christ. The legend has it that because they thought they couldn't receive, they paid extra close attention when the priest would lift the Host during the Consecration. They would just kneel there and get their weekly glimpse of Christ, drinking Him in as long as He was held up. They even asked their priests to slow down the Consecration so that they could look at Him longer. The priest listened, and held Him up for a full minute. Then a few minutes. Eventually, they started showing Him for prolonged periods of time. We had probably had exposed Adoration before this, but it took on a new life in this time period.

I'm not positive about the historicity of the first part of this story. However, I am confident that there have been people throughout history who couldn't receive, didn't have access to Adoration, and had to be content with brief peeks at Christ's physical body. Sometimes, I like to imagine what they were thinking during the Consecration. And then I thank God for putting me in a time and place with so many Adoration chapels.

So sometimes, it can just be enough to be grateful to have access to Him, and to live in a time when I'm encouraged to receive Him."

WOULD YOUR FAMILY LIKE TO SERVE AT MASS? WE COULD USE YOUR HELP!

We are so grateful to all those parishioners who came forward to help serve during Holy Week! We'd like to have more of our youth and families involved!

Consider serving at the Altar as a family! Our Director of Liturgy and Music, Ron Vanasdlen, is happy to train those who are interested, be it siblings, friends or parent and child. Interested? Contact Ron at the parish office at 847-446-0856 or rvanasdlen@divinermerynorthshore.org.



FR. DAN'S FAREWELL MASS: JUNE 12th 10 a.m.

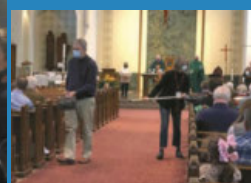
Join us on Sunday, June 12 at the 10:00a.m. Mass at Sacred Heart Church to celebrate the priestly ministry of Father Dan Cassidy, who is retiring after 44 years of service to the Archdiocese of Chicago. Details of the festivities to follow will be shared soon!



INTERESTED IN A FUN WAY TO HELP OUT AT THE PARISH?

Love catching up with old friends at the Parish?
Love that feeling when you put a name to a face?
And how about the feeling you get when you've done something that matters? If you're an outgoing and enthusiastic person, and would be willing to share your enthusiasm, we have the perfect ministry for you!

Please consider being a part of the Greeter and Usher Ministry! We are anxious to build our team! Interested individuals of all ages welcome attendees to weekend masses and assist with other tasks before and during the mass, such as handing out worship aides and bulletins, identifying parishioners to bring up the gifts and/or helping with the collection. Simple tasks! You determine the frequency and timing of your volunteering through the Sign-Up Genius app online. If you have questions, please reach out to Joe McGowan at josephmcgow@gmail.com.



PRAYER AND WORSHIP

JOIN OUR ONLINE ROSARY!

Consider joining our online Rosary group for the days that remain in May. We meet on Zoom, weekday mornings at 7:30 a.m. Just click [here](#) or scan the QR code below to join the group. It's casual, give it a try for Mary! Join us once, weekly, or whenever you can. ALL ARE WELCOME!

You can now find the link on our website homepage just above Worship With Us!

ONLINE
ROSARY LINK



MANY THANKS TO THOSE PARISHIONERS WHO MAKE OUR CHURCHES BEAUTIFUL!

We are so grateful to all those parishioners who give of their time, talent and treasure to help make our two churches beautiful! Thank you!!



OUTREACH

AN UPDATE ON THE FATHER PAUL FOUNDATION

Father Paul, a former associate at the Parish (and head of the Father Paul Foundation, which you can read more about on our website) recently sent a short update from Sri Lanka that simply stated, "(T)he situation is very bad. The economy is at its low ebb. We are not able to come out of this mess. Politically the country is in disarray. The power-hungry politicians are violently extorting the poor. We are continuing to do our ministries for the marginalized, vulnerable communities. God is with us. He sustains us. He is supporting us."



Why is the situation so dire? Here's an excerpt of an article that appeared in *The Washington Post* that explains it well. Please read on, and if you can, please make a donation to the Father Paul Foundation. Your help is appreciated beyond your imagination. (Click [here](#) or scan the QR Code for our Give Central site.)



Life for Hasun Peiris began to unravel a year ago under the pull of powerful forces he didn't understand.

Climbing food prices drained the 32-year old woodcutter's savings, and his family sold their truck. Hunger began to gnaw at their bellies, and they pawned off their gold. Then, after war erupted thousands of miles away in Ukraine, diesel grew more and more scarce in Sri Lanka, leading to daily power cuts starting last month. Now, Peiris has been forced to scale back his lumber shipments - and his diet. What money he has goes to buying eggs for his pregnant wife.

"I can't remember the last time I ate chicken or coconut milk," Peiris said, sitting inside his half-finished house while his five employees idly sorted matchwood in the yard. It was another afternoon wasted, with no electricity or diesel to power his tools and make a living. "I'm afraid," he said. "I don't know how to continue."

Sri Lanka is mired in an unprecedented economic crisis brought on by mostly domestic factors: Years of foreign-debt-fueled government spending, badly timed tax cuts, policies that hurt crop yields and a precipitous drop in tourism during the coronavirus pandemic have hollowed out its foreign reserves. But Sri Lanka's teetering finances were dealt another blow this year when war in Europe sent global fuel and food prices surging, turning the small country's uphill economic struggle into something insurmountable."

(The Washington Post, April 17, 2022
Easter Sunday)



POPE FRANCIS ON TWITTER

Whoever welcomes a person in need performs not only an act of #charity, but also of #faith, because he or she recognizes Jesus in the brother or sister.



RESPECT LIFE PRAYER

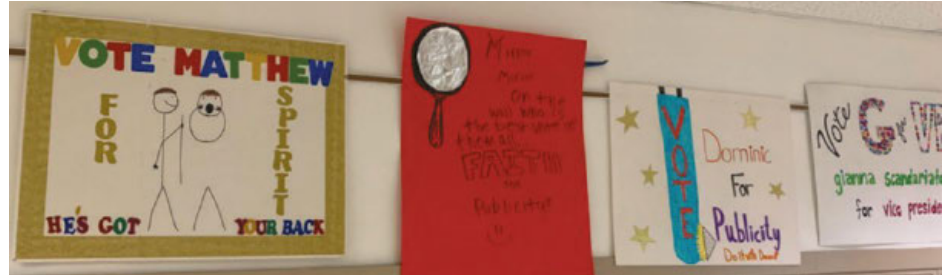
That the Ascension may increase our awareness of the dignity of every human life, created to share life forever in the heights of heaven, , we pray to the Lord.



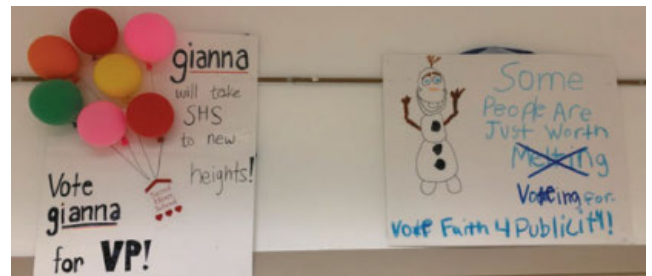
LOOK WHAT'S HAPPENING AT SACRED HEART SCHOOL!



1st graders present their American symbol reports.



Our Junior High floor is busy campaigning for next year's Student Council officers!



Our spring golf team is in full swing!!



Thank you to Winnetka and Glencoe Public Libraries for sending librarians to talk to our students about their wonderful summer reading programs.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY (RELIGIOUS EDUCATION/PREP)

So many hands...

We are so blessed to have a **Divine Mercy Parish Children's Ministry Board**. Members of the board are parents with children currently or formerly in the program. They provide terrific feedback and counsel, are totally invested in the mission of Children's Ministry, and regularly roll up their sleeves to help us get things done. **Thank you to these wonderful volunteers**. If you are interested in learning more about the board, please contact Kathy Handelman at khandelman@divinemercynorthshore.org.

Divine Mercy Children's Ministry Board 2021-2022

Thank you to...

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LITURGICAL MINISTER ASSIGNMENTS

PRAYER AND WORSHIP

June 4, 2022

5:00 p.m.

SACRED HEART CHURCH

Presider: Fr. Steve Lanza

Sacristan: Ludy Mariano

Lector: Sam Fifer

EM: Ludy Mariano

Song Leader: Melissa Vincent

June 5, 2022

8:00 a.m.

ST. PHILIP THE APOSTLE CHURCH

Presider: Fr. Bob Heinz

Sacristan: Minister Needed

Lector: Cathy Lehman

EM: Minister Needed

Song Leader: Jaina Alexander

June 5, 2022

10:00 a.m.

SACRED HEART CHURCH

Presider: Fr. Steve Lanza

Sacristan: Ludy Mariano

Lector: Minister Needed

EM: Ludy Mariano

Song Leader: Jaina Alexander

June 5, 2022

4:30 p.m.

SACRED HEART CHURCH

Presider: Fr. Dan Cassidy

Sacristan: Minister Needed

Lector: Minister Needed

EM: Minister Needed

Song Leader: Kiersten Boyce

SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

My Jesus,

**I believe that you are present in the
Most Holy Sacrament.**

**I love you above all things,
and I desire to receive you into my soul.**

**Since I cannot at this moment
receive you sacramentally,**

please come spiritually into my heart.

I embrace you now

as if you were already there

and I unite myself wholly to you.

Never permit me to be separated from you.

Amen.

For Those Who Are Sick

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,
Donald Blair, Elaine Boback, Dennis Braun, Ronald Braun,
Wendy Braun, John Coyne, James Farney,
Mary Beth Fellingner, Lisa Marie Franke, Paul Greco,
Benjamin Grillo, Jack Hogan, Sarah Hyde,
Emily Jatis, Peggy Keese, Rick Kehrner, Gina Quirk Lazicki,
Rosaleen Mazur, Hope Fairclough McGowan,
Teresa McNamara, Beth O'Brien, John O'Brien
and Kathy Sarch

For Those Who Have Died

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

Lynne Andersen

The Victims of the Massacre in Uvalde, Texas

MINISTERS OF CARE

Our Ministers of Care have begun to visit those who are homebound, in nursing homes, and in hospitals. We are still waiting for some facilities to reopen, and there are some people who are not yet comfortable with visiting/receiving visitors, but we are visiting as we are able. **If your or your loved one is in need of our Minister of Care or is seriously ill or near death, and in need of the Sacrament of the Sick / Last Rites, please contact the parish office at 847-446-0856.** If you reach the answering machine after office hours, please leave a message, as someone will respond to your call. If you are interested in being trained as a Minister of Care, please contact Liz McGowen at lmcgowen@divinemercynorthshore.org or 847-446-0856.

Readings for the week of May 29, 2022

Sunday: Acts 1:1-11/ Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9 [6]/ Eph 1:17-23
or Heb 9:24-28; 10:19-23/ Lk 24:46-53

Monday: Acts 19:1-8/ Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab/
Jn 16:29-33

Tuesday: Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16/ Is 12:2-3, 4bcd,
5-6/ Lk 1:39-56

Wednesday: Acts 20:28-38/ Ps 68:29-30, 33-35a,
35bc-36ab/ Jn 17:11b-19

Thursday: Acts 22:30; 23:6-11/ Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8,
9-10, 11/ Jn 17:20-26

Friday: Acts 25:13b-21/ Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab/
Jn 21:15-19

Saturday: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31/ Ps 11:4, 5 and 7/
Jn 21:20-25

Next Sunday: Acts 2:1-11/ Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34/
1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Rom 8:8-17/
Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 14:15-16, 23b-26

MASS INTENTIONS

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK AT BOTH SACRED HEART AND ST. PHILIP

MONDAY, May 30 (SH)

10:00 a. m. - All those who have died serving our Country

TUESDAY, May 31 (SPA)

8:00 a.m. - Fr. Ron Lewinski

WEDNESDAY, June 1 (SH)

8:30 a.m. - Irene Johnson

THURSDAY, June 2 (SH)

8:00 a.m. - James Harrington, Jr.

FRIDAY, June 3 (SPA)

8:00 a.m. - Amin Abraham

SATURDAY, June 4

5:00 p.m. (SH) - Conway/Stevens Families

SUNDAY, June 5

8:00 a.m. (SPA) - Joseph Falzone

10:00 a. m. (SH) - Andy Pluta and Parishioners of Divine Mercy

4:30 p.m. (SH) - James Murphy

As we increase the use of liturgical ministers, please let Ron Vanasdlen know of your interest in the ministry of Lector, Sacristan, Eucharistic Minister and/or Altar Servers for either daily or weekend Masses. Please contact him via email at: rvanasdlen@divinemercynorthshore.org

MASS INTENTIONS

Would you like a Mass said for a loved one? Just contact Megan Nolan at 847-446-0856 or megan@divinemercynorthshore.org

NEW LIVESTREAM SCHEDULE

We are now livestreaming only one Mass per weekend, alternating between our Worship sites and the 8:00 a.m. Mass and 10:00 a.m. Masses.

THIS WEEK AT DIVINE MERCY

Meetings at Divine Mercy are gradually returning. Check with the parish office for up to date information or the calendar button on our website.

SACRAMENTS

Please call the Parish Office at 847-446-0856 for information regarding Sacraments, or visit our website at www.divinemercynorthshore.org.

The **Sacrament of Reconciliation** is offered at both of our worship sites. Sacred Heart Church offers the Sacrament on Saturday mornings between 9:00 a.m. and 9:30 a.m. and at St. Philip the Apostle Church on Wednesday afternoons with Fr. Javier Del Castillo from 3:00 p.m.-4:30 p.m. And there is no need to make a reservation!

Please know that if it has been a while since your last confession, "Do not be afraid!" (Matthew 14:27). ***The priest will help guide you.***

A suggested Act of Contrition is: My God, I am sorry for my sins with all my heart. In choosing to do wrong and failing to do good, I have sinned against you whom I should love above all things. I firmly intend, with your help, to do penance, to sin no more, and to avoid whatever leads me to sin. Our Savior Jesus Christ suffered and died for us. In his name, my God, have mercy. (Rite of Penance, no. 45)

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 Nite Lites. We simply ask you incorporate the Corbel font style when you are able. Please submit all items to: divinemercybulletins@gmail.com

DIVINE MERCY OFFICE

Our office currently is open from 9:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. You can reach us by calling 847-446-0856.

You can also reach any staff member via email. You can find that directory on the next page.

Office Address:

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1077 Tower Rd.
Winnetka, IL 60093

WORSHIP AIDS FOR MASS

Worship aids for Mass can be found on our website, which you can download before you come to Mass or scan this QR code with your smart phone camera to access it at church or at home so that you can follow along.

NOTE: all four Masses will appear, so you'll need to scroll to the Mass you are attending.



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