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SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

# Welcome to Divine Mercy Parish



"What eye has not seen,  
and ear has not heard,  
and what has not entered  
the human heart, what  
God has prepared for  
those who love him, this  
God has revealed to us  
through the Spirit."  
1 Corinthians 2:9

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

**ENTRANCE ANTIPHON**

Be my protector, O God, a mighty stronghold to save me. For you are my rock, my stronghold! Lead me, guide me, for the sake of your name.

cf. Psalm 31(30):3-4

The entrance, offertory, and communion antiphons reflect the liturgical spirit of the day or season. Another psalm or hymn of similar spirit may be used in its place per the General Instruction of the Roman Missal.

**INTRODUCTION TO THE LITURGY**

During this brief period between the seasons of Christmas and Lent, we are invited to learn from Jesus the Teacher. This is the third of four consecutive Sundays when we hear passages from his Sermon on the Mount. Picture the scene: Jesus has gone up the mountain and sat down, and his disciples have gathered around him. We too are disciples of the Lord and we have gathered here to be with him. Let us take this opportunity to be enlightened by his teachings.

**THE ORDER OF MASS**

*Together we join our voices in praise singing the Entrance Song.*

**SIGN OF THE CROSS**

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**R. Amen.**

**GREETING**

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

– or – Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

– or – The Lord be with you.

**R. And with your spirit.**

Continue with the Penitential Act.

**ENTRANCE SONG****CITY OF GOD**

Dan Schutte

Verses 1, 2

1. A-wake from your slum-ber! A - rise from your  
2. We are sons of the morn-ing; we are daugh-ters of

1. sleep! A new day is dawn-ing for all those who weep.  
2. day. The One who has loved us has bright-ened our way.

1. The peo-ple in dark-ness have seen a great light. The  
2. The Lord of all kind-ness has called us to be a

to Refrain

1. Lord of our long-ing has con-quired the night.  
2. light for his peo-ple to set their hearts free.

Refrain

Let us build the cit-y of God. May our tears be  
turned in - to danc - ing! For the Lord, our light and our  
love, has turned the night in - to day!

Text: Based on Isaiah 9; 40:1-9; 1 John 1.  
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4:30 p.m.

**THE LORD IS MY LIGHT**

Cyprian Consiglio

Ostinato Refrain

The Lord is my light, the Lord is my light, the  
Lord is my light and my sal - va - tion.

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**PENITENTIAL ACT**

Brothers and sisters, let us acknowledge our sins, and so prepare ourselves to celebrate the sacred mysteries.

*A brief pause for silence follows.*

Lord Jesus, you have come to fulfill the law and the prophets: Lord, have mercy. **R. Lord, have mercy.**

Christ Jesus, you are the Lord of life and of death: Christ, have mercy. **R. Christ, have mercy.**

## GLORY TO GOD



Glo-ry! Glo-ry to God in the high-est. Glo-ry!

Glo-ry to God in the high-est, and on earth peace to peo-ple of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we a-dore you, we glo-ri-fy you, we give you thanks for your great glo - ry, Lord God, heav-en - ly King, O God, al - might - y Fa - ther. Lord Je - sus Christ, On - ly Be - got - ten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Fa - ther, you take a - way the sins of the world, have mer-cy on us; you take a - way the sins of the world, re - ceive our prayer; you are seat - ed at the right hand of the Fa - ther, have mer-cy on us. For you a - lone are the Ho - ly One, you a - lone are the Lord, you a - lone are the Most High, Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly Spir - it, in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. Glo-ry! Glo-ry to God in the high-est. Glo-ry! Glo-ry to God in the high-est, and on earth peace to peo-ple of good will. A - men.

## PENITENTIAL ACT

*continued*

Lord Jesus, you teach us to keep your law with all our heart: Lord, have mercy.

**R.** Lord, have mercy.

May almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us our sins and bring us to everlasting life.

**R.** Amen.

*The Glory to God is sung.*

## COLLECT

O God, who teach us that you abide in hearts that are just and true, grant that we may be so fashioned by your grace as to become a dwelling pleasing to you. Through our Lord Jesus Christ your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever. **R.** Amen.

*Please be seated after the prayer.*



The Collect is the official term for what is generally known as the Opening Prayer. After the invitation "Let us pray" the entire assembly prays in silence, bringing their own prayers to the Mass. The priest then gathers these silent prayers into one prayer. All members of the assembly should learn to pray in silence. We respond "Amen" (so be it) at the conclusion of the prayer.

## FIRST READING

Sirach 15:15-20

The book of Sirach was written by a wise teacher who lived 200 years before Christ. Sirach ran a school for young people in Jerusalem. In today's passage, he urges his students to make the right choices in life.

If you choose you can keep the commandments, they will save you; if you trust in God, you too shall live; he has set before you fire and water; to whichever you choose, stretch forth your hand. Before man are life and death, good and evil, whichever he chooses shall be given him. Immense is the wisdom of the Lord; he is mighty in power, and all-seeing. The eyes of God are on those

who fear him; he understands man's every deed. No one does he command to act unjustly, to none does he give license to sin.

*We pause for a moment of sacred silence  
for reflection on the Word of God.*

The word of the Lord.

**R.** Thanks be to God.

## RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 119:1-2, 4-5, 17-18, 33-34

The psalm states briefly and explicitly what the other readings get at more obliquely: "Open my eyes, that I may consider the wonders of your law." God's commands sometimes feel like a drudgery because of the consequences of sin, but they are in fact a gift, a gracious revelation that enables us to live wholeheartedly aligned with Christ.

Josh Blakesley



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Blessed are they whose way is blameless, who walk in the law of the Lord. Blessed are they who observe his decrees, who seek him with all their heart. **R.**

You have commanded that your precepts be diligently kept. Oh, that I might be firm in the ways of keeping your statutes! **R.**

Be good to your servant, that I may live and keep your words. Open my eyes, that I may consider the wonders of your law. **R.**

Instruct me, O Lord, in the way of your statutes, that I may exactly observe them. Give me discernment, that I may observe your law and keep it with all my heart. **R.**

4:30 p.m.



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## SECOND READING

1 Corinthians 2:6-10

Paul continues to address the Corinthian community, who criticized him because, according to Greek standards, he lacked wisdom. To the Greeks, wisdom meant a certain pattern of logical reasoning that followed fixed forms. In this reading, Paul speaks of a wisdom that is far greater than this.

Brothers and sisters: We speak a wisdom to those who are mature, not a wisdom of this age, nor of the rulers of this age who are passing away. Rather, we speak God's wisdom, mysterious, hidden, which God predetermined before the ages for our glory, and which none of the rulers of this age knew; for, if they had known it, they would not have crucified the Lord of glory. But as it is written: What eye has not seen, and ear has not heard, and what has not entered the human heart, what God

has prepared for those who love him, this God has revealed to us through the Spirit. For the Spirit scrutinizes everything, even the depths of God.

*We pause for a moment of sacred silence for reflection on the Word of God.*

The word of the Lord.

**R.** Thanks be to God.

## GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Curtis Stephan



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*Verse sung by the music ministry.*

Blessed are you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth; you have revealed to little ones the mysteries of the kingdom. **R.**

Matthew 11:25

**4:30 p.m.**



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## INTRODUCTION TO THE GOSPEL

Jesus affirms that the commands of Mosaic Law still stand, and also reveals that by-the-book obedience to them is not enough. Righteousness is not just a checklist we can tick off; it is, not a measurable accomplishment. The orientation of our hearts matters more than the externals of our actions.

## GOSPEL PROCLAMATION

*In the shorter form of the Gospel, the four passages in brackets are omitted.*

Jesus said to his disciples: [ "Do not think that I have come to abolish the law or the prophets. I have come not to abolish but to fulfill. Amen, I

## GOSPEL DIALOGUE

The Lord be with you.

**R.** And with your spirit.

A proclamation from the holy Gospel according to Matthew

**R.** Glory to you, O Lord.

Matthew 5:17–37 **or** 5:20–22a, 27–28, 33–34a, 37

say to you, until heaven and earth pass away, not the smallest letter or the smallest part of a letter will pass from the law, until all things

have taken place. Therefore, whoever breaks one of the least of these commandments and teaches others to do so will be called least in the kingdom of heaven. But whoever obeys and teaches these commandments will be called greatest in the kingdom of heaven. ]

I tell you, unless your righteousness surpasses that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will not enter the kingdom of heaven. "You have heard that it was said to your ancestors, *You shall not kill; and whoever kills will be liable to judgment.* But I say to you, whoever is angry with his brother will be liable to judgment; [ and whoever says to his brother, 'Raca,' will be answerable to the Sanhedrin; and whoever says, 'You fool,' will be liable to fiery Gehenna. Therefore, if you bring your gift to the altar, and there recall that your brother has anything against you, leave your gift there at the altar, go first and be reconciled with your brother, and then come and offer your gift. Settle with your opponent quickly while on the way to court. Otherwise your opponent will hand you over to the judge, and the judge will hand you over to the guard, and you will be thrown into prison. Amen, I say to you, you will not be released until you have paid the last penny. ]

"You have heard that it was said, *You shall not commit adultery.* But I say to you, everyone who looks at a woman with lust has already committed adultery with her in his heart. [ If your right eye causes you to sin, tear it out and throw it away. It is better for you to lose one of your members than to have your whole body thrown into Gehenna. And

if your right hand causes you to sin, cut it off and throw it away. It is better for you to lose one of your members than to have your whole body go into Gehenna. "It was also said, *Whoever divorces his wife must give her a bill of divorce.* But I say to you, whoever divorces his wife—unless the marriage is un-lawful—causes her to commit adultery, and whoever marries a divorced woman commits adultery. ]

"Again you have heard that it was said to your ancestors, *Do not take a false oath, but make good to the Lord all that you vow.* But I say to you, do not swear at all; [ not by heaven, for it is God's throne; nor by the earth, for it is his footstool; nor by Jerusalem, for it is the city of the great King. Do not swear by your head, for you cannot make a single hair white or black. ]

Let your 'Yes' mean 'Yes,' and your 'No' mean 'No.' Anything more is from the evil one." Jesus said to his disciples: I tell you, unless your righteousness surpasses that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will not enter the kingdom of heaven. "You have heard that it was said to your ancestors, *You shall not kill; and whoever kills will be liable to judgment.* But I say to you, whoever is angry with his brother will be liable to judgment; "You have heard that it was said, *You shall not commit adultery.* But I say to you, everyone who looks at a woman with lust has already committed adultery with her in his heart." Again you have heard that it was said to your ancestors, *Do not take a false oath, but make good to the Lord all that you vow.* But I say to you, do not swear at all; Let your 'Yes' mean 'Yes,' and your 'No' mean 'No.' Anything more is from the evil one."

The Gospel of the Lord.

**R. Praise to you, Lord, Jesus Christ.**

## HOMILY

The word *raca* generally is thought to be of Hebrew origin coming from a root that means "empty." In this context, the word used as an insult would indicate that someone is *empty-headed* or *foolish*. In Jesus' account, using this insult involves a violation of the law with regard to the Sanhedrin, the Jewish legal body.

## RCIA DISMISSAL

5 p.m.



Kevin Kail  
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## PROFESSION OF FAITH

*Please stand.*

### Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, (*bow*) who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, (*stand*) 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 ever lasting. Amen.

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## UNIVERSAL PRAYER

**R.** Lord, hear our prayer.

## OUR OFFERINGS IN SUPPORT OF THE MISSION OF THE CHURCH

4:30 p.m. OFFERTORY SONG

IF YOU LOVE ME



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## PROFESSION OF FAITH

*Please stand.*

### Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made,

consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven (*bow*) and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. (*stand*)

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

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### INTRODUCTION TO THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

*The law teaches against murder. The Lord Jesus upholds this law and then amplifies it in his commandment against anger. The law teaches against dishonesty. The Lord Jesus goes one step further and teaches against doubting another's honesty. The law is only the beginning of justice and mercy. In this sacrament of the altar, our Lord Jesus shows the way to the full flowering of the kingdom.*

### PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

May this oblation, O Lord, we pray, cleanse and renew us and may it become for those who do your will the source of eternal reward. Through Christ our Lord. **R. Amen.**

### PREFACE DIALOG & PREFACE

The Lord be with you.

**R. And with your spirit.**

Lift up your hearts.

**R. We lift them up to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**R. It is right and just.**

### OFFERTORY ANTHEM

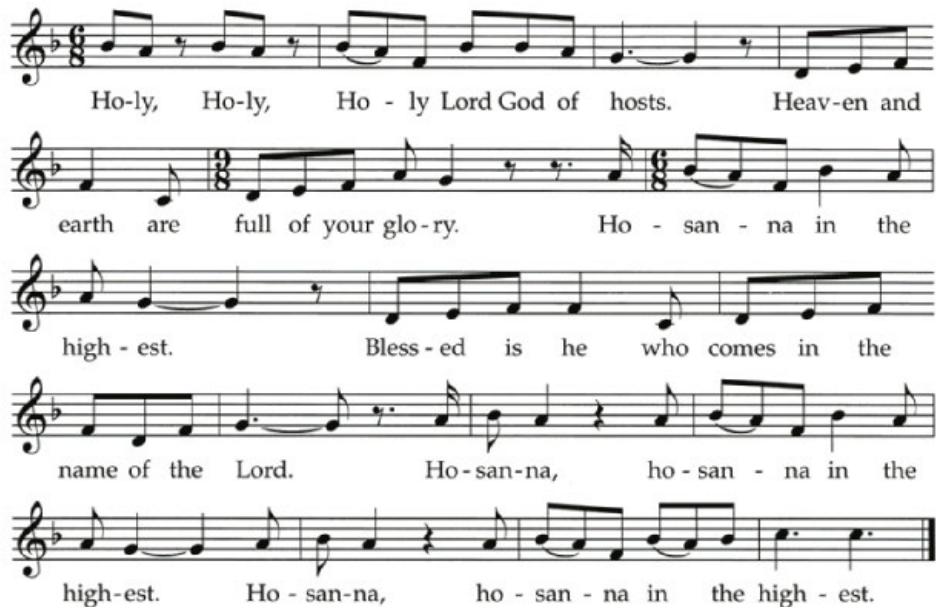
### HOLD ON TO LOVE

J. Manibusan

Pray, brothers and sisters, that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father. *Please stand.*

**R.** May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory of his name, for our good and the good of all his holy Church.

### PREFACE ACCLAMATION (HOLY)

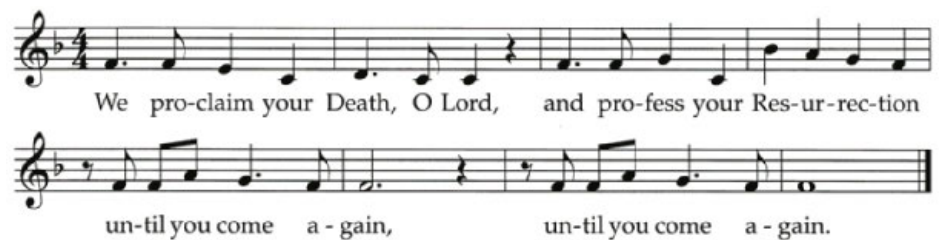


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*After the acclamation, please kneel.*

### MYSTERY OF FAITH



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### DOXOLOGY AND GREAT AMEN

*Through him, and with him, and in him, ... for ever and ever.*



*Please stand after the acclamation.*

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# THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

9.

## LORD'S PRAYER

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.

Deliver us, Lord, we pray, ... as we await the blessed hope and the coming of our Savior, Jesus Christ.

For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours now and for ever.

## SIGN OF PEACE

Lord Jesus Christ, who said to your Apostles, peace I leave you, my peace I give you; ... Who live and reign for ever and ever.

**R.** Amen.

The peace of the Lord be with your always.

**R.** And with your spirit.

## LAMB OF GOD



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*After the litany, please kneel.*

## INVITATION TO HOLY COMMUNION

Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.

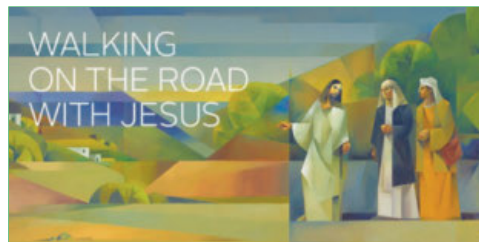
**R.** Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

## COMMUNION ANTIPHON

*During communion we sing psalms and other songs that express our praise of the Father, our spiritual union in Christ, and our fellowship in the Holy Spirit.*

God so loved the world that he gave his Only Begotten Son, that all who believe in him may not perish, but may have eternal life.

*John 3:1*



## Please Make Your Gift to the 2023 Annual Catholic Appeal

This week we are invited to spend some time reflecting on the Annual Catholic Appeal materials you should have received in the mail. The Annual Catholic Appeal is much different than a one-time special collection: It is a pledged commitment to make a gift over time. Your pledge can be made payable in installments. Each pledge makes a difference because all parishes participate in the campaign and the gifts of many enable our archdiocese to deliver needed ministries and services to answer the call of "Walking on the road with Jesus." If you received your pledge form in the mail, please complete it and mail it back. This year, we also encourage parishioners to make their Annual Catholic Appeal gifts online at

[annualcatholicappeal.com](https://annualcatholicappeal.com).

**Help our parish make our Annual Catholic Appeal goal by making a gift today!**

**Gifts of all sizes can make a difference in our archdiocesan community.**

## THIS WEEK'S PARISH CALENDAR

*February is the Month of the Holy Family, Black History Month, and Islamic Heritage Month*

### Today, February 12

*6th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Annual Catholic Appeal  
Commitment Weekend  
World Marriage Day;  
National Marriage Week;  
Lincoln's Birthday; Super Bowl Sunday*

- 8:45 a.m. Children's Ministry Sessions - Sacred Heart School
- 8:45 a.m. Children's Ministry Alpha - SH School Gym
- 8:45 a.m. Children's Ministry 8th Grade Sessions - Parish Center

### Monday, February 13

*Monday of the 6th Week in Ordinary Time*

- 8 a.m. Mass - Sacred Heart
- 8:30 a.m. Palm Burning - Sacred Heart School
- 6:00 p.m. RCIA - Parish Office Conference Rm
- 7:00 p.m. Uncle Pete's - Parish Center

### Tuesday, February 14

*Memorial of Ss. Cyril and Methodius  
Valentine's Day*

- 8 a.m. Mass - St. Philip
- 8:30 a.m. - 9 a.m. Rosary - St. Philip
- 9:30 a.m. - Crafty Ladies - JPPII Room
- 6:30 p.m. Alpha - Parish Center

### Wednesday, February 15

*Wednesday of the 6th Week in Ordinary Time*

- 7:00 a.m. Finance Council - Parish Office Conference Room
- 8:30 a.m. Mass - Sacred Heart
- 9:30 a.m. Alpha - Parish Center
- 2 p.m. - 3 p.m. Adoration - Sacred Heart Church
- 3 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. St. Philip, Sacrament of Reconciliation with Fr. Gerald Cole

### Thursday, February 16

*Thursday of the 6th Week in Ordinary Time*

- 8 a.m. Mass - Sacred Heart
- 6:30 p.m. The Chosen - Parish Center

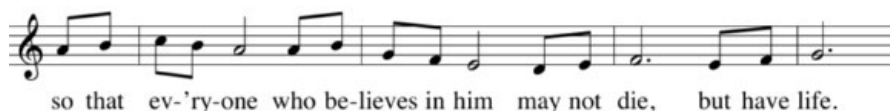
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## COMMUNION SONG

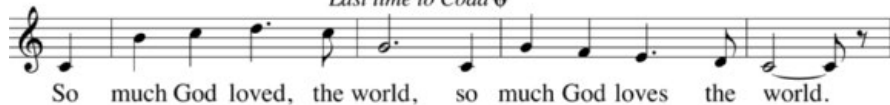
## FOR GOD SO LOVED THE WORLD

*As we process to receive Holy Communion we join the music ministry in singing.*

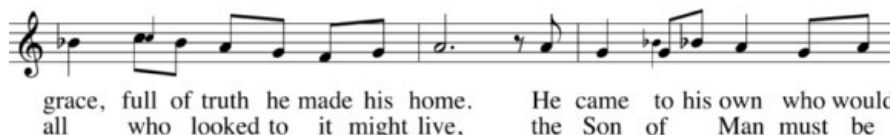
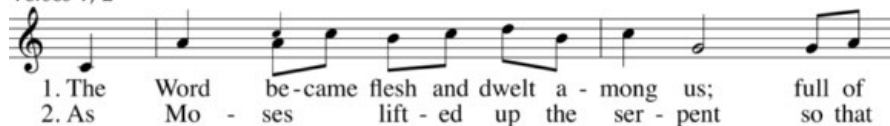
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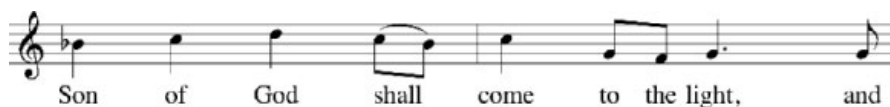
*Last time to Coda*



Verses 1, 2



Verse 3



## COMMUNION SONG

4:30 p.m.

*As we process to receive Holy Communion we join the music ministry in*

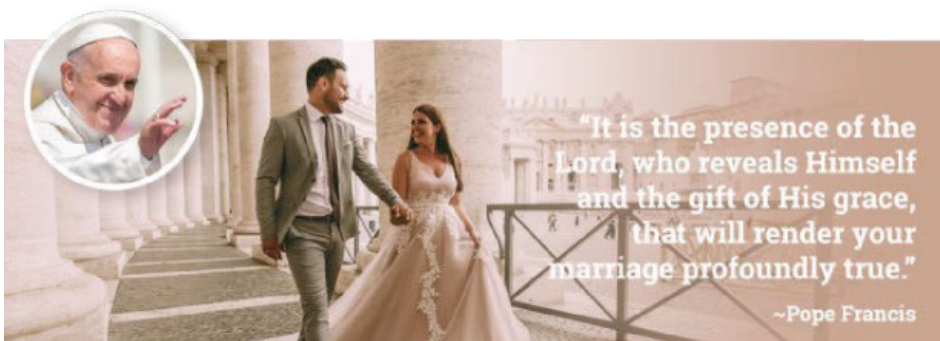


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## PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

*Please stand.*

Having fed upon these heavenly delights, we pray, O Lord, that we may always long for that food by which we truly live. Through Christ our Lord. **R. Amen.**



## PASTOR'S "TO THE POINT"



In the Church calendar, this weekend is named as the Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year A). This year it's also Super Bowl Sunday.

May you all have a relaxing and enjoyable Super Bowl. I look forward to the game, and given that the Bears aren't in it, I won't be biting my nails down to nothing and shouting myself hoarse.

There's another thing going on this Sunday. You can't miss it.

We are in the middle of the Annual Catholic Appeal. This weekend we are given the opportunity to make our commitment to the Appeal, if we haven't already done so through the mail.

The Appeal helps so many people in need throughout the Archdiocese. And almost all the funds collected over our target goal come back to our parish in the form of a rebate, which we, in turn, use for our various ministries and outreach.

God bless you for your generosity in the past, and God bless you for your generosity today. Thank you!

**World Marriage Day 2023** Couples also celebrate their love on *Happily Married Husband and Wife Week* from August 26 to 31.

*National Wife Appreciation Day*, celebrated on the third Sunday of September (September 17).

*Husband Appreciation Day* is celebrated on the third Saturday of April (April 15).

*Military Spouse Day or Military Spouse Appreciation Day* is celebrated on the Friday before Mother's Day (May 12).



## BRING US YOUR PALMS!

Last year's palms become this year's ashes. Bring last year's blessed palms to church. Palms are burned Feb. 13, at 8:30 a.m. at the school. (We'll still accept them through Feb. 22nd.)



**Friday, February 17**

*Optional Memorial of the Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order*

- 8 a.m. Mass - St. Philip
- 8:30 a.m. - 9 a.m. Adoration & Rosary

**Saturday, February 18**

*Optional Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary*

- 9 a.m.- 9:30 a.m. Sacrament of Reconciliation - Sacred Heart with Fr. Steve
- 4:00 p.m.- 6:00 p.m. Alpha USA Wine Tasting Event - Sacred Heart Parish Center

**Sunday, February 19**

*7th Sunday in Ordinary Time*

*Annual Catholic Appeal*

*Follow-up Weekend*

11:00 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. A Just Harvest Lunch Service in Rogers Park

Sanctuary Candle in memory of **Dr. & Mrs. William G. Epstein**. Flowers today are in memory of **Frank D. Astici (SH)**. The gifts of bread and wine are in celebration of those who have married at Divine Mercy.

**The Holy Father's Prayer Intention for February 2023 is for all parishes: We pray that parishes, placing communion at the center, may increasingly become communities of faith, fraternity and welcome towards those most in need.**

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**SENDING SONG****LEAD ME, GUIDE ME**

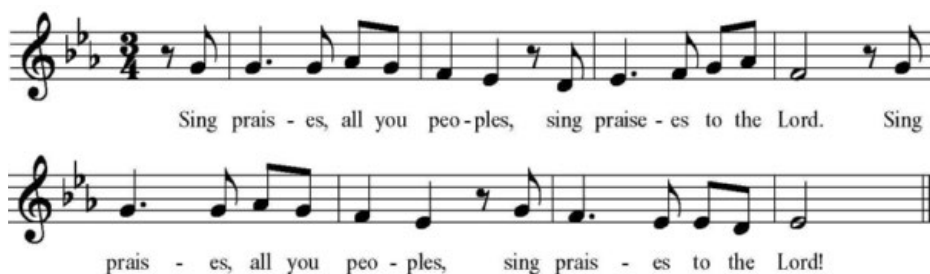
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**4:30 p.m. SENDING SONG****SING PRAISES**

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*“What the soul is to the body,  
let Christians be to the world.” Diognetus*

Our Parish Lenten Journey

## The Chosen

Following Jesus  
Then & Now

Thursdays 6:30-8pm  
beginning Feb. 9th & running  
thru Lent in the Parish Center  
Come early for Pizza!



Each episode will be followed by a short discussion, hosted by Judy Pyke & other parishioners.

Join Us!

Enter into the story of the people who surrounded Jesus. Sinners who spent time with the one Man who understood them & would eventually die for them. These are the stories of rebuke & hope, of sin and forgiveness, Their story is ours. You'll meet the people who loved Him, served Him, & followed Him, seeing the Savior through their eyes as you consider who He is & why He came.

JOIN US THURSDAY FOR EPISODE 2 OF  
*THE CHOSEN.*

IF YOU MISSED LAST WEEK,  
EMAIL JUDY PYKE AT

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FOR THE LINK TO EPISODE 1

SO YOU CAN CATCH UP!

All Parishioners are Encouraged to Join  
for Lent! Watch the Trailer: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=K1-FoFj8Jbo>

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## Sacred Heart School Root Beliefs

We are made in the image and likeness of God.

We are family.

Our time together matters.

We are always learning.

Challenges are opportunities.



ALL MEN ARE INVITED TO THE 2023

## MEN'S LENTEN BREAKFAST

Saturday, February 18, 2023  
8:45 to 10:15 (Doors open at 8:15)  
Ss. Faith Hope & Charity Parish Center  
Immediately east of the church main entrance

GUEST SPEAKER

**FATHER CONNOR DANSTROM**

"ROOTED IN RELATIONSHIP: LETTING  
CHRIST TEACH YOU HOW TO BE A MAN"



Fr. Connor is chaplain and director of the St. John Paul II Newman Center at University of Illinois at Chicago. He grew up in Winnetka, attended New Trier High School and the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, where he studied biochemistry. After college, he worked as a wildland firefighter for the U.S. Forest Service. He studied for the priesthood at Mundelein Seminary, where he graduated and was ordained in 2014. He is co-host of a weekly podcast called "Three Dogs North".



Get a great  
start to Lent.  
Bring a friend.



\$20 suggested donation at the door to cover event expenses.

Event Committee: John Iberle, Kevin McCaughey, Peter Alonzi, Matt Kinnich, John McEnroe, Ivan Nidhir, Jack Smyth

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JOIN US FOR UNCLE PETE'S MINISTRY  
TOMORROW MONDAY, FEB. 13TH

We'll gather at 7pm in the Parish Center at Sacred Heart to assemble 300 sack dinners for the less fortunate. All the supplies are provided. Participants simply assemble the meals, which will go to A Just Harvest, our community partner serving Rogers Park. All are welcome to attend.

We ask that you register, so that we can plan how many stations to create. It helps us plan for the evening. Register [HERE](#), or scan the QR code.



## COLLEGE CARE PACKAGE PARTY!

DIVINE MERCY PARISH CENTER  
STAINED GLASS ROOM  
FEBRUARY 21 AT 9AM

HAVE A CHILD OR GRANDCHILD WHO'S AWAY  
AT SCHOOL? JOIN US TO VISIT WITH ONE  
ANOTHER, COMPARE NOTES AND PUT  
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Bring 2 dozen small items your loved one would  
like to receive in a care package - like 24 small  
packs of candy or cookies, fun and inexpensive  
gadgets or trinkets, packets of hot cocoa, etc.  
Participants will provide their own box and send  
care packages on their own after the event.

QUESTIONS?

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[LMCGOWEN@DIVINEMERCYNORTHSHORE.ORG](mailto:LMCGOWEN@DIVINEMERCYNORTHSHORE.ORG)  
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### STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Please join us Fridays  
(February 24, March 3, 10, 17, 24  
and 31) during Lent for  
Stations of the Cross, which will  
be held at 6:30 at St. Philip the  
Apostle.



### DISCIPLE MAKER INDEX SURVEY COMING!

Divine Mercy will participate in a parish survey about discipleship conducted by the Catholic Leadership Institute! We need your help! HOW? Please help us by participating in a 10-15 minute survey online. The survey can be accessed through an online link from Feb. 22 (Ash Wednesday) through March 31st, & will ask you to reflect on your own spiritual growth and enable you to provide feedback on our parish's efforts to help you grow. All responses will be confidential and the parish will only receive information about the community as whole. We will share the link with you a bit closer to the launch of the survey.

We are trying to get the highest response rate possible. This information will be invaluable to Fr. Steve and our various ministries as we plan for the future and strive to be the best disciples we can be. We will receive the results this summer at which time we will share what we have learned with the entire parish.

If you prefer a paper copy of the survey, you may pick one up after daily and Sunday Masses beginning Ash Wednesday. They will be located in the vestibule at St. Philip the Apostle and the Gathering Space at Sacred Heart. To submit the completed paper survey, please drop off at the Parish Office at Sacred Heart before March 26th. To make special arrangements for getting a paper copy, please contact Megan Nolan at 847-446-0856.

Thank you for helping with this important project!



**THE WORK OF THE PEOPLE**

Next Sunday's Liturgical Ministers

**February 18, 2023****5:00 p.m. SACRED HEART****Presider: Fr. Steve Lanza**

Sacristan: Ludy Mariano

Servers: Ministers Needed

Lector: Sam Fifer

EM: Minister Needed

Song Leader: Jenny Farney

**February 19, 2023****8:00 a.m. ST. PHILIP THE APOSTLE****Presider: Fr. John Kartje**

Sacristan: Rima Abraham

Servers: Ministers Needed

Lector: Dan Seeborg

EM: Minister Needed

Song Leader: Jenny Farney

**10:00 a.m. SACRED HEART****Presider: Fr. John Kartje**

Sacristan: Ludy Mariano

Servers: Ministers Needed

Lector: Minister Needed

EM: Dee Hanlon

Song Leader: Jenny Farney

**4:30 p.m. SACRED HEART****Presider: Fr. Steve Lanza**

Sacristan: Minister Needed

Servers: Ministers Needed

Lector: Barb Anderson

EM: Patty Sanfilippo

Song Leader: Miranda Farmer

**MASS INTENTIONS****SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11**

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

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 12**

8:00 a.m. (SPA) — Viola Dietz †

10:00 a.m. (SH) — Ludy Mariano

4:30 p.m. (SH) — Fred Beck †

**MONDAY, FEBRUARY 13 (SH)**

8:00 a.m. — Bob Berner †

**TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 14 (SPA)**

8:00 a.m. — Re. Alexander Wartalowicz and Eric Berghoff

**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 15 (SH)**

8:30 a.m. — Jim Carey

**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 16 (SH)**

8:00 a.m. — Donna Lacase

**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 17 (SPA)**

8:00 a.m. — Dennis Haugh

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 18 (SH)**

5:00 p.m. — Kevin Quinlan †

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 19**

8:00 a.m. (SPA) — Greg Binnebose,

Mary Meade, Frank &amp; Jane Meade †

10:00 a.m. (SH) — John O'Brien †

4:30 p.m. (SH) — Tim Lichter †

**FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK***The following people have asked for the prayers of our parish family. Please remember them to the Lord.*

Mark Agnew, Jeannie Ambrose, Michael Anderson, Loretto Berghoff, Donald Blair, Elaine Boback, Ronald Braun, Wendy Braun, Robert Conte, Jr., John Coyne, Rich Danstrom, James Farney, Mary Beth Fellingner, Lisa Marie Franke, Ermin Garcia, Jr., Paul Greco, Benjamin Grillo, Jack Hogan, Sarah Hyde, Olivia Innocenzi, Emily Jatis, Rick Kehrer, Ryan Kelly, Patti Kotscharjan, Donna LaCaze, Gina Quirk Lazicki, Joseph Lee, Griffin Maks, Maureen Mazur, Rosaleen Mazur, Teresa McNamara, Mike McNulty, Cathy Nolan, Beth O'Brien, Joan O'Donnell, Lynn Pattison, Brad Raguse, Judy Rasfeld, Kathy Sarch, Violet Vanselow, Larry White, Harper Williams and those written in our parish book of prayer.

If you or your loved one needs a Minister of Care or is seriously ill or near death, and in need of the Sacrament of the Sick (Last Rites), please call the parish office at 847-446-0856.

**FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED**

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

**MASS INTENTIONS**

You may offer a Mass Intention throughout the year. You may also support our liturgy by offering the sanctuary candles, flowers and the bread and wine as well within the guidelines of liturgical practice. Contact the parish office 847-446-0856 or email Megan Nolan at [megan@divinemercynorthshore.org](mailto:megan@divinemercynorthshore.org).

**Suggested Donations:** Mass Intention \$10, Flowers \$75, Sanctuary Candle \$25, Bread and Wine \$20.

**LENT BEGINS FEBRUARY 22nd. / ASH WEDNESDAY SCHEDULE**

8:30 a.m. Mass at Sacred Heart

6:30 p.m. Mass at St. Philip the Apostle

12 Noon Liturgy of the Word at Sacred Heart with Distribution of Ashes

**Individual Distribution Schedule:**

12:30 p.m. - 3 p.m. at St. Philip the Apostle

3 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. at Sacred Heart

**Sacrament of Reconciliation**

3 p.m.—4:30 p.m. at St. Philip the Apostle

**MEN'S BASKETBALL**

Join members of the Divine Mercy Men's Club to play basketball at the Sacred Heart School gymnasium on Saturdays at 2:00 p.m. Anyone 17 and over is welcome to play. The fee is \$5 to play, and all proceeds benefit Sacred Heart School's teacher's fund. To be added to the weekly email distribution list, please send your contact information to John Joyce at [john.joyce@svn.com](mailto:john.joyce@svn.com).



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