



## DIVINE MERCY PARISH

SACRED HEART CHURCH · ST. PHILIP THE APOSTLE CHURCH

May 23, 2021

PENTECOST SUNDAY

**Lord, Send Out your Spirit, and  
Renew the Face of the Earth!  
Psalm 104**





## FROM THE PASTOR'S PEN

### PENTECOST

The fifty days of the Easter season comes to a close with the celebration of Pentecost this weekend. The joy we experience in the resurrection of the Lord Jesus culminates in the sending of the Holy Spirit upon the original apostles and on all the baptized thereafter.

We are gifted with the Holy Spirit, equipped with his many gifts as we go forth and continue the mission of Christ in the world: we spread the Good News of salvation by all we say and do. Our parish vision statement captures this task. Divine Mercy's vision statement is:

**Divine Mercy Parish is a welcoming community that inspires disciples of Jesus to share God's love, and to transform our world.**

Simple, elegant, a succinct sentence that sums up all of our aspirations as a parish. We welcome others, our doors are open to people whom we accept just as they are. We try to inspire ourselves and them to become disciples of the Lord Jesus. The point of discipleship is to share God's love and transform the world.

Making disciples, building up the church community, and serving others is no small task but we are confident we can do our part in the story of salvation because God sends us the Holy Spirit and thus equips us for those holy tasks.

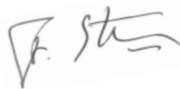
Pope Francis ends his latest encyclical, *Fratelli Tutti: On Fraternity and Social Friendship* (2020), with the following prayer, a prayer that expresses the openness to which we are called, an openness to God and one another that is the prerequisite for our cooperation in the mission of Christ in the world:

**O God, Trinity of love,  
from the profound communion of  
your divine life, pour upon us a  
torrent of fraternal love. Grant us  
the love reflected in the actions of  
Jesus, in his family at Nazareth,  
and in the early Christian  
Community.**

**Grant that we Christians may live  
the Gospel, discovering Christ in  
each human being, recognizing him  
crucified in the sufferings of the  
abandoned the forgotten of the  
world, and risen in each brother or  
sister who makes a new start.**

**Come, Holy Spirit, show us your  
beauty, reflected in all the peoples  
of the earth, so that we may  
discover anew that all are  
important and all are necessary,  
different faces of the one humanity  
that God so loves.**

**Amen.**



### MEMORIAL DAY MASS

Join us in prayer, May 31, Memorial Day, at 10:00 a.m. as we gather to pray for our beloved dead, both those who have died in battle for our country, those buried in our Sacred Heart Cemetery, and for those who have died during the pandemic. The Mass will include the traditional TAPS, be held at Sacred Heart Church and be live-streamed.



## OUTREACH



### HUNGER HERO: A JUST HARVEST

We learned that our local food pantry currently has a surplus, so wanted to share our efforts with one of our other long-time outreach partners. This month we will be collecting for A Just Harvest. Located in Rogers Park, A Just Harvest has distributed and/or delivered 175 meals per day, every day of the week throughout the pandemic. Despite receiving assistance from local restaurants and the Chicago Food Depository, the need remains very high. Please help us stock A Just Harvest's Pantry! Many thanks in advance for your generous donations. Please bring donations bagged or boxed for easy transport. Thank you!

#### CANNED GOODS

- Vegetables
- Diced tomatoes
- Soup
- Baked beans
- Meat
- Tuna
- Chicken (They can use both smaller (15 oz.) cans and larger institutional cans.)

#### COMFORT FOOD

- Pasta
- Mac and cheese
- Rice
- Dry beans
- Grits
- Cold cereal
- Instant oatmeal
- Instant mashed potatoes
- Chicken/beef broth

#### KITCHEN ITEMS

- Pre-wrapped silverware
- Food service gloves

#### JEWEL GIFT CARDS

Thank you for what ever you can donate. We are collecting this weekend, May 22/23, in order to avoid the Memorial Day Weekend.

#### DROP OFF TIMES:

##### Sacred Heart Church:

**Saturday May 22**

**from 4:30-6pm.**

**Sunday May 23**

**From 9:30-11am.**

##### St. Philip Church

**Sunday May 23**

**from 7:30-9am.**

**THANK YOU!!**

## COMMUNITY

**Parent-Tot Play Group**

Join us for our Parent-Tot play group outdoors this spring!

Drop by Hubbard Woods Park to meet other Sacred Heart kids & families. Bring a friend...All are welcome!

**THURSDAY, APRIL 29**  
**WEDNESDAY, MAY 12**  
**TUESDAY, MAY 25**  
**10:00-11:00 AM**

Register at [www.shwschool.org](http://www.shwschool.org)

### JOIN US WEEKDAYS ONLINE IN MAY TO SAY THE ROSARY

Join us each weekday in May at 7:30 AM to pray the Rosary.

Come as you are! You can Zoom with or without your camera or call in. Click [HERE](#) to contact Sue Lehocky to join.

Looking for more resources on prayer and the Rosary this month? Visit the US Conference of Catholic Bishops Website by clicking [here](#). There's even a link on how to say the Rosary for those unfamiliar.

You also may enjoy these movies:

"Pray"

<https://www.praythefilm.com/> and

"Fatima"

<https://www.fatimathemovie.com/>.



Hosted by "The Magi"...  
Bearing Gifts,  
Following the Star

Eucharistic Adoration

& Recitation of the Rosary



WEDNESDAYS FROM 2-3 PM  
SACRED HEART CHURCH  
DURING THE MONTH OF MAY

Come by before school pick up - for 5 or 50 minutes -  
whatever fits your schedule! Come and go as you wish!  
This is meant to be a warm and welcoming experience,  
so please do not be intimidated.

The Blessed Sacrament of Jesus will be  
exposed on the Altar for prayer so that we  
are in His presence. During the first half  
hour, we will say opening prayers followed  
by the Rosary. The second half hour will be  
quiet time spent with the Lord in our lovely  
church.

**ALL ARE WELCOME:  
THOSE WHO HAVE NEVER SAID THE ROSARY,  
AND THOSE WHO PRAY IT DAILY. GUIDES WILL  
HELP YOU ALONG THE WAY!**

**May Adoration Themes:**

5/5: Motherhood - Joyful Mysteries  
5/12: Marriages - Luminous Mysteries  
5/19: Children - Glorious Mysteries  
5/26: All the things we worry about -  
health/anxiety/worries/concerns - Sorrowful Mysteries



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## PRAYER AND WORSHIP

### MASS INTENTIONS

Would you like a Mass said for a loved one? Just call Megan Nolan at our office at 847-881-6664 or 847-446-0856, and she'll be able to help you.

You can also email Megan Nolan at [megan@divinemercynorthshore.org](mailto:megan@divinemercynorthshore.org)

### 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 three Masses will appear, so you'll need to scroll to the Mass you are attending.



### RESPECT LIFE PRAYER:

That this Pentecost may bring our parish community a renewed sense of unity in the body of Christ with all Christians around the world, we pray to the Lord.

### POPE FRANCIS ON TWITTER



Come, Holy Spirit: you are harmony; make us builders of unity. You always give yourself; grant us the courage to go out of ourselves, to love and help each other, in order to become one family. Amen. #Pentecost

## CONGRATULATIONS



### Congratulate SHS Class of 2021

Divine Mercy Community, let's celebrate the Sacred Heart School Class of 2021! We are excited for Parishioners, Alumni, Parents, Teachers, & Friends to show their support of this year's graduating class by sharing a congratulatory note or short video clip for this year's graduating 8th Graders. To submit a note or video, please visit [www.shwschool.org](http://www.shwschool.org) and click on "Cheers to the Class of 2021!" by Monday, May 24.

## CONGRATULATIONS

*Katherine Hillary Borgstrom &  
Cody Ryan Getz*



May 14, 2021

*Emma Louise McGuire &  
Timothy Curran Convey, Jr.*



May 15, 2021





## SHERIFF TOM DART

### *“Crime, Punishment and Human Dignity”*

Sheriff Dart will address what incarceration means for those accused or convicted of crimes in Cook County, how the system tries to ensure that the human dignity and rights of each prisoner are respected and what programs are available to help prisoners develop skills and networks which could aid them after they are released.

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As Cook County Sheriff since 2006, Tom Dart is responsible for overseeing the police department and more than 10,000 inmates and 3,000 correctional officers at the Cook County Jail – the largest single-site jail in the nation. A former state prosecutor and legislator, he has long fought for the rights of others and protecting the most vulnerable of our society.

A Chicago native, Sheriff Dart graduated from Providence College. He earned his law degree from Loyola University of Chicago. He and his wife, Patricia, live on Chicago’s South Side and are the proud parents of five children.

[www.ssjfx.org](http://www.ssjfx.org) [www.faithhope.org](http://www.faithhope.org)  
[www.divinemercynorthshore.org](http://www.divinemercynorthshore.org)

## A Tri-Parish Event

Tuesday, June 1

7:00 – 8:00 pm

Zoom Videoconference

*“Authority is exercised legitimately only when it seeks the common good of the group concerned and if it employs morally licit means to attain it.”*

Catechism of the  
Catholic Church #1903

To register:

[https://  
www.signupgenius.com/  
go/10c0d4aadab29abfa7-  
sheriff](https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0d4aadab29abfa7-sheriff)

Questions:

Contact Pam Coster at  
[pcoster@gmail.com](mailto:pcoster@gmail.com)

## CHILDREN'S MINISTRY (RELIGIOUS EDUCATION/PREP)

### ***Sister Betty Tranel: "Few Channel the Holy Spirit as Effectively"***

In 1998, our parish was blessed when **Sister Betty Tranel** became Director of Religious Education. Few knew at the time the impact this "compassionate, gracious, indefatigable and steelback-boned dynamo" would have on the Children's Ministry, school and parish. For 10 years Sister Betty ran Children's Ministry — and at the time there were more than 700 students in her domain. From all reports, she knew them all by name. Colleagues, former catechists, friends and admirers gathered last Saturday to rededicate a tree in front of Sacred Heart School and to bless a new plaque recognizing Sr. Betty's many lasting gifts. They told stories, most starting with the phrase "You just couldn't say no to Sr. Betty!"

Few knew at the time that our unstoppable Sr. Betty was well into a normal retirement age when she stepped in to serve. Like Sr. Betty, the small tree that was planted years ago in her honor has taken root and is now is shooting up and reaching high despite the taller trees in its way. Please join us in thanking Sr. Betty for all she has given to Children's Ministry and keep her in your prayers!



Sister Betty Tranel, above, Deacon Mike McNulty and parishioner Tom Brown, who led the rededication effort, below left, and Deacon Mike with Director of Pastoral Care and Outreach Maureen Valvassori, below. Deacon Mike blessed Sr. Betty's tree.



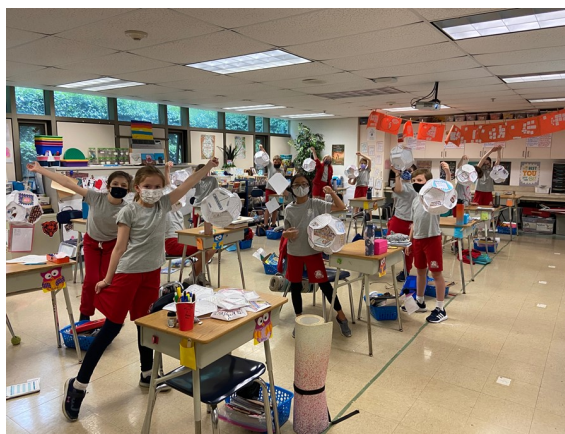
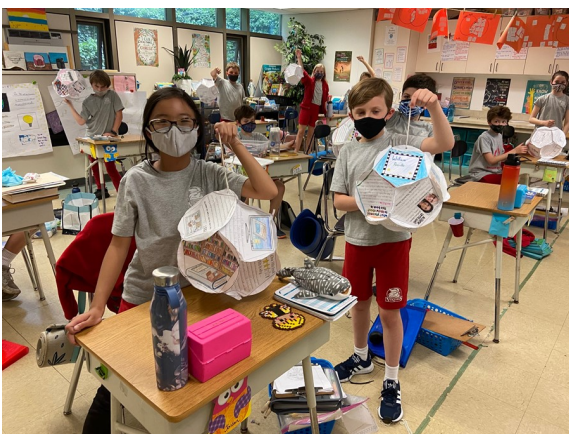
### ***Congratulations to all of our First Communicants! Photos to come!***

We were blessed to have all 51 Children's Ministry and Sacred Heart School students receive the Eucharist over the past two weeks. We have wonderful photos to share of the children participating in this special sacrament. Look for them in next week's bulletin!

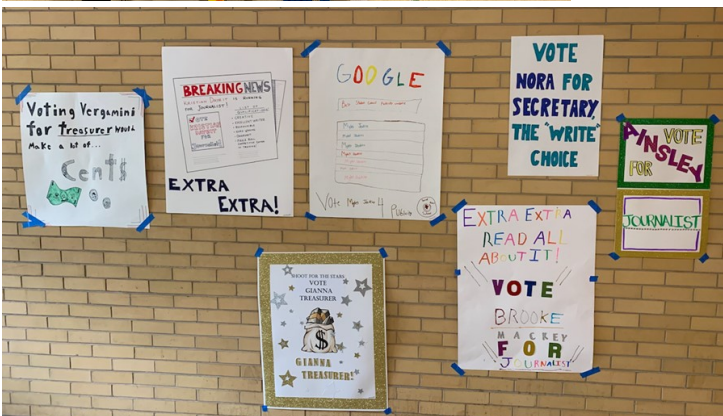




## LOOK WHAT'S HAPPENING AT SACRED HEART SCHOOL!



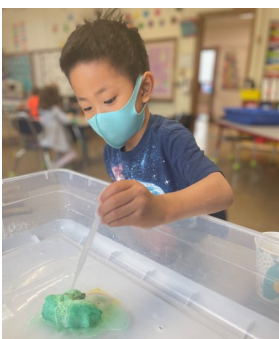
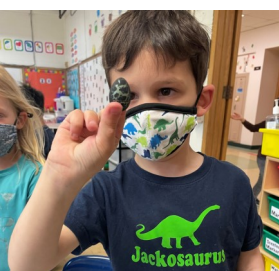
The 4th graders connected math and ELA with the creation of their dodecahedron book projects for their class novel, *Save me a Seat!* They did an amazing job creatively displaying various literary elements, comprehension and text-to-self connections of their class novel.



Students have been working hard campaigning for the upcoming student council elections! Candidates are proudly hanging their posters around the school as our elections will be held on Wednesday, May 26th.



Thank you to the 5<sup>th</sup> grade helpers with our uniform exchange.



JK had Dinosaur Day yesterday! The students got to be paleontologists and uncover their own dinosaurs buried in clay using hammers and brushes. Next, they did a science experiment where they dissolved a baking soda dinosaur egg using vinegar. Finally, they all got to pick and water a dinosaur egg to see what kind of dinosaur would grow!



The 1st graders ended their study of fossils and dinosaurs by creating t-shirts, completing an art/writing project and a virtual field trip, and dancing the Dinosaur Stomp.





## PRAYERS FOR OUR FAITH COMMUNITY

### PRESIDER SCHEDULE DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

May 29, 2021

SACRED HEART CHURCH

5:00 p.m.

Presider: Fr. Steve Lanza

May 30, 2021

ST. PHILIP THE APOSTLE CHURCH

8:00 a.m.

Presider: Fr. Steve Lanza

May 30, 2021

SACRED HEART CHURCH

10:00 a.m.

Presider: Fr. Dan Cassidy

### 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.

### MINISTERS OF CARE

Given restrictions of nursing homes in the State of Illinois, the constraints of safety protocols of the Archdiocese, and the fact that the majority of our volunteers fall into the vulnerable category, home visits by Ministers of Care cannot be made at this time. **If your loved one 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.** One of our priests will respond to your call. Please leave a message!!

### LITURGICAL MINISTERS

#### LECTOR ASSIGNMENTS:

May 29, 2021 Sacred Heart Church 5:00 p.m.  
Chris Hartman

May 30, 2021 St. Philip the Apostle Church 8:00 a.m.  
Rima Abraham

May 30, 2021 Sacred Heart Church 10:00 a.m.  
Mike Pompizzi

If you are interested in the ministry of Lector at either Sacred Heart or St. Philip the Apostle, please contact Ron Vanasdlen, via email [rvanasdlen@divinemercynorthshore.org](mailto:rvanasdlen@divinemercynorthshore.org)

### PLEASE PRAY

#### 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, Ed Cassidy, Peggy Gamble, Paul Greco,  
Benjamin Grillo, Jack Hogan, Mario Iturino, Gina Quirk Lazicki,  
Beth O'Brien, Joan Rohrs, Cindy Santaniello, Mary Showalter,  
Sister Betty Tranel

#### For Those Who Have Died

May the souls of faithfully departed,  
through the mercy of God, rest in peace.  
**Tim Doll, brother of Bill Doll**

#### Readings for the week of May 23, 2021

Sunday: Acts 2:1-11/Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34 [cf. 30]/1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Gal 5:16-25/Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 15:26-27; 16:12-15  
Monday: Gn 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14/Ps 87:1-2, 3 and 5, 6-7/Jn 19:25-34  
Tuesday: Sir 35:1-12/Ps 50:5-6, 7-8, 14 and 23 [23b]/Mk 10:28-31  
Wednesday: Sir 36:1, 4-5a, 10-17/Ps 79:8, 9, 11 and 13 [Sir 36:1b]/Mk 10:32-45  
Thursday: Sir 42:15-25/Ps 33:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [6a]/Mk 10:46-52  
Friday: Sir 44:1, 9-13/Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b [cf. 4a]/Mk 11:11-26  
Saturday: Sir 51:12cd-20/Ps 19:8, 9, 19, 11 [9ab]/Mk 11:27-33  
Next Sunday: Dt 4:32-34, 39-40/Ps 33:4-5, 6, 9, 18-19, 20, 22 [12b]/Rom 8:14-17/Mt 28:16-2

## MASS INTENTIONS

*Note that the Wednesday Mass currently is closed to the public. Only the Sacred Heart School students are allowed to attend. It may be viewed on our website homepage via livestream.*

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

#### MONDAY, May 24 (SH)

8:00 a.m. - Conway / Stevens Family

#### TUESDAY, May 25 (SPA)

8:00 a.m. - Living and Deceased  
Members of the Edward & Viola  
Dietz Family

#### WEDNESDAY, May 26 (SH)

School Mass: Closed to the Public  
8:30 a.m. -

#### THURSDAY, May 27 (SH)

8:00 a.m. - Special Intention for  
Sister Betty Tranel

#### FRIDAY, May 28 (SPA)

8:00 a.m. - Paul Gerlach

#### SATURDAY, MAY 29 (SH)

5:00 p.m. - Ginna Cortis

#### SUNDAY, MAY 30

8:00 a.m. (SPA) - Parishioners of  
Divine Mercy  
Marge Clingan  
10:00 a.m. (SH) - Earle Gott

## THIS WEEK AT DIVINE MERCY

*All meetings at Divine Mercy Parish are currently suspended until further notice.*

## SACRAMENTS

*Please call the Parish Office temporary number at 847-881-6664 for the most current information regarding Sacraments during this time.*

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! We remind everyone to wear a mask, and that you'll be greeted by someone from our reopening team.

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.

### BULLETIN SPECS:

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Avoid outlining text boxes, if you can.

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 OFFICES

Given the constraints of the pandemic, our offices are only open in the mornings from 9:00 a.m. until 12:15 p.m. Monday through Friday. You can reach us by calling 847-446-0856 during offices hours, evenings and weekends. You may call our temporary office number 847-881-6664 in the afternoons.

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

### Office Address:

Divine Mercy Parish  
1077 Tower Rd.  
Winnetka, IL 60093

Thank you for your understanding.

Divine Mercy Parish is a Welcoming Community that  
Inspires Disciples of Jesus to Share God's Love and  
Transform the World.  
Making Disciples • Building Church • Serving Others



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