

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY—APRIL 12, 2026

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**SACRAMENT OF
BAPTISM**
SECOND & FOURTH
SUNDAYS
1:15 PM ENG
2:15 PM PL

Please arrange the date
of baptism through the
Rectory office after
the birth of your child

**SACRAMENT OF
MARRIAGE**

Please call the Rectory
for an appointment at
least **six months** prior
to the desired date.

**SACRAMENT OF
RECONCILIATION**
SATURDAYS

4:00 to 4:45 PM and
THURSDAYS BEFORE
FIRST FRIDAYS
4:00 to 5:00 PM

Other times by appointment.

1ST FRI. DEVOTION
7:30 to 10 PM

1ST SAT. DEVOTION
AFTER 8:00 AM MASS

3RD FRIDAY MASS
Mass for Vocations 7:30 PM



2ND SUNDAY OF EASTER
(DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY)

Then he said to Thomas, "Put your finger here and see my
hands, and bring your hand and put it into my side, and do
not be unbelieving, but believe." - Jn 20:26-27

**LITURGY OF THE
EUCHARIST**
WEEKDAYS 7:00 AM
SATURDAYS 8:00 AM
SATURDAY EVENINGS
VIGIL MASS 5:00 PM
SUNDAYS 8:00 & 9:15 AM,
10:30 (Polish) 12:00 Noon

**RECTORY HOURS
WEEKDAYS**

9 AM to 12 Noon
& 1 PM to 4 PM

**EUCHARISTIC
ADORATION**
TUES. 12 to 1 PM

MILLIONS OF MONICAS
TUES. 1 to 2 PM

**PL PRAYER GROUP
W/ ADORATION**
2ND THURSDAYS 7 PM

LAY CARMELITES
1ST SAT. AFTER
8 AM MASS

ALTAR ROSARY
1ST WED. 6:30 PM
(APRIL, MAY, JUNE,
SEPT., OCT. & NOV.)

YOUTH GROUP
2ND & 4TH MONDAY 6 PM

Our Mission Statement

*Lord, God, all creation is Yours, and You call us to serve You by caring for the gifts
that surround us. May the example of St. Isidore urge us to share our food with the hungry and to
work for the salvation of mankind. We ask this through our Lord, Jesus Christ, Your Son, who lives
and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God for ever and ever. Amen.
Saint Isidore, Pray for Us.*

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DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY—APRIL 12, 2026

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, APRIL 11, 2026

5:00 pm The People of the Parish Living & Deceased
+ Connie Bilski / + Edward Sujecki
+ Joseph Ruthinowski / + Mary Jane Kelly

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY, APRIL 12, 2026

8:00 am + Bonnie Schroder

9:15 am + Dariusz Kalicki

10:30 am + Czeslawa Zakrzewska i zmarlych z rodziny
(PL) Sawickich i Zakrzewskich
+ Edward Gorski i dusze w czysccu cierpiace
+ Jadwiga (A), Julian Bondarowicz i Ziggy Wilinski
+ Kamil Wnorowski i Andrzej Najmula
+ Sylwia Brozio / + Ryszard Pietkun
+ Za dusze sp. Wanda Porowska panie w
prowadz zmarla do chwaly nieba, gazie
badzie ciz chwalic i blogoslawic na wieki
prosi Krystyna

12 Noon + Barbara & Bob Holmes

MONDAY, APRIL 13, 2026

7:00 am + Balbina Zilnicki / + Richie Oberinger

TUESDAY, APRIL 14, 2026

7:00 am + Bertha R. Kulesa (A)
Birthday Blessings for Nickolas Evans

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15, 2026

7:00 am Intentions of Deacon Mike and Reina Bonocore
+ Angelina Sulli (A)

THURSDAY, APRIL 16, 2026

7:00 am + Linda Copenhaver

FRIDAY, APRIL 17, 2026

7:00 am + Mary and Joseph Goroleski
+ Grace Bertolotti (A)

SATURDAY, APRIL 18, 2026

8:00 am + Joe Lacava

5:00 pm + Sr. Mary Pudenciana (A)
+ Ed and Helen Truskoski
+ Caroline Stepnoski / + John Karpinski

3rd SUNDAY OF EASTER, APRIL 19, 2026

8:00 am + Barbara Ann Bugdin Drake
9:15 am Birthday Blessings for John Weber
10:30 am The People of the Parish, Living and Deceased
(PL) + Kamil Wnorowski i Jan Krupinski
+ Maria Raducha / + Dariusz Andruszkiewicz
+ Leokadia Wolniewicz (A) and + Family
Int. of Wioletta & Rafal Krupa and Children
12 Noon + Deceased Members of the Altar Rosary Society

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Readings for the week of April 12, 2026

Sunday: Acts 2:42-47/Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24/1
Pt 1:3-9/Jn 20:19-31

Monday: Acts 4:23-31/Ps 2:1-3, 4-7a, 7b-9/Jn 3:1-8

Tuesday: Acts 4:32-37/Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5/Jn 3:7b-15

Wednesday: Acts 5:17-26/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/
Jn 3:16-21

Thursday: Acts 5:27-33/Ps 34:2 and 9, 17-18, 19-
20/Jn 3:31-36

Friday: Acts 5:34-42/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14/Jn 6:1-15

Saturday: Acts 6:1-7/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19/Jn 6:16-21

Next Sunday: Acts 2:14, 22-33/Ps 16:1-2 and 5, 7-
8, 9-10, 11/1 Pt 1:17-21/Lk 24:13-3

OUR COLLECTIONS

Today, April 12: Sunday & Debt Reduction
Next Week, April 19: Sunday & Debt Reduction
Thank you for your generosity!



PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED

John Morgan

THE WEEK AHEAD

Tuesday, April 14, 2026

Adoration 12 to 1 PM
Prayer for Priests 6 to 8 PM

Friday, April 17, 2026

Eucharistic Devotion
Holy Hour and
Mass for Vocations 7 PM

PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Bodhi Doroski * Cathy Harper * Margaret Lombardo * Lonneka Doroski * Peter Milovich * Valerie Ainsworth * Victoria Weiner * Frank Stepnoski * Mary Jane Macarthur * Bruno Sidor * Nancy Kruzson Walters * Joanne DeMarco * Sandra Kuhlman * Albert Stepnoski * Richard Abbott * Beverly Bullock * Joseph O'Shea * Baby John Krepps * Dottie Bugdin * Jadwiga Luniewska * Wanda Tuminska * Etta Jean Otis * Richard Anderson * Eric Frak * Andrew * Chris Bonocore * Ethan Donahue * Irene Monahan * Jodi Ponce * Catherine & Charles J. Sehy * Ben G. & Elizabeth * Wm. Snyder * Nancy McDonald * Brendan Gallagher * Kristy West * Josephine Barker * Paul Farber * Nicholas Steinkamp * Teresa Muenkel * Ron Danowski * Peter Kraljic * Carson Whible * Dave Zazeski * Faye Anderson * James Gibson * Jim Kenna * Daryl Alec * Paula George * Christina Donovan * Joan Zaleski * Gillen Family * Blythe Fickenwirth * Jody Breitfeller * Benjamin Gonzalez * Dominique Tirado * Diana Perniciaro * Sammy * Brodie * James Kenna * Douglas Clark * Jan Suchta * Justin * Dakota Harmon * Cole Faller * Halikias Family * Liana Forstein * Rosemary & Daniel Ambrosini * Thomas Ryall * Anne Marie Donlon * Dorothy Sousa * Thomas McEnany * Mary Khulman * Michael Alperti * Roseanne Murphy * Barbara Kozlowski * James West * Elizabeth Farruggia * Kelly Wine * Mary Van Duesen * Thomas DeGirolamo * William Berenger * Daria Quarlena * Eileen Borchart * Sheila Nolan * Jeffrey Clark * Tom Wisniewski III * James, George & Barbara Jaeger * Ernest & Alex Aponte * Helen Long * Michael Miglionico * Ralph Conforti * The Barauskus Family * Hope & Brittany Williams * John Marion * Emilia Andrychowski * Augie & Georgianna Lucente * Johanna Benthal * Michelle Giaccone * Howard Seifert * Ed Kennedy * Kit Z. * Dolores Contino * Agnes Brown * Anders Ryden * Kevin C. Cook * Anita Costi * Doriane Bay * David Vallone * Brittany Schacor * Karen and Kim Finocchiaro * Grace Mary Schulteis * Victor Sechyshyn * George Angle * Melissa Alexandra * Christian Vidal * Suzanne Thompson * Anna Grefe * Anthony Mannino * Marcella Frisen * Theresa Puglia * Brian Darmody * Leigh Anne Brown * Dan Modjeska * Judy Zakorski * Marie Miley * John Shuot * Patrick Murphy * Brian Crowley * Louise Pampinello * Barbara Fenn

Please keep all those serving in the military and their families in your thoughts and prayers especially:
 Nicholas Pelosi, Christopher Drowns, Jeffrey Heppner, James Fleming, Thomas V. D'Auria, Mateusz Marzec, Andre DeRosa, Garrett Bracht and Hunter Bahnke

Please keep Deacons,
Nicholas Waldron and Patrick O'Brien,
 in your prayers.

2026 PASCHAL CANDLE

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 in memory of

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 and Jill Marie Czulada



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THIS WEEK ON FORMED

Divine Mercy Chaplet | Franciscan Friars of the Renewal

Consider praying the Chaplet of Divine Mercy in a new way with the Franciscan Friars of the Renewal. This video on Formed includes breathtaking footage of Catholics across the world performing works of mercy and asking God to have mercy on us.

Pope John Paul II

Starring Jon Voight and Cary Elwes, this epic film follows Karol Wojtyla's journey from his youth in Poland through his late days on the Chair of St. Peter.

Divine Mercy with Fr. Michael Gaitley

Renowned speaker and author Fr. Michael Gaitley tells the dramatic history of God's love and mercy as interwoven through the transformative message of St. Faustina, the miraculous appearance of Mary at Fatima, the witness of Maximilian Kolbe, and the world-changing papacy of Pope St. John Paul II.



MAY 12, 2026

8:00AM—6:00PM

Private Coach bus trip
 to Staten Island's
 "LiGrecci's Staaten" to see
THE BILLION DOLLAR TRIO

This show is a tribute to
NEIL DIAMOND, OLIVIA NEWTON JOHN and
PATSY CLINE

The day includes a R/T private coach bus, the entertainment (11:30am—3:30pm) and a complete luncheon: 2 adult beverages, Fresh Garden Salad, Caterer's choice of pasta or soup, a choice of 3 entrees, dessert, coffee or tea (wine & soda during lunch.) Cost is \$165 p/p

Call the rectory **by May 1** to save your spot! 631-727-2114

Quotes from Saints and Theologians about Divine Mercy

Our Father is the greatest teacher because He reveals Himself progressively throughout history, attending to our limited understanding and calling us to trust in Him. Looking at Scripture, He first revealed Himself as Father to the Israelites, then the Son to the Jews, and finally the Holy Spirit to the disciples, who then baptized others in the name of the Trinity. Likewise, God revealed His character not all at once but slowly so that His creatures might be able to grasp what was necessary to know and love Him.

The message of Divine Mercy is not a new message but it was a reminder of God's mercy in a time when it was desperately needed, right in between the two World Wars. And it is still a message that resonates today in the midst of abuse scandals, terrorism, natural disasters, and broken families.

What is Divine Mercy?

It is the message of God's infinite, unconditional love. God's love is more powerful than the deepest sin. He calls each and every one of us to return to Him because it is only in Him that we can full life and be unconditionally loved. This message is portrayed throughout Scripture and was also revealed to Sr. Faustina Kowalska, an uneducated Polish nun who wrote in a diary all that God revealed to her about His mercy.

The message of Divine Mercy can be remembered using the ABC's

A - Ask for His Mercy. God wants us to approach Him in prayer constantly, repenting of our sins and asking Him to pour His mercy out upon us and upon the whole world.

B - Be merciful. God wants us to receive His mercy and let it flow through us to others. He wants us to extend love and forgiveness to others just as He does to us.

C - Completely trust in Jesus. God wants us to know that the graces of His mercy are dependent upon our trust. The more we trust in Jesus, the more we will receive.

Quotes about Divine Mercy from Sr. Faustina

These words from our Savior to Sr. Faustina depict the Lord's great desire for all of His children to obtain His mercy. It is open and available to all who are willing to open their hearts. The Father does not hold back; rather, like the father in the story of the prodigal son, He continually runs with open arms to His children, offering unlimited mercy and love.

"This Feast emerged from the very depths of My mercy, and it is confirmed in the vast depths of My tender mercies. Every soul believing and trusting in My mercy will obtain it." (Diary of St. Faustina, 420) "Humanity will never find peace until it turns with trust to Divine Mercy" (Diary, p. 132).

Quotes about Divine Mercy from St. Pope John Paul II

John Paul II called Faustina the "great apostle of Divine Mercy in our time" and made it his goal to live and teach the message of Divine Mercy as long as he lived. He initiated the canonization process for Sr. Faustina and made the Sunday after Easter "Divine Mercy Sunday".

"The appropriate and incisive answer that God wanted to offer to the questions and expectations of human beings in our time, marked by terrible tragedies.... Divine Mercy! This is the Easter gift that the Church receives from the risen Christ and offers to humanity at the dawn of the third millennium." "Jesus entrusted to them (the important role of the apostles and their successors in being the means of mercy between Christ and His people through the Sacrament of Reconciliation.) the gift of "forgiving sins", a gift that flows from the wounds in his hands, his feet, and especially from his pierced side. From there a wave of mercy is poured out over all humanity."

Saint Augustine

"Trust the past to the mercy of God, the present to His love, and the future to His providence."— Saint Augustine

Pope Francis

"Mercy is the force that reawakens us to new life and instills in us the courage to look to the future with hope. It is not easy to entrust oneself to God's mercy, because it is an abyss beyond our comprehension. But we must! ... Oh, I am a great sinner! All the better! Go to Jesus: He likes you to tell him these things! He forgets, He has a very special capacity for forgetting. He forgets, He kisses you, He embraces you and He simply says to you: "Neither do I condemn you; go, and sin no more" (Jn 8:11)"— Homily on March 17, 2013

Mercy is a double-folded gift that encompasses forgiveness and change. Jesus' command includes "go and sin no more."

"God's mercy can make even the driest land become a garden, can restore life to dry bones (cf. Ez 37:1-14). ... Let us be renewed by God's mercy, let us be loved by Jesus, let us enable the power of his love to transform our lives too; and let us become agents of this mercy, channels through which God can water the earth, protect all creation and make justice and peace flourish."— Easter Urbi et Orbi message on March 31, 2013

Divine Mercy (cont'd)

Fr. Michael Gaitley

Fr. Michael Gaitley, in his book and talk “The Second Greatest Story Ever Told”, explains how the message of Divine Mercy is monumental in history. The story of Christ is complete and sufficient for knowing and loving Him, and the message of Divine Mercy emphasizes His mercy in a time when we most need it.

Fr. Michael encourages devotion to these five things: celebration of the Feast of Divine Mercy, praying with the Image of Divine Mercy, praying a novena leading up to Divine Mercy Sunday, praying the Chaplet of Divine Mercy, and praying during the Hour of Mercy.

Fr. Don Calloway

Fr. Don loves the message of Divine Mercy and created a website for it to spread the message of God’s love. He connects the mercy of God with the Immaculate Conception.

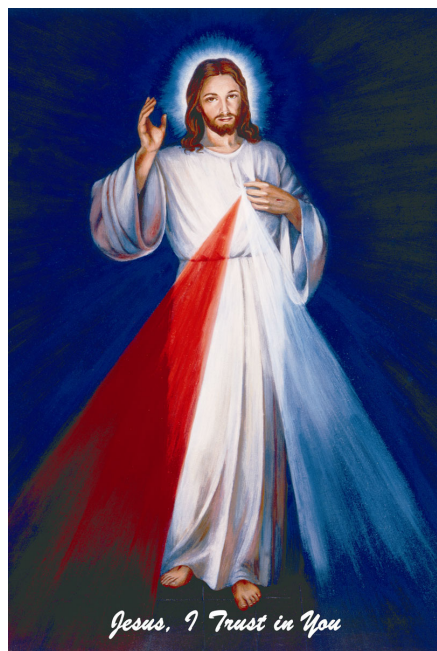
“The Divine Mercy and Mary Immaculate go hand in hand. The Immaculate Conception is really the masterpiece of Divine Mercy. Mary is the perfect fruit of Christ's redemption and love. So when you bring Mary and Divine Mercy together, they really compliment each other and they point to each other. It's kind of like the sun and the moon. Jesus is the sun; Mary's the moon. She reflects the sun”

Dr. Scott Hahn

“My conviction that Divine Mercy is the single most important truth that every Catholic needs to rediscover, and not just once or twice, but continuously. I think it is also the foundation on which we'll be building the new evangelization for many years — in fact, for decades to come.”

Dr. Hahn connects the message of Divine Mercy and the new evangelization. If we are to effectively bring others to Christ, we need to encounter people with the tender love and mercy of God. This comes first before call to repentance and catechesis.

The message of Divine Mercy is one that is still unpacked for its significance in our world. Through Christ’s sacrifice and redemption, He offers unconditional love and Mercy to His children who come to Him with open hearts and hands. May we embrace His mercy and share it with others today.



Join us
**This Sunday, April 12th,
for Divine Mercy Sunday
2:00 PM—3:30 PM**

Featuring Guest Speaker:
Marianna Garcia

Marianna Garcia is a gifted speaker, writer, educator, and advocate for individuals, families, and children. She was baptized and received into the Catholic Church on Easter of 2015 by Bishop Nelson Perez. Growing up in serious physical and spiritual poverty led to a life of addictions. A life once defined by worldly sorrow, struggle and hopelessness would transcend into a triumphant life bestowing Godly sorrow, victory and hope.

Marianna is a single mother to a beautiful 10-year old daughter who is diagnosed with a rare disease allowing her to grow deeper in faith. Through all of these challenges, Marianna has made a deeper commitment to the Lord who would demonstrate His Divine Providence in recreating her life. *“And so if the Son sets you free, you shall be free indeed.”*

Join us as Marianna shares her journey followed by the Divine Mercy Chaplet in song. *For the sake of His sorrowful Passion, have mercy!*

Parishes Praying for Priests

+ United in Eucharistic Adoration +

2026

Prayer for Priests
on Tuesdays:
April 14, 2026 &
October 27, 2026



*Parishes of the Rockville Centre
 Diocese are answering Our Lady's
 Call to pray for our Shepherds.*

*All are invited to adoration to pray
 for our priests by name at
 a parish listed.
 Come and go as you please.*

Eucharistic Adoration Open Hours at these Parishes

Curé of Ars, <i>Merrick</i>	10:00am-1:00pm	St Elizabeth of Hungary, <i>Melville</i>	6 – 9 pm
Holy Name of Jesus, <i>Woodbury</i>	6 – 9 pm	St Frances de Chantal, <i>Wantagh</i>	12 – 2 pm
Holy Name of Mary, <i>Valley Stream</i>	2 – 4 pm	St Isidore, <i>Riverhead</i>	6 – 8 pm
Maria Regina, <i>Seaford</i> (<i>Maria Regina Chapel</i>)	4 – 8 pm	St Joachim, <i>Cedarhurst</i>	3 – 5 pm
Our Holy Redeemer, <i>Freeport</i> (<i>Bilingual</i>)	6 – 9 pm	St John Nepomucene, <i>Bohemia</i>	6 – 8 pm
Our Lady of Lourdes, <i>Massapequa Park</i> (<i>Our Lady of Lourdes Chapel</i>)	5 - 9 pm	St John the Evangelist, <i>Center Moriches</i>	3 – 7 pm
Our Lady of Mercy, <i>Hicksville</i>	5:30 – 8:30 pm	St Joseph, <i>Babylon</i> (<i>Sacred Heart Adoration Chapel</i>)	4 – 8 pm
Our Lady of Perpetual Help, <i>Lindenhurst</i>	6:30 – 10 pm	St Joseph/Church of, <i>Garden City</i> (<i>The Convent Chapel</i>)	5 – 9 pm
Our Lady of Poland, <i>Southampton</i>	8:30 – 10:30 am	St. Joseph Prayer Center, <i>Patchogue</i>	4 - 6 pm
Our Lady Queen of Martyrs, <i>Centerport</i>	9:30 am–12 pm	St Mary of the Isle, <i>Long Beach</i>	10 – 1 pm
Our Lady of Victory, <i>Floral Park</i>	6 -9 pm	St Peter of Alcantara, <i>Port Washington (IHM Chapel)</i>	6 – 9 pm
St Agnes Cathedral, <i>RVC</i> (<i>Holy Cross Chapel</i>)	5 – 9 pm	St. Raphael, <i>East Meadow</i>	6 – 8 pm
St Aidan, <i>Williston Park</i>	6:15 – 8:15 pm	St Rosalie, <i>Hampton Bays</i>	6 – 8 pm
St Barnabas the Apostle, <i>Bellmore</i>	5 – 7 pm	St Rose of Lima, <i>Massapequa</i> (<i>Father Graham Chapel</i>)	5 – 9 pm
St Brigid, <i>Westbury</i>	1 – 5 pm	St Thérèse of Lisieux, <i>Montauk</i>	5 – 7 pm
St Christopher, <i>Baldwin</i>	5 – 9 pm	St Thomas the Apostle, <i>West Hempstead (Lower Church)</i>	4 – 6 pm
St Dominic, <i>Oyster Bay</i>	7 – 9 pm		

To lead this prayer evening in your parish, Call 516.458.0004 or email PrayForPriestsDRVC@aol.com