Parish Bulletin
2nd Sunday of Easter
Divine Mercy Sunday
April 19, 2020

Mass Schedule

April 19 - 25, 2020

Sunday, April 19
7:30 Telesflora & Arturo Gorespe
& Mary Ann Zamora (D) Presider
Bishop Walsh
9:00 Joseph Troy (D)
Fr. Tieng, LRMS
10:30 Parishioners of St. Anne
Fr. Nascimento
12:00 Healing of Covid-19 Patients
Fr. Zhai, SVD

Monday, April 20
6:30 Virginia del Rosario (D) Bishop Walsh
8:45 Intention of Gloria Pizinnelli
Fr. Tieng, LRMS

Tuesday, April 21
6:30 Bea Torres (D) Fr. Zhai, SVD
8:45 Margaret Roy (D) Fr. Nascimento

Wednesday, April 22
6:30 Margaret Roy (D) Bishop Walsh
8:45 Bea Torres (D) Fr. Tieng, LRMS

Thursday, April 23
6:30 Bryant & Mary O’Connor (D) Fr. Zhai, SVD
8:45 Amir Alkhraisat (D) Fr. Nascimento

Friday, April 24
6:30 Bea Torres Bishop Walsh
8:45 Joan White (D) Fr. Tieng, LRMS

Saturday, April 25
8:45 Confraternity of St. Anne Fr. Nascimento
5pm Thanksgiving
by Tina & Ver Obcena

Pastor’s Corner
Reassigned to St. Anne a Second Term - As some of you may know, Pastors typically have a 6 year assignment. Afterwards, the Archbishop can reassign them to another parish or he can extend their assignment in the same parish for a 2nd term. The good news for me is that my assignment here has been extended for a second term, beginning July 1. Yippee!!! However, as some of you may have heard about the shortage of priests, I will also be assigned as Administrator of Holy Name parish, effective July 1. So I’ll remain Pastor at St. Anne for the next 6 years, while being an Administrator of Holy Name parish until a time when the Archbishop assigns another priest there as Pastor. Fortunately, both parishes are similar and I am also familiar with it, having lived near Holy Name parish as a young adult. I’m grateful to the Archbishop for my extended assignment here and the confidence he has in me, assigning me as Administrator of Holy Name parish as well. But please pray for me. I’ll need all your prayers.

Feast of Divine Mercy - In 2000, Pope John Paul II canonized Sr. Faustina Kowalska (d. 1938). In her diary, she shared her relationship with Jesus who called her to be His secretary and share His message of Divine Mercy to the people of the whole world. In canonizing her, the Pope also established the 2nd Sunday of Easter as Divine Mercy Sunday. In the homily during her canonization, the Pope said that “God’s answer to the questions and expectations of human beings in our time, marked by terrible tragedies... is 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.” In 2002 when Pope John Paul II consecrated the whole world to the Divine Mercy, he said, “I do so with the burning desire that the message of God’s merciful love... may be made known to all the peoples of the earth, and fill their hearts with hope.” That’s why Pope John Paul II established this feast that we celebrate today, so that no matter our circumstances, we may know of God love for us and under His watchful care we may not be afraid but may find hope, peace and comfort throughout our lives.

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“Holy God, have mercy on us and on the whole world.”