

MASS INTENTIONS FOR WEEK OF APRIL 09

MONDAY OF HOLY WEEK, APRIL 10

6:30 a.m. Ann Marek +
12:05 pm. William Marusak +
6:30 p.m. Terilynn Folchert & Zac Cepak (health)

TUESDAY OF HOLY WEEK, APRIL 11

6:30 a.m. Emilie Harrison +
12:05 p.m. Frances Kudrna +
No 6:30 p.m. Mass this evening

WEDNESDAY OF HOLY WEEK, APRIL 12

6:30 a.m. Terilynn Folchert & Zac Cepak (health)
12:05 p.m. John F., Antonie, Danny Kubin +++
2:30 p.m. Mark Scoggins (health) (IOOF)
6:30 p.m. Dorothy Toupal +

HOLY THURSDAY OF THE LORD'S SUPPER, APRIL 13

6:00 p.m. Edwin & Joyce Plasek (56th Wedding Anniversary)
7:30 p.m. Fransisco Zapata +

FRIDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD, APRIL 14

3:00 p.m. Celebration of the Lord's Passion (Good Friday)
7:00 p.m. Celebration of the Lord's Passion

SATURDAY, APRIL 15

8:30 p.m. Ben Reid

APRIL 16, EASTER SUNDAY

8:00 a.m. Easter Novena
10:00 a.m. Easter Novena
1:00 p.m. Easter Novena

MASSES FOR EPIPHANY CHURCH

Sun. Apr. 09, 9 am Ricardo & Julia Espinoza ++
Thurs. Apr. 13, 8 pm Oscar & Eva Jaime ++
Fri. Apr. 14, 4:00 pm Celebration of the Lord's Passion
Fri. Apr. 14, 5:00 pm Live Stations of the Cross
Sat. Apr. 15, 8:30 pm Fidel Jimenez Uribe +
Sun. Apr. 16, 9 am Jose Ricardo Rosales +

HYMNS FOR PALM SUNDAY, APRIL 9

Entrance: All Glory, Laud, and Honor - 421
Offertory: Now We Remain - 696
Communion: Behold the Lamb of God - 824
Recessional: O Sacred Head, Surrounded—435

COLLECTIONS FOR APRIL 1 & 2

Totals include Church Collection & Faith Direct

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| St. John Regular Collection | \$16,793.11 |
| Second Collection: Capital Improvement | \$3,218.26 |
| Epiphany Regular Collection | \$911.00 |
| Second Collection: Building Fund | \$437.61 |

SPONSOR OF THE WEEK: Catholic Family Fraternal Insurance

IN OUR PARISH WEEK OF APRIL 09

Sunday, April 9 - Holy Week

Second Collection: Easter Flowers
TAMALE SALE: after 7 & 11 am Mass
No Religious Ed/ Elementary
9:00 am RCIA/ Rm 101-102
9:30 am RCIA Inquiry/ Rm 104
12:00 pm KJZT Junior Meeting/Rm 104 (after 11 am Mass)
6:30 pm Life Teen

Monday, April 10

6 am & after 630 am Mass Confessions
12:30-1 pm Confessions
5:30-6:30 pm Confessions
7:00 pm Divine Mercy Group/ Room 102

Tuesday, April 11

8:00 am Golden Crusaders / Cafeteria (9:30 Bingo starts)
Pot luck lunch - A-J: Veggies K-Z: Dessert
10:30 am Little Saints Playgroup/301
11:30-12 pm Confessions
7:00 pm Upper Room

Wednesday, April 12

6:30 - 8:30 pm Religious Ed
6:30 - 8:30 pm EDGE
7- 9:00 pm Confessions/ Church

Thursday, April 13 - Parish Office Closed

Friday, April 14 - Parish Office Closed

12:00-1 pm Confessions

Saturday, April 15

Sunday, April 16—Easter Sunday
Second Collection: Easter Flowers
No Religious Ed/ Elementary
No RCIA/ Rm 101-102
No RCIA Inquiry/ Rm 104
No Life Teen

Parish Office Closings

Thursday, April 13th - Holy Thursday

Friday, April 14th - Good Friday

Monday, April 17th - Easter Monday

Thursday, April 20th and Friday, April 21st
Healing the Whole Person Conference

In case of emergency call:

Fr. John 903-624-6114 or Fr. Antonio 469-831-0607

ST. JOHN CHURCH

Sanctuary Light : April 8 - April 14

In Honor: Matt Svehlak
By: Rosie & Ronnie Dlabaj

Altar Candles : April 8 - April 14

In Memory: Roger Gagnon

DIVINE PROVIDENCE HALL CHAPEL

Altar Candles: April 7 - April 13

For: Parish Community
By: St. John Altar Society

**Thursday,
April 13**

Holy Thursday

Mass of the Lord's Supper

With the celebration of Mass on the evening of Holy Thursday "the Church begins the Easter Triduum, and recalls the Last Supper, in which the Lord Jesus, on the night He was betrayed, loving unto the end His own who were in the world, He offered to the Father His Body and Blood under the species of bread and wine and gave them to the Apostles as spiritual nourishment, and He commanded them and their successors in the priesthood to perpetuate this offering."

The mysteries which are commemorated in the Holy Thursday Mass are the institution of the Eucharist, the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, the institution of our Catholic Priesthood, and Christ's command of brotherly love exemplified in the washing of the feet.

After the transfer of the Blessed Sacrament to the Altar of Repose there is no Mass celebrated in any Church throughout the world until the Holy Saturday Easter Vigil. The tabernacle is empty, His Real Presence is removed from the body of our Churches to an Altar of Repose and Adoration.

Mass of the Lord's Supper

Spanish: 6:00 PM

English: 7:30 PM



Giotto di Bondone, *Washing of Feet* (detail), 1304-1306, Cappella Scrovegni (Arena Chapel), Padua

Good Friday

Friday,
April 14

Celebration of the Lord's Passion

On this day, when "Christ our Passover was sacrificed," the Church meditates on the Passion of her Lord and Spouse, venerates the Cross, commemorates her origin from the side of Christ on the Cross and intercedes for the salvation of the whole world.

On this day, in accordance with ancient tradition, the Church does not celebrate the Eucharist; Holy Communion is distributed to the faithful during the celebration of the Lord's Passion alone, though it may be brought at any time of the day to the sick.

The general intercessions follow a wording and form handed down by ancient tradition, maintaining the full range of intentions, so as to signify clearly the universal effect of the Passion of Christ, who hung on the Cross for the salvation of the whole world.



English: 3:00 PM

Spanish: 7:00 PM

Easter Vigil and Easter Sunday

Saturday, April 15
Sunday, April 16

Holy Saturday

On Holy Saturday the Church is as it were at the Lord's tomb, meditating on His passion and death and on His descent into Hell, and awaiting His resurrection with prayer and fasting. To enter more fully into the Triduum, it is recommended that the Good Friday fast be extended through Holy Saturday. On this day the Church abstains strictly from the celebration of the Sacrifice of the Mass. Holy Communion may be given only in the form of Viaticum.

The Easter Vigil

According to a most ancient tradition, the night before Easter Sunday is "one of vigil for the Lord," and the Vigil celebrated during it, to commemorate that holy night when the Lord rose from the dead, is regarded as the "Mother of all Holy Vigils," for in that night the Church keeps vigil, waiting for the Resurrection of the Lord and celebrates the Sacraments of Christian Initiation.

"The entire celebration of the Easter Vigil takes place at

Easter Vigil

8:30 PM

night. It should not begin before nightfall; it should end before daybreak on Sunday." This rule is to be taken according to its strictest sense.

The Passover Vigil, in which the Hebrews kept watch for the Lord's Passover which was to free them from slavery to Pharaoh, was an annual commemoration. It prefigured the true Pasch of Christ that was to come, the night that is of true liberation, in which "destroying the bonds of death, Christ rose as victor from the depths."

Easter Sunday

Since on it we celebrate the resurrection of the Lord from the dead and the opening of heaven to us, we hold Easter as the holiest day of the year. This is the day for which we wait and long all of Lent and all year.

Easter Sunday

8:00 AM

10:00 AM

1:00 PM (Spanish)



Giotto di Bondone, *Resurrection* (detail), 1304-1306, Cappella Scrovegni (Arena Chapel), Padua

A Weekend of Mercy

Healing the Whole Person

Go beyond the issues you know, the issues that preoccupy & distract you, to find healing for the deeper issues - the every day knicks and scrapes that keep you from being who you were made to be, from being free, from belonging totally to God. Find the truth of who are in Christ and the freedom that goes with it.

Thursday: 5:30 - 9:30 pm

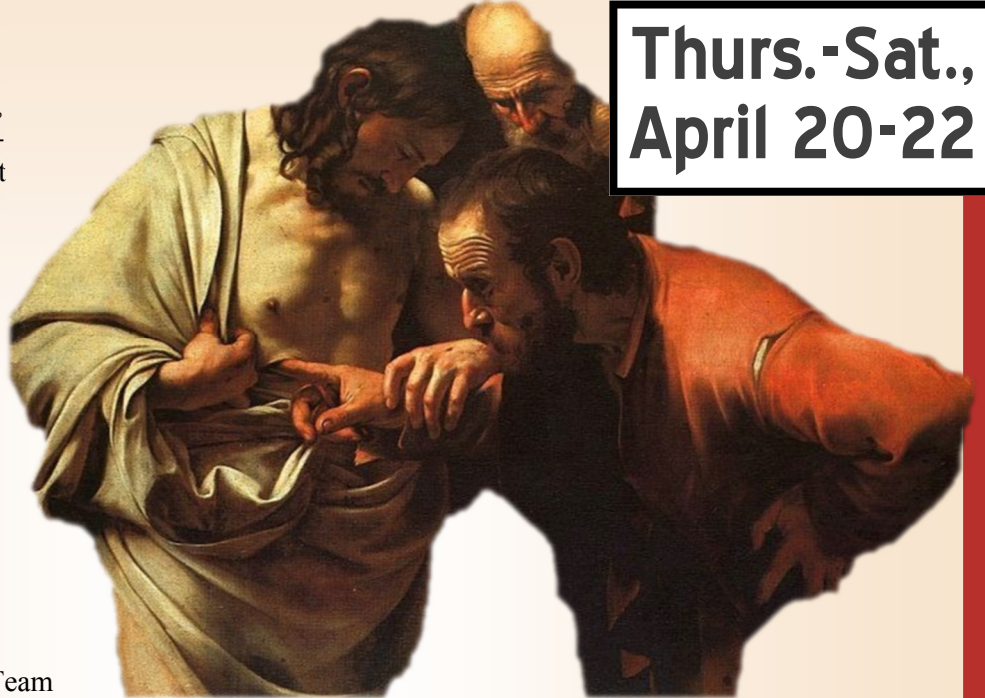
Friday: 8:30 - 4:00 pm

Saturday: 8:00 - Noon

Presented by: Dr. Bob Schuchts & Team
Register at: www.JPIIHealingCenter.org

Local Questions: Sharon Kudrna skk72@aol.com

**Thurs.-Sat.,
April 20-22**



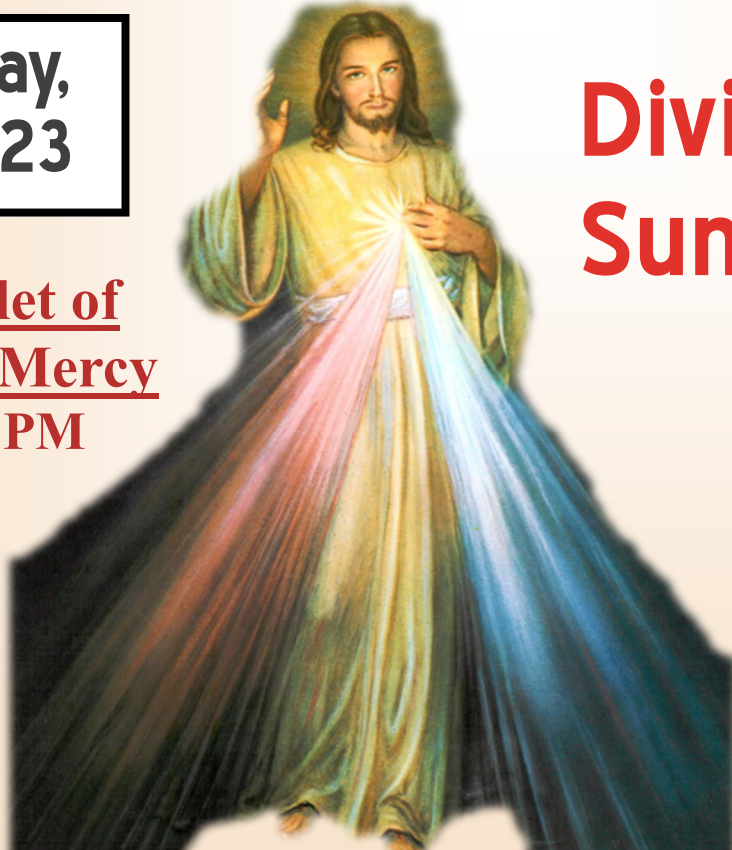
**Sunday,
April 23**

**Chaplet of
Divine Mercy
3:00 PM**

Divine Mercy Sunday

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The Octave Day of Easter, the last of the days that is considered part of Easter Day itself, is designated as Divine Mercy Sunday. Jesus promised to St. Faustina that an ocean of mercy awaits for those who turn to Him. He has paid for our sins. He has conquered death. He has called us to His Sacred Heart. Let us turn to Him and experience His Divine Mercy.



Above: St. Thomas Probes the Wounds of Christ

Below: The Divine Mercy Image

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

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| Jo Ann Dolezalik—3/26/17 | Evelyn Zmolik—3/26/17 | Lillian Barto—4/30/17 | Harry Fira—4/2/16 |
| Georgie Ann Nekuza-4/30/17 | Margaret Bohuslav—2/5/17 | Jerry & Janie Marusak—3/12/17 | Alcario Sanchez—4/2/17 |
| Sr. Genevieve Prochaska | Pam Hammonds—2/5/17 | Pauline Novy—3/12/17 | Teresa Wiebold—4/2/17 |
| Sr. Redempta Bradley | Jeff Frazier—5/14/17 | Kadie Hernandez—3/12/17 | Nancy Prewitt—4/9/17 |
| Rachel Zmolik—4/23/17 | Jimmy Aguilar—2/5/17 | Gabino Guido—3/12/17 | Sebastian Cadena—4/9/17 |
| Catherine Roberts—4/9/17 | Joan Trojacek—4/23/17 | Matt Hartley—3/12/17 | Greg Navarro—4/9/17 |
| Mildred Trojacek—3/26/17 | Frank Tapia—4/16/17 | Don Hartley—3/12/17 | Tina Jones—4/9/17 |
| David Trojacek—3/26/17 | Lynn Carter—5/14/17 | Dorothy Sonka—3/12/17 | Ashley Harryman—4/9/17 |
| Margie Dvorak—3/26/17 | Patsy & Jerry Zmolik - 3/19/17 | Robbin Roberson—5/14/17 | Norma Juricek - 5/7/17 |
| Marguerite Patterson-4/9/17 | Emily Peppers—5/14/17 | Larry Christopher—3/19/17 | Eugene Pena - 5/14/17 |
| Arnold Twins—3/12/17 | Mary Trojacek—4/23/17 | Kenneth Svhelak—3/19/17 | Deanna Richardson—4/23/17 |
| Sherri Longoria—4/9/17 | Mildred Kohen—3/19 | Bonnie Bacak—3/26/17 | Jane Rychlik—4/23/17 |
| Calvin Baw, Jr. —3/26/17 | Marion Haba—3/26/17 | Melody Rejcek—4/23/17 | Erin Tomlinson—4/23/17 |
| Jennifer Wright—4/9/17 | Fred Scarbrough—3/5/17 | Joe Barak Sr—3/26/17 | Beth Johnson—4/23/17 |
| Rachel Dyson—2/12/17 | Mauricio Bravo Pineda—3/5/17 | Rose Sladeczek Buckner—3/26/17 | Terrilyn Folchert—4/23/17 |
| Mary Ludwig—3/26/17 | Tom Peyton—3/5/17 | David Maliska—3/26/17 | Zac Cepak—4/23/17 |
| Epi Garfias—4/30/17 | Johnny Joe Lopez—3/5/17 | Mary Praslicka—3/26/17 | Dorothy Sonka—4/30/17 |
| Paul Tolliver—4/30/17 | Karen Glaspy—3/5/17 | Brenden Ruffin—4/23/17 | Freddy Martinez—4/30/17 |
| Joe Barak, Jr.—3/26/17 | Amanda Wilson—3/5/17 | Melody Rejcek—3/26/17 | Kevin Woodley—5/14/17 |
| Geraldine Kubin—4/30/17 | Ed Tysdale—3/5/17 | Carolyn Claxton—3/26/17 | Jean/ Steve Wolf - 5/14/17 |
| JoAnn Strunc—3/26/17 | Ruby Romo—3/5/17 | Priscilla Elizonda—4/2/16 | |
| Nancy Escobar—4/30/17 | Terry Peyton—3/5/17 | Gloria Garcia—4/2/16 | |
| Melissa Patterson—4/30/17 | Lonnie Grace—3/5/17 | Carl Fira—4/2/16 | |