

Mercy Sunday Momentum

Announcements for Pulpit, Bulletin, and Website

Prepare NOW for The Greatest Day of Grace Coming Soon

We want to ensure our entire parish is aware of the tremendous graces offered to the whole world on Divine Mercy Sunday, (insert date), this year. Jesus told St. Maria Faustina, "**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.**" Go to MercySundayMomentum.org to join the momentum, get inspiration, and help others discover the gift of Divine Mercy Sunday.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Divine Mercy Sunday – (insert date) - An Outpouring of Tremendous Graces

On April 30, 2000, Pope St. John Paul II announced the reemergence of an ancient feast in the Church now called Divine Mercy Sunday. He said, "There is nothing mankind needs more than Divine Mercy," Through revelations given to St. Maria Faustina in the 1930's, Jesus Himself repeatedly requested the celebration of this feast and promised an outpouring of unimaginable graces, *including complete remission of sins and punishment*, upon those who turn with trust to His mercy. Go to MercySundayMomentum.org to learn more about how to prepare for, celebrate, and share the good news of Divine Mercy Sunday.

Announcing Mercy Sunday Momentum (insert year YYYY)

In 1931, Jesus requested the Feast of Divine Mercy and charged His Church to build MOMENTUM toward a renewed relationship with Him and acceptance of His Divine Mercy for the world. The Feast of Mercy is celebrated on the first Sunday after Easter, which this year falls on (insert date). **Mercy Sunday Momentum** is a free program sponsored by Mother of Mercy Messengers from the National Shrine of Divine Mercy to help prepare for, promote, and celebrate this day of great grace. Sign up for weekly emails with short videos, testimonies, teachings, and more at MercySundayMomentum.org.

Complete Remission of Sins and Punishment and More on Divine Mercy Sunday

Yes, it's true! On the Feast of Mercy, (insert date) this year, all your sins and all the punishment due for them (Purgatory time) can be completely wiped away. And not only that! Jesus also promises that on this day, "**all the divine floodgates through which graces flow are opened,**" meaning all kinds of blessings such as physical and spiritual healings, reconciliations, financial solutions, and more. How do you obtain these gifts? How should you prepare for them, and how can you share this information? Go to MercySundayMomentum.org to register for free videos, downloads, and more.

The Feast of Mercy is Approaching – (insert date)

Please prepare to take full advantage of the great graces available on the Feast of Mercy for yourself, your family, and the whole world. Go to MercySundayMomentum.org to find out how.

The World Needs Peace. The World Needs the Feast of Mercy!

In the 1930's Jesus revealed to St. Maria Faustina that He wishes to pour His mercy out upon the whole world. He told her, **"I do not want to punish aching mankind, but I desire to heal it, pressing it to My Merciful Heart. My daughter, tell the whole world about My inconceivable mercy. I desire that the Feast of Mercy be a refuge and shelter for all souls, and especially for poor sinners. It is My desire that it be solemnly celebrated on the first Sunday after Easter. Mankind will not have peace until it turns to the Fount of My Mercy."** Prepare to take full advantage of the great graces available on the Feast of Mercy for yourself, your family, and the whole world. Go to MercySundayMomentum.org to find out how.

Now is the Time for Mercy – Accept this Offer from Heaven

Divine Mercy Sunday this year is (insert date). From the Diary of St. Faustina, Jesus promises: **"On that day the very depths of My tender mercy are open. I pour out a whole ocean of graces upon those souls who approach the Fount of My Mercy. The soul that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion shall obtain complete forgiveness of sins and punishment. On that day all the divine floodgates through which graces flow are opened. Let no soul fear to draw near to Me, even though its sins be as scarlet."** Learn more at MercySundayMomentum.org

In Need of Peace & Healing? Coming to the World (insert date and year) - Divine Mercy Sunday

The first Sunday after Easter is the Feast of Mercy, the most incredible day of grace of the year. Jesus told St. Faustina: **On this day, ALL the Divine floodgates through which grace flow are opened."** We encourage everyone to take full advantage of this gift of mercy for yourself, your family, our country, and the world. Go to MercySundayMomentum.org for more information and spread the news.

Save the Date! (insert date)

Celebrate the Greatest Day of Grace with Us at (enter Parish name) Catholic Church

(insert parish name) will be holding a special time of prayer and fellowship in celebration of the Feast of Mercy, Sunday, (enter date, time, place, include all details). In the Diary of St. Faustina Jesus promises, **"In this hour [3:00 pm], I will refuse nothing to the soul that makes a request of Me in virtue of My Passion. In this hour you can obtain everything for yourself and for others for the asking"**.

Divine Mercy Sunday Novena – Begins Good Friday

Join millions of faithful around the globe in the Divine Mercy Novena beginning on Good Friday. The Chaplet of Divine Mercy is prayed for 9 days, with these intentions in mind: Day 1- all mankind, especially sinners; Day 2- the souls of priests and religious; Day 3- all devout and faithful souls; Day 4- those who do not believe in Jesus or do not know Him yet; Day 5- those who separated themselves from the Church; Day 6- meek and humble souls and souls of children ;Day 7- souls who especially venerate and glorify Jesus' mercy; Day 8- souls who are in purgatory; Day 9- souls who have become lukewarm. To receive the daily prayers go to MercySundayMomentum.org to register.

(Palm Sunday Weekend)

Time Sensitive Notice! Only Two Weeks to the Greatest Day of Grace – Be Ready

Divine Mercy Sunday is the first Sunday after Easter, the greatest day of grace of the year. Official Church teaching states that those who worthily receive the Eucharist* with trust in God's mercy on this day and are merciful to others will obtain COMPLETE forgiveness of all sin and punishment. It is likened to a second baptism! In addition, Jesus promises, "ALL the divine floodgates through which grace flow are opened." On this day, ask the Lord with trust for blessings, healings, reconciliations, etc. Go to MercySundayMomentum.org to learn more.

* To receive communion or Eucharist, in the Roman Catholic Church, one must be in a "state of grace," meaning one has not committed any "mortal sins" since last confessing. This requirement is drawn from an interpretation of 1 Corinthians 11:27-28 to not partake in an unworthy manner.

(Easter Weekend)

The Feast of Mercy is Next Weekend! Take Advantage of the Greatest Day of Grace!

Happy Easter! Did you know that Easter is an eight-day feast? Next weekend we celebrate the reason the Lord came to earth, suffered, died, and resurrected – to redeem our souls. On this day, the "greatest day of the feast," all sin and punishment can be wiped away by those who worthily receive the Eucharist, trust in the Lord's mercy, and are merciful to others. What could be a more extraordinary gift?? The Lord also generously answers many prayers. Every family needs God's mercy. Every family should take full advantage of what the Lord is offering the whole world at this time. Go to MercySundayMomentum.org for more information.

(Divine Mercy Sunday)

Celebrate the Feast of Mercy

Today is the Feast of Mercy, the day the Lord promises great graces for those who turn to Him with trust for mercy, forgiveness, healing, and restoration. Jesus told St. Faustina: **"My daughter, tell the whole world about My inconceivable mercy. I desire that the Feast of Mercy be a refuge and shelter for all souls, and especially for poor sinners. On that day the very depths of My tender mercy are open. I pour out a whole ocean of graces upon those souls who approach the Fount of My Mercy."**