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This resource is designed for families with young children and has been a joint endeavour of Liturgy Brisbane and Evangelisation Brisbane. An extract from the Sunday gospel is provided, along with some reflection questions, family activities and a worksheet for children. This will be updated each week. http:// evangelisationbrisbane.org.au/parishes/children-and-families/



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Children's Mass

A lively and fun version from Singapore https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1qx5erP6o9Y

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Second Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy) 19 April 2020 - Year A

Dear Parishioners

Thank you to all those watched and prayed with us online during holy week.

A special thanks to all involved in live streaming, our parish secretary and Sr. Salvacion, Pastoral Coordinator for organising and looking after the elderly and vulnerable in our parish community at this difficult time. Fr. Joshy Parappully OFM Cap

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

SUNDAY 19H APRIL 2020 3-5PM



Join Awaken, praying together in honour of the Feast of Divine Mercy - Sunday 19th April 2020, 3-5pm To register, please:

• Email your name and mobile number to admin@awaken.org.au

The Divine Mercy Chaplet was given to St Faustina as God revealed His heart and His mercy to her for all mankind to learn of.

"While I was saying the chaplet [of Divine Mercy], I heard a voice which said, Oh, what great graces I will grant to souls who say this chaplet; the very depths of My tender mercy are stirred for the sake of those who say the chaplet."

From St Faustina's Diary (No. 848)

MASS TIMES

St Mary's Church (20 Merivale St. South Brisbane) Sunday: 9am and 5pm

St Francis' Church (47 Dornoch Tce., West End)

St Ita's Church (Pope St., Dutton Park) Saturday (Vigil): 5pm; Sunday: 8.00am

Church of Our Lady of Perpetual Succour (Victoria St., Fairfield)

Sunday: 7am (Anointing: 1st Sunday)

CONFESSION

St Mary's Church:

Fri: 7.30am—8am Sat: 8.30-9.00am; Sun: 4-4.45pm

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Daily Mass—Monday to Saturday 7.30 am Sunday 9am.

READINGS AT MASS

Entrance Antiphon 1 Pt 2: 2

Like newborn infants, you must long for the pure, spiritual milk, that in him you may grow to salvation, alleluia.

First reading Acts 2:42-47

The whole community remained faithful to the teaching of the apostles, to the brotherhood, to the breaking of bread and to the prayers.

The many miracles and signs worked through the apostles made a deep impression on everyone.

The faithful all lived together and owned everything in common; they sold their goods and possessions and shared out the proceeds among themselves according to what each one needed.

They went as a body to the Temple every day but met in their houses for the breaking of bread; they shared their food gladly and generously; they praised God and were looked up to by everyone. Day by day the Lord added to their community those destined to be saved.

Responsorial Psalm Psalm 117:2-4,13-15,22-24 Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; his love is everlasting.

Let the sons of Israel say: 'His love has no end.'

Let the sons of Aaron say: 'His love has no end.'

Let those who fear the Lord say: 'His love has no end.' R/ I was thrust down, thrust down and falling, but the Lord was my helper. The Lord is my strength and my song;

he was my saviour. There are shouts of joy and victory in the tents of the just. R/

The stone which the builders rejected has become the corner stone. This is the work of the Lord,

a marvel in our eyes. This day was made by the Lord; we rejoice and are glad. R/

Second reading 1 Peter 1:3-9

Blessed be God the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who in his great mercy has given us a new birth as his sons, by raising Jesus Christ from the dead, so that we have a sure hope and the promise of an inheritance that can never be spoilt or soiled and never fade away, because it is being kept for you in the heavens. Through your faith, God's power will guard you until the salvation which has been prepared is revealed at the end of time. This is a cause of great joy for you, even though you may for a short time have to bear being plagued by all sorts of trials; so that, when Jesus Christ is revealed, your faith will have been tested and proved like gold – only it is more precious than gold, which is corruptible even though it bears testing by fire – and then you will have praise and glory and honour. You did not see him, yet you love him; and still without seeing him, you are already filled with a joy so glorious that it cannot be described, because you believe; and you are sure of the end to which your faith looks forward, that is, the salvation of your souls.

Sequence

Christians, to the Paschal Victim, offer sacrifice and

The sheep are ransomed by the Lamb;

and Christ, the undefiled,

hath sinners to his Father reconciled.

Death with life contended: combat strangely ended! Life's own Champion, slain, yet lives to reign.

Tell us, Mary: say what thou didst see upon the way.

The tomb the Living did enclose; I saw Christ's glory as he rose! The angels there attesting; shroud with graveclothes resting. Christ, my hope, has risen: he goes before vou into Galilee. That Christ is truly risen from the dead we know. Victorious king, thy mercy show!

Gospel Acclamation John 20:29

Alleluia, alleluia!

You believe in me, Thomas, because you have seen me; happy are those who have not seen me, but still believe! Alleluia!

John 20:19-31 Gospel

In the evening of that same day, the first day of the week, the doors were closed in the room where the disciples were, for fear of the Jews. Jesus came and stood among them. He said to them, 'Peace be with you', and showed them his hands and his side. The disciples were filled with joy when they saw the Lord, and he said to them again, 'Peace be with you. 'As the Father sent me, so am I sending you.' After saying this he breathed on them and said: 'Receive the Holy Spirit. For those whose sins you forgive, they are forgiven; for those whose sins you retain, they are retained.'

Thomas, called the Twin, who was one of the Twelve, was not with them when Jesus came. When the disciples said, 'We have seen the Lord', he answered, 'Unless I see the holes that the nails made in his hands and can put my finger into the holes they made, and unless I can put my hand into his side, I refuse to believe.' Eight days later the disciples were in the house again and Thomas was with them. The doors were closed, but Jesus came in and stood among them. 'Peace be with you' he said. Then he spoke to Thomas, 'Put your finger here; look, here are my hands. Give me your hand; put it into my side. Doubt no longer but believe.' Thomas replied, 'My Lord and my God!' Jesus said to him: 'You believe because you can see me.

Happy are those who have not seen and yet believe.' There were many other signs that Jesus worked and the disciples saw, but they are not recorded in this book. These are recorded so that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that believing this you may have life through his name.

Communion Antiphon Cf. Jn 20: 27

Bring your hand and feel the place of the nails, and do not be unbelieving but believing, alleluia.

Next Sunday's readings: 1st reading: Acts 2:14,22-33; 2nd reading: 1Pet 1:17-21; Gospel: Lk 24:13-35

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This Week's (within the Octave of Easter) Liturgical Calendar (Psalm Responses)

Monday 20th:

R/R/Happy are all who put their trust in the Lord.

Tuesday 21st:

R/ The Lord is King; he is robed in majesty...

Wednesday 22nd:

R/The Lord hears the cry of the poor.

Thursday 23rd:

R/The Lord hears the cry of the poor.

Friday 24th:

R/ One thing I seek: to dwell in the house of the Lord.

Saturday 25th: Anzac Day

R/I will walk in the presence of the Lord in the land of the living.

Pastoral Care Update

We had a very different Easter Celebration this year but at the same time a very meaningful and very moving. As I listened to Pope Francis' homily on Easter Sunday he said: "That the message of hope should not be confined in our sacred places, but should be brought to everyone. For everyone is in need of reassurance, and if we, who have touched "the WORD OF LIFE" (1 John 1:11) do not give it, who will? How beautiful it is to be Christians who offer consolation, who bear the burdens of others and who offer encouragement: "Hearing him I felt so happy and proud of our St. Mary's and St. Ita's Children's Liturgy members who made a great effort with their very creative work of art to bring the message of hope, love and encouragement to our vulnerable elderly in the Parish community. Below attached are the pictures of their work that we distributed to our brothers and sisters who are experiencing isolation and loneliness during this time of Covid -19 pandemic lockdown. In the bag we have included the Easter Chocolate Lambs and some other Easter treats donated by several parishioners. We also distributed some Blessed Easter candles and bottles of Holy water for those who requested for it. Many of our vulnerable elderly were so grateful, happy and felt very special. They all loved and appreciated the wonderful works of the children. It brought so much joy, hope, smiles, comfort and for some even tears of joy. In return they are sending their big big thank you, their love and big hugs. Well done to our great Kids. Thank you. Indeed the Lord is truly Risen, Alleluia.

Thank you and God bless.

Sr Salvacion Pastoral Coordinator







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TWO MINUTE CATECHISM

Divine Mercy Sunday

Saint Faustina: Mankind's need for the message of Divine Mercy took on dire urgency in the 20th Century, when civilization began to experience an "eclipse of the sense of God" and, therefore to lose the understanding of the sanctity and inherent dignity of human life. In the 1930s, Jesus chose a humble Polish nun, St. Maria Faustina Kowalska, to receive private revelations concerning Divine Mercy that were recorded in her Diary.

Divine Mercy Sunday: St. Faustina's Diary records 14 occasions when Jesus requested that a Feast of Mercy (Divine Mercy Sunday) be observed, for example:

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. The soul that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion shall obtain complete forgiveness of sins and punishment. ... Let no soul fear to draw near to Me. ... 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. (Diary, no. 699) On May 5, 2000, five days after the canonization of St. Faustina, the Vatican decreed that the Second Sunday of Easter would henceforth be known as Divine Mercy Sunday.

The Image: Jesus appeared to St. Faustina in a vision, with his right hand raised in a blessing and his left touching his garment above his heart. Red and white rays emanate from his heart, symbolizing the blood and water that was poured out for our salvation and our sanctification. The Lord requested that "Jesus, I trust in You" be inscribed under his image. Jesus asked that his image be painted and venerated throughout the world: "I promise that the soul that will venerate this image will not perish" (Diary, no. 48) and "By means of this image I will grant many graces to souls" (Diary, no. 742).

The Chaplet of Divine Mercy: The Chaplet was also given to St. Faustina with this promise: "Encourage souls to say the chaplet which I have given you" (Diary, no. 1541). "Whoever will recite it will receive great mercy at the hour of death. ... Even if there were a sinner most hardened, if he were to recite this chaplet only once, he would receive grace from My infinite mercy. I desire that the whole world know My infinite mercy" (Diary, no. 687). Taken from www.usccb.org

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