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Rev. Dieunel Victor, S.D.B., Administrator
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Mr. Antonio Fernandez, Spanish Choir
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Mrs. Cristina Pamaar, Soup Kitchen Coordinator

CONDUCTED BY:
SALESIANS
OF ST. JOHN BOSCO

Parish Council and Trustees
Lay Ministers and Catechists

THE EUCHARIST/MISAS

Saturday Evening: 5:30 pm (English)

7:00 pm (Español)

Sunday: 9:00 am and 10:30 am (English)

7:00 am and 12:00 pm (Español)

Weekdays: 9 am (English) and 7 pm (Español)

BAPTISMS/BAUTIZOS

Second Saturday of the month in English. **Tercer sábado del mes en español.** Call the office to arrange a meeting for more information. **Llame a la oficina para mas informacion.**

PENANCE/CONFESIONES

Saturday: 4:30-5:15 pm & 6:30pm **Wednesday:** 7:30 pm
By appointment anytime at the Rectory

MARRIAGE/MATRIMONIOS

Contact the office for more information.
Contacte la oficina para mas informacion.

CCD CATECHISM ORATORY

Saturday: 9:00 am-12:00 pm

COMMUNION CALLS/ COMUNION A LOS ENFERMOS

A Priest or a Eucharistic Minister will bring Communion to any homebound parishioners. Contact the office. **El sacerdote o el ministro traera la Eucaristia a los que no puedan asistir a misa. Llamar a la oficina.**

ANOINTING OF THE SICK/ UNCIÓN DE LOS ENFERMOS

The sacrament of Anointing is available for those of advanced age or anyone who is seriously ill. Please contact the parish priests. **La Uncion de los enfermos esta disponible para las personas de edad avanzada or este gravemente enfermo. Llamar a la oficina.**

ADORATION/HORA SANTA

Wednesdays/Miercoles
@ 7:30 pm with Confessions

PARISH POLICY/ POLITICA PARROQUIAL

You must be registered in the parish for Baptisms, Marriage and Religious Education.

Para Bautizos, Matrimonios y Catecismo deben de estar registrados en la parroquia.



OUR LADY

OF THE VALLEY CHURCH



MISSION STATEMENT/ESTATUTO DE LA MISIÓN

Our Lady of the Valley Church, which is located in Orange, New Jersey, is a Catholic church within the Archdiocese of Newark entrusted to the Salesians of Don Bosco. It consists of an ethnically diverse and culturally rich community of believers, who seek to commit themselves to living out the tenets and love of Our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, under the guidance of the Holy Spirit and according to the spirit of St John Bosco. This faith community exists to bear witness to the work of God through hospitality, prayer, worship, formation, and service to others, especially to those most in need. In so doing, it seeks the intercession of our Blessed Mother, especially under three of her titles: Our Lady of the Valley, Mary Help of Christians, and Our Lady of Guadalupe.



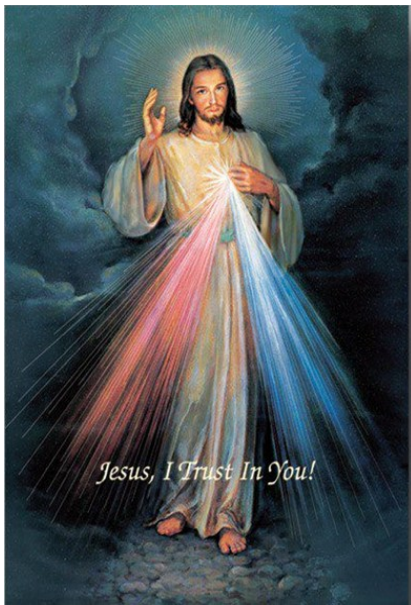
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FROM THE ADMINISTRATOR'S DESK

*Jesus, I Trust In You!*

My brothers and sisters in Christ,

Happy Second Sunday of Easter also known since the year of 2000 as Divine Mercy Sunday. Divine Mercy Sunday was declared as a global feast by Pope John Paul II in 2000. It is celebrated on the second Sunday of Easter. It is to highlight the mercy of God through Paschal Mystery, the death and resurrection of Jesus, offering complete forgiveness of sins to those who go to confession, receive Holy Communion and trust in the mercy of God. This day is to serve as a day to acknowledge God's infinite mercy and a day of thanksgiving for the goodness God has shown to all his children in the world. It is a day to receive God's special graces or what is called Plenary Indulgence. In order for a person to receive this special grace, he or she must participate in prayer and devotions in honor of the Divine Mercy, go to confession, receive Holy Communion, pray for the intentions of the pope, be merciful to others and one must trust in God's infinite mercy. This day is a reminder for all of us that our God is a merciful God. The God who always loves and forgives no matter how big one's sin may be. God's merciful grace is available to anyone who wishes to receive it. It is a day of great hope in God. The celebration of the Divine Mercy is a day for us to touch the wounds of Christ and encounter his love and mercy for us and for us to be healed of our blindness of faith just like Thomas in the gospel today. This Divine Mercy Sunday reminds us that God's love and mercy are way bigger than our sins and that his love and mercy conquer our darkness of sin. Just like

God's mercy is available to all of us, we too must be merciful, that is, we must never get tired of forgiving others. On this Divine Mercy Sunday, I would like to encourage all of us to spend some time in prayer, especially in front of the Blessed Sacrament and go to confession to seek God's forgiveness. It is a great day to also pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet asking God to shower our hearts and our world with mercy, peace and love. For the sake of his sorrowful Passion, have mercy on us and on the whole world. *Fr. Dieunel, SDB*

DESDE EL ESCRITORIO DEL ADMINISTRADOR

*JESÚS EN TI CONFÍO*

Hermanos y hermanas en Cristo,

Feliz Segundo Domingo de Pascua, también conocido desde el año 2000 como el Domingo de la Divina Misericordia. El Domingo de la Divina Misericordia fue declarado fiesta mundial por el Papa Juan Pablo II en 2000. Se celebra el segundo domingo de Pascua. Es para resaltar la misericordia de Dios a través del Misterio Pascual, la muerte y resurrección de Jesús, ofrecer el perdón completo de los pecados a quienes van a confesarse, reciben la Sagrada Comunión y confían en la misericordia de Dios. Este día sirve como día para reconocer la infinita misericordia de Dios y un día de acción de gracias por la bondad que Dios ha mostrado a todos sus hijos en el mundo. Es un día para recibir las gracias especiales de Dios o lo que se llama Indulgencia Plenaria. Para que una persona reciba esta gracia especial, debe participar en oraciones y devociones en honor a la Divina Misericordia, confesarse, recibir la Sagrada Comunión, rezar por las intenciones del papa, ser misericordioso con los demás y confiar en la infinita misericordia de Dios. Este día es un recordatorio para todos nosotros de que nuestro Dios es un Dios misericordioso. El Dios que siempre ama y perdona, sin importar lo grande que sea el pecado de uno. La gracia misericordiosa de Dios está disponible para cualquiera que desee recibirla. Es un día de gran esperanza en Dios. La celebración de la Divina Misericordia es un

día para que toquemos las heridas de Cristo y encontremos su amor y misericordia para nosotros, y para que seamos sanados de nuestra ceguera de fe, tal como Tomás en el evangelio de hoy. Este Domingo de la Divina Misericordia nos recuerda que el amor y la misericordia de Dios son mucho mayores que nuestros pecados y que su amor y misericordia vencen nuestra oscuridad de pecado. Así como la misericordia de Dios está disponible para todos nosotros, nosotros también debemos ser misericordiosos, es decir, nunca debemos cansarnos de perdonar a los demás. En este Domingo de la Divina Misericordia, me gustaría animarnos a todos a pasar un tiempo en oración, especialmente frente al Santísimo Sacramento, y a confesar para pedir el perdón de Dios. Es un gran día para orar también la Corona de la Divina Misericordia pidiendo a Dios que colme nuestros corazones y nuestro mundo de misericordia, paz y amor. Por su dolorosa Pasión, ten piedad de nosotros y de todo el mundo. *P. Dieunel, SDB*

MASSES FOR THE WEEK OF APR. 12, 2026

APR. 12: SUNDAY OF DIVINE MERCY

5:30 p.m. Louise Codey
 7:00 p.m. Neris Colorado (4th Anniversary)
 Maria dolores Valledo (16th Anniversary)
 7:00 a.m. For the Parish
 9:00 a.m. Anne O'Brien
 10:30 a.m. Marie Devaney
 12:00 p.m. +Enrique Perez (2nd Anniversary)

APR. 13: MONDAY, EASTER WEEKDAY

9:00 a.m. Special Intention for Paula Hamilton
 7:00 p.m. For Vocations

APR. 14: TUESDAY, EASTER WEEKDAY

9:00 a.m. Noelia Castilla Ramos
 7:00 p.m. For the People

APR. 15: WEDNESDAY, EASTER WEEKDAY

9:00 a.m. Special Intention for Katrina Kadlec
 7:00 p.m. For the Parish

APR. 16: THURSDAY, EASTER WEEKDAY

9:00 a.m. Lee & Percy Martin
 7:00 p.m. +Lauro Tamay (16th Anniversary)

APR. 17: FRIDAY, EASTER WEEKDAY

9:00 a.m. Mass of Thanksgiving for Anita Seize
 7:00 p.m. +Lucila Basurto Casarrubias

APR. 18: SATURDAY, EASTER WEEKDAY

9:00 a.m. Special Intention for Jolie Ann Ruekert
 5:30 p.m. Stephen W. Findlay
 7:00 p.m. +Silvina Morales & Ubaldo Torres

APR. 19: SUNDAY OF DIVINE MERCY

7:00 a.m. +Cesar Rivers (6th Anniversary)
 9:00 a.m. For the Parish
 10:30 a.m. +Luisa Olmedo
 12:00 p.m. Angel Rafael Delgado

CANDLES

ALTAR CANDLES will burn this week in memory of all deceased members of the parish.

SANCTUARY CANDLES will burn this week as a Special Intention for all sick parishioners.

EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 5, 2026

- **EASTER COLLECTION.....\$7,001.00**
- **BUILDING FUND.....\$1,835.00**
- **EASTER FLOWERS.....\$20.00**
- **HOLY THURSDAY.....\$507.00**
- **HOLY LAND/GOOD FRIDAY.....\$1,866.00**
- **CATHOLIC HOME MISSIONS.....\$20.00**

THANKS FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT!!

***How dear is Our Lady of the Valley to your heart?
 Please consider remembering her in your Will.***

STEWARDSHIP SCRIPTURAL REFLECTIONS

"Jesus came and stood among them and said to them, 'Peace be with you.'" - **JOHN 20:19**

Are you a Good steward by making people feel welcome? When you meet someone new, like a new neighbor, a new work colleague or a new parishioner, do you make them feel at home? When we make people feel welcome, we make them feel like they are included instead of being excluded. We are made for relationships - with God and each other. When you see yourself as a beloved son or daughter of God, you tend to see others the same way, too - just as God, Our Father, sees us.

PRAYER REQUEST CORNER

For the recently deceased: Herman Alston.

For those who are ill: Kate Bamford, Rosemarie Arloro, Alena & Todd Galante, Al Robinson, Rita Lavery, Jason Illing, Tina Galante, Angelina Killane-Sims, Thompson Family, Frances Kinsella, Romano Family, Llewellyn Ramos, Christi Lynn & Scott Nichols, Pacita Ong, Jack McDonald, Vincent & Betty Battista, Tyler Whille, Kathy Snell, Khadijah Harden, Jaxson & Jacob Rivera, Trinity Causey, Terrance Durant, Robert Wren, Giana Kingsland, Loraw Family, Laura Spero, Anthony Yodeci, Catherine Trezza, James Schoenig, Barbara Mirsky, Michael Guerrieri, Paula Ferraro, Betty J. Anderson, Brennan Family, Ray Marks, Phyllis Racavich, Howard Casey, Angela J. Davis, Saul Zhunio, Mindy Holley, Natalie Floth, James Williams, Al DelVento, Alicia Molina, James Davis, Leila Mansing, Fr. John Nazzaro, SDB, Elizabeth Martoe, Maria Del Carmen Martinez Reynoso, Sr. Victoria, Debbie Romano, Hugh McCormack, Fr. Greg Fishel, SDB, Miguel & Gabriel Otazo, Francis Kuczenski, Rachel Darko, Vaughn Miller, Maria Conceptia, Anthony & Vanessa Martoe, Theresa Nadouvi, Leonardo Cedeno, Luisa Olmedo, Baby Alma Anais Hernandez, Natalie Wilkerson, Michael Spiaggia, Michelle Davis, Douglas Dillon, Humberto Castro, Annmarie Cicarone, Carmen Juliano, Elizabeth Hunt, Robert Payne, Annette Ragonese, Frances Steiner, Andrea Corbert, Meredith Borrelli, Vincent Doyle, Alberto Gonzalez, John Gruchacz, Zachary Campos, Victor Cirello, Ivan Valencia, George Cox, Audrey Kole, Estela Acosta, Paul Beyor.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **2026 ANNUAL APPEAL** - we need your help to reach our assigned AAA parish goal, please pick up an envelope this weekend and make your pledge.
- **WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES** - the Archdiocese of Newark will be honoring all couples who will be celebrating their 5th, 25th, 50th, or 60th plus years of Catholic marriage this year on Sunday, May 3rd at 3 PM at the Cathedral Basilica. Please call the Rectory office before the registration deadline date **Tuesday, April 14th** if you will be celebrating one of these anniversaries this year.
- **EGG HUNT** - the previously scheduled Easter egg hunt will take place this Sunday, 4/12/26 after the 12 pm Mass.
- **GARAGE SALE** - there will be a garage and food sale this weekend in the Parish Hall. Please support them!!!