



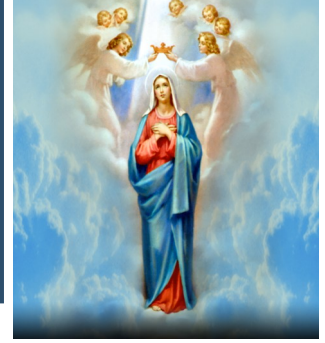
Ministry Minute



AUGUST

We Celebrate The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary on
August 22nd

"The purpose of the Feast is that all may recognize more clearly and venerate more devoutly the merciful and motherly sovereignty of her who bore God in her womb"



SWEET SUMMER

It has been a full summer at Divine Grace Parish! Some ministries took a break for the summer. Please remember to reserve your meeting place as you begin again in the fall. The room reservation form:

- ◆ Reserves your room
- ◆ Programs the doors to be open
- ◆ Gets your meeting on the Divine Grace Parish Shared calendar for all ministries to see
- ◆ Gets your meeting on the Bulletin Calendar

Not sure if you completed one? The Divine Grace Shared Calendar is loaded into all of your ministry emails. Just click the calendar icon. You will see all planned events. Email me for assistance if needed.

WORKS OF MERCY

Works of mercy are easily found in the teachings of Jesus and give us a model of how to treat others, as if they were Jesus in disguise. In the upcoming months I continue to encourage each of our ministries to share the various works of mercy you have taken part in. I will be highlighting some of those in the bulletin and in our Parish magazine.

Additionally, I will always be offering new opportunities to take part in works of both spiritual and corporal works of mercy. If you ever need any ideas I will be happy to help!

EMAIL PASSWORDS

Emails for most ministries have been distributed and are in full use. Please do not change the password without letting us know. You are welcome to have them changed just please communicate that request. The emails are checked on a monthly basis. If we are not able to access the email, the Defender Program blocks all access.

Make sure you are checking your ministry email account periodically. They are being used more and more as we update and distribute the ministry booklet.

PARTNERSHIP WITH SAINT GREGORY SCHOOL

Speaking of Works of Mercy... Saint Gregory School has asked if we would be willing to donate a "Ministries of Divine Grace Parish" basket for their annual basket raffle that will be held on November 8th. They are asking for anything that represents your ministry to be placed in the basket. If you would be so generous as to participate, please let me know, I will make arrangements to pick up the items from you and I will assemble the basket.

Donations will be due by October 20th. This will give some of our groups time to make homemade items or discern the best way to represent their group in the basket.

Thank you for helping to support Catholic Education!

CATHECHIST

Our Formation Program is wonderfully expanding! If you would like to be or know of anyone who would like to be a catechist, we need you! Contact Emma at esabados@divinegracepgh.org to learn more!

Always feel free to contact me with questions/concerns

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