

Holy Angels Church

15408 Leavenworth Road
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**Divine Mercy Holy Hour 1 pm Sunday, April 24,
with multiple priests hearing confessions during the hour.**

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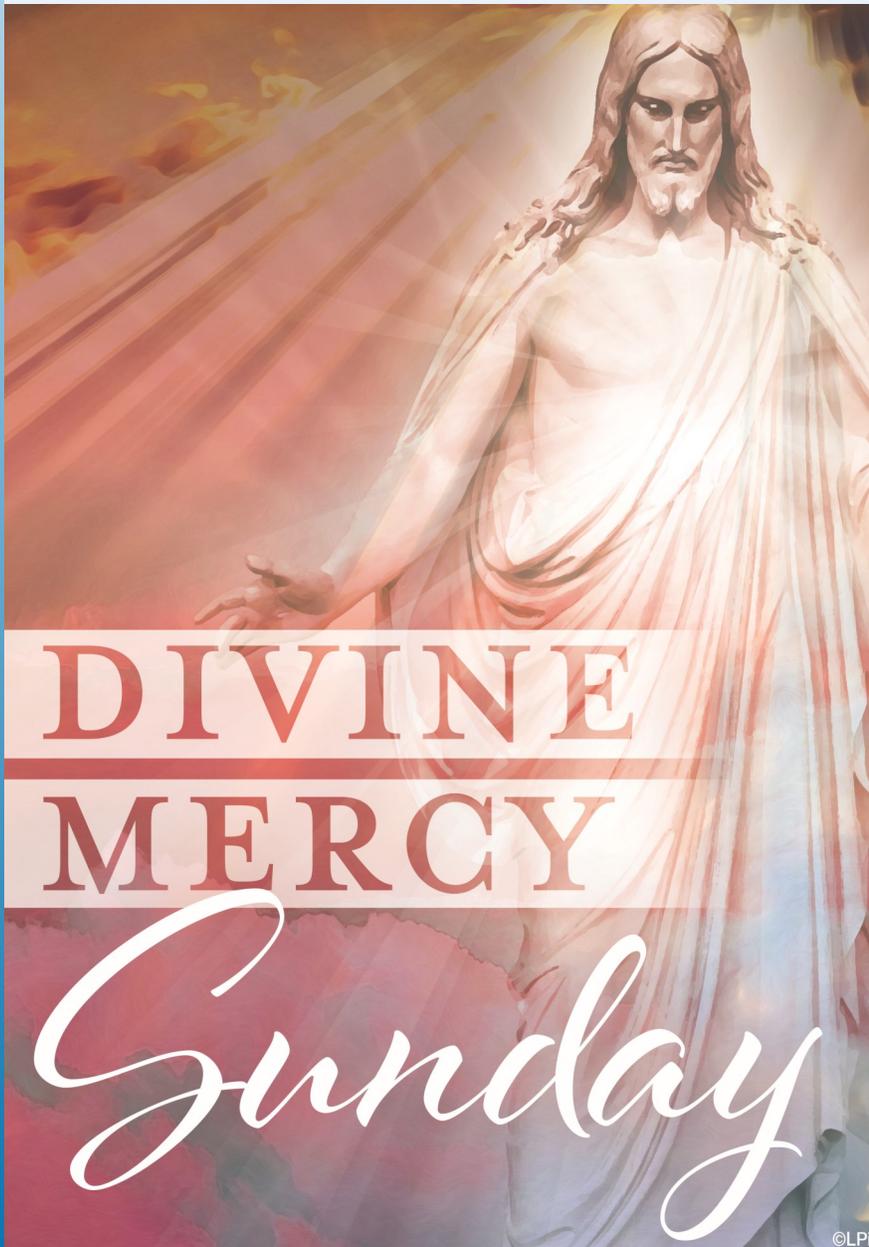
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MASSES THIS WEEK



ALL IN MAIN CHURCH

Monday, April 25 St. Mark

8:00 am † Renee Mulich Harper—SO

Tuesday, April 26

8:00 am † Eric Brandenburg—JB

Wednesday, April 27

8:00 am † Earl McAllister—DB

Thursday, April 28

8:00 am † Jeanette Tommer—CD

Friday, April 29 St. Catherine of Siena

8:00 am Mary Elms(special intention)-CD

Saturday, April 30

4:30 pm † Chet Clark—AC

Sunday, May 1

8:00 am All parishioners of Holy Angels

10:30 am First Communion

LITURGICAL ROLES

SATURDAY, APRIL 30- 4:30 PM

Servers Lydia Broxterman & Lizzy Chmielarski

Lector 1 Dan Clegg

Lector 2 Tracy Clegg

EMHC (4) Therese Horvat, Rich Dixon,
Jeri McDonnell, Lisa House

Ushers (4) Dan Clegg*, Nick Gaspers,
Richard Kiblinger, Ben Wano

MC Mick Vitt

Sacristan: Tracy Clegg

SUNDAY, MAY 1 - 8:00 AM

Servers Ella Timmer and Emma Flory

Lector 1 Jeri Gregory

Lector 2 Janet Johnson

EMHC(4) Jeri Gregory, Janet Johnson, Linda
Gottschalk, Laura Timmer

Ushers (4) Chuck Magaha*, David Barton,
Chris Timmer, Rodney Ashley

MC Heath Cartwright

Sacristan Cheryle Seaton

SUNDAY, MAY 1- 10:30 AM FIRST COMMUNION

Servers Tyson Heffley and Luke Plunkett

Lector 1 Tiffany Lynch

Lector 2 Mike Eskina

EMHC (4) Ellie Zuk, Joyce Klingele,
Jacqueline Cortright, volunteer

Ushers (4) Chuck Whipple*, Ron McMillian, Keith
Mark, Gene Klingele

MC Mike Scaletty

Sacristan Alyson Hill

Collection Counters:

April 25—Beverley Brown, Marlene Goll, and Gene
Klingele

May 2—Joyce Bowlin, Janet Johnson, and Ed
Church

+Pax+

Divine Mercy Sunday

Easter Octave Greetings,

One thing that should have taken you by surprise whether you were at the Easter Vigil or at Mass on Easter Sunday morning, or this weekend returning here to your home parish after celebrating Easter Mass with extended family or friends elsewhere, is the newly acquired focal point statue of the Resurrected Christ smack front and center of the altar. Just as we have the Bambino Jesu statue in front of the altar for the aim of prayerful meditation and as a central focal point for the Christmas Season, we now have this new statue for us to enjoy a greater, more powerful, means of connecting in prayerful meditation with Christ Who triumphs over sin and death for all. By having the new statue present for the duration of the Easter Season, much like the Bambino Jesus is present for the entire Christmas Season, on display in front of the altar and as a central focal point, this Risen Christ statue holding a flag of triumph over death present in the red cross on a white pennant set on a pole reaching to the top of the altar helps us throughout the 50 days of the Paschal Season continually to place our faith solely in Jesus Who brings us Eternal Life and a promise of Resurrection for all who place their trust in Him and live in His grace. I believe this privately acquired statue is a most worthy and handsome addition to becomes part of our traditional celebration of Easter. I hope everyone will welcome this latest addition to our sacred devotions of Easter!

The Easter Octave that ends with Divine Mercy Sunday today helps us circle around again to the source of our joy, which was Christ's triumph over sin and death for us in his most divinely merciful forgiving from the Cross of even those who persecuted, tortured and crucified Him. Many undertook the Divine Mercy Novena Prayer begun on Good Friday, in recognition of that original and most decisive Hour of Divine Mercy at 3 pm when Our Savior gave up His spirit to Our Father in Heaven. Today, April 24, on Divine Mercy Sunday, we at Holy Angels celebrate a special Holy Hour of Divine Mercy at 1 pm when members of the choir bring alive by music the beautiful Divine Mercy Chaplet that is prayed by chanting it as well as the Litany of Divine Mercy, and other sacred songs that are sung. All is done in conjunction with Exposition and ending with Benediction and the Divine Praises and with multiple priests available for confessions during the holy hour. *If you have never experienced it, please do yourself a favor and attend! If you have been previously, you know, then, the power of this holy hour and how it begins or strengthens one in praying the Divine Mercy Chaplet on a regular basis. What a great devotion and prayer to Jesus to keep throughout the year!*

Divine Mercy of Jesus, we place our trust in You!

Fr. Richard McDonald

HEADPHONES AVAILABLE FOR THE HARD OF HEARING.

PLEASE ASK AN USHER OR GREETER.

Celebrate and Share our JOY! 1923-2023 We are turning 100! The Sisters of St. Francis of the Martyr St. George, from Alton, IL will be celebrating 100 years in the United States! Several sisters of our congregation work in the Archdiocese of Kansas City and some of our Sisters have been blessed to join you at weekday Holy Masses and we really enjoyed the parish retreat! We are grateful for the gift of serving in the Archdiocese. Please join us in our celebration, learn more about us by scanning the QR code, or tell a story by emailing our Jubilee committee. Visit their donorbox page: <https://donorbox.org/share-our-joy-5> to support the Sisters and their mission of merciful love! The goal is 100K in 100 days in celebration of 100 years, ending on the Feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus on June 24, 2022. If you have a story to share about encountering Christ's merciful love through the witness of the Sisters, please email jubilee@altonfranciscans.org. We would love to hear it!



FOOD KITCHEN

Tuesday, May 3rd, is Holy Angels turn at the food kitchen. Please consider making a casserole for those in need. Pans and commodities will be available in the gathering area next weekend, Apr. 30 & May 1. Any questions, call Nick Gaspers at 913-724-1186. On Apr. 5th, 11 parishioners took 29 casseroles, canned vegetables, chicken, bottled water, hot dogs and buns to the kitchen and served 217 guests. God bless you for your support.

Music Ministry News for April 24

Traditional Adult Choir sings weekly at the 10:30 Mass. Rehearsals are on Thursday evenings at 6:45pm. They will sing in May on May 1, May 22 and May 29. New singers welcome. Come and join choir!

Knights of Columbus Men's Choir sings at the 8:00 Mass on the 2nd Sunday of each month. They sing next on May 8. Rehearsal at 7:15am on the morning of.

Contemporary Choir sings at the 4:30 Mass on one Saturday of each month. Rehearsal at 3:45pm on the day of.

Children's Choir sings at the 4:30 Mass on one Saturday of each month. Open to children in grades 3-6. They will sing next on May 21. Rehearsal will be on the day of at 3:30 in the church.

PLEASE COME
Friday, May 6, at 6 p.m.
to Saint Michael the Archangel Parish
Church Basement Social Hall
14251 Nall Avenue
Leawood, Kansas
for a
SURPRISE PARTY
to celebrate
Father Anthony William's
70th Birthday Anniversary
and
His Retirement from Pastoral Responsibilities.

“How many times does not Holy Mother Church tell us that our life on this earth is a journey? This earth is not our lasting home. God created us for a higher, a much more perfect home, our home in heaven with the joy of God.” -Servant of God Fr. Emil Kapaun

From June 1st through the 5th, the Office of Evangelization and Catholic Formation for Youth will take high school students and their chaperones on the Fr. Emil Kapaun 60 mile Pilgrimage from Wichita to Pilsen. Will the 60-mile trek be hard? No doubt! But, the opportunity to disconnect from the noise and participate in daily Mass, guided reflection, group prayer, and reconciliation, will open the door to growing in relationship with Jesus Christ and discovering His plan for you to advance in holiness. For more information and to register go to <https://archkck.org/youth-ministry/father-kapaun-pilgrimage/> or contact Rick Cheek at youth2@archkck.org.

April 24, 2022, Divine Mercy Sunday

1 pm Divine Mercy Holy Hour at Holy Angels

confessions heard during the holy hour

with

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament,

Litany of Divine Mercy,

Sacred Song throughout,

chanting of Divine Mercy Chaplet,

Benediction with Divine Praises.

Pick up Divine Mercy prayer pamphlets after Masses

Catholics - Did You Know?

This Sunday, April 24, is Divine Mercy Sunday. What exactly is that and what does it mean for you? In the Catholic Church, this is a relatively new Feast, declared by Pope St. John Paul II on April 30, 2000, when he canonized St. Maria Faustina Kowalska. Faustina was a poor, uneducated Polish nun of the Sisters of Our Lady of Mercy. In the 1930's Jesus revealed many messages of mercy to her, which He asked her to share throughout the world. For four years she kept a diary of these mystical revelations, which added up to 600 pages! Jesus asked her many times to dedicate this feast, and celebrate it on the Second Sunday of Easter.

In short, what is the basic message about Divine Mercy?

Jesus wants us to frequently pray, asking him to forgive our sins and for mercy.

We won't receive it unless we ask.

Just as we receive his incredible mercy, Jesus wants us to be merciful and forgive others.

The more we trust in Jesus and his mercy, the more we will receive.

Our Lord asked St. Faustina to have an image painted as he appeared to her, his left hand touching his heart, where two large rays - red (blood) and white (water) - come forth. He specified the words, "Jesus, I trust in you" be included. At Holy Angels that image is displayed on the wall to the right of the altar. He said, "I have opened My Heart as a living fountain of mercy. Let all souls draw life from it. On the cross, the fountain of My mercy was opened wide by the lance for all souls - no one have I excluded! My mercy is greater than your sins and those of the entire world. **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." Wow!

How can you receive these incredible mercies? **To receive the plenary indulgence for Divine Mercy**, come to Holy Angels at 1pm on April 24 to venerate His image, adore **His Sacred Body in the Blessed Sacrament, pray together the Divine Mercy chaplet and other prayers**, and receive the great Sacrament of Mercy - Reconciliation - **or go to confession within eight days before April 24 (such as Saturday, April 23, at 3:45 pm), or within eight days after Divine Mercy Sunday, by Monday, May 2.** Rather than focus on the guilt of your sins, come with joy to receive our Lord's great forgiveness and love for you!



IN OUR PRAYERS

Please pray for the following people listed on the prayer chain... Edith Gravatt, Eve Cope, Jim Cope, Palmer Swafford, Joyce Oswald, Jerry Kavanaugh, Daniel Ciszewski, Mike Saunders, Sheila Sullivan, Angie Kasick, Belva Kavanaugh, Christi Merrick Coy, Judy Rodina, Corinne Shearer, Sue Robbins, Jamie Waldron, Erin Sixta Faloon, Jeff Bohndord, Janet Lashbrook, Jim Hall, Kim Brown, Adeline, Jay, Doris, Reese, Nicholas, Bill Stubler, Becky Millican, Danette Reichart, Cathy Burns, Oscar Nolla, Liz Monger, Bill Davis, Maggie Avila, Willard and Ronnie, and James Oliver Jr.

Prayer Chain Requests

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Sharon Peltzer 913-462-0779, spelt4@yahoo.com

CWO Breakfast - Sunday, April 24 from 8-10:30am in the Parish Hall.

They will be serving scrambled eggs, biscuits and gravy, sausage, and fruit. A free will donation will be accepted.

We are asking for donations of baked goods such as cinnamon rolls, muffins, etc. to add to the breakfast. Thank you in advance for your help.

While Fr. Conroy will be offering a letter to the parish once he is back in Tijuana, we wish everyone to know right away his initial thoughts: "Greetings. Thanks so much for the opportunity to give the parish retreat. I greatly enjoyed it. It was a powerfully spiritual experience for me. Thanks."

Hope & Healing Meeting Sat., May 7

All those who have lost a loved one and want to progress in their acceptance and healing, are encouraged to attend our May meeting. Kitty Umscheid will share how God was preparing her for the unexpected death of her husband, and how He has been acting in her life since then. Come get a new perspective that may help you accept loss. We meet in the lower level of the little church at 9am on May 7. Contact Melanie Savner at 913-707-6963 with questions.

Are you expecting?

Fr. McDonald is always most happy to give individual blessings to expectant parents. Please feel free to contact the office to arrange a time that he can meet with you and bless your pregnancy.