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Masses
 Saturday 5:15 PM
 Sunday 9:30 AM
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Sunday	April	3	Second Sunday of Easter Divine Mercy Sunday 9:30 Mass for World Peace, Ministers: Trina Martell, Ann Murphy
Monday	April	4	The Annunciation of the Lord
Tuesday	April	5	St. Vincent Ferrer
Wednesday	April	6	
Thursday	April	7	St. John Baptist de la Salle
Friday	April	8	
Saturday	April	9	5:15 Mass for names and intentions on the Rosary Prayer List
Sunday	April	10	Third Sunday of Easter 9:30 Mass for Mignon Gurrell, requested by her sister, Gretchen Wilbert; World Peace; Our Leaders Ministers: Darlene Oubre, Denise Hytower

READINGS FOR NEXT WEEKEND

Acts 5: 27 – 32, 40b - 41
 Revelation 5: 11 – 14
 John 21: 1 – 19

.Remember These Friends in Prayer

Catherine Speirs	Patrick Siev	Nicole Arvanitis	Kerry Barnes
Barnes Family	Ken Jenkins	The Kolmetz Family	Julie, Ron & Marty Morin
Alma Bojanic	Kay and Jim Morhard	Susan Amman	Lauren Reagan
Daniella McClendon	Roger Carlson Family	Miriam Levant	Allison Holley
D.A.K. Jones	Muriel Abrams	Tom W. & Family	Ricardo Patino
Didilus Family	Brenda Lumpkin	Taylor Wright	Fred Kammerer
Marie Therese Lucien	Burma Gilchrist	Cynthia Davis	Barbara Bedolla
Morand Family	Maureen S.	Linda Cummings	Natalie
Heather Lucido	Wimbush Family	Sandy Johnson	SaraWillis
Andrew Philka	Paul H. Mullin	Ann Sadje	Pat Bartkowski
Susanto Suprpto	Rita Bowers	Jane V.	Mary Rayes
Charles Jerry Williams	Ida Bailey	Cindy LaGosh	Mr. Simmons
Regina Burns	John T. Knox	Mark Tavin	Aileen Rosado
Calvin McFarland	Joseph Daoud	Brian Stump	Jasmine Wright
Reising Family	Cynthia Herron	Jason Morhard	Rosa Lee Vaughn
Bradley Morin	Rebecca Voigt	Leah James	Susan Wahl
Rev. James Meyer	Henrietta Jackson	Alice Brown	Joanie Stanesic
Marjorie Perdue	Harold Meek	Barbara Johnson	Patricia Ennis
Mrs. Zaciek	Grandma K.	Chris & Michael Shea	Carol VerBrugge
Elisa Martinez	Mary Ruskin	Dan Hall	Ernestine Stephens
Barthwell Family	Rhonda Maxine Irwin	Sherley Epps	Margie Pauline
Greg Varano	Vocations	Eliisa Bojanic	Winona Ware
Trotty Family	Ellie Finn Murphy	Orzechowski Family	Pat Roberts
Donna Asmar	Robert Ruffer	Phyliss Gossett	Rachel Lynn
James Teal	Clemencia Carmona	Caitlan Maloney	Gloria Graydon
Sarah W.	Barbara Bedolla	Craig Burtch	Jean Baustian
Wade Gilchrist, Jr.	Mufide Mary	Tim Calloway	Mary & Willie Toney
John Carlos Swanson	Myrtha Johnson	Laura Anderson	Lois and Tim Turrin
Carlos Vasquez	Nick Van Heck	Suzanne Welter	Ann Morey Franklin
Lucille Sobocinski	Ray McConnell	Leonard Gross	The Jackson Family
Owen Patrick Strunk	Jeanne Powell	Honey, Tom & Zachary	Sandy Johnson
Bill Brazier	Tory Murray	The Mullin Family	Debbie Schaefer
Barbara Foley	Bob Delbeke	Mary Martin	Angelina Roberts
Ingrid McIntyre	Eileen Marie Finn	Matthew Elias	Allan Krupp
Rosa Maria Santos	Luchrisha Drake	Micaela Norman	Eleanor Fuchs\
Gloria Virgo	Sr, Georgene Schumacher	Peter Oubre	Leonard Gross

PRAY FOR FAMILY MEMBERS AND FRIENDS IN THE MILITARY AND IN THE MIDDLE EAST

Sgt. Muddy Peha Calvin Trotty Tommy Fitzpatrick David Guiroga Matthew Dixon
 Sgt. Brandon & Tiffany Childs George Hurley Family of George Rayes Lance R. Stevens
 Tonya Gray Gary Didilus

OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

Our Lady of the Rosary is an open Christian Family, a mixture of unique beings in an inner-city setting. Gifted and guided by the Holy Spirit, called in Faith to prayer, love and concern, this apostolic community searches to creatively use its resources to become inviting, loving, healing and one with the distressed/alienated people of today.

PARISH COUNCIL ELECTION

We finally have the results of the Parish Council, after a tie was broken by two of the people involved backing out. Here, in alphabetical order, is our new Council:

Jean-Marie Allion
Corinne Bojanic
Samantha Cunningham
Lana Douglas-Hardin
Denise Hytower
Norbert Kidd
Trina Martell
Darlene Oubre
Wilson Suprpto
Andy Tilson

A NEW CHRISTIAN SERVICE PROJECT

As mentioned last week, Rosary has a new outreach project. We have been given about 50 backpacks. The idea is to pack these backpacks with essential items a homeless, or nearly homeless, person could use—socks, tissue, water, tuna packages, cookies, candy, foods with pull-off tops, etc. We have been providing them to friends who come by Rosary during the week. The idea is also to involve members of the parish. We all see “homeless” people at freeway entrances, at intersections, and maybe even in our own neighborhood. We are not asking them for “proof of homelessness!” Take one backpack and put it in your car. When you judge a person by the side of the road to be in need---pass a backpack out your car window. Check with Norbert to get a backpack to carry with you.

CAPUCHIN PIZZA!

Monday, April 4 is the annual “Slice for Life” event sponsored by the Capuchins and Buddy’s Pizza. From 11 AM until 10:PM, all Buddy’s restaurants will share profits with the Capuchin Soup Kitchen. If you choose to dine-in at a Buddy’s restaurant, \$15 will get you all-you-can-eat 2 topping pizza and salad.(Children are \$7). If you prefer carry-out, \$15 will get you a 4-square 2-topping pizza, OR a medium salad.

BLACK CATHOLIC WOMEN’S CONFERENCE

The date is getting close—Saturday, April 23—for this year’s conference. Under the theme “Great is Thy Mercy,” women will meet at Sacred Heart Seminary, 9 AM to 4:30 PM, to focus on African-American issues surrounding catechesis, spirituality and evangelization . For information, see Darlene Oubre or Denise Hytower.

FATHER GREG'S GRAB-BAG

Do you hear that collective sigh? Did you hear that loud “WOW” resounding from the depths of the Cathedral? We are now one week out from Holy Week and we are still basking in the glow of Our Lord’s resurrection!!

The Holy Week celebrations could not have gone any better; all the way from Palm Sunday to the Sacred Triduum. I have found as a Priest, I am so absorbed in making sure things go “right”, that I sometimes miss the true meaning of what I am celebrating! This next statement comes from priestly experience: I have found that as I get older (as a MAN and as a PRIEST), there is still the perfectionist in me, but I appreciate the beauty and splendor of Holy Week more.

Hopefully, all of us had the opportunity to spend some time with the Lord in prayer AND in conversation. The one part that I love the most about Holy Week is the sacred time spent in the Eucharistic Chapel on Holy Thursday evening---after the Mass of the Last Supper is concluded. The time spent with Our Lord is so precious—all of us are on the go so much that we tend to compromise the time spent with Jesus. I always challenge myself to spend at least 10-20 minutes in contemplative prayer before the Holy Eucharist.

This weekend we celebrate Divine Mercy Sunday—a time in which we celebrate the love and mercy of Jesus in our lives. I think perhaps the greatest gift we can ever get is that of mercy—to love unconditionally. The Lord Jesus is the ultimate role-model in each one of our lives—I pray that we may learn mercy, forgiveness and love as we strive to know Jesus better. Every revelation of God’s mercy and love points to who Jesus is and how He wants us to see Him!!0

Continue Praying! Father Greg

FINANCES

Last weekend’s Offertory collection totaled \$2,903. 84 envelopes were used. Note: these figures reflect the fact that there were two envelopes last weekend—Easter Sunday and March 27. Some used only one, others used both.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Margaret Czarnik	Sunday
Derek Hardin	Sunday
Lynne Powers	Monday
Jacqueline Jackson	Monday
Patrick Gossman	Saturday