## Celebrate God's Greatest Attribute On DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY



## April 28, 2019

On Divine Mercy Sunday, an image of The Divine Mercy will be blessed and displayed in the sanctuary as requested by Jesus. The image represents the Risen Christ bringing Mercy to the whole world. Please take a moment and, with gratitude and trust in God's Mercy, recall the mystery of the Passion, Death and Resurrection of Our Lord while viewing the image. In this way the image will be venerated as Our Lord asked.

"I want the image [which he instructed St. Faustina to have painted as she saw him] to be solemnly blessed on the first Sunday after Easter, and I want it to be venerated publicly so that every soul may know about it.

By means of this image I shall be granting many graces to souls." (341)

## On the Feast of Mercy

## "All the divine floodgates through which graces flow are opened." (699)

Join the hundreds of thousands across the world who have responded to this message of God's mercy and have found hope, healing and answers to many prayers. The Feast of Mercy is a day when we should approach the Lord with great Faith and Trust and Appreciation. Don't be afraid to ask for great things, spiritual as well as temporal. Rejoice in Our Lord's unfathomable mercy!

"My mercy is so great that no mind, be it of man or of angel, will be able to fathom it throughout all eternity."

Join our parish for an extra-ordinary celebration of thanksgiving for the graces received on this great feast day. Please see the bulletin for more details.

"Ordinarily, only the sacrament of Baptism effects in the soul the 'complete forgiveness of sins and punishment.' Reception of the Eucharist in a state of grace ordinarily remits only venial sin, while strengthening the soul against both venial and moral sin (Catechism, 1394-1395). But on Divine Mercy Sunday reception of Holy Communion worthily and with trust in God's Mercy pours out upon the soul a complete renewal of baptismal grace." - Rev. Ignacy Rozycki, STD, Former Member of the Holy See's International Theological Commission.

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