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**Third Sunday of Easter
April 18, 2021**

WEEKEND SCHEDULE/HORARIO DE MISAS

Saturday Eve: 5:00 P.M.

Sunday Masses: 7:30 A.M.

9:15 A.M. (ESPAÑOL)

10:45 A.M.

12:15 P.M.

5:00 P.M.

Daily Mass - Monday to Saturday 7:45 A.M. & 12:05 P.M.

BAPTISMS

Parents must first call the rectory 1 month before the date and present the original birth certificate.

English: The 2nd Sunday of each month at 2:00 pm.

Instruction class is on the first Monday of the month at 7:30 pm.

Spanish: The 3rd Sunday of each month at 2:00 pm.

Instruction class is on the Friday before at 7:00 pm.

RECONCILIATION (CONFESSIONS)

Monday through Saturday: 11:45 am- 12:00 Noon - Chapel

Saturday: 4:00 - 4:45 pm - Church. *And by appointment.*

MARRIAGE

According to Diocesan regulations, arrangements must be made at least six months in advance in the rectory.

CARE OF THE SICK

Communion is regularly brought to the sick by the Priests and Ministers of Communion. Please let us know if someone is confined at home because of illness or age.

TEMPORARY RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday: 9:00 am - 12 Noon & 1:00 - 4:00 pm

Saturday: CLOSED

Sunday: CLOSED

ST. NICHOLAS OF TOLENTINE CATHOLIC ACADEMY (Pre-K to 8)

80-22 Parsons Blvd. Phone: 718-380-1900

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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CENTER S

150-85 Goethals Ave. Phone: 718-591-6536

OUTDOOR FLEA MARKET Phone: 718-591-1815

Email: stnicksfleamarket@gmail.com

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION Postponed until further notice.



Masses for the Week

Saturday, April 17
 5:00p Eladia Rodriguez

Sunday, April 18
 7:30 People of the Parish
 9:15 Ana Reyes de Montas
 Fidelina Vinueza (65 años Fallecida Anniv.)
 Arcadio Martinez
 Theresa Gomez Helig (1st yrs Death Anniv.)
 Estel Sanchez (L)(79th B-day)
 Ricardo Cubides

10:45 Arsenio V. Paredes
 Danilo Labarda
 Noe Corro
 Roland Alonzeau (L)
 Gabrielle Previllon & Francine Nelson
 Nilo Imperial
 Merlino Quimson
 Flordeliza Sulse
 Marc Emos (L)(B-day)
 Ana Cubides

12:15p Jamie Ordon, Sr.
 5:00p Aida Noblefranca

Monday, April 19
 7:45 Leonora Mendoza (L)(95th B-day)
 12:05p Santiago & Jamie Ordon, Sr.

Tuesday, April 20
 7:45 Nicomedes aquino & Maria Asuncion Aquino
 (Death Anniv.)
 12:05p Vicente G. Lantin

Wednesday, April 21
 7:45 Resty Butron (Death Anniv.)
 12:05p Segundo Gualpa

Thursday, April 22
 7:45 Noe Corro
 12:05p Nicomedes aquino & Maria Asuncion Aquino
 (Death Anniv.)

Friday, April 23
 7:45 Pierre & Berta Kalumbwa
 12:05p Noe Corro

Saturday, April 24
 7:45 Noe Corro
 12:05p Carlos Castro
 5:00p Filomena Teylan

Sunday, April 25
 7:30 Genieve Zito
 9:15 Marie Freitas
 10:45 Arsenio V. Paredes
 Ermito Maluto
 Roland Alonzeau
 Flordeliza Sulse
 Jaime Ordon, Sr.
 Rosa Maluf

12:15p Aurora Z. & mariano A. Aquino
 5:00p People of the Parish

ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK



ALL ACTIVITIES ARE
 SUSPENDED UNTIL
 FURTHER NOTICE

TODAS LAS ACTIVIDADES
 ESTAN SUSPENDIDAS HASTA
 NUEVO AVISO

Next Weekend's Readings

Acts of the Apostles 4:8-12 Jesus is the name by which salvation comes.

Psalm 118:1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29 The rejected stone is the cornerstone.



1 John 3:1-2 We are the children of God, leaning into fuller revelation.

John 10:11-18 The good shepherd protects the sheep with his own life.

Week Ending: April 11, 2021

Total Regular Collection: \$6,422.00

Thank you for your continued support.

RECTORY

Rev. Jovito B. Carongay, Jr.	Pastor
Rev. Noel A. Daduya	Parochial Vicar
Rev. Thomas P. Joseph, CMI	Parochial Vicar
Deacon Thomas Jorge	Permanent Deacon

STAFF

Ms. Guadalupe Rojas	Parish Secretary
Mrs. Gloria Scarola	Bookkeeper
Mr. Steven Acosta	Maintenance Manager
Mr. José L. Villanueva	Music Director
Ms. Christina Rosado	Youth Minister

ST. NICHOLAS OF TOLENTINE CATHOLIC ACADEMY

Mr. Robert Lowenberg	Principal
Ms. Julissa Gonzalez	Secretary
Mrs. Lorraine White	Administrative Assistant
Mrs. Sonya Vidal	Tuition Manager

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CENTER

Sr. Alice Michael, S.U.S.C.	Director of Faith Formation
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PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS



The Deceased: Joseph Mele & Gilbert Cabusas

The Sick: Jessica Tiansay, Miguel Tiansay, Lovely Tiansay & Nina Tiansay

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CORNER

Sister Alice Michael, S.U.S.C. - Director of Faith Formation
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It was so heartwarming to see so many stop by the table and purchase one of the images of the Divine Mercy last Sunday. Today we will continue with a few thoughts on the meaning of the Image. One important aspect of the Divine Mercy Image is the meaning it takes on in light of the Gospel of John, 20:19-23. In a way, the Divine Mercy Image serves as a kind of “window” into that mystery of the very first Divine Mercy Sunday in the upper room, a window that let us today experience what the apostles experienced over 2000 years ago. In other words, like the apostles, when we feel surrounded by the darkness of fear, hopelessness, and despair, we can simply look at the Image of the Divine Mercy, and there He is. There He is appearing in our midst, casting away our darkness and fear, moving us to receive the gift of the Spirit, and filling us with His peace as we place our trust in Him. But along with this Scriptural meaning, Jesus told St. Faustina about three other aspects of the image that are also packed with meaning: the rays; the signature, “Jesus, I trust in You; and Jesus’ gaze. **“The two rays denote Blood and Water. The pale ray stands for the Water which makes souls righteous. The red ray stands for the Blood which is the life of souls... These two rays issued forth from the very depths of My tender mercy when My agonized Heart was opened by a lance on the Cross.”** In the signature, “Jesus, I Trust in You”, there is a connection between the rays of mercy depicted in the image and the Divine Mercy prayer said before beginning the Divine Mercy Chaplet, “O, Blood and Water which gushed forth from the Heart of Jesus as a fountain of mercy for us, I trust in You.” Trust is the means by which we receive the grace and mercy of the Heart of Jesus. Jesus asked St. Faustina to place “Jesus, I trust in You, at the base of the image. Jesus said, **“I am offering people a vessel with which they are to keep coming for graces to this fountain of mercy. That vessel is this image with the signature: Jesus, I trust in You.”**

Many Blessings,
Sr. Alice Michael S.U.S.C.

Fue muy reconfortante ver a tantos pasar por la mesa y comprar una de las imágenes de la Divina Misericordia el domingo pasado. Hoy continuaremos con algunas reflexiones sobre el significado de la Imagen. Un aspecto importante de la Imagen de la Divina Misericordia es el significado que adquiere a la luz del Evangelio de Juan, 20: 19-23. En cierto modo, la Imagen de la Divina Misericordia sirve como una especie de “ventana” hacia ese misterio del primer Domingo de la Divina Misericordia en el aposento alto, una ventana que permitió a sus hoy experimentar lo que los apóstoles experimentaron hace más de 2000 años. En otras palabras, como los apóstoles, cuando nos sentimos rodeados por la oscuridad del miedo, la desesperanza y la desesperación, podemos simplemente mirar al Inago de la Divina Misericordia, y ahí está. Allí Él aparece en medio de nosotros, arrojando nuestras tinieblas y temor, moviéndonos a recibir el don del Espíritu y llenándonos con Su paz al depositar nuestra confianza en Él. Pero junto con este significado bíblico, Jesús le contó a Santa Faustina acerca de otros tres aspectos de la imagen que también están llenos de significado: los rayos; la firma, “Jesús, en Ti confío; y la mirada de Jesús. **“Los dos rayos denotan Sangre y Agua. El rayo pálido representa el Agua que hace a las almas justas. El rayo rojo representa la Sangre que es la vida de las almas ... Estos dos rayos brotaron de lo más profundo de Mi tierna misericordia cuando Mi Corazón agonizante fue abierto por una lanza en la Cruz”.** En la firma, "Jesús, en Ti confío", hay una conexión entre los rayos de misericordia representados en la imagen y la oración de la Divina Misericordia dicha antes de comenzar la Coronilla de la Divina Misericordia, "Oh, Sangre y Agua que brotó de la Corazón de Jesús, fuente de misericordia para nosotros, en Ti confío ". La confianza es el medio por el cual recibimos la gracia y la misericordia del Corazón de Jesús. Jesús le pidió a Santa Faustina que colocara “Jesús, en Ti confío, en la base de la imagen. Jesús dijo: **“Estoy ofreciendo a la gente un vaso con el que deben seguir viniendo en busca de gracias a esta fuente de misericordia. Ese recipiente es esta imagen con la firma: Jesús, en Ti confío”.**

Muchas Bendiciones,

Parish Office is Open From
9AM-12PM & 1PM-4PM.
ONLY Monday-Friday, Until Further Notice. Please remember to wear a mask and ONLY ONE person inside the office at a time. Please be patient .

Need in Home Vaccinations for
the home bound and helping Aid
Please Contact 1877-829-4642

FLEA MARKET UPDATE



Due to the ongoing pandemic, the outdoor flea market will remain

CLOSED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

Please keep checking the bulletin for future updates! Stay Safe and thank you for your patience!

“Peace be with you.” If you think you may have a vocation to follow the Risen Lord as a priest, deacon or in the consecrated life, Contact the Vocation Office at (718) 827-2454 or email: vocations@diobrook.org.

SECOND COLLECTION UPDATE

April 18 - Catholic Home Missions



Join us online for daily Mass at 12:05PM.
Sunday Masses at 9:15AM & 12:15PM.

Link Below:

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SNT YOUTH ADORATION



Saturday, April 24, 2021
1:30 pm
St. Nicholas of Tolentine Church

For Information, contact
Tuesday Coronel 347.475.4850
SNTyouth.tc@gmail.com



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***Most Rev. Octavio Cisneros will
install***

***Rev. Fr. Jovito B. Carongay, Jr.
as Pastor of
St. Nicholas of Tolentine Church***

***on Sunday, May 2, 2021
at the 12:15 PM
Celebration of the Holy Mass***

***Let us join in prayer
and ask God's Blessings
on our Pastor.***

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SUNDAY, APRIL 18, 2021 GOSPEL LUKE 24:35-48

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John

The two disciples recounted what had taken place on the way, and how Jesus was made known to them in the breaking of bread.

While they were still speaking about this, he stood in their midst and said to them, “Peace be with you.” But they were startled and terrified and thought that they were seeing a ghost. Then he said to them, “Why are you troubled? And why do questions arise in your hearts? Look at my hands and my feet, that it is I myself. Touch me and see, because a ghost does not have flesh and bones as you can see I have.” And as he said this, he showed them his hands and his feet. While they were still incredulous for joy and were amazed, he asked them, “Have you anything here to eat?” They gave him a piece of baked fish; he took it and ate it in front of them.

He said to them, “These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you, that everything written about me in the law of Moses and in the prophets and psalms must be fulfilled.”

Then he opened their minds to understand the Scriptures. And he said to them, “Thus it is written that the Christ would suffer and rise from the dead on the third day and that repentance, for the forgiveness of sins, would be preached in his name to all the nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are witnesses of these things.”

DOMINGO, APRIL 18, 2021 EVANGELIO LUCAS 24:35-48

Lectura del santo Evangelio según San Juan

Cuando los dos discípulos regresaron de Emaús y llegaron al sitio donde estaban reunidos los apóstoles, les contaron lo que les había pasado en el camino y cómo habían reconocido a Jesús al partir el pan.

Mientras hablaban de esas cosas, se presentó Jesús en medio de ellos y les dijo: “La paz esté con ustedes”. Ellos, desconcertados y llenos de temor, creían ver un fantasma. Pero él les dijo: “No teman; soy yo. ¿Por qué se espantan? ¿Por qué surgen dudas en su interior? Miren mis manos y mis pies. Soy yo en persona. Tóquenme y convézanse: un fantasma no tiene ni carne ni huesos, como ven que tengo yo”. Y les mostró las manos y los pies. Pero como ellos no acababan de creer de pura alegría y seguían atónitos, les dijo: “¿Tienen aquí algo de comer?” Le ofrecieron un trozo de pescado asado; él lo tomó y se puso a comer delante de ellos.

Después les dijo: “Lo que ha sucedido es aquello de que les hablaba yo, cuando aún estaba con ustedes: que tenía que cumplirse todo lo que estaba escrito de mí en la ley de Moisés, en los profetas y en los salmos”.

Entonces les abrió el entendimiento para que comprendieran las Escrituras y les dijo: “Está escrito que el Mesías tenía que padecer y había de resucitar de entre los muertos al tercer día, y que en su nombre se había de predicar a todas las naciones, comenzando por Jerusalén, la necesidad de volverse a Dios para el perdón de los pecados. Ustedes son testigos de esto”.

Gospel Reflection...

When we share in the Eucharist we meet the crucified and risen Lord just as these disciples did. We are caught up into the life of the resurrection. If we realized what is going on we too would be 'speechless with joy'. We can ask for the gift of allowing ourselves to be surprised at the goodness of the God who never deserts us.

Jesus reiterates the 'law of the cross' as he did to the disciples on the way to Emmaus. He then commissions them to continue his mission. As you listen to the disciples receiving their mission, what are your feelings?

This scene parallels the Emmaus story of yesterday but involves the wider group of Jesus' disciples. They are trying to make sense of what is happening in their lives. Jesus becomes present among them and wishes them peace, which is his special gift. He opens their minds to understand that the Christ - himself! - had to suffer but then would rise from the dead. The truth of the Easter story hits them: 'Jesus is back! It's the Jesus we saw die, but he's alive!'

Christ commissions the disciples with the words "You are witnesses to this." We too get this commission of being His witnesses, through our baptism and incorporation into the Church. If we do not take on this mission then the world will not hear Christ's message of reconciliation and forgiveness. (Sacred Space)