

APRIL 8, 2018 | SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER (OR OF DIVINE MERCY)

Jesus

came and stood in their midst and said to them,
“Peace be with you.”

~ John 20:19

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From the Pastor's Desk

ALLELUIA

Blessings and joy on this Second Sunday of Easter. Today is also given the title Sunday of Divine Mercy. Devotion to the Divine Mercy was promoted by Saint Faustina Kowalska, canonized on April 30, 2000 by Pope (now Saint) John Paul II.

On May 23, 2000 the Congregation for Divine Worship decreed that: *throughout the world, the Second Sunday of Easter will receive the name Divine Mercy Sunday, a perennial invitation to the Christian world to face, with confidence in divine benevolence, the difficulties and trials that humankind will experience in the years to come.*

The Paschal Season includes the Sacramental Celebrations of First Holy Communion at the 10:30am Mass Sunday April 22 and Confirmation (with Bishop John Manz) at the 10:30am Mass Sunday April 29. Our festival of fifty days will culminate liturgically with the celebration of Pentecost, the so-called Birthday of the Church, on May 20.

Since March 25 was Palm Sunday, we will celebrate the Solemnity of the Annunciation on Monday April 9.

Thank you to all who helped make our Triduum and Easter Sunday services beautiful and prayerful. We are most grateful for the generosity (time-talent-treasure) of many during this holiest of seasons.

While grateful for the stewardship of some, our faith community is still in need of the help of others. For the next few weeks, a Parish Help Wanted / Volunteers Needed feature will be found at the bottom of page six in this weekly bulletin. Please consider how you might more fully participate in the church's liturgy and the ministry and mission of our parish.

See page five of this bulletin for details about the Society of Catholic Women's NEW Spring Event on Saturday April 28.

The grouping of parishes to our immediate west and northwest: Saint Barbara (Brookfield), Divine Infant Jesus (Westchester), Divine Providence (Westchester), and Saint Louise De Marillac (LaGrange Park) are actively participating in the Renew My Church process as one of eight groupings in Wave One. They will soon have a plan to present for archdiocesan approval regarding parish reconfiguration. Pray for our neighbors and for the local church. The official Renew My Church prayer is at the right.

To date, fifteen of the ninety-seven groupings have been activated. No word has been given as to when the grouping of parishes that includes Saint Hugh will be activated.

Let us continue to pray for one another and for our parish.

Father Reszel

SCW monthly gathering

The next gathering of our Society of Catholic Women is Monday April 9 in Keating Hall beginning with the Rosary at 6:30pm. Agenda items include preparations for the NEW Spring Dinner Event on April 28, next month's May Crowning, the ACCW Woman of the Year luncheon on May 19, and more. Raffles and refreshments follow all SCW meetings.



Renew My Church prayer

Lord Jesus, you speak to us today, as you spoke to holy men and women who have gone before us. In every age and in our own time, you call to us and say: Renew My Church.

Pour out the gift of your Holy Spirit upon us, and enable us

- to hear you clearly
- to listen to each other attentively
- to imagine our future boldly
- to discern your direction wisely
- to persevere in your holy will courageously
- to stay together in charity
- to surrender our own plans readily
- to embrace the greater good
- to hand on your gifts to future generations.

May we remain in the holy company of the Blessed Virgin Mary, the apostles, and all the saints. May their example and presence inspire us with patient confidence in the work of your grace. We ask this of you who live and reign with the Father in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen

Learn more about this initiative of the Archdiocese of Chicago at: archchicago.org/renew

Masses: Saints, Readings, Intentions

Second Sunday of Easter or Sunday of Divine Mercy

Acts 4:32-35; Ps 118; 1 Jn 5:1-6; Jn 20:19-31

4:00 Intentions of the Parish

8:00 Leona & Paul Carrabotta

10:30 Christine Konopka

Monday April 9 The Annunciation of the Lord

Is 7:10-14; 8:10; Ps 40; Heb 10:4-10; Lk 1:26-38

10:30

Tuesday April 10

Acts 4:32-37; Ps 93; Jn 3:7b-15

10:30 Jack Roebuck

Wednesday April 11 St. Stanislaus

Acts 5:17-26; Ps 34; Jn 3:16-21

10:30 Gary E Sergio

Thursday April 12

Acts 5:27-33; Ps 34; Jn 3:31-36

10:30 Saint Hugh Purgatorial Society

Friday April 13 St. Martin I

Acts 5:34-42; Ps 27; Jn 6:1-15

10:30 Edward Puskaric

Saturday April 14

Acts 6:1-7; Ps 33; Jn 6:16-21

10:30

Third Sunday of Easter

Acts 3:13-15,17-19; Ps 4; 1 Jn 2:1-5a; Lk 24:35-48

4:00 Henry Spetter; Celestino Trevino

8:00 Intentions of the Parish

10:30 Rosemary Sergio

Renew My Church Grouping Parishes

Saint Mary 126 Herrick Rd., Riverside

Sat. 5:00pm Sun. 8:00, 10:00, 11:30am, 5:00pm

Mon-Sat 8:15am Reconciliation: Sat. 4:00-4:30pm

Mater Christi 2401 S. Tenth Ave., North Riverside

Sat. 5:00pm Sun. 8:00, 9:30, 11:00am

Mon-Sat 8:00am Reconciliation: Sat. 4:15-4:40pm

Saint Pius X 4300 S. Oak Park Ave., Stickney

Sat. 5:00pm Sun. 8:00, 10:30am

MTTF 8:00 S 9:00am Reconciliation: Sat. 4:00-4:30pm

Saint of the day

April 8. Saint Julie Billiart spent many years suffering from incapacitating ailments, but she never lost her drive to work for the Kingdom of God. Her desire to educate led her to help found the Sisters of Notre Dame de Namur.

April 11. Saint Stanislaus, the bishop of Kraków, was martyred for denouncing political and social corruption. He became the patron saint of Poland, and remains a popular saint throughout Eastern Europe.

April 13. Pope Saint Martin I is considered a martyr for the faith even though he was not killed outright. He witnessed to the true faith by his consistent and constant teaching, which resulted in physical and mental torture.

franciscanmedia.org/source/saint-of-the-day

Pray for the sick

Alan Chopp, Ed Clark, Russ Entwistle, Emma Mena, Mary Jo Smith, Elsie Tobolaski, Peter Walke

Weekend of April 14-15

Mass	Priest / Deacon	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers	Altar Servers
4:00pm	Father Reszel	Celeste Q	Cindy M Cathy B Olivia Q	Alexys A Gianna M
8:00am	Father Reszel	Mason W	Tabaitha W Edgardo R	Ava C Bella S
10:30am	MCCJ Father	Jenna S	Nicki M Theresa M Liz S	Madison K Jacob S Jon S

MCCJ = Comboni Missionaries of the Sacred Heart of Jesus; *Missionarii Comboniani Cordis Iesu*



"Sing a joyful noise!"

Society of St Vincent DePaul Friends of the Poor Benefit

This tenth annual fundraiser is Sunday April 22, 11:00am-3:00pm at Drury Lane, Oakbrook Terrace.

\$80/person (\$90 after April 8) includes Champagne Brunch, Choir Contest, Car Raffle (see below), Games of Chance.

Register online at: svdpbenefit.org

Win a 2018 Buick Encore \$25 a chance. Raffle tickets are available through the St Hugh Parish Office (Winner need not be present).



From the Faith Formation Office

EASTER BLESSINGS

April 9: SCW monthly gathering begins with the Rosary at 6:30pm in Keating Hall

April 10: Communion Prep 6:00-6:30pm Confirmandi 6:30-7:30pm

April 15: RE family lesson all grades 9:05-10:20am meet in Church

April 17: SPRED 6:30-8:30pm

April 18: First Communion Rehearsal 6:30-7:30pm in church

April 22: RE grades PreK-6, 9:05-10:20am / First Holy Communion at 10:30 Mass / Reader practice for May after Mass

April 23: Confirmandi 6:30-7:30pm

April 26: Confirmation rehearsal 7:00-8:30pm in church

More: tinyurl.com/sthughcalendar

Friday & Saturday April 27-28, 2018



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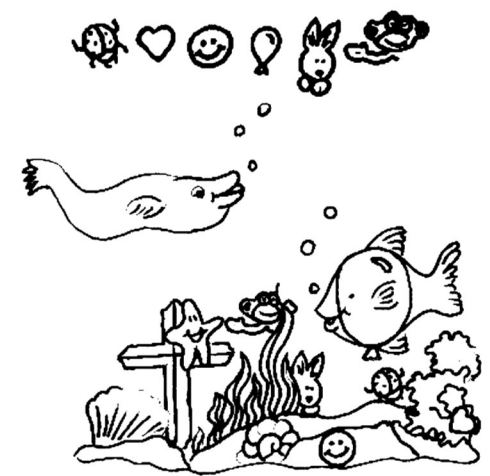
Jim Burrows



God's Word for Children

Thomas did not believe that Jesus was risen until he saw Jesus with his own eyes.

Directions: Use your eyes to find the hidden pictures below.



Spring Event - Pasta Dinner

WHAT: A pasta feast: various types of pasta and sauces/gravies - salad - bread - beverages - dessert

WHERE: Keating Hall

WHEN: Saturday April 28, 5:00-7:30pm

COST: Dinner is FREE but you must RSVP by April 21 to attend - use the rsvp link at www.tinyurl.com/scwspring18 or email sthughlyons@sbcglobal.net or call 708.447.3108

AUCTIONS / RAFFLES / SPLIT-THE-POT

Proceeds will help support various ministries of Saint Hugh Parish

SCW Members wishing to volunteer or to donate items for the auctions and/or raffle can sign up at the April 9 gathering.

Friends wishing to donate items for the auctions and/or raffle should contact the parish office.



SCW

This dinner is a new event and is intended for ALL parishioners, neighbors, and friends of St. Hugh.

When you come to Mass, leave your thoughts at the door. Be present.

STEWARDSHIP OF TIME

You are invited to:

**Nazareth Academy Presents:
High School Musical**

Thursday April 12-Saturday April 15 at 7:00pm Sunday April 15 at 1:00pm.
\$18 Call 708.387.8528



Pasta Knight Dinner Saturday April 14, 3:30-8:00pm at St Mary Parish Center, 126 Herrick Rd., Riverside. All-you-can-eat, beer & wine available, live music, silent auction, basket raffle - Dinners are \$8 in advance at stmaryriverside.org/kofc or \$10 at the door. Children 5 and under eat for free.

De La Salle's Great Futures Gala

Friday April 20 at 6:00pm at the Ritz-Carlton, 160 E. Pearson St., Chicago celebrating the future of Lasallian education. Contact Carl Willingham '99 at 312.842.7355 ext. 146 or willinghamc@dls.org



Come and Be The School Sisters of Notre Dame in the Brookfield area invite women, ages 20-45, to join them for dinner and prayer on the third Friday of each month. Next: April 20, 6:00-8:00pm. For directions, RSVP at least 48 hours in advance to Sister Mary Kay Brooks 612.309.6376 / mbrooks@ssnd.org

Charger Casino Night

Saturday April 21, 7:00pm-Midnight at St Joseph High School, 10900 Cermak Rd., Westchester. Contact Stephanie Morton at 630.564.3435 or smorton@stjoeshs.org



Midwest Augustinians Annual Gala

Friday April 27 at the Drake Hotel, Chicago. Call 773.595.4000 or visit: AugustinianGala.org for details.

Earth Day Retreat: A Day's Immersion into God's Natural World 9:00am-4:30pm on

Sunday April 22 at the Cardinal Stritch Retreat House in Mundelein. Activities inspired by the papal encyclical *Laudato Si*. Includes Mass presided by the Seminary Rector, Father John Kartje, Ph.D. Suggested donation \$20 Register: pvm.archchicago.org/creation or 312.534.5393



Parish Support

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To safely make your contribution electronically through GiveCentral visit www.sthughlyons.org and click the blue DONATE on the top right.

Scrip (a.k.a. gift cards)

Why not use our most convenient fundraiser for your Spring shopping? We have posted a list of participating retailers in the church vestibule. That list is also at www.sthughlyons.org In-stock scrip (gift cards) are available after the Masses and during the week at the parish office. Next weekend see Marilyn (4:00), Mary Ann (8:00), or Kim (10:30) for: Walmart \$25, Walgreens \$25, Target \$25, Starbucks \$10, Kohl's \$25, Jewel \$25, iTunes \$15, Home Depot \$25, Dunkin Donuts \$10, CVS \$25, Amazon \$25

Vincentian reflection



In the Gospel today, Jesus stands in the midst of us and says: "Peace be with you!" During Mass we turn to each other and

say "Peace be with you!" As you put your gift into the St. Vincent de Paul poor box you say "Peace be with you!" to those who are poor and hungry.

Stewardship thought

The community of believers was of one heart and mind, and no one claimed that any of his possessions was his own... - ACTS 4:32

All that we are and all that we have is a gift from God! Think of your family, your friends, your talents, your abilities and your money – these are all gifts from God! We aren't really owners of anything, we are merely "stewards" of the gifts God has blessed us with.

Question of the Week

Whom can I forgive who has hurt me or someone I love? Can I put my trust in God, the author of all mercy? Can I believe that by forgiving my neighbor I am allowing the Spirit to work through me and am participating in the gift of divine mercy?

Treasures from our tradition

Sometimes children acquire nicknames in childhood that stalk them through adulthood: "Pinky," "Boo-boo," and the like. This Sunday was once called "Low Sunday," a step down from Easter glory, and an unfortunate nickname since Easter rejoicing goes on for fifty days. Traditionally this is the day when the newly baptized put away their white baptismal robes and returned to their everyday life after a week of intense celebration. Of course, the goal was to take up everyday duties with a very new point of view.

A long title for the day was *Dominica in albis deposito*, or "The Lord's Day for Putting Away the Albs," so no wonder the nickname "Low Sunday" arose. In the old calendar it was also called "Quasimodo Sunday," after the first word of the opening chant, *Quasimodo geniti infantes*, or "As newborn infants," a reference to the newly baptized taken from the Epistle of Peter. Victor Hugo's bell-ringing hero in *The Hunchback of Notre Dame* was abandoned as an infant on the threshold of the cathedral of Paris on Low Sunday, 1467, and named "Quasimodo" for the feast.

-Rev. James Field, Copyright (c) J. S. Paluch Co.

Wills / Bequests

After providing for your loved ones, please consider naming Saint Hugh Parish as a beneficiary of your estate.

Volunteer(s) wanted

Help to make and keep our worship space prayerful & beautiful

While we enjoy the Easter Season decorations, we are in need of helpers to tend to the church's environment and art beyond Pentecost. The parish budgets for flowers, but needs the creativity of those who can help to make our worship space both prayerful and beautiful. Please contact the parish office to learn more about this time and talent stewardship opportunity.

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Weekend Masses

Saturday 4:00pm
Sunday 8:00am & 10:30am

Daily Mass

Monday - Saturday 10:30am

Penance

A priest-confessor is available Saturday after the morning Mass or by appointment.

Anointing of the Sick

Contact Father for a family member who is seriously ill.

Communion for Homebound

Call the Parish Office to request a Minister of Care to visit.

Baptism

Infants are baptized at the parish where their parents are active members - usually on Sunday after the Mass. Contact the Pastor to schedule.

Marriage

Celebrated for current parishioners. Engaged couples should begin preparations with the parish at least six months in advance of a proposed wedding.

Funerals

The family of the deceased should rely on the professional skill of a funeral director who will assist in making arrangements with the parish and cemetery.

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