# **EASTER FLOWERS IN MEMORY OF:**



Hans & Elvie Riecke **Robert Faborito** Nathan Perreira Mike & Violet Pszyk Jeffrev Pszvk Lolita Ventura Loucks Mark Monroe Potter Dionicio & Andresina Olaitiman

**Chiristine Riecke Gonzales** Eleanor Silva Visalli & Franco Family Julian & Rose Namahoe Mark Monroe Potter **Ernest & Margaret Louis** Stephen Cabral



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~MASS SCHEDULE~ ~ST. RITA~ Saturday: 5:00 p.m. ~ Vigil Sunday: 8:30 a.m.

WEEKDAY MASSES: 7:00 a.m. ~ Monday ~ Friday ~ST. GABRIEL~ 1st & 3rd Sundays: 11:00 a.m.

~RECONCILIATION~ ST. RITA~ Saturday: 3:30 ~ 4:00 p.m. ST. GABRIEL~ Before Sunday Mass

~ANOINTING OF THE SICK~ Please contact the Office

~BAPTISMS, WEDDINGS, **FUNERALS~** Please contact the Office

~MINISTRIES~ **MINISTRY OF SONG: CHOIR** Wayne Freitas & Rita Bauldry Tuesday ~ 6:00 p.m.

**PROCLAIMERS OF THE WORD** 

**COMMUNION TO HOMEBOUND** 

.Dear Parishioners,

Today, on this Second Easter Sunday, we come together to celebrate Divine Mercy Sunday, a day of extraordinary grace and forgiveness. As we reflect on the profound significance of this feast, let us open our hearts to receive the gift of total forgiveness that the Catholic Church offers through a plenary indulgence. This day, marking the Octave Day of Easter, serves as a time of spiritual renewal and profound grace.

Just as the Day of Atonement held immense importance in the Old Testament, Divine Mercy Sunday stands as a modern-day opportunity for us to prepare for judgment and seek reconciliation with God. Through the sacraments of Holy Communion and Confession, we are granted access to the Fount of Divine Mercy, as instructed by Jesus Himself to His Church. The Divine Mercy Image serves as a powerful reminder of the essence of these sacraments, emphasizing the cleansing of sins and the promise of eternal life through Jesus' sacrifice. Let us trust in His boundless mercy, approach Him with humility and faith, and seize this incredible opportunity to be reconciled with our Savior.

Today, let us respond to the call to approach the Sacrament of Confession with openness and sincerity. Jesus awaits us there, ready to offer His mercy and absolution, inviting us to come before Him with hearts free from sin and open to His grace. As we prepare to receive Holy Communion, let us strive to approach this sacred moment with purity and reverence, seeking to partake in this miraculous gift with unwavering faith.

If you have not yet made your yearly Confession in anticipation of Easter Communion, do not let this opportunity slip away, today at 2 PM in the Queen of Angel church, the service for confession and Mass will be available. Furthermore, the Church grants approximately 20 days for Confession, before or after Divine Mercy Sunday, to receive the special plenary indulgence being offered. Remember, if you find yourself in a state of serious sin, it is vital to seek the Sacrament of Confession before partaking in Holy Communion.

May the grace of Divine Mercy Sunday fill our hearts with joy, peace, and hope. Let us embrace this day with gratitude and humility, knowing that we are cherished beyond measure by our compassionate and merciful God. Rejoice and be glad, for today is truly a day of Divine Mercy and grace.

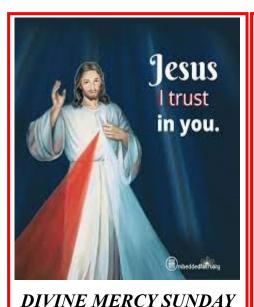
May the blessings of this special day accompany you throughout the week.

Eternal Rest Grant Unto Them O Lord, And Let The Perpetual Light Shine Upon Them, May They Rest In Peace. Amen.

APRIL 2024	Faith Formation	
Perez/Romaine—4/03 Fr. Chacko Muthoottil—4/05	If you still need to register, Registration forms can be found at the entrance of the church.	
Antone & Emily Tavares—4/06	CALENDAR FOR CLASSES (Subject to Change)	
Nathan Perreira—4/20 Isaac James Honokaupu—4/27	APR. 07 – Class for 3- to 12-year-olds (9:45 – 11) APR. 14 – CLASS FOR THE YOUTH GROUP- SAFE ENVIRONMENT APR. 21 – Class for 3- to 12-year-olds (9:45 – 11)	
PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK BROTHERS & SISTERS		
James Gonzalez-Wesley Rosemary Robbins Debbie Faborito Rachel Cravalho	MAY 05 – CLASS FOR THE YOUTH GROUP MAY 12 – NO CLASS – MOTHER'S DAY MAY 19 – Class for 3- to 12-year-olds (9:45 – 11) MAY 26 – Class for 3- to 12-year-olds (9:45 – 11)	
Robert Robello Melissa Prince Stanley Lee	JUNE 2 – END OF YEAR SOCIAL (FOR ALL REGISTERED STUDENTS)	
Fr. Chacko Muthoottil Winona Martinez Clarita Pimentel Helen Estrella Stephen Groff Jeremy Konohia	Three- to 12-year-olds - For those who have registered for this current 2024 Faith Formation Year. We will meet after Mass on Sundays, approximately 9:45 until 10:30 for the entire group. At 10:30 the 3- and 4-year-olds can leave, and we will continue for a half hour with the older children until 11:00.	
Felicia Gonzalez JoAnn Potter Rosaline DeMello	If there are any questions, please feel free to see Rita Bauldry after Mass or call the Parish Office @ (808) 575-2601 and leave a message. Rita will get back to you.	



#### **APRIL 7, 2024 SUNDAY OF DIVINE MERCY** A message from our pastor Fr. Robert Ni Ni, MF



**APRIL 7TH, 2024** 

#### **GOD IS RICH IN MERCY, HIS LOVE IS ENDLESS** EPH 2:4, PS 136



#### **Come and Celebrate with us** THE GREAT FEAST OF DIVINE MERCY **SUNDAY at Our Lady Queen of Angels** DATE: APRIL 7<sup>TH</sup> Priests will be available for Confession-2pm Adoration with Divine Mercy Chaplet/

**Enthronement - 3pm** Fellowship/Dinner to follow



SOLEMNITY OF THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD **ST. RITA CHURCH** MONDAY, APRIL 8, 2024 7:00 AM "HAIL MARY FULL OF GRACE"

A BIBLICAL WALK THROUGH THE MASS

THE MASS

Sunday's after mass starting April 7th.

All are welcome!

# **OCRS RICE BOW**

Together, we changed lives this Lent through CRS Rice Bowl. **THANK YOU** for being a part of this effort!

MONDAY April 8 Annunciation of the Lord ls 7:10-14; 8:10 Heb 10:4–10 Lk 1:26-38 **TUESDAY** April 9 Easter Weekday Acts 4:32-37 Jn 3:7b-15 **WEDNESDAY** April 10 *Easter Weekday* Acts 5:17-26 Jn 3:16-21 THURSDAY April 11 St. Stanislaus, Bishop and Martyr

Acts 5:27-33 Jn 3:31-36

> FRIDAY April 12

Easter Weekday Acts 5:34-42 Jn 6:1-15

#### **SATURDAY** April 13

Easter Weekday Acts 6:1-7 Jn 6:16-21

### **SUNDAY** April 14 Third Sunday of Easter

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

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St. Rita	INCOME MARCH 31,2024	St. Gabrie
\$3,075.00	Easter Collections	\$320.0
\$975.00	Repairs & Maintenance	\$65.0
\$30.00	Candles	\$
\$395.00	Holy Land	
\$1,073.00	Operation Rice Bowl	\$60.0
\$80.00	Shepherd's Care	\$
\$203.00	Thrift Store	\$
\$5,83100	TOTAL	\$445.0

