



# WEEKLY BULLETIN

April 8 - 9, 2023

Easter Sunday: Mass of the Lord's Resurrection  
Paschal Triduum

## MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEKEND

### *Easter Vigil: Night of the Lord's Resurrection*

Saturday, Apr. 8<sup>th</sup> 8:00 pm † Mary Ann Hirose

### *Easter Sunday: Mass of the Lord's Resurrection*

Sunday, Apr. 9<sup>th</sup> 9:00 am † John Desjardins  
11:00am All Parishioners  
6:00pm † Marianne Hirose

## COMING UP NEXT WEEK

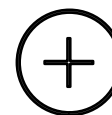
Monday, Apr. 10<sup>th</sup> **NO MASS + PARISH OFFICE CLOSED**  
Tuesday, Apr. 11<sup>th</sup> 7:00pm † Mary Stengler  
Wednesday, Apr. 12<sup>th</sup> 7:00pm **CWL Past and Present Members**  
Thursday, Apr. 13<sup>th</sup> 9:00am † John Ferner  
Friday, Apr. 14<sup>th</sup> 9:00am **Michael Ferner**

### *2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the Easter Season: Divine Mercy Sunday*

Saturday, Apr. 15<sup>th</sup> 5:00pm † Salvador and † Florentina Senador  
Sunday, Apr. 16<sup>th</sup> 9:00am † John Desjardins  
11:00am All Parishioners  
6:00pm † Irbin Ferner



The seven weeks from Easter to Pentecost are celebrated as one great Feast Day. St. Athanasius called them "the great Sunday". Christians sing the "Alleluia" during these days in their rejoicing.



### PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK

We are pleased to bring the Sacrament to all ill parishioners. Please notify the Parish Office, if a family member is hospitalized.

For Anointing of the Sick, please notify the Parish Priest. The hospital no longer asks what religion you are and therefore, there will be no record when the ministers check. We don't want to miss anyone.

### HOLY MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesdays & Wednesdays at 7:00pm  
Thursdays & Fridays at 9:00pm  
Saturdays at 5:00pm  
Sundays at 9:00am, 11:00am & 6:00pm  
Special Masses to be announced.

### RECONCILIATIONS (CONFESSIONS)

Saturdays at 4:00pm - 4:30pm  
Every 1<sup>st</sup> Friday of the month:  
9:00am - 12:00pm  
Or please call the Parish Office for appointments.

### PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Tuesdays to Fridays at 9:00am - 5:00pm  
Closed on Lunch breaks 1:00pm - 2:00pm  
Closed on Mondays, Weekends and Special Holidays.  
Phone: +1 (403) 362 4466



## HOLY MASS MINISTRY SCHEDULES (APRIL 15-16, 2023)

If you can't fulfill your schedule, please find a replacement and/or ask your respective ministry coordinator. We thank you for serving in the Holy Masses. May the blessings of the Lord be upon you!

### USHERS

Sat. 5:00pm Earl W, Randy C  
Sun. 9:00am Carina S, Leena L  
Sun. 11:00am Hayat L, Pauline M  
Sun. 6:00pm Fred H, Liza B

### GREETERS

Sat. 5:00pm Jim G, Wendy G  
Sun. 9:00am Christine M  
Sun. 11:00am Hayat L  
Sun. 6:00pm Liza B

### SACRISTANS

Sat. 5:00pm Juliana R  
Sun. 9:00am Lorraine S  
Sun. 11:00am Joeven N  
Sun. 6:00pm Cathy F

### LECTORS

Sat. 5:00pm Mona P, Eva C  
Sun. 9:00am Terrie H, Austin L  
Sun. 11:00am Kim O, Reg O  
Sun. 6:00pm Beth L, Stefanie C

### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Sat. 5:00pm Juliana R, Shelly J, Vanessa B  
Sun. 9:00am Lorraine S, Kaylie A  
Sun. 11:00am Joeven N, Chris N, Luka S  
Sun. 6:00pm Cathy F, Linda B, Errin N

### ALTAR SERVERS

Sat. 5:00pm Emmanuella, Sam, Ian  
Sun. 9:00am Dawn, Jordynn, Lisa  
Sun. 11:00am Adin, Jesse, Franklyn  
Sun. 6:00pm Carl, Virsey, JJ

### MUSICIANS

Sat. 5:00pm Michelle G  
Sun. 9:00am Daina R, Mark H  
Sun. 11:00am Ashleigh D, Cindy G  
Sun. 6:00pm Arvie D

### A/V + LIVESTREAM

Sat. 5:00pm Troy G  
Sun. 9:00am  
Sun. 11:00am  
Sun. 6:00pm MQP Choir

**BE PART OF THE HOLY MASS, SIGN UP NOW. CALL THE PARISH OFFICE AT (403) 362 4466.**



### ST. MARY'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH: BROOKS + TIDE LAKE MISSION

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### PARISH STAFF

#### Parish Priest:

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#### Administrative Assistant/Bookkeeper:

Arvie Diaz (secretary@saintmarysbrooks.com)

#### Sacrament Coordinator:

Juliana Ragot (stmbsacraments@gmail.com)

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#### Caretaker:

Manolita Baluyut

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Danny Andres

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### CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

Holy Family Academy 112 - 4 Ave, Brooks, Alberta T1R 0Z1 +1 (403) 362 8001  
Christ The King Academy 440 - 1 St W, Brooks, Alberta T1R 1L7 +1 (403) 362 4767  
St. Joseph's Collegiate 408 - 1 St W, Brooks, Alberta T1R 0V8 +1 (403) 362 5989  
St. Luke's Outreach Centre Bay 9, 1308 - 2A St, Brooks, Alberta T1R 0V5 +1 (403) 362 5030

### REGISTER NOW!

To become a parishioner and sign up for donations, please contact us at: (403) 362 4466.



## HOLY SACRAMENTS

(Baptism, Reconciliation, First Communion, Confirmation, Marriage, Holy Orders & Anointing of the Sick)

People who wish to receive any of the Holy Sacraments **must be a registered parishioner of St. Mary's Parish: Brooks + Tide Lake Mission.**

For Baptisms, **all requirements must be completed before booking a Baptism date. At least two months notice must be given** in order to complete all the requirements.

For Reconciliation, First Communion and Confirmation, **all requirements, including classes/sessions must be completed to be eligible for Sacraments.**

For Marriages, **all requirements must be completed before booking a Marriage date. At least six months notice must be given** in order to ensure the proper paperwork can be finalized and guaranteed. There will be no exceptions.

The **proper order** of receiving the Holy Sacraments are; **(1st) Baptism, (2nd) Reconciliation, (3rd) First Communion, (4th) Confirmation, (5th) Marriage or (5th) Holy Orders - if going to priesthood.** People are not eligible get the next sacrament without receiving the previous one; (example: A person cannot receive the First Communion without receiving his/her Reconciliation first.)

For more information, including Sacrament Preparation classes and sessions (Baptisms, Reconciliations, First Communion and Confirmations), please contact;

**Sacrament Coordinator - Juliana Ragot at (403) 793 7279, or email at [stombsacraments@gmail.com](mailto:stombsacraments@gmail.com)**

For those who wish to become a deacon, enter into priesthood, and for receiving the Anointing of the Sick, please contact the Parish Office;

**Secretary - Arvie Diaz at (403) 362 4466, or email at [secretary@saintmarysbrooks.com](mailto:secretary@saintmarysbrooks.com)**



### TAX RECEIPTS AND DONATION ENVELOPES

Please pickup your 2022 Tax Receipts, in the Parish Foyer. Tax Filing ends on April 30, 2023.

2023 Donation Envelopes are also in the Parish Foyer ready to be picked up;

- |                |                   |
|----------------|-------------------|
| - Arapan, R    | - Johnson, M      |
| - Baltar, J    | - Musgrove, S     |
| - De Guzman, P | - Nyarsuk, L      |
| - Dizon, K     | - Tamayo, J       |
| - Galin, M     | - Timmons, R      |
| - Janke, L     | - Van Otterloo, J |



### HOLY MASS INTENTIONS

Mass Intentions from April to June 2023 are currently full. The Diocese of Calgary does not allow multiple intentions on a single Mass.

Please contact the Parish Office to get a Mass Intention schedule.

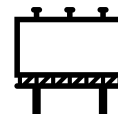


### CAREER OPPORTUNITIES IN THE CALGARY DIOCESE

There are a number of employment opportunities that are currently available in the Diocese of Calgary:

- Administrative Assistant (Part-time) - Our Lady of the Rockies, Canmore
- Administrative Assistant (Part-time) - St. Pius X, Calgary
- Administrative Assistant (Part-time) - St. Elizabeth of Hungary, Calgary
- Administrative Assistant (Part-time) - Sacred Heart, Strathmore
- Children's Liturgy Coordinator (Casual) - St. Michael Catholic Community, Calgary
- Bookkeeper (Full-time) - Catholic Pastoral Centre, Calgary
- Senior Accountant (Full-time) - Catholic Pastoral Centre, Calgary

Visit [www.catholicyc.ca/careers](http://www.catholicyc.ca/careers) for more information and details.



### WEEKLY BULLETIN ADVERTISEMENT

Do you have a business that you wanted to advertise? Slots are open in our printed and digital Weekly Bulletin for only \$100 +GST for a year.

Please contact the Parish Office and/or email us at [accounting@saintmarysbrooks.com](mailto:accounting@saintmarysbrooks.com) to get started.

Please note that this is only available to the current registered parishioners of St. Mary's Parish: Brooks + Tide Lake Mission.

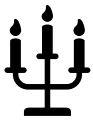


### USED STAMPS FOR MISSIONS

Do you have used stamps laying around? Don't throw it out. A parishioner collects them to be sent to Calgary for Missions.

Please bring your used stamps in the parish foyer. Thank you!





**ST. MARY'S PARISH:  
PRAYER CHAIN**

If you would like us to offer continuous prayers for someone you know, please contact the Parish Office with their name, your special intention and for how long you would like them in the prayer chain. Thank you!



**PRAYER SHAWL  
COMMITTEE**

If you would like to get a prayer shawl, please call Christine at (403) 362 4796 or Sylvia at (403) 362 3849.



**SUNDAY COFFEE +  
FELLOWSHIP**

Sunday Coffee and Fellowship is back after Easter Sunday weekend! Come and join us after the Holy Mass.

April 16 after 11:00am Mass  
April 23 after 6:00pm Mass  
April 30 after 9:00am Mass

For more information, please contact:  
Linda Bidyk at (403) 501 9404



**ADORATION + EXPOSITION OF THE  
BLESSED SACRAMENT**

You have more opportunities now to come and spend time in prayer with the Blessed Sacrament.

Adoration and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament daily from Tuesdays to Fridays from 2:00pm - 5:00pm at the Adoration Chapel.

Every 1st Friday of the month  
9:30am - 2:00pm

Every 3rd Wednesday of the month  
1:00pm - 6:45pm at St. Mary's Parish, Brooks

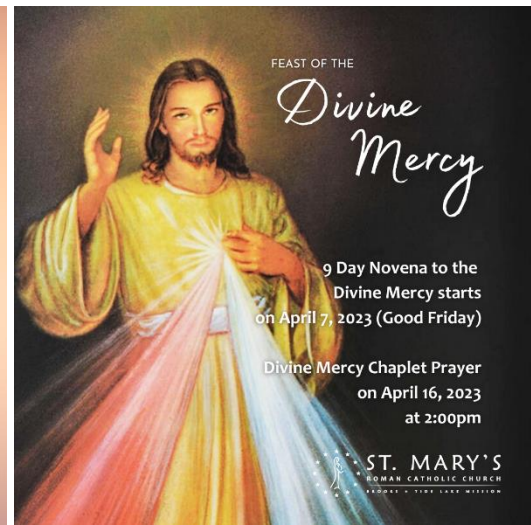


**JOIN THE SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT  
DE PAUL (SSVP)**

Whatsoever you do to the least of my brothers, that you do unto me. (Matthew 25:40)

Please prayerfully consider joining the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul (SSVP) as we serve the most vulnerable in Brooks, and area. We are on an on call basis from Tuesday to Thursday, responding to needs such as food, clothing, shelter, and a variety of other requests.

Our volunteer numbers have declined, but our desire to serve has not. Please, if you would like more information, give us a call. Mona 403-793-5616; Patti 403-793-0069



**DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY  
(Apr. 15-16, 2023)**

9 Day Novena to the Divine Mercy starts on April 7, 2023. <https://www.thedivinemercy.org/messagge/devotions/novena> Divine Mercy Chaplet Prayer will be on April 16, 2023 at 2:00pm at St. Mary's Parish, Brooks.



**Desk and Chair for Sale!**

Make an offer! Good shape - some wear and tear. Make own arrangements for moving.

Call Mona Patterson 403-793-5616



# Divine Mercy Daily

Daily Reflections from the  
*Diary of Saint Maria Faustina Kowalska*

## A Powerful Prayer Weapon

### Meditation:

When I had said the prayer, in my soul I heard these words: **This prayer will serve to appease My wrath. You will recite it for nine days, on the beads of the rosary, in the following manner: First of all, you will say one OUR FATHER and HAIL MARY and the I BELIEVE IN GOD. Then on the OUR FATHER beads you will say the following words: "Eternal Father, I offer You the Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity of Your dearly beloved Son, Our Lord Jesus Christ, in atonement for our sins and those of the whole world." On the HAIL MARY beads you will say the following words: "For the sake of His sorrowful Passion have mercy on us and on the whole world." In conclusion, three times you will recite these words: "Holy God, Holy Mighty One, Holy Immortal One, have mercy on us and on the whole world"** (*Diary*, 476).

### My Prayer Response:

Thank You, Jesus, for the powerful prayer weapon You have given us. Help us to use it regularly for mercy not only for ourselves but for the whole world! Thank You for the global consciousness You give us of the world's need of Your mercy.

*\*The words of Jesus appear in boldface type*

## Say Unceasingly the Chaplet

### Meditation:

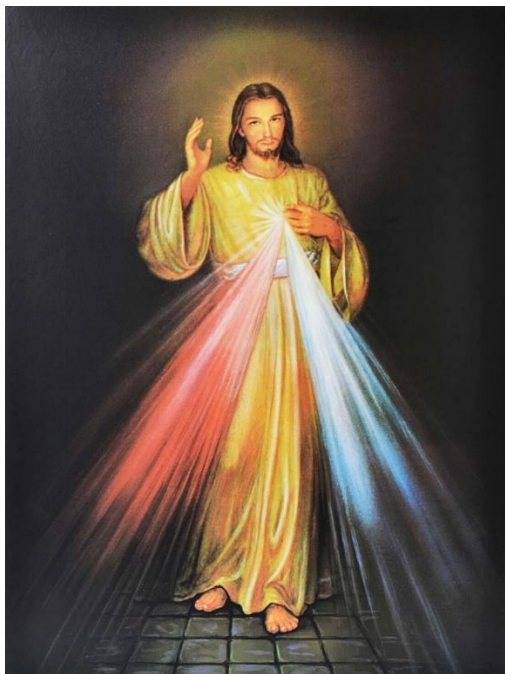
Once, as I was going down the hall to the kitchen, I heard these words in my soul: **Say unceasingly the chaplet that I have taught you. Whoever will recite it will receive great mercy at the hour of death. Priests will recommend it to sinners as their last**

**hope of salvation. Even if there were a sinner most hardened, if he were to recite this chaplet only once, he would receive grace from My infinite mercy. I desire that the whole world know My infinite mercy. I desire to grant unimaginable graces to those souls who trust in My mercy** (*Diary, 687*).

## My Prayer Response:

Lord Jesus, make me more aware of the power of the mercy chaplet as a prayer for Your infinite mercy for sinners, for the dying, and for the whole world. May You inspire me to pray it unceasingly.

*\*The words of Jesus appear in boldface type*



### VENERATION OF THE IMAGE

The image of Jesus, The Divine Mercy, is to have a special place of honor on the Feast of Mercy, a visual reminder of all that Jesus did for us through His Passion, Death and Resurrection... and a reminder too, of what He asks of us in return - to trust in Him and be merciful to others:

The words of Jesus from St. Faustina's Diary:

"I want the image 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. (341)"

St. Peter's  
Catholic Church

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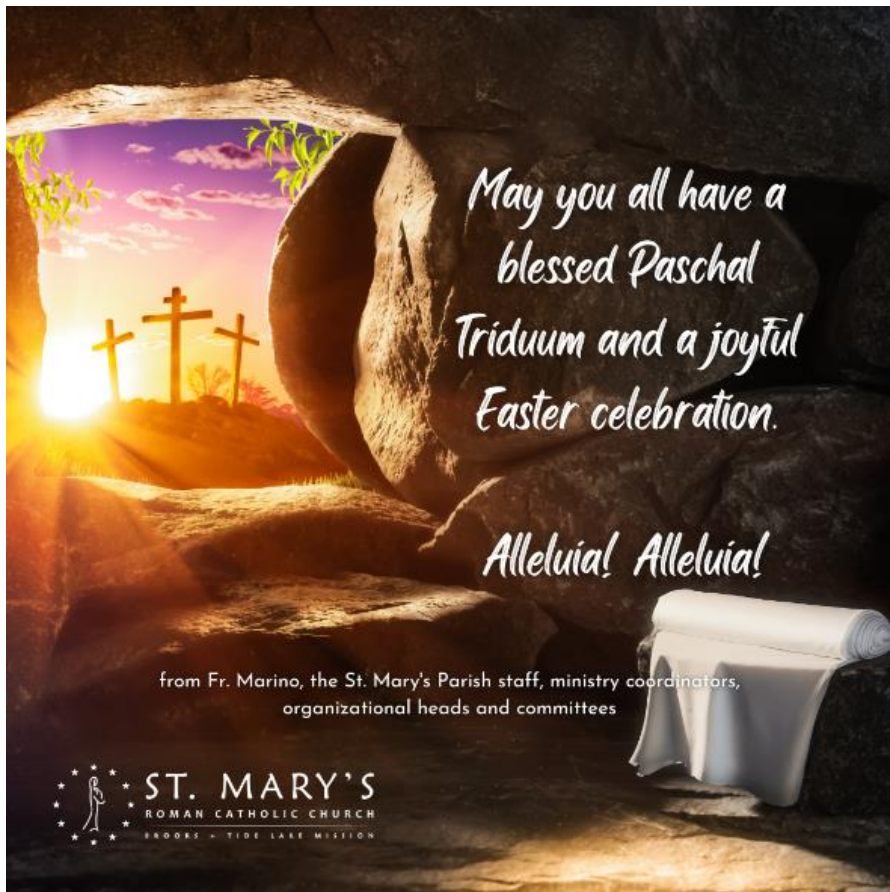
*Braiding Together*

Bishop McGrattan's  
reflections on  
Pope Francis'  
pilgrimage to Canada

*Walk together with us on the  
journey of healing, truth-  
telling and reconciliation.*

- Saturday, April 15 @ 9:15am
- St. Peter's Church
- 541 Silvergrove Dr. NW.
- Main floor Nave





from Fr. Marino, the St. Mary's Parish staff, ministry coordinators, organizational heads and committees

**ST. MARY'S**  
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Easter Blessings from your  
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May the Spirit of Mercy, Hope, and Love be upon you this Easter Season. Jesus has risen from the grave and conquered sin. Let us all go and be Disciples of Christ and follow the example of our Lord. Have blessed Easter season and May God shower His abundant Blessings on all the parishioners of St. Mary's Catholic Church. Happy Easter.



ROMAN CATHOLIC  
**DIOCESE**  
*of Calgary*

**PRIESTLY ORDINATION**

**Rev. Mr. Santiago Torres**, a transitional deacon currently completing studies at St. Joseph Seminary, Edmonton, has been called to ordination to the Holy Priesthood at St. Mary's Cathedral, Calgary, on the Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, Friday, June 16, 2023 at 7 pm.



**CHILI AND BUNS AFTER 11 AM MASS – SUNDAY APRIL 16<sup>TH</sup>**

**EVERYONE WELCOME ☺**

**RECOGNITION OF NEW REGISTRANTS/DOOR PRIZES AND WELCOMING ATMOSPHERE**

**PLEASE COME AND SHARE FOOD AND FELLOWSHIP IN OUR COMMUNITY OF FAITH!**



**ALL OF THESE AND MORE! COME AND ATTEND ST. MARY'S PRAYER GROUP. ALL AGES WELCOME!**

**5:00 P.M. PRAISE AND WORSHIP, 5:30 INTERCESSORY PRAYER AND SCRIPTURE STUDY, 6:25 ROSARY,**

**7:00 P.M. HOLY MASS. COME TO ALL OR JUST TO SOME OF IT.**

**"WHEN 2 OR 3 GATHER IN MY NAME, I PROMISE TO BE THERE!" - JESUS PRAYERS ARE ANSWERED! MARK 11:24**

**Any questions?? – Phone Reg or Kim Orich at 403-793-5014**



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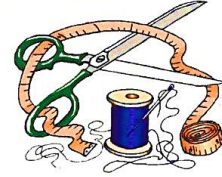


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