

Divine Mercy SUNDAY



Act of Consecration to Jesus – The Divine Mercy

Almighty and Eternal Father, we, the members of St. John the Baptist Parish, consecrate ourselves to You through Jesus – The Divine Mercy.

Merciful Jesus, we proclaim You King of Mercy, and we enthrone Your sacred image in our parish church as an act of love and trust. It is our response to Your desire that souls know You as The King of Mercy, and venerate your sacred image as The Divine Mercy, throughout the world. May it be a constant reminder to us of Your Loving and Merciful Promises, and of our responsibility to be merciful to one another.

Strengthen our faith, deepen our trust, and increase our love for You and each other. Draw us into Your Merciful Heart, that we may never doubt that You are Omnipotence, Wisdom and Goodness Itself, and so worthy of our utmost trust. Give us the grace to live totally in the present moment, with patience and complete abandonment to Your Will and Providence, neither dwelling on the past, nor living in fear of the future.

In Your tender mercy, help us to be reconciled with You and with one another, that hurts and unforgiveness may not stand in the way of our being transformed, so that Your mercy might shine through us in our families, our community and our world by our actions, words and prayers. Sanctify us with Your Precious Blood and refresh us with the life-giving Water which flow from Your wounded Heart.

Come, Holy Spirit, inspire, guide and teach us in these times of doubt and confusion. Give us courage, strength and perseverance in prayer. We are confident that You are always with us and our parish, and that through this consecration You will bring about the Reconciliation, the Healing and the Peace promised to those who place their whole trust in Our Savior, Jesus Christ.

Come Merciful Lord Jesus! Renew our hearts. Restore our Parish family, our Nation and the whole World. Amen.

