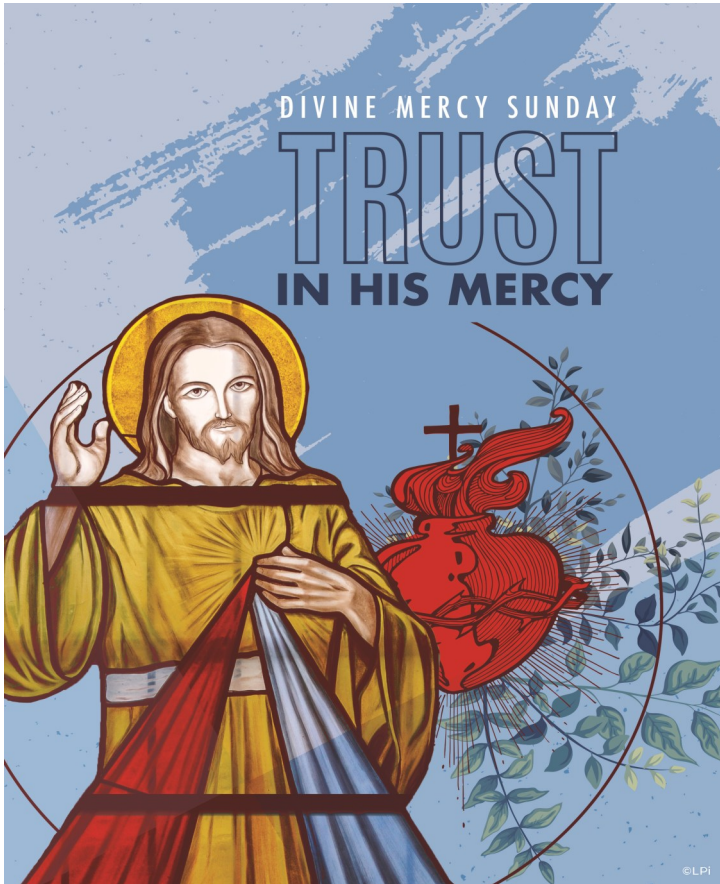


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and IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH**
April 12, 2026 ~ Divine Mercy Sunday



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SACRAMENTAL/PRAYER LIFE

Our Lady of Fatima

Mass Schedule:

**8:30 a.m. Monday, Tuesday, Thursday &
Friday**

5:30 p.m. Wednesday

5:00 p.m. Saturday

10:30 a.m. Sunday

Eucharistic Adoration

9:00 - 10:00 a.m. Fridays at OLF

Reconciliation/Confession - OLF

4:00 - 4:45 p.m. Saturday

Immaculate Conception

Mass Schedule

8:30 a.m. Sunday

**Anointing the Sick & Baptism: Please contact
the Rectory to make arrangements.**

**Marriage: Please contact the Rectory at least
six months in advance.**

**Homebound / Hospitalized: Communion
brought to anyone unable to attend Mass.
Call Paul Gorman 603-526-4353**

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PARISH MISSION

Our Lady of Fatima and Immaculate Conception Parish is a Catholic faith community called by God to holiness. Our calling is realized in a spirit of love, unity and hospitality. As a faith community, we will deepen our knowledge and love of God in Christ. We will seek to contribute our time, talent and other resources in a spirit of service based on our Baptismal commitment, founded on the Word of God and celebrated in sacramental life, especially Eucharist.

Mass Intentions
SUNDAY OF DIVINE MERCY



The Living Flame Week of April 12
Claude LaChance Intention

Saturday, April 11, 5:00 PM

H. Dolores Bausch (dec) *by* The Women's Society

Sunday, April 12, 8:30 AM

Bob and Mary Lou Garvey (dec) *by* Janet Peters
Sunday, April 12, Noon - IC
Stevens Baptism

Sunday, April 12, 10:30 AM

For The People

Monday, April 13, 8:30 AM

Pauline Parkhurst (dec) *by* Janet Peters

Tuesday, April 14, 8:30 AM

Lisa Pollari (dec) *by* Bob and Louise Wagner

Wednesday, April 15, 5:30 PM

For The People

Thursday, April 16, 8:30 AM

Bill Warnken (dec) *by* Doreen Rogers

Friday, April 17, 7:00 PM

Peter Young *by* The McMenaman's

Saturday, April 18, 5:00 PM

Reverend Michael Taylor (dec)

Sunday, April 19, 8:30 AM

For The People

Sunday, April 12, 10:30 AM

For The People

LIVESTREAM MASS

Watch our 10:30 am Sunday Mass via Livestream. Go

PARISH WEEK AT A GLANCE

<u>Mon. Apr. 13</u>	8:30 am Mass - OLF 9:00 am Rosary - OLF 4:00-4:45 pm Sacrament Prep Mtg LMR
<u>Tue Apr. 14,</u>	7:00-8:30 am Men's Scripture Hall OLF 8:30 am Mass - OLF 9:00 am Rosary 2-4pm Bible Study - LMR
<u>Wed Apr. 15,</u>	5:30 pm Mass - OLF
<u>Thu Apr. 16,</u>	8:30 am Mass - OLF 4-7 pm Craft Mtg - Hall
<u>Fri Apr 17,</u>	8:30 am Mass- OLF 9-10 am Adoration at OLF
<u>Sat Apr. 18,</u>	4-4:45 pm Confessions - OLF 5:00 pm Mass - OLF
<u>Sun Apr. 19,</u>	8:30 am Mass - IC 10:30 am Mass - OLF

PARISH NEWS NOTES

- ◆ Are you unable to attend Sunday Mass due to a cold , flu, or Covid? Don't worry because you can livestream it in your home. Go to OLFIC.Org - scroll to Livestream and press enter.
- ◆ **Second Collection: May 14th - The Ascension**
- ◆ **Support Guess Who's Coming to Dinner special event. Last chance to sign up this weekend in the Narthex.**
- ◆ **Rice Bowls are due today.** Please return your Rice Bowls to the Narthex on or before Sunday, April 12th. Thank you!
- ◆ Please silence your cellphones while in church.
- ◆ Please feel free to visit our library located in the Lower Meeting Room in the rectory.

Divine Mercy Sunday

If you were born well before the year 2000, you know the feast of Divine Mercy has not always been celebrated in the Church. In the early 1900s, a young Polish nun began receiving private revelations. Jesus appeared to her during her times of prayer, speaking a message of mercy and love for the world. She received a set of prayers — the Divine Mercy Chaplet — and the request to have a feast day established to remind the Church of the mercy of God. St. Faustina died in 1938, on the cusp of war and in the midst of one of the most violent centuries in the history of the world.

In the year 2000, she was canonized by the first-ever Polish pope, St. John Paul II. On her canonization day, he established **the second Sunday of Easter as Divine Mercy Sunday**, "a perennial invitation to the Christian world to face, with confidence in divine benevolence, the difficulties and trials that mankind with experience in the years to come."

Divine Mercy Sunday ~ Holy Hour of Prayer

Sunday—March 12 2:30-3:30 pm at OLF

WEEKLY OFFERTORY COLLECTION REPORT

April 5, 2026

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Envelopes	\$ 95.	\$ 416.
Loose Cash	\$ 4,158.	\$ 1,189.
E-Giving	\$ 3,060.	
Grand Total	\$ 8,918.	
Budgeted Expenses	\$ 10,606	

PLANNING IN YOUR FUTURE?

Please consider bequeathing to Our Lady of Fatima or Immaculate Conception after your family needs are met, your church of choice as a beneficiary of your will, living trust or life insurance.

Giving is now easier than before with QR Codes

You can now easily and efficiently donate to the church of your choice. Simply use your cell phone's camera to donate securely using the QR code of your choice.

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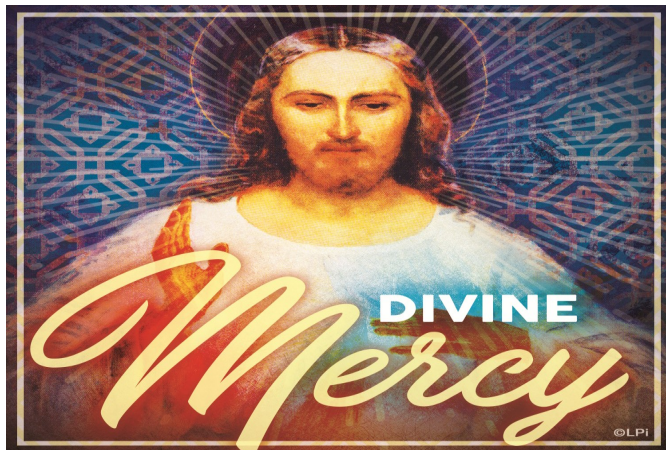
Please continue to donate to Our Lady of Fatima. We have various capital improvement projects scheduled for 2026 including the repaving of our parking lot, estimated at \$500,000.

Readings for the week of April 12, 2026

Sunday: Acts 2:42-47/Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24/1 Pt 1:3-9/Jn 20:19-31
 Monday: Acts 4:23-31/Ps 2:1-3, 4-7a, 7b-9/Jn 3:1-8
 Tuesday: Acts 4:32-37/Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5/Jn 3:7b-15
 Wednesday: Acts 5:17-26/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Jn 3:16-21
 Thursday: Acts 5:27-33/Ps 34:2 and 9, 17-18, 19-20/Jn 3:31-36
 Friday: Acts 5:34-42/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14/Jn 6:1-15
 Saturday: Acts 6:1-7/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19/Jn 6:16-21
 Next Sunday: Acts 2:14, 22-33/Ps 16:1-2 and 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11/1 Pt 1:17-21/Lk 24:13-35

Observances for the week of April 12, 2026

Sunday: 2nd Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy)
 Monday: St. Martin I, Pope and Martyr
 Tuesday:
 Wednesday: Tax Day
 Thursday:
 Friday:
 Saturday:
 Next Sunday: 3rd Sunday of Easter



Dear Jesus, May your mercy flow over us, filling our gaps and healing our wounds. Open our hearts more deeply with knowledge of your love for us, understanding of the depth of your passion, and trust in your never-ending mercy. Amen.

LOVE

IS GIVING THE GIFT OF BLOOD

Tuesday 4/21 ~ Noon—5pm OLF HALL



Please donate this day as blood supplies are low this time of year.



PRAYER REQUESTS

Margaret Marschner	Avan Pyle
Cailyn Dezotell	Michael Holt
Judy Lafond	Paul Nagy
Matt Ezovski	Richard Reed
Joseph Ganley	Jeanne Demars
Felicity	Barbara Jean Cannon
Bill Connors	Robert L. Ward
Debra Marshall	Sue Reel
Heather Steve	Charlie Freiberg
and Roman Capraro	Beverly Anderson
MP McEnrue	Ken Celmer
Tim Fleury	Kim Kristl
Doreen & Randy Currier	Carla Everson
Robyn Muller	Pat and Jack Murphy
Michael Lenihan	Gene Finn
John Moran	Rob Grant
Joanne Watson	Paula Rosander
Jeanne Wallace	Ron Bryan
Gretchen Evans	Lindsay Herrin
Catherine Parquett	Maureen McElhern
Richard Turgeon	Paul Finnegan
Tony Venti	Isaac Gibson
Mary Thayer	Theresa Sullivan
Thomas Draper	Karen Brown
Renata Schmidt	Caroline Meeker
Kathleen Jordan	Isaac Gibson

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK—UPDATE

Please forward the names of those you would like added to our list by **email at: parish office.org**

KLS' REPLENISH THE FOOD PANTRY



During the month of **April** we have been asked to collect **cereal**. Please donate leave your contributions in the receptacle in the narthex at OLF.

TAXES DUE

Wednesday, April 15, 2026



TAKE FIVE

The quality of mercy

The church named the Sunday after Easter Divine Mercy Sunday to celebrate the devotion to the mercy of Jesus as revealed to Blessed Faustina Kowalska, a Polish nun who died in 1938 and was declared a saint in 2000. God's bountiful mercy to us calls us to show mercy as well. Saint Faustina prayed, "I want to be completely transformed into your mercy and to be your living reflection, O Lord. May...your unfathomable mercy pass through my heart and soul to my neighbor." Why not make today a time to rededicate yourself to showing mercy, love, compassion, and forgiveness to all those you encounter?



Thursday's Child to Support KREM

Make your dinner plans count! Please considering dining at The Elms Restaurant in the New London Inn on Thursday April 23rd to support KREM.

KREM provides a vital safety net for emergency needs across 11 of our local towns.

Grab a table, enjoy a great meal, and help support our community at the same time. Ten percent of the proceeds will go to KREM.

Reservations are required: Call 526-2791 to book your spot-
today!

April 12~ Happy Easter Sunday

Catholic Trivia

Question: In Luke's Gospel, how many lepers did Jesus heal, and how many returned to thank him? Answer: Ten were healed. One returned.



New Offering at OLF

Would you like to light the Living Flame of Our Lady of Fatima Sanctuary Light in reverence and petition for one week?

Offering fee is \$10.00 per week.

Please make your arrangements with the Parish Office at (603) 526-4484 or by email at: parishoffice@OLFIC.org .

Information Needed:

Name: _____

Intention: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Sunday, April 26th



"*Guess Who's Coming to Dinner!*", is an adult Parish wide "community building" event on Sunday, April 26th. Each home that volunteers to be a "host" will have six "guests" that have signed up to attend.

Dinner: 4:30 - 6:30 PM (Main course provided by your host. Guests will offer an appetizer, salad or beverage.

Dessert, coffee and fellowship: 7:00 - 8:00 PM in the OLF Hall

Sign up after Mass or on Flocknote only. [Sign up deadline: Monday, April 13th](#)

Remember: The host does not know who is coming...until the week before.

YOU ARE INVITED !

The Men's of Saint Francis Prayer Group meets on Tuesday morning from 7:15 am to 8:25 am here at Our Lady of Fatima in the Church Hall. We discuss the upcoming Sunday readings. Father Clinton and Deacon Greg are both members of our group. *Won't you please consider joining us?*

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