

Sacred Heart Catholic Church

April 23rd & 24th 2022

2nd Sunday of Easter



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Parish office is open weekdays

8:30 a.m. to 12:00 & 12:30 to 3:00 p.m.

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

Drawing People Closer
to God Through you



Masses:
Tuesday 7 p.m.
Wednesday 9 a.m.
Thursday 7 p.m.
Friday 9 a.m.
Saturday 5 p.m.
Sunday 10 a.m.

Ministries are needed. Would you consider signing up? Call Parish Office.

Weekly Bulletin: Check out Sacred Heart – Edson Facebook and website view our information



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having you as part of our flock



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THE QR CODE**



Masses this week (+Repose); (-Intention)

Monday, April 25th

Tuesday, April 26th 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, April 27th 9a.m.

Thursday, April 28th 7:00 p.m.

Good Friday, April 29th 3p.m.

Saturday, April 30th 5:00 p.m.

If you wish to offer a Mass for a special Intention or for a deceased member, do come into the Office to express your wishes.

Sacrament of Baptism: Preparation Course is required

before a Baptism can take place. You must obtain a long form birth certificate – which has the mother and fathers name on the form from



Government before you celebrate Baptism. If you are going to be a sponsor for the child baptized you must give your Confirmation date. **Next Baptism Preparation Class: To Be Determined.** Call the Parish Office to Register.

Sacrament of the Sick: If you or someone in your

family will be entering hospital for surgery and you wish to receive the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick,



please contact the parish office or pastor. Many of the hospitals do not note a religious affiliation therefore it has to be the family who requests it.

Collection for: April 16th / 17th:

Regular Collection: \$ 2725.70

Building/Maintenance: \$ 300.00

E-Transfer: \$100.00 TWS: \$ 100.00

E-Transfer information:

sacrhear@telus.net

We do have the forms available for debit from your bank account to make things easier. Call the Parish Office for details.



- **For Catholic Education:** That our Catholic schools may be a blessing to families through their work with the young, we pray to the Lord.

Trivia: Why did Jesus have to redeem us on the Cross, of all places?

The Cross on which Jesus, although innocent, was cruelly executed is the place of utmost degradation and abandonment. Christ, our redeemer, chose the Cross so as to bear the guilt of the world and to suffer the pain of the world. So he brought the world back home to God by his perfect love. God could not show his love more forcibly than by allowing himself in the person of the Son to be nailed to the Cross for us. Crucifixion was the most shameful and most horrible method of execution in antiquity. It was forbidden to crucify Roman citizens, whatever crimes they were guilty of. Thereby God entered into the most abysmal sufferings of mankind. Since then, no one can say "God does not know what I am suffering."



During the course of Jesus' revelations to Saint Faustina on the Divine Mercy He asked on numerous occasions that a feast day be dedicated to the Divine Mercy and that this feast be celebrated on the Sunday after Easter. The liturgical texts of that day, the 2nd Sunday of Easter, concern the institution of the Sacrament of Penance, the Tribunal of the Divine Mercy, and are thus already suited to the request of Our Lord. This Feast, which had already been granted to the nation of Poland and been celebrated within Vatican City, was granted to the Universal Church by Pope John Paul II on the occasion of the canonization of Sr. Faustina on 30 April 2000. In a decree dated 23 May 2000, the Congregation for Divine Worship and the Discipline of the Sacraments stated 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 mankind will experience in the years to come." These papal acts represent the highest endorsement that the Church can give to a private revelation, an act of papal infallibility proclaiming the certain sanctity of the mystic, and the granting of a universal feast, as requested by Our Lord to St. Faustina.

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Humour: Did you hear about the country parson who decided to buy himself a horse? The dealer assured him that the one he had selected was the perfect choice. "This here horse," he said, "has lived all his life in a religious atmosphere. So remember that he'll never start if you order 'Giddyap.' You've got to say, 'Praise the Lord.' Likewise, a 'Whoa' will never make him stop. You've got to say, 'Amen.'"

Thus forewarned, the parson paid for the horse, mounted him and with a cheery "Praise the Lord" sent him wandering off in the direction of the parson's parish. Suddenly, however, he noticed that the road ahead had been washed out, leaving a chasm two hundred yards deep. In a panic, he forgot his instructions and cried "Whoa" in vain several times. The horse just cantered on. At the very last moment he remembered to cry "Amen" ... and the horse stopped short at the very brink of the chasm. But alas! That's when the parson, out of force of habit, murmured fervently, "Praise the Lord!"

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

The **Children's Choir** is starting up again. Any children/youth aged 6 and up are welcome to join. Practices will be on Thursdays at 5 - 5:45 p.m. Please contact Eva Kuefler at 780-712-3391 or garva@telusplanet.net to register your child or for more information.

Musicians are needed! Call the church office if you are interested in joining the choir.

Children's Liturgy is in need of teachers. If you would like to sign up to lead Children's Liturgy on Sunday's please call the church office.

Friends for Life banquet has been postponed to a later date.

First Reconciliation will be Tuesday May 10th.

Easter Blessing - Those who wish to have the Easter house blessing, please call the parish office.