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Parish Office Schedule

Monday - Friday by phone: 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Church Building Schedule

Monday - Saturday: 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Sunday: 12:00 PM - 5:00 PM

The church and chapel are the only areas open during these hours.

Mass Schedule

Live-stream on Facebook and homepage stamadison.org, then posted to YouTube

Sunday: 9:00 AM in English; 10:30 AM in Spanish

Monday: Fr. Bart will offer Mass in private

A staff member will post a personal prayer or devotion to Facebook sometime during the day

Tuesday - Saturday: 8:00 AM

Confession

Tuesdays, Thursday, and Saturday: 9:00–10:00 AM

Adoration

Tuesdays, Thursday, and Saturday: 9:00–10:00 AM

Divine Mercy Sunday



Domingo de la Divina Misericordia

Divine Mercy Sunday
April 19, 2020

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19 de abril de 2020



Fr. Bart Timmerman, Pastor

Divine Mercy Sunday, Second Sunday of Easter

The essential celebration of Divine Mercy Sunday consists in the celebration of the liturgy of the Second Sunday of Easter, during which the homily should focus on the scriptural readings of the day. It should be noted that the three cycles of scriptural readings and liturgical prayers are all centered on the forgiveness of sins and God's infinite mercy, which endures forever. In addition, it is necessary that the day publicly be called by its proper name, "Divine Mercy Sunday." Pope St. John Paul II in the year 2000 in his own public announcement during the homily for St. Faustina's canonization, stated: "It is important then that we accept the whole message that comes to us from the word of God on this Second Sunday of Easter, which from now on throughout the Church will be called 'Divine Mercy Sunday.'"

Pope St. John Paul II said that the image of Divine Mercy, which is displayed in our Sanctuary today and in our Prayer Chapel all other days, portrays the Risen Jesus Christ bringing Mercy to the whole world. This image is a gift of parishioners, John and JoAnne Szczepaniuk, who had it shipped from Poland. Our Lord said to St. Faustina: "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. I promise that the soul that will venerate this image will not perish" (Diary 341, 48). Please take time to visit with this Image of The Divine Mercy and venerate Jesus when this pandemic is over.

Jesus told St. Faustina in a private apparition that this Feast of Mercy would be a very special day when "all the divine floodgates through which graces flow are opened" (Diary 699). Jesus promised that "The soul that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion shall obtain the complete forgiveness of sins and punishment" (Diary 699). He went on to say "I want to grant a complete pardon to the souls that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion on the Feast of My Mercy" (Diary 1109).

This plenary indulgence (the complete forgiveness of sins and punishment due to sin) is granted under the usual conditions (sacramental confession, Eucharistic communion and prayer for the intentions of Supreme Pontiff) to the faithful who, on the Second Sunday of Easter or Divine Mercy Sunday, in any church or chapel, in a spirit that is completely detached from the affection for a sin, even a venial sin, take part in the prayers and devotions held in honor of Divine Mercy, or who, in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament exposed or reserved in the tabernacle, recite the Our Father and the Creed, adding a devout prayer to the merciful Lord Jesus (e.g. Merciful Jesus, I trust in you!). It is allowed for one to go to Confession up to about 20 days before or after Divine Mercy Sunday to receive this plenary indulgence.

New Plenary Indulgence Granted During Global Pandemic

Because of the pandemic, anyone who, with "the will to fulfill the usual conditions (sacramental confession, Eucharistic communion and prayer according to the Holy Father's intentions), as soon as possible," recites the Divine Mercy Chaplet with the intention "to implore from Almighty God the end of the epidemic, relief for those who are afflicted and eternal salvation for those whom the Lord has called to Himself," can receive a plenary indulgence each day one does this.

This great news was announced in an official decree from the Apostolic Penitentiary on March 20, 2020.

There are other ways to gain this special plenary indulgence, as well:

The faithful suffering from coronavirus and subject to quarantine by order of the health authority in hospitals or in their own homes, with a spirit detached from any sin, can gain the plenary indulgence if they "unite

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Prayer for Life

May the infinite mercy of our divine Savior reach all who are suffering from participation in abortion, and transform them with His

healing, hope and peace; We pray to the Lord:

Prayer for Justice

May all the imprisoned be treated with compassion and may we advocate for laws that are grounded in God's mercy and forgiveness; We pray to the Lord:



Community Meal Program

This Wednesday April 22, St. Thomas Aquinas parishioners will provide boxed lunches for people at Luke House. If you are signed up for April, please have the following food at the parish by 10 AM that day.

- People who signed up to bring fruit, bread, butter, and dessert will bring what they signed up for.
- Casserole providers will bring 4-6 pounds of ham or turkey lunch meat.
- People signed up to bring salad will bring about 30 slices of cheese for sandwiches
- People signed up to bring salad dressing will bring 20-25 individual serving size bags of chips
- People signed up to bring milk will bring 20-25 individually wrapped string cheeses.

Thank you to everyone for helping Luke House provide a box lunch for people who need it.

Baptism Prep. Sessions and the Baptism Ritual Update



Good news! Baptism Preparation Sessions are still happening and so is the celebration of Baptisms! If you are looking to baptize your first child, please contact Lorianne Aubut at lorianne@stamadison.org to learn how to attend an online Baptism Preparation session.

Regarding the Baptisms: although, the public celebrations of Masses are not being held, Father Bart can still celebrate the ritual of Baptism without a Mass. There are specific guidelines to follow if you choose to baptize your child during these moments of the pandemic. Please contact Lorianne to start the conversation. Praying for all our young families!

Enrich Your Faith on Formed.org

The parish has gifted everyone with a subscription to Formed.org. Consider watching a movie "with" a group of friends, and chatting about it afterwards on the phone! Not yet on Formed.org? It's this easy: Log on to the site, choose "I belong to a parish", type in St. Thomas Aquinas, and register free with only your email address. You will then be signed in automatically anytime you want to watch, listen or read, all as a generous gift from our parish!

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spiritually through the media to the celebration of Holy Mass, the recitation of the Holy Rosary, to the pious practice of the Way of the Cross or other forms of devotion, or if at least they will recite the Creed, the Lord's Prayer and a pious invocation to the Blessed Virgin Mary, offering this trial in a spirit of faith in God and charity towards their brothers and sisters, with the will to fulfill the usual conditions (sacramental confession, Eucharistic communion and prayer according to the Holy Father's intentions), as soon as possible.

Health care workers, family members and all those who, following the example of the Good Samaritan, exposing themselves to the risk of contagion, care for the sick of Coronavirus according to the words of the divine Redeemer: "Greater love has no one than this: to lay down one's life for one's friends" (Jn 15: 13), will obtain the same gift of the Plenary Indulgence under the same conditions.

This Apostolic Penitentiary also willingly grants a Plenary Indulgence under the same conditions on the occasion of the current world epidemic, also to those faithful who offer a visit to the Blessed Sacrament, or Eucharistic adoration, or reading the Holy Scriptures for at least half an hour, or the recitation of the Holy Rosary, or the pious exercise of the Way of the Cross, or the recitation of the Chaplet of Divine Mercy, to implore from Almighty God the end of the epidemic, relief for those who are afflicted and eternal salvation for those whom the Lord has called to Himself.

And here's a crucial concession to us all, in case we can't receive the Anointing of the Sick during this period of pandemic and quarantine:

"The Church prays for those who find themselves unable to receive the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick and of the Viaticum, entrusting each and every one to divine Mercy by virtue of the communion of saints and granting the faithful a Plenary Indulgence on the point of death, provided that they are duly disposed and have recited a few prayers during their lifetime (in this case the Church makes up for the three usual conditions required). For the attainment of this indulgence the use of the crucifix or the cross is recommended (cf. *Enchiridion indulgentiarum*, no.12)."

Pray Along With Us Via Live Stream on our Facebook Page

Our Seminarian, Barry Meinholz will lead us in praying the Chaplet of the Divine Mercy at 3:00 PM on Divine Mercy Sunday. For information on how to pray the Chaplet of the Divine Mercy, please visit www.praydivinemercy.com.

Thank You!

Thank you to all who made my 45th birthday so memorable in the midst of this pandemic! I was deeply touched by the mountain of cards I received, your thoughtful and kind words, the big surprise parade in our parking lot, and your generous gifts. I thought this could be my worst birthday ever, and it actually was one of the most memorable ever. I miss all of you very much and cannot wait until it is safe for us to be together again! I hold you all in my daily prayers and I am so blessed to be your pastor!

Thank You For Your Continued Financial Support of our STA Parish

Thank you to everyone who responded to our letter asking for continued financial support during this time when we cannot gather for public worship. I am most grateful for those who made extra gifts above their already generous weekly support, those who mailed in their gift, those who give automatically, and those who give online. We don't know how long this situation will continue, but you are responding well, and we are doing o.k. with our income. Last Friday we also applied to the Federal Government for a loan to help pay our employees for two months. We will keep you updated on our financial situation in the bulletin. Your support allows us to continue our mission even during this time. Thank you and God bless you for your goodness to our STA Parish!

Mother's 2020 Day Crib Fill

This event may not happen this year due to the Covid 19 virus. But the need for baby items is more critical than ever, so we pray we can go forward. With the lead time for bulletin announcements and the rapidly changing situation of the virus, consider the following to be our tentative plan.

Celebrate Mother's Day with a donation of *new* and *unwrapped* gifts for babies, young children and their mothers. Let's fill the Pack n' Plays in our Gathering Area many times during the **Mother's Day Crib Fill the weekends of May 2-3 and May 9-10**. The St. Thomas Aquinas Respect Life group and our St. Vincent de Paul Conference invite you to support this annual event. What a wonderful way to show love and concern for mothers and their children, especially during these difficult times.

Your special gifts will be distributed to our parish St. Vincent de Paul Conference, Pregnancy Helpline, Elizabeth House and the Women's Care Center, all located in Madison. Next week's bulletin will list suggested items to contribute. If making a monetary donation, please make checks payable to St. Thomas Aquinas and put Crib Fill in the Memo Line.

TOTUS TUUS 2020 Update

Registration for our Summer Camp for Children: Totus Tuus has been postponed. We will not open registration until we hear from our diocese if they will continue their plan for Totus Tuus this summer. We apologize for any inconvenience.



Faith Formation 2019-2020 and First Communion Update

As you know, Faith Formation sessions are not being held at St. Thomas Aquinas due to our current situation with COVID-19. Lorianne will continue to email families updates and resources to use at home for Faith Formation and Sacramental preparation. Please check out those emails and use the resources. Take at least 1 hour a week for Faith Formation and an additional hour for Sacramental Preparation.

Both First Communion rehearsal and retreat have been cancelled. Lorianne will do the best to provide information to practice at home and resources to create an at home-retreat. First Communion Mass is still scheduled for May 3 at 10:00 AM. But if things continue to be the same as now, we will re-schedule First Communion for when we can hold public celebrations of Mass again.



Music with Gayle Westfahl on Facebook

Monday, April 20, at 6:00 PM

Gayle will share music praising God and His Son Jesus through her gift of music. Please join us at [facebook.com/Stamadison](https://www.facebook.com/Stamadison) or [stamadison.org/#facebook](https://www.stamadison.org/#facebook).

Harnessing the Sun:

Caring for Our Common Home

“The Creator does not abandon us; he never forsakes his loving plan or repents of having created us. Humanity still has the ability to work together in building our common home.” Pope Francis, *Laudato Si’* [13]

We are ecstatic to announce that we have begun Phase 1 of our Make Disciples Capital Campaign (MDCC) by installing seventy two 335 watt solar panels on the roof of our Church. The panels were installed in February and became fully operational on March 4. Thank you to the generous households who have participated in our MDCC, who have made this project a reality.

We are able to more fully live out our discipleship, following Jesus by how we live our lives, when we are caring for our common home--our environment. We have a commitment as Catholics to reduce our carbon footprint and to be good stewards of the earth’s resources. Here is some data that using solar energy rather than fossil fuels will have on our parish:

- We will save about 10% on our electric bill annually and lower our carbon footprint by the same percentage.
- The system will pay for itself in just under 13 years and require little to no maintenance.
- The value of the solar-generated energy is an estimated \$3,000 per year.
- Every year the solar electric system will produce the electrical equivalent of 17,260 miles not driven, or 38,750 pounds of coal not burned.

If you would like to monitor our usage of solar power vs energy from the grid, check out our eGauge account at egauge53812.egaug.es/5E331/classic.html. You will see what the solar is producing (green line) and what the building is using (red line). If you click on “View”, then click on “Sleek Kiosk” in the drop down, you can see equivalents of energy savings in number of trees planted, gallons of gas saved, etc. You will see this grow as the system produces more and more energy.

Following is a summary of our costs and anticipated return on investment

- Total project cost: \$52,873
- Grants received: \$10,000 from Solar for Good; \$4,618 from Focus on Energy
- Final cost to the parish: \$38,255
- Estimated annual energy savings: \$3,000
- Return on investment: approximately 13 years

We will be having a special prayer of blessing and social event after the pandemic to thank our MDCC donors, our grantors, SunVest Solar, Inc. (our solar development company) and the installation contractor Endries Solar, LLC. We applaud all you are already doing to care for our common home and hope our solar installation encourages you to consider taking additional steps.



“All of us can cooperate as instruments of God for the care of creation, each according to his or her own culture, experience, involvements and talent.” Pope Francis, *Laudato Si’* [14]

Home Altars

STA families prepare the home altar for Holy Week and Easter

Father Bart requested during his homily on Palm Sunday that families prepare a home altar to greatly celebrate the Paschal celebrations of Holy Week, the Triduum, and Easter! See here some of them prepared by STA families. They prepared them near their televisions or computers to have them close to where they would watch the live-stream of Masses. Some families created their altar by placing a white or purple cloth, their family photo, a statue of Mary, the rosary, a Bible, a Palm, candles, a crucifix, and some with a Mass kit, among other religious items of our faith.

Familias de STA preparan altares domésticos para Semana Santa y Pascua

El Padre Bart pidió en su homilía de Domingo de Ramos que las familias prepararan un altar doméstico para así celebrar más grandiosamente la Pascua, la Semana Santa, el Triduo Pascual, y la época de Pascua. Vean aquí algunos de los altares preparados por las familias de STA. Las familias colocaron estos altares cerca de la televisión o computadora dónde verían las Misas transmitidas en vivo. Las familias crearon sus altares colocando un manto blanco o morado, un rosario, una Biblia, una estatua de la Virgen María, un ramo de palma, un crucifijo, y velas, entre otros objetos religiosos de nuestra fe.



Aquí, la Coronilla de la Divina Misericordia en español:
 ewtn.com/spanish/prayers/misericordia/Coronilla.htm

¡Gracias!

¡Muchas gracias a todos los que hicieron de mi cumpleaños #45 uno grandioso! Estuve muy sorprendido de la montaña de tarjetas que recibí, de sus palabras cariñosas, de la parada sorpresa en el estacionamiento, y por sus generosos regalos. Lo que pensé sería el peor cumpleaños por todo lo que está ocurriendo, se convirtió en uno de los más memorables que tendré en mi vida. ¡Los extraño a todos muchísimo y no puedo esperar el momento en que podamos estar juntos nuevamente! ¡Por favor sepan que están todos en mis oraciones diarias y soy bendecido por simplemente ser su párroco!

Gracias por el continuo apoyo financiero a nuestra parroquia de STA

Muchas gracias a todos los que han respondido a nuestra carta pidiendo por su apoyo financiero durante este tiempo mientras no tenemos la celebración litúrgica públicamente. Estoy más agradecido por todos las donaciones extras que hemos recibido semanalmente, aquellos que han podido enviar su donación por correo, y por aquellos que han dado en línea. No sabemos por cuánto tiempo esto continuará, pero todos están respondiendo tan bien y por eso estamos sólidos en estos momentos con nuestro ingreso. El pasado viernes también pedimos ayuda al Gobierno Federal para poderle pagar a nuestros empleados por los siguientes dos meses. Los mantendremos informados sobre nuestra situación financiera en el boletín parroquial. Su apoyo financiero nos ayuda grandemente en nuestra misión evangelizadora durante estos tiempos. ¡Muchas gracias y que Dios los bendiga por su bondad y generosidad con nuestra parroquia de STA!

Enriquece tu fe con Formed.org

La parroquia le ha otorgado como regalo a todos los feligreses una suscripción a FORMED.ORG Consideren ver una película con amigos o familiares en la computadora o celular. Si todavía no tienes Formed.org sigue estos pasos. Ve a la página Formed.org, escoge individuo y que perteneces a una parroquia, escribe "St. Thomas Aquinas, Madison" y regístrate gratuitamente usando tu dirección de correo electrónico. Después podrás entrar automáticamente en cualquier momento que quieras ver, leer, o escuchar algo en Formed.org Disfruten este regalo de nuestra parroquia!!!

Monthly Envelope and Offertory Income

Actual vs. Budget for March 2020

Budgeted	\$105,024
Actual	\$78,187
Variance Month	(\$26,837)

Fiscal Year to Date Actual vs. Budget (July - March)

Budgeted	\$955,806
Actual	\$921,806
Variance Year to Date	(\$34,000)

Mass Intentions for This Week

Saturday, April 18

8:00 AM Gil Schlimgen ☩

Sunday, April 19: Divine Mercy Sunday or 2nd Sunday of Easter

9:00 AM St. Thomas Aquinas Parishioners

10:30 AM Salud de la familia García, descanso eterno de Jaime Hernández y la salud de Mario Carrillo

Monday, April 20

Private Mass: Im Sun Kim ☩

A staff member will post a personal prayer or devotion to Facebook sometime during the day

Tuesday, April 21: St. Anselm, Bishop & Doctor of the Church

8:00 AM Emil and Bernadine Lauber ☩

Wednesday, April 22: Earth Day

8:00 AM Virginia Southard

Thursday, April 23: St. George, Martyr; St. Adalbert, Bishop and Martyr

8:00 AM Abelardo Rojas ☩

Friday, April 24: St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen, Priest and Martyr; Arbor Day

8:00 AM Familia Mendez Pinedo

Saturday, April 25: St. Mark, Evangelist

8:00 AM Dick Genske ☩

Sunday, April 26: 3rd Sunday of Easter

9:00 AM St. Thomas Aquinas Parishioners

10:30 AM María Felix Juárez, Juana Juárez, Mario Montes, Marcela Hernandez, Concepción Hernandez, Felipe Ponce, y Amanda Hellen ☩

Readings for the Week of April 19

Sunday: Acts 2:42-47/Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24 [1]/1 Pt 1:3-9/Jn 20:19-31

Monday: Acts 4:23-31/Ps 2:1-3, 4-7a, 7b-9 [cf. 11d]/Jn 3:1-8

Tuesday: Acts 4:32-37/Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5 [1a]/Jn 3:7b-15

Wednesday: Acts 5:17-26/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [7a]/Jn 3:16-21

Thursday: Acts 5:27-33/Ps 34:2 and 9, 17-18, 19-20 [7a]/Jn 3:31-36

Friday: Acts 5:34-42/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14 [cf. 4abc]/Jn 6:1-15

Saturday: 1 Pt 5:5b-14/Ps 89:2-3, 6-7, 16-17 [2]/Mk 16:15-20

Next Sunday: Acts 2:14, 22-33/Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11 [11a]/

1 Pt 1:17-21/Lk 24:13-35

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April 4/5

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April 11/12

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Domingo de la Divina Misericordia

19 de abril de 2020

Padre Bart Timmerman, Párroco

Domingo de la Divina Misericordia, Segundo Domingo de Pascua

El Segundo Domingo de Pascua es reconocido esencialmente por ser el Domingo de la Divina Misericordia, todo en la liturgia se enfoca en esa celebración. Existen tres ciclos donde las escrituras, y las oraciones litúrgicas son centradas en el perdón de los pecados y en la infinita misericordia de Dios, la cual dura para siempre. El Santo Papa Juan Pablo II en el 2000 publicó durante su homilía en la canonización de Santa Faustina que: “Es importante que aceptemos el mensaje entero el cual a llegado a nosotros de parte de Dios este segundo Domingo de Pascua, el cual es que llamemos a este día ‘El Domingo de la Divina Misericordia’ en toda la Iglesia.”

El Papa Juan Pablo II dijo que la imagen de la Divina Misericordia presenta a Jesucristo Resucitado derramando la Misericordia al mundo entero. Nuestro Señor le dijo a Faustina: “Quiero que esta imagen sea bendecida solemnemente en el primer Domingo después de Pascua, y quiero que sea venerada públicamente para que cada alma la conozca. Prometo que cada alma que venera esta imagen no morirá” (Diario 341, 48). Por favor tomen este tiempo para estar en la presencia de esta Imagen de la Divina Misericordia y venerar a Jesús cuando esta pandemia se termine.

Nueva Indulgencia Otorgada en este Tiempo durante la Pandemia Global

Debido a la pandemia, cualquiera que tenga “la voluntad en condiciones usuales de recibir la confesión sacramental, la comunión Eucarística, y ore según las intenciones del Santo Padre, lo más pronto que pueda” y recite la Coronilla de la Divina Misericordia con la intención de “implorarle al Dios Todopoderoso por el fin de esta epidemia, consuelo por aquellos afligidos y la salvación eterna de aquellos a quien el Señor ha llamado a Si mismo,” puede recibir una indulgencia plenaria al completar todo esto. Esta gran noticia fue anunciada oficialmente en el Decreto del Penitenciario Apostólico el 20 de marzo de 2020.

Oremos Juntos la Coronilla de la Divina Misericordia transmitida en VIVO por el Facebook de STA

Nuestro seminarista, Barry Meinholz, estará rezando la Coronilla de la Divina Misericordia este domingo, 19 de abril a las 3:00 PM, a ser transmitida en VIVO por nuestro Facebook de STA.

La carta del Padre Bart continúa en la página 5

Misas

Debido a la pandemia del coronavirus, todas las celebraciones públicas de la Misa se han suspendido. De martes a sábado a las 8:00 AM las Misas en inglés serán grabadas en vivo en Facebook.com/Stamadison. El domingo la Misa en inglés a las 9:00 y la Misa en español a las 10:30 serán grabadas en vivo. También las subiremos a nuestro canal de YouTube

(youtube.com/c/StThomasAquinasChurchMadison/) para que las puedan acceder luego.

Confesiones

Martes, jueves, sábado 9:00 - 10:00 AM

Adoración al Santísimo

Martes, jueves, sábado 9:00 - 10:00 AM

El Rosario y el Estudio bíblico

se han suspendido hasta el fin de la pandemia.

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Sacramentos y otros

Para Bautismos, Primera Comunión. Confirmación, Matrimonios y Quinceañeras contacte a Lorianne Aubut. Para la unción de los enfermos contacte a Mary Bailey.

Aviso del Campamento Totus Tuus

El Registro para el Campamento de Verano de niños: Totus Tuus has sido pospuesto. No abriremos el registro hasta que escuchemos de parte de la diócesis si el plan de continuar el campamento con el equipo de Totus Tuus ocurrirá para este verano. Lamentamos cualquier inconveniencia.



Aviso sobre la Catequesis del 2019-2020 y la Primera Comunión

Como ya saben las sesiones de catequesis ya no serán dadas en Santo Tomás de Aquino para este año escolar debido a la situación actual del COVID-19. Lorianne continuará informando a las familias por correo electrónico con nuevos avisos y recursos para continuar la catequesis y preparación sacramental en el hogar. Por favor lean los correos electrónicos y usen los recursos. Tomen al menos una hora en la semana para hacer catequesis en el hogar y otra hora adicional para prepararse para el Sacramento de la Primera Comunión. Ambos, el retiro y la práctica de Primera Comunión han sido canceladas. Lorianne hará todo lo posible para proveer información para que practiquen en casa y para crear un retiro desde el hogar. La Misa de la Primera Comunión sigue en pie para el 3 de mayo a las 10:00 AM. Pero si las cosas continúan como ahora, buscaremos otra fecha diferente para la Primera Comunión; esto será para cuando la Misas se puedan celebrar públicamente nuevamente.

