

THE EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL OF
THE ARCHDIOCESE OF ST. LOUIS PRESENTS

Mercy Healing Services



APRIL 24 - 7:00PM
St. Raphael the Archangel
(South City)
Fr. John Mayo

APRIL 27 - 7:00PM
Mary Mother of the Church
(South County)
Fr. Charles Barthel

The evenings will include Scripture,
prayer, music, Confession, Eucharistic
Adoration and Benediction.



APRIL 2023



Please consider attending the Mercy Healing Service at our parish on April 24! This is a great evening to ask the Lord for his healing graces. We may need these graces for the healing of past sins and hurts in our lives, or to ask for forgiveness from someone, or to seek forgiveness of another.

This Week at St. Raphael

Chaplet of Divine Mercy Novena

We will be praying the Divine Mercy Novena each day this week (Monday-Saturday) immediately following the 7:00am Mass. We will be livestreaming the novena prayers as well as the chaplet each day. This is a beautiful way to prepare for the Great Feast of Mercy next Sunday.

Eucharistic Adoration

We will return to our regular schedule of Eucharistic Adoration on Wednesdays only, from 3:00-9:00pm.

Our Ladies' Club will have its Quarter Auction on Friday evening. Hope to see you there for this evening of fun and great items!

Our parish will also host the Evangelization Workshop for our planning area on Saturday morning. From what I have heard from people who have attended this workshop, it is a very informative and helpful presentation.

At 4:30pm Mass on Saturday, we will mark the Great Feast of Divine Mercy by having Eucharistic Ministers return to Mass to minister the Precious Blood to those who would like to receive from the chalice. This is the first time since the beginning of

the pandemic that we will offer this ministry for our parish.

We are still in need of Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion to minister the chalice! If you are interested, please contact the parish office or fill out the Google Form available from the Flocknote that was sent out.

Parish Rosary Program

Thank you to those who have turned in intention cards to pray the Rosary. There are now 30 people offering 83 Rosaries and 123 Decades each week to be prayed for the intention listed in the bulletin.

This week, our prayer intention will be for the gift of giving and receiving mercy. This intention may be that we seek greater forgiveness from God or from others whom we have hurt. It may also be that we are able to extend forgiveness to someone against whom we have held a grudge.

Would you like to pray with us and see that number of Rosaries increase? If so, please fill out the intention card at the bottom of this page and return it in the Offertory.

I will see you online or in church! - Fr. John
#SRAstrong

Lenten Project Update

We now have \$10,650 for our Lenten Project! Thank you for your amazing generosity!

I want to thank those who have added to our check going to Malawi. We are now planning to send a check for \$6,660 to Malawi, thanks to your generosity. If you would like your gift to go specifically to Malawi, please indicate that on your envelope.

Our Lenten project has also raised \$3,990 for our parish school. Any general gifts to the Lenten Project that are received will go to assist our own school.

We are so grateful for your generosity in helping to pass along our Catholic faith to the next generation through the gift of Catholic Education.

I commit to participating in the
Parish Rosary Program

(Name Optional)

I will pray...

_____ Decade(s)

_____ Rosary(ies)

Every:

_____ Day

_____ Week