

A special invitation for Catholic Converts!

New this year, as part of the RCIA program, we will have a gathering called *Mystagogia* (mist-a-go-jha) - *A deepening of our understandings in the mysteries of our faith and their impact on our lives.* If you are a convert - someone who has come into the Catholic Church as an adult - and would like to share your experiences and journey of faith with other converts and new members of the Church, we would like to invite you to the gathering on **Sunday, April 30** in the parish hall at 6:30 pm. For more information or to RSVP by **April 21** you may contact Desiree Tosatto by email at desireeto2@gmail.com



Celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation There will be special hours available for Confessions on Divine Mercy Sunday, April 23, from 1:00 - 3:00 pm. The Confessional is accessed through the musician's area. You will know if you may enter by noting whether there is a green or red light above the door - enter when the light is green. When you enter, you may stay anonymous or ask the priest to open the screen for face-to-face Confession. You may kneel or sit. Confessions are regularly heard Saturdays at 6:00 pm or by appointment.

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BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL 2017 - PARISH GOAL: \$17, 815.91

BAA Kickoff is the weekend of May 6 & 7.

Envelopes and Brochures will be in the pews next weekend.

Please prayerfully consider your contribution to help the parish reach it's goal.

Any amount of \$\$ over our goal is returned to the parish!

Parish School of Religion As noted, there **WILL BE** PSR classes on April 23 & 30! (We usually have the last Sunday of the month off but with Sundays off for Palm Sunday and Easter Sunday we need the extra Sunday! Both of those Sundays will be service days: K-7 students on April 23 and High School students on April 30. Weather permitting, we will do some outside clean up so kids need to dress appropriately.

We then will have only two more classes in May - May 7 and May 14. *The last day for the Preschool Children's Liturgy of the Word is May 7. Thank you college students staffing Preschool and thank you to ALL our PSR catechists for your dedication to God, Church, and the children of our parish!*

Our children in Grade 2 will be celebrating their First Communion on Saturday, May 13 at 11:00 am We pray for Tyler Stauffer, Deacon Culbertson, Allie Stockert and their families.

Christ the Lord

is Risen Today!

