

+ NOONAN ACADEMY +

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April 2022

April Mass Schedule

April 1	April 8	April 15 No Mass	April 22 No Mass
Mass NEA 10:00	Mass NEA 10:00	Easter Break	Easter Break

My Easter Prayer

Dear Jesus, You are the Lamb of God. You are risen from the dead! Thank You for dying on the cross for me. Thank You for forgiving me of all my sins. Thank you for loving me and for being my good Shepherd. You save me from the evil one. You give me new life. Dear God our Father, through the prayers of our Blessed Mother Mary, may Your Kingdom come, may Your Will be done, on earth, as it is in heaven. Amen.



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Believing
REQUIRES ACTION

*“Silence is
that place
just before the
voice of God.”*

~ JOAN CHITTISTER

*For God so loved the world,
that he gave his only Son,
that whoever believes in
him should not perish but
have eternal life.*

John 3:16



April Saints

April 1st

The feast of St. Hugh of Grenoble. He was a Benedictine and later Bishop of Grenoble, despite his humility and not wanting to be elevated to that title. St. Hugh was patron and benefactor of St. Bruno, founder of the Carthusian Order.

April 2nd

The feast of St. Francis of Paola. He was the founder of the Order of the Hermits of St. Francis, called the Minims, which means the *Least*. He died on Good Friday when he was 91 years old and canonized 12 years after his death.

April 3rd

The feast of St. Benedict the African. His parents, Christopher and Diana, were slaves who had been taken from Africa to Sicily. Scorned and mocked by others due to his origin and skin, he retained a natural cheerfulness. Benedict gave away what little he had and joined the Franciscan hermits near Palermo.

April 4th

The feast of St. Isidore of Seville. He was a bishop and Doctor of the Universal Church whose three brothers were also saints. St. Isidore succeeded his brother, St. Leander, as Bishop of Seville and ruled there for forty years.

April 5th

The feast of St. Vincent Ferrer, one of the greatest saints of the Dominican Order. He had the gift of tongues, speaking in his own language, others understood him in theirs. St. Vincent raised 40 persons from the dead, cured thousands of the blind, lame, deaf and dumb. Because he worked so hard to build up the Church and end the Western Schism, St. Vincent is the patron of builders and construction workers.



EVERY CHILD CAN LEARN



JUST NOT IN THE SAME WAY

*The Lord is the
strength of my life*

PSALM 27:1

The Shrine of Christ's Passion is open to the public and it is free – something to consider during Lent, Holy Week, or Easter break.

New additions to the Shrine include...

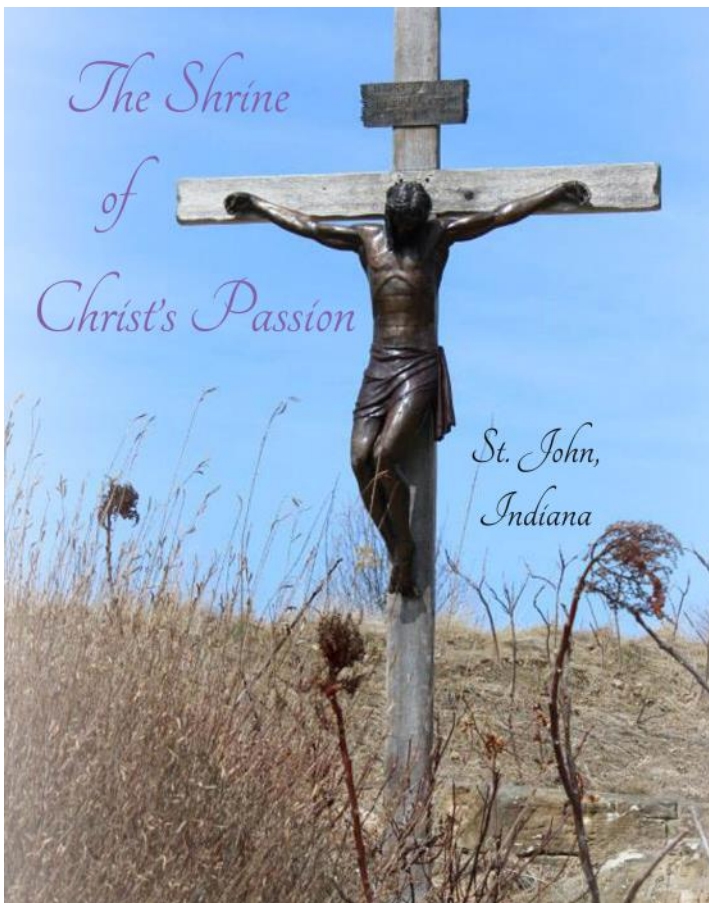
Our Lady of the New Millennium (The Shrine was selected as the permanent home for Our Lady of the Millennium.)

Moses and Mount Sinai

Our Lady of Guadalupe Plaza—Coming Soon.

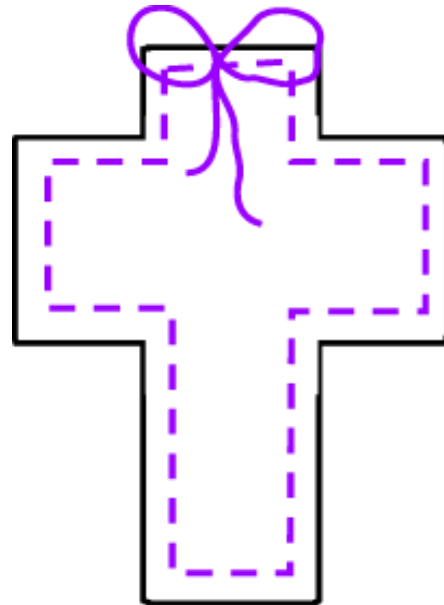
For additional information regarding the shrine, please visit their website at...

<http://shrineofchristspassion.org>



I begin to understand as
never before that holiness is
made of dailiness, of living
life as it comes to me, not as I
insist it be

Joan D Chittister



Cross:

Lace with a running stitch or a blanket stitch around the outside of the cross. Tie a bow at the top or bottom. Purple wool or ribbon would be nice - but any spring color would work.

You can write a message such as 'Jesus Lives' inside the cross or print the name of a loved one you're praying for on it.

Regional Science Fair Winners

Noonan sent eight science fair students to the IJAS Region 11 Science Fair held at the University of St. Francis on March 11, 2022. These 7th and 8th grade students advanced to the regional competition after competing against their peers on January 26th & 27th. At the regional level there are four levels of achievement: participation, bronze, silver, and gold, with gold being the highest. Each project is judged against a rubric and awarded accordingly.

The following student took home Silver at the fair: Ishaan Patel (8th grade).

The following students took home Gold at the fair: Annie Villasenor (8th grade), Aidan Villasenor (8th grade), Michael Yep (8th grade), Claire Horner (8th grade), Riyaa Jain (8th grade), Maya Krutul (7th grade), and Melanie Hague (7th grade).

Annie Villasenor took home the Best in Category Award for Consumer Science.

The following Noonan Academy students will go on to compete at the Illinois State Science Fair competition at The Peoria Civic Center in Peoria on April 23, 2022: Annie Villasenor (8th grade), Aidan Villasenor (8th grade), Michael Yep (8th grade), Claire Horner (8th grade), Riyaa Jain (8th grade), Maya Krutul (7th grade), and Melanie Hague (7th grade).



Divine Mercy Sunday - The Sunday after Easter

From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia

Divine Mercy Sunday is celebrated on the Sunday after [Easter](#), the [Octave of Easter](#), observed by [Roman Catholic](#), as well as some [Anglicans](#). It is originally based on the [Catholic devotion](#) to the [Divine Mercy](#) that Saint [Faustina Kowalska](#) reported as part of her encounter with Jesus, and is associated with special promises from Jesus and [indulgences](#) issued by the Church.

The feast of [Divine Mercy](#), as recorded in the diary of Saint Faustina, receives from Jesus Himself the biggest promises of Grace related to the Devotion of Divine Mercy. In specific, Jesus states that the soul that goes to [Sacramental Confession](#) (the confession may take place some days before), and receives Holy [Eucharistic Communion](#) on that day, shall obtain the total forgiveness of all sins and punishment. That means each person would go immediately after [death](#) to the [heaven](#), without suffering in [purgatory](#) (or [hell](#)). Additionally, the Roman Catholic Church grants a plenary indulgence (observing the usual rules) with the recitation of some simple prayers.

Chaplet of Divine Mercy

From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia

The **Chaplet of the [Divine Mercy](#)** is a Christian devotion, based on the visions of [Jesus](#) reported by [Saint Mary Faustina Kowalska](#) (1905-1938), known as "*the Apostle of Mercy*." She was a [Polish sister](#) of the [Congregation of the Sisters of Our Lady of Mercy](#) and [canonized](#) as a Catholic saint in 2000.

Faustina stated that she received the prayer through visions and conversations with Jesus, who made specific promises regarding the recitation of the prayers. Her Vatican biography quotes some of these conversations.

As a [Roman Catholic devotion](#), the [chaplet](#) is often said as a [rosary-based prayer](#) with the same set of [rosary](#) beads used for reciting the Holy Rosary or the [Chaplet of Holy Wounds](#), in the Roman Catholic Church. As an [Anglican devotion](#), The Divine Mercy Society of the Anglican Church states that the chaplet can also be recited on [Anglican prayer beads](#). The chaplet may also be said without beads, usually by counting prayers on the fingertips, and may be accompanied by the veneration of the [Divine Mercy image](#).

The Chaplet of the Divine Mercy

The pale ray stands for the Water which makes souls righteous. The red ray stands for the Blood which is the life of souls.

On rosary beads First say one:
'Our Father'..., 'Hail Mary'...and 'the Creed'...

Then on Our Father beads say:
'Eternal Father, I offer You the Body and the Blood, Soul and Divinity of Your dearly beloved Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, in atonement for our sins and those of the whole world.'

On the Hail Mary beads say:
'For the sake of His sorrowful Passion, have mercy on us and on the whole world.'

In conclusion say three times:
'Holy God, Holy Mighty One, Holy Immortal One, have mercy on us and on the whole world.'

'O Blood and Water, which gushed forth from the Heart of Jesus as a fount of mercy for us, I trust in you!'

Say this Chaplet at 3 o'clock, if possible.
For more cards: Phone or Fax
707-546-4700 or e-mail
divnmercyeam@sbcglobal.net
www.DivineMercyTeam.org



The original [Painting of Divine Mercy](#) by Eugeniusz Kazimirowski, painted in 1934 in Vilnius under the guidance of Saint [Mary Faustina Kowalska](#).

<http://www.divinemercyteam.org>



April Birthdays

*May God bless our students
that have an April birthday.*



Income Tax Alert School Deduction

We have been advised by our accountants for you to use the following procedure when filing for your school tuition deduction.

Green Pines Academy
Our corporate name as of
January 2001
and our
FEIN # 36-4416591.



Summer Camp

Remember the Academy does not have a summer camp program. An alternative for preschool aged children would be the Bobbie Noonan Child Care facilities. The local locations are: Frankfort – 8717 West Lincoln Hwy (815) 469-2627; and Tinley II – 17051 Grissom Drive (708) 532-5566. They also have locations in Homer Glen, Joliet, Lockport, Palos Hills, and Worth/Alsip. For older children, Camp Manitoqua in Frankfort (815) 469-2319 would be an excellent choice.

Remember, many of these camps fill up quick, so please make arrangements on a timely basis.

Nearly New Resale Shop is MOVING

Our Mission is to provide moral and financial support to Noonan Elementary Academy where tomorrow's leaders are being spiritually and morally formed in the Catholic faith. Support Nearly New Resale with your donations and purchases at our store located at 9995 W. Lincoln Highway, Frankfort, IL. 60423.

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**VISIT US AT OUR NEW
LOCATION STARTING ON
MONDAY, APRIL 25th
9628 Willow Road, Mokena
(LaGrange Rd. & 195th Street)**

Remember us when you are doing your
Spring cleaning!



3rd Quarter Honor Roll - 2021- 2022



Mrs. Kimak
5th Grade
Gold Honor Roll
 Ella Dahlman
 Antonio Gutierrez de Velasco
 Genevieve McCarty
 Ryleigh McQuillan
 Ashika Patel
 Raymond Sikora
 Reid Sikora
 Jorja So

Mrs. Kimak
Silver Honor Roll
 Christopher Adduci
 Daniel Ajiere
 Ryder Doty
 Kacper Rzadkosz
 Noah Sweis
 Mariano Valentini

Mr. Evers
6th Grade
Gold Honor Roll
 Billy Cortese
 Savannah Lacsam
 Mark Simon
 Jillian So
 Madeline Teague

Mr. Evers
Silver Honor Roll
 Addison Armon
 Mya Biddings
 Mya Dennehy
 Trevor Dusek
 Desmond Gill
 Riley Horgan
 Samantha Lacsam
 Miley Nguyen

Mrs. Antoniolfi
7th Grade
Gold Honor Roll
 Kyra Bryk
 Vicki Crotty
 Mikaylee Ficht
 Annabelle Frieh
 Maya Krutul

Mrs. Antoniolfi
Silver Honor Roll
 Wyatt Aceves
 Jacob Bader
 John Bader
 Carina Diorio
 Noelle Dunn
 Rachel Dunn
 Gabrielle Falls
 Melanie Hague
 Jenna Hoang
 Rylin Hudek
 Klarke Mosby
 Kyra Noonan
 Sophia Valentini

Mrs. Gray
8th Grade
Gold Honor Roll
 Bryce Christian
 Colin Hearn
 Ishaan Patel
 Maggie Simon
 Jameson So

Mrs. Gray
Silver Honor Roll
 Dominic Adduci
 Steven Armbruster
 Angelina Buss
 Kennidie Byrdak
 Emma Gutierrez de Velasco
 Carrie Hudek
 Marissa Lacny
 Michael Yep

Mr. Gianotti
8th Grade
Gold Honor Roll
 Claire Horner
 Riyaa Jain
 Konstantinos Karnezis
 Julia McCarty
 Annie Villasenor
 Aidan Villasenor

Mr. Gianotti
Silver Honor Roll
 Hilton Garrett
 Riley Kearns
 Amelia Teague

April 2022

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Week 33 ALL SCHOOL LUNCHESES ARE SERVED WITH A FRUIT, VEGETABLE, AND DRINK.					1 Cheese Sandwich	2
3 Week 34	4 Chicken Nuggets SAT Testing (K, 1st, 3rd, 5th, 7th)	5 Turkey Sandwich SAT Testing (K, 1st, 3rd, 5th, 7th)	6 Meatloaf SAT Testing (K, 1st, 3rd, 5th, 7th)	7 Pizza Thursday SAT Testing (K, 1st, 3rd, 5th, 7th)	8 Meatless Spaghetti Mass at NEA - 10:00 9-45 Stations of the Cross SAT Testing (K, 1st, 3rd, 5th, 7th)	9
10 Week 35 Palm Sunday National Volunteer Week April 10-16	11 Taco Salad	12 Turkey Sandwich	13 Beef Stew	14 Holy Thursday Building Closed No School No Daycare Staff In-service Day Closed	15 Good Friday Building Closed No School No Daycare Closed	16 Holy Saturday
17 Week 36 Easter Sunday	18 Easter Break No School No Daycare Closed	19 Easter Break No School No Daycare Closed	20 Easter Break No School No Daycare Closed	21 Easter Break No School No Daycare Closed	22 Easter Break No School No Daycare Closed	23
24 Week 37 Divine Mercy Sunday	25 Beef Stew School Resumes Progress Reports	26 Turkey Sandwich Athletic Banquet	27 Pulled Pork	28 Chicken Veg. Soup	29 Cheese Sandwich Mass at NEA - 10:00	30 Spring Programs 9:00 Nursery & PreK 10:00 1st - 4th