

## Public Masses Return to Divine Mercy Parish

### Weekend Mass Schedule Begin May 23 & 24

Saturday---4:30 PM @ SHJ

Sunday----10:00 AM @ SAP

**We will continue to live-stream the 4:30 PM Mass on Saturday night at Sacred Heart.**

### Weekday Mass Schedule---Beginning May 26

Tuesday---6:00 PM @ St. Anthony

Wednesday---6:00 PM @ Sacred Heart

**Please, please** stay home if you are 65 and older or if you are in the high risk category:

Per the CDC, "at-risk" health conditions include but are not limited to: High blood pressure, chronic lung disease, diabetes, severe obesity, asthma, those whose immune system is compromised such as by chemotherapy for cancer and other conditions requiring such therapy---*Catholic Diocese of Evansville, May 7, 2020*. This also applies to anyone who might be uncomfortable with attending church at this time.

**Bishop Siegel has extended the dispensation from the obligation to attend Mass until August 15 for all Catholics in our Diocese.**

**Face Masks are required:** Face Masks must be worn from the time you arrive on parish property until you return to your car. Only exception is when you receive Holy Communion. Masks are available at the church entrance for those who do not have their own.

**Church Entrance:** Only one entrance (Handicapped) may be used to enter church.

**Maximum Capacity:** We are mandated to abide by social distancing, so pews will be marked off. Ushers will escort you to your pew. Seating will be very limited and will be assigned front to back. Personal preference for seating will not be possible. Folks will necessarily be turned away when we meet the maximum capacity. No seating is available upstairs.

**Sanitizer:** Please sanitize before you enter church and immediately as you leave. Bring your own sanitizer if at all possible. Sanitizer will be available at the entrance for those in need.

**Missalettes:** All missalettes have been removed from church as they would be difficult to sanitize after each use.

**Communion:** It is highly encouraged and expected for you receive the Body of Christ in your hand. To receive Communion, make a cup with your hands, the minister will gently drop the host into your hand.

Lower your mask, consume the host and raise your mask before returning to your pew. Communion from the Cup is not available. The greeting of peace will continue to be omitted and holy water fonts empty.

**Ministry Schedule:** Please disregard as only a few appointed ministers will be needed.

**Collection/Bulletins:** Collection Baskets for offerings and envelopes will be available at the church entrances as you leave Mass. There will be no collection at offertory time. Bulletins will also be available as you leave.

**Music:** Only one musician and song leader is permitted.

**No social gathering:** Due to social distancing protocols, visiting or congregating on parish grounds is not permitted before or after Mass.

For future reference, all this information will be available on our Facebook page and on our Website.