

## **IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT**

Until further notice and beginning on **Wednesday, June 3, 2020**, Divine Mercy Parish will offer the following:

### **From Bishop David Zubik:**

As we prepare to open up our churches first for the daily celebration of Mass and then the weekend Masses beginning June 6-7, please know how much I appreciate your wading through all the complexities of this transition, especially as each parish is at a different spot on the timeline. On our diocesan website, there is a video...to help our faithful realize that not every parish will be able to open up their churches on the allowable dates. I asked our parishioners to be patient as each of you works out your individual plans for Mass and/or for the distribution of Holy Communion. Please know that you have my support as you work through the careful details both liturgically and environmentally to welcome our folks back. One of the items that we are adding to the "Moving Forward Together" workbook addresses the distribution of Holy Communion outside of Mass.

### **From Divine Mercy Parish:**

Due to limited resources, the unique nature and make up of our Parish, and the need to follow the rules and regulations put forth in Bishop Zubik's recent document, **Divine Mercy Parish will not be open for public celebration of mass or personal prayer for the time being.** We will continue to study this on a daily basis, with the ardent desire to open for mass and prayer in all three of our Churches very soon.

### **Until Further Notice, Divine Mercy Parish will offer the following...**

**Everyday: Mass livestreamed from Divine Mercy Parish at Noon.**

**([www.divinemercypgh.org](http://www.divinemercypgh.org))**

**Everyday: Distribution of Holy Communion from Divine Mercy Parish, 164 Washington Place, lower parking lot, from 1:00pm to 1:30pm (including Sunday)**

**Monday and Friday, Confessions available from Divine Mercy Parish, 164 Washington Place, upper parking lot, from 2:00pm to 3:00pm**

As we continue to meet the needs of the people in our parish boundaries, please know that we will continue to offer our regular distribution of food for those in need at both the St. Benedict the Moor and St. Mary of Mercy locations. If you or someone you know is in need of lunch or dinner, please come to the Red Door Monday through Saturday at 10:30am and Monday through Friday at 5:00pm where Fr. Freedy, Fr. Donley, and the Sisters of the Merciful Jesus are happy to help. We will also continue to distribute clothing on Fridays at 10:30am.