

WELCOME AND PRAYER TO OUR LADY

Retreatant's Handout

WELCOME to the Shrine of Divine Mercy here in Krakow-Łagiewniki, Poland!

Thank you so much for going online and deciding to participate in this Divine Mercy Faustinum Retreat here at the Shrine of Divine Mercy.

Some links:

Virtual Walk - Faustinum offices: <https://www.faustinum.pl/en/virtual-walk/>

Faustinum English website: <https://www.faustinum.pl/en/en-2/>

Faustinum English YouTube Channel:

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC3_QVM8a6v2LcZa8k-9DTKA

Let us entrust to Our Lady this whole retreat.

Let us also pray for each other, for Fr. Jason Jones who will be leading us, and let us also pray for the whole world, the Church, our loved ones, and all the intentions we hold in our hearts.

PRAYER TO OUR LADY

The Memorare. Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to thy protection, implored thy help, or sought thine intercession was left unaided. Inspired by this confidence, I fly unto thee, O Virgin of virgins, my mother; to thee do I come, before thee I stand, sinful and sorrowful. O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not my petitions, but in thy mercy hear and answer me.

Mary, Mother of Mercy, obtain mercy for us from your Son.

Together with Sister Faustina, we pray:

“O, Mary, Mother of mine, I humbly beg You, at this important moment of my life cover my soul with Your virgin cloak, to make me all the more pleasing to Your Son, so that I can worthily praise Your Son's mercy before the whole world and for all eternity” (Diary, 220).

OPENING REMARKS TO THE RETREAT - Fr. Jason Jones

Why a retreat, what disposition of heart do we need....

For Reflection

Scripture passage: Mt 4:21

And going on from there he saw two other brothers, James the son of Zebedee and John his brother, in the boat with Zebedee their father, mending their nets, and he called them.