

Divine Mercy Parish

Mass Schedule for the Week of February 9, 2025

- B		Monday, February 10, 2025		
7:30 AM	DM	For All Those Remembered In Our Memorial Fund		
6-6:30 PM	DM	Confessions		
		Tuesday, February 11, 2025		
7:30 AM	DM	William Treshock by Lisa & Leslie Gilroy		
		Wednesday, February 12, 2025		
7:30 AM	DM	Anne Spaar by Son, Jason		
1-4 PM	Chapel	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament		
		Thursday, February 13, 2025		
7:30 AM	DM	Living & Deceased Members of Divine Mercy Parish		
		Friday, February 14, 2025		
7:30 AM	DM	Jack Wright by Charlotte & Dave Kriner		
		Saturday, February 15, 2025		
3:40PM	DM	Divine Mercy Chaplet		
4:00 PM	DM	Joseph Heiler by Wife, Bonnie		
		Sunday, February 16, 2025		
7:30 AM	DM	Christine Goodrich Uholik by Brothers, Paul & Joseph, Mary		
7.50 AM	DIVI	& Lana Uholik & Kris Backer & Sage & Uholik Family		
9:40 AM	DM	Divine Mercy Chaplet		
10:00 AM	DM	Rittle & Dziadosz Families by Cindy Tancredi		
12:30 PM	\mathbf{DM}	Living & Deceased Priests – Diocese of Allentown		
En Espanol	!	· ·		

An Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive you into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

Prayer to St. Michael the Archangel

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan, and all the evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen

Prayer to Your Guardian Angel Angel of God, my guardian dear, To whom God's love Commits me here, Ever this day, be at my side, To light and guard, Rule and guide. Amen.

Prayer for Our Country Our Lady of the Immaculate Conception, Patroness of America, please help our country. Help us to return to what is decent, right and proper. Help us to return to respect for ourselves and others, into truth in dealing with ourselves and others, to self-control and self-discipline and, especially, to a deep love for your Son and his teachings. Protect us from those who would destroy us from within. Our Lady, we place ourselves and our country under your mantel. Pray for us and help us. Amen.

Important Phone Numbers

Divine Mercy Pre K Sister Patricia Maureen Mount, IHM

570-462-3927 Divine Mercy PREP Sister Mary Glackin, IHM 1-484-888-1358

Divine Mercy Chaplet

When: Every 1st Sunday of the

month

Time: 3:00 PM

Where: St. Teresa of Calcutta Parish,

Mahanoy City

Divine Mercy Collection

2/2 - \$7,901.00

Tax Time is approaching us very quickly. Need a copy of your contribution sheet? Again, this year we will not be mailing out the contribution sheets to every parishioner of our parish. Therefore, if you would like a copy for tax purposes, it is necessary for you to call the parish office at 462-1968 in a request for your contribution sheet for 2024. We will mail this sheet directly to you.

Help Catholics Come Home

Do you know someone who was baptized Catholic but has stopped attending Mass, is questioning the faith, or hasn't found a parish home? Why not help your friend to come home? Perhaps you can act as a resource or offer to attend Mass together. If you aren't sure how to help, ask your pastor or priest for advice.

Do You Receive Church Envelopes?

If you are not receiving church envelopes and would like to be put on the list, please contact the parish office at 462-1968. Thank you.



Divine Mercy Memorial Fund	
Loving memory of Diane M. Kalyan	

\$20 Husband, Ron & family

Dorothy Setcavage

\$50 Ray Wisniewski

\$10 Bauser family – Eve, Helen &

Jane

\$10 Walukiewicz Oravitz Fell F. H.

Inc.

\$10 Dan & Diane Monlish

\$10 Peter Ulicny **Joan Grabosky**

\$10 Roseanne Makarczyk

Special intentions \$5 Anonymous

Father Walter Ciszek Memorial Fund Charlotte & Louis Kowalski Sr.

\$10 Daughter, Kathy **Dorothy Setcavage**\$10 Ann Romano
\$5 Dolores Gallo

Office Closed

The Parish Office will be closed on Monday, February 17th in observance of Presidents' Day. The office will reopen on Tuesday, February 18th at 8:30 AM.

You may schedule additional Masses for 2025

and book is open to non-parishioners. The Diocesan Mass Stipend is set at \$10.00.

St. Joseph Center for Special Learning

is making a Joyful Noise! We are participating in the MAKE A JOYFUL NOISE, an online lip dubbing competition to raise funds for our Catholic schools in the Diocese of Allentown, and SJC needs your help!

www.weloveourcatholicschools.com to see SJC celebrate the spirit and joy of Catholic education. Please dance, sing, and VOTE by February 23rd! All voting proceeds benefit our school. Thanks for making St. Joseph Center for Special Learning a winner!



Devotional Candles

Divine Mercy

Sanctuary In memory of my beloved Parents & Sister, Angelo & Enrica &

Jean Romano by Ann Romano

Blessed Mother Continued good health for Hunter Zellin and Larry Dettery by

family

St. Ann Special intentions by Marguerite Oravitz Fell & family

St. Joseph In honor, praise & thanksgiving

St. Joseph In loving memory of Hank Faleski by Wife, Julie

OLMC Special intention for John Kelly family

OLMC Special intentions, prayers & good health for Fran Macus by

Dorothy & Romolo

OLMC In loving memory of Marie (Nasuti) Scislaw by Phyllis & Robert

Shumski

OLMC Special intentions by Ann Marnell Lehman

Mother of God God's healing hands for a successful surgery for Marty Bzura by

Meg, Ang, Reggie, Brianna, Jack & Jackie

St. Casimir

Sanctuary

Divine Mercy

Our special intentions by Karen & Leo Kayes

Special intentions by Louis & Donna Kowalski

In memory of John & Helen Pukavige by children

Good health & God's blessings for Liz & Janice

Divine Mercy Prayers & good health for J.M., S.M., M.S., Z.S., A.M., T.S., G.M.,

L.B., J.B., C.M, R.G. & G.M.

Blessed Mother In loving memory of Joe & Joestelle by wife & mother

Blessed Mother In loving memory of my Mom & Dad, Kitty & Leo Breznik by

Son, Mickey

Blessed Mother Special intentions by Joan Madaffari

Blessed Mother In loving remembrance of Charlotte Kowalski on her 100th

birthday in heaven 2/11 by Daughter, Kathy

Blessed Mother Special intentions by Pat

Blessed Mother Good health & God's blessings for Sue Pierce by Peg McGuire

Blessed Mother In loving memory of John McGuire by Wife, Peg

Blessed Mother To four of my great friends who are gone and sadly missed, Tally,

Lenny, Poochie & Puff... hang on, I am bringing the Thunderbird

and we will celebrate the good times by Gene

Blessed Mother In memory of Anna Majewski on her birthday by Son, Albert

Blessed Mother Our special intentions by Karen & Leo Kayes Sacred Heart Our special intentions by Karen & Leo Kayes

Sacred Heart In loving memory of my Dad, George Rittle by Daughter, Maria

Sacred Heart Special intentions by Pat

Sacred Heart Special intentions by Mary Kufro

Chapel

Sanctuary In memory of Gino Bruni by wife & family

Blessed Mother Prayers & good health for Emily Seigel by Uncle Ed & Aunt Kerri

St. Joseph Special intentions by Msgr. B

Feast of the Presentation Candles will be available after Masses, and also at the parish office. Candles are for home use - **All Blessed Candles \$ 4.00 - two candles per box.**



Profit.....\$11,525.86

Thank you to everyone who worked so hard at our fall food sale and to those who supported our Parish. It is greatly appreciated.

A New Group for Divine Mercy Parish

A few parishioners would like to form a group dedicated to spreading devotion to Divine Mercy. Various groups called Cenacles are active throughout the U.S. and the world. The Eucharistic Apostles of Divine Mercy (EADM) is a lay Apostolate of the Marians of the Immaculate Conception based in Stockbridge, Massachusetts. The ministry promotes the Divine Mercy Message as given to St. Faustina Kowalska, prayer for the sick & dying, the Real Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist, pro-life, and more. There will be an organizational meeting for those wishing to learn more about the message of Divine Mercy Cenacle on Thursday, February 13th at 6:30 PM at the Fr. Ciszek Center. All are invited and encouraged to attend if you want to learn more about this devotion. Any questions, please contact Barbara Pukavige 570-789-4926 or Virginia 570-205-9417.



Bautismos Todos están invitados a bautizar a sus hijos. Aún si usted no está casado en la Iglesia se puede bautizar a su bebé. Sin embargo, le pedimos que seleccione una pareja que se casó en la Iglesia Católica para ser sus padrinos. Si un padrino / madrina es una persona soltera, él / ella puede convertirse en una condición de que, esa persona ha recibido el bautismo. Por favor, tenga en cuenta que una pareja, civilmente casada o una persona que vive junto a otra persona como una pareja no está calificada para ser un padrino/madrina. Si son de fuera de nuestra parroquia, por favor, diles de obtener un certificado de elegibilidad de su pastor al menos dos semanas de anticipación. Padre llevará a cabo clases de bautismo, tanto para los padres y padrinos y administrar el rito del bautismo. Por favor, visite la oficina parroquia(108 W.Cherry St., Shenandoah. Teléfono 570 (4621968) para reservar fechas y rellenar formularios. El proceso es muy fácil.

Food Truck Again at Divine Mercy Parish

Catholic Charities' Community Café Food Truck will be on site at the Divine Mercy Church Parish parking lot on Thursday, February 27th from Noon to 1:30 PM. All are welcome to join us for a complimentary hot lunch! Meet Catholic Charities' staff and volunteers and enjoy a delicious meal! The food truck will be visiting Divine Mercy each month, so keep an eye out for further dates. If you are interested in volunteering to help with the food truck ministry, please contact Pam Russo at prusso@allentowndiocese.org or 610-871-5200, ext. 2204. Anyone is welcome to come and receive a free meal No questions asked or no payment or donation is requested.

Divine Mercy Fundraiser Krispy Kreme Donut Sale



This year our parish will try a new fundraiser, Krispy Kreme Donuts

Name: P	Phone :	
I would like the following:		
Glazed Donut – these come in dozen s	<u>ize</u> only Price: \$12.00	
Following come in half dozen size only:		
	Price: \$9.00 each	
Cannot mix flavors to make the half dozen Chocolate Iced Glazed	Price: \$9.00 each	
Cannot mix flavors to make the half dozen	Price: \$9.00 each	
Cannot mix flavors to make the half dozen Chocolate Iced Glazed	Price: \$9.00 each	

Please enclose money with order

Date of Pickup: Wednesday, March 12th

Time: 4:30 to 6:30 PM

Where: Trinity School Deadline for orders: Monday, March 3rd

AshWednesday Mass Schedule will be as follows: 3/5 7:30 AM Divine Mercy

12:30 PM Divine Mercy 5:30 PM Divine Mercy





Wednesday,

Lenten Day of Prayer Wednesday, March 12th 8:15 AM to 6:00 PM - Chapel

Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus - Philippians 4:6-7

"God speaks in the silence of the heart. Listening is the beginning of prayer." – *Mother Teresa*

• 8:15 AM to 6:00 PM - Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament & Adoration in Chapel

Sign in sheets will be available in the vestibule closer to our Lenten Day of Prayer

Diocesan Information If a Prenatal Diagnosis is Poor...You are not alone. There is help. The

Diocese of Allentown has a network of concerned parents and professionals who have experienced or worked closely with issues surrounding poor prenatal diagnosis. For support, contact: Sr. Janice MarieJohnson,. Johnson@allentown diocese.org or 610-289-8900 x 245.

Victim Assistance Coordinator The

Diocese of Allentown provides assistance to anyone who, as a minor, was sexually abused by a priest, deacon, or employee/volunteer of the Diocese/Parish. Parents, guardians, children and survivors of sexual abuse are invited and encouraged to contact the Diocese of Allentown for more information about this program. The fullness of compassion should be extended to these victims by the Church. Victim Assistance Coordinator—Direct Telephone Number: 1-800-791-9209. To learn more about the Diocese of Allentown's Youth Protection Programs,

Attention all Safe Environment Coordinators!

Sexual Abuse Policy, and Code of

www.allentowndiocese.org and click on

"Youth Protection" in the upper right

Conduct, please visit

hand- corner of the page.

Mandated reporter trainings and Protecting God's Children Workshops will now be available virtually. If you are interested, please contact Pam Russo Secretary, Youth Protection and Catholic Human Services

P.O. Box F, Allentown, PA 18105-1538 610-871-5200 ext. 2204

prusso@allentowndiocese.org

Catholic Bishop Abuse Reporting Service

If you have an allegation of abuse against a bishop, please contact the Catholic Bishop Abuse Reporting Service at www.ReportBishopAbuse.org or by calling 800-276-1562

Servicio de Denuncia de Abusos de Obispos Católicos

Si tiene una denuncia de abuso contra un 5bispo, comuníquese con el Servicio de Denuncias de Abuso de Obispos Católicos en

www.ReportBishopAbuse.org o llamando al 800-276-1562

WEEKLY MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR FEBRUARY 15TH & 16TH

Mass Time	Lector	Eucharistic Minister	Altar Server
4:00 PM @	Maskornick, Sherri	Straka,Paul	Hernandez,Omar
DM			Arias,Paco Jesus
7:30 AM @	Grochowski, Jennifer	Selvocki, Joseph	Snitzer,Isabella
DM			
10:00 AM @	Twardzik,Joann	Domkus,Frances	Estrada, Jose & Caesar
DM			

Forgiveness is a Gift for You

Right or wrong, when we hold onto an injury, we get trapped in the pain of it indefinitely. Forgiving frees us to move on. Forgiveness is something we do for ourselves: **Start with a sign**. Even if you are the one injured, let the other person know you are ready to forgive by offering something tangible: flowers, a card, a hug. "Come now, let us set things right, says the Lord" (Isaiah 1:18). **Separate the offense from the offender**. God doesn't abandon us when we sin. He loves us no matter what and asks that we do the same for each other. **Forgive and forget**. You can't have one without the other. Forgiveness entails cancelling a debt, whether by God or another person. "(Love) does not brood over injury, it does not rejoice over wrongdoing but rejoices with the truth. It bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things ..." (1 Corinthians 13:5-8).

Trusting God in Unexpected Moments

Imagine you're at a wedding celebration for your friends. The atmosphere is lively, the music is playing, and everyone is enjoying themselves—until you overhear a troubling conversation. The kitchen has run out of wine. Due to an oversight, the caterers didn't bring enough, and with all the stores closed, the situation seems hopeless. What now?

"They have no wine" (John 2:3). Moments of crisis can catch us off guard, but they don't have to shake us. When Mary encountered this dilemma at the wedding in Cana, she didn't panic or place blame. Instead, she turned to the one she knew could help—her Son, Jesus. With confidence, she simply informed Him of the need, trusting fully in His ability to provide.

"Do whatever He tells you" (John 2:5). These profound words, Mary's last recorded in Scripture, offer us a powerful lesson. When we bring our problems to God, He often invites us to be part of the solution. Trusting Him means being open to His direction, even when it leads to unexpected actions. The servants at Cana likely didn't anticipate filling massive jars with water, yet their obedience led to an extraordinary outcome—the finest wine, far surpassing anything they could have imagined. With God, the impossible becomes possible.

What do Icons Offer for Our Devotional Life?

Icons are a revered form of sacred art. These sacred images carry a deep historical and theological significance, rich in symbolism and spiritual depth. Recognizable by their distinctive "flattened" style, vivid colors, and frequent use of gold backgrounds, icons often depict significant events from the lives of Jesus, Mary, and the saints, offering a window into their mystical and spiritual dimensions.

At first glance, the stylized, two-dimensional nature of icons, coupled with the direct gaze of the figures, can feel unfamiliar or even challenging to engage with in prayer. It is often recommended to begin by spending just five minutes a day in quiet reflection before an icon, gradually increasing the duration over time. There is no need to rush—prayer with icons is a contemplative journey, and as we remain open and attentive, the Holy Spirit gradually unveils their deeper meaning to us.

Redner's "Save – A- Tape" Receipts

Divine Mercy Parish is still collecting
the "Save-A-Tape" from Redner's
Markets. Please drop off your receipts in
the collection or mail box or bring them
to the parish office during regular office
hours. The parish will receive a check
for 1% of what is collected. Please
support your parish and collect the
receipts. Thank you for all of your
support throughout the year. It is greatly
appreciated. Please do not cut any of
the receipt away.

A Little Reminder For Cemetery Lot

Owners in order to keep bringing all our Parish Cemeteries in line with the guidelines and regulations of the Diocese the following will still be enforced: all bricks, fine & crushed stone, plants, fresh & plastic flowers not in containers, fences, borders of all types will be removed & discarded immediately due to the fact that they cause a problem for maintenance of your lot. Again, anything that interferes with the mowing & trimming of grass will be removed at the family's expense. Containers should not interfere with the care of the cemetery grounds. If they do, the containers will be removed immediately. No planting of flowers, trees, or shrubs allowed. Plastic flowers must be in containers also.

All Summer flowers must be removed!

Payments for Parish Funerals

Funeral fees must be paid 24 hours prior to the burial. We ask that the family of the deceased come to the parish office and pay directly to the church. Please make no payment to the funeral directors. If payment is not received within 24 hours of burial, there cannot be any burial in the parish cemetery. Also, all Lot Care (Perpetual Care/Cemetery Care) must be current including current burial.



Financial Report – December

Net December Income \$ 64,266.64 Expenses \$ 35,441.80

Insurance \$ 7,422.00 Assessments \$ 4.023.00

Total Income \$ 64,266.64 Total Expenses \$ 46,886.80

Net Income \$ 17,379.84







Our parish is in need of Lectors, Altar Servers and Eucharistic Ministers. If you are interested in any of these ministries, we ask that you please call the parish office at 462-1968.

Works of Mercy

The Corporal and Spiritual Works of Mercy are actions we can perform that extend God's compassion and mercy to those in need.

The Corporal Works of Mercy are these kind acts by which we help our neighbors with their material and physical needs.

Feed the hungry

Give drink to the thirsty

Clothe the naked

Shelter the homeless

Visit the sick

Visit the imprisoned

Bury the dead

The Spiritual Works of Mercy are acts of compassion, as listed below by which we

help our neighbors with their emotional and spiritual needs.

Counsel the doubtful Forgive offenses
Instruct the ignorant Bear wrongs patiently

Admonish sinners Pray for the living and the dead

Simple Ways to Live a Better Life

The weeks before Lent are a good time to decide how to live a holier, happier life. Trying just one of these ideas can make a big difference in the way you live: **Live in the moment**. We can't change the past and don't know the future. The choices we make right now are all that count. **Be the real you**. Don't compare yourself with others or try to imitate people who are smarter, richer, or cooler. God loves each of us for who we are, not who we are like. **Avoid drama**. If you find yourself seeking attention and sympathy from other people – or get drawn in by others who do – try substituting activities or people you find positive and interesting instead. **Face your fears**. List your worst fears, the ones you are afraid to tell anyone. Are they realistic? If so, take action to resolve them. Otherwise, cross each off your list and let it go. **Talk less**. Weigh your words before you say them. Spend more time listening. **Spend time with happy people**. Surround yourself with people who are positive and want to improve their lives. Let go of those who drain your energy. **Work happy**. No matter how you earn a paycheck, give it your very best effort. That turns a job into a prayer.

Feast Days

February 10 – St. Scholastica (543). Twin sister to St. Benedict, St. Scholastica established a community of religious women about five miles from her brother's monastery.

February 17 – The Seven Holy Founders (13th century). Seven Italian noblemen who withdrew from the immorality of the times to live in prayer, simplicity and penance. Their order, the Servants of Mary, was later approved by the Holy See in 1304.

The Tree of Life has been placed in the vestibule of Divine Mercy Parish in the corridor leading to the former crying room. Take a moment and stop by to look at it. If anyone is still interested in making a donation to the new chapel in memory of someone or a special intention that you may have, please contact the parish office at 462-1968 as soon as possible. Your choices are: Leaf \$ 300.00, Acorn \$ 500.00, Foundation Stone \$ 1,000.00 and Mini-Tree \$ 1,500.00. Thank you to everyone who has made a donation to the chapel.

How Will You Fill Your God-Shaped Hole? St. Augustine wrote, "You have made us

for yourself and our hearts are restless

until they find their rest in Thee,"
(Confessions, Saint Augustine). Humans are created with a longing for something infinitely good, true, and beautiful - God. If we try to fill that longing with things that are not God, we are unsatisfied.

Make room. We pursue money, friends, power, or possessions, thinking that we will be happy if we accumulate enough. The problem is that earthly rewards don't last and distract us from what does. King Solomon could have chosen all the riches, esteem, and power in the world but rejected all because they would distract him from God.

Value what lasts. "For the mind that is set on the flesh is hostile to God" (Romans 8:7). Pleasure makes us feel good in the moment but fades so we need more to feel good. Worse, pursuit of pleasure can lead to sin. Pleasure is not happiness. Happiness results when God shares himself with us and we draw close to him.

Grow in love. Having received the gift of divine life, we must give it to others. "Beloved, if God so loved us, we also ought to love one another" (1 John 4:11). When we share God's life and love, we grow in that very life and love.



M & J Big Band The M & J Band is an 18 -piece big band to provide musical listeners with the great big band and jazz hits. Join the parishes of Holy Cross & St. Clare of Assisi for a wonderful night out. When: Saturday, February 22nd Where: Holy Cross Parish Center – 99 Lombard St., New Philadelphia Time: 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM Tickets are \$15.00 per person, \$25.00 per couple, OR reserve an entire table at a reduced cost of \$10.00 per person Tables of 6, 8 or 10 are available. Snacks and drinks will be available for purchase...Call now to St. Clare of Assisi rectory to reserve your seat @ 429-0370...Don't miss out on a fun evening.

St. Ambrose Church (Schuylkill Haven) will be making a pilgrimage to Fátima and Lourdes while also visiting the great cities of Lisbon and Barcelona. We will depart on Wednesday, October 15 and return on Saturday, October 25th On our travels we will be visiting Santarém and the Church of St. Stephen, Salamanca and the university, Burgos and the cathedral which is a pilgrimage church on the Camino de Santiago, and Montserrat and the monastery. The high point of our pilgrimage will be stops in Fátima and Lourdes. The all-inclusive price of \$5,395 includes: basic tour & guided sightseeing, round-trip international airfare, fuel surcharges and government taxes, admin fees, entrance fees, hotel gratuities, and program fees, meals listed in the itinerary, deluxe motorcoaches, local transportation from St. Ambrose to Newark Airport and back, tips for your guide and driver, first-class hotels. For complete details including the full itinerary, please visit stambrosehaven.com or call Barbara at 385-1031. An Informational meeting will be held at St. Ambrose on Monday, February 24th at 6:00 PM. If you are interested in attending the meeting, please email stambroseoffice@comcast.net or call Barbara at 385-1031 to RSVP. This is not a commitment to the trip but will help us plan for refreshments at the meeting.

"I Choose Heaven."

Our time on Earth is but a fleeting moment compared to the vastness of eternity. Yet, we often prioritize earthly concerns over preparing for Heaven. Jesus reminds us of the right priority: "Seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things will be given to you besides" (Matthew 6:33). When we put God first, He faithfully provides for our every need.

What are your true priorities? Your daily routine is a reflection of your heart. Pause and consider: What consumes your time and energy? The things that dominate your schedule are the true indicators of your priorities. If they are pulling you away from God, it's time to reevaluate and make a change.

Where do you turn for guidance? When faced with decisions, do you seek advice from friends, social media, or colleagues, or do you turn to prayer and Scripture? Aligning our choices with God's wisdom leads to lasting fulfillment and peace. Resolve to trust His direction over the fleeting opinions of the world. When we place our decisions in His hands, we can move forward with confidence.

Do you trust God with your happiness? God's promises assure us of His perfect plan: "For I know well the plans I have in mind for you, says the Lord, plans for your welfare, not for woe, plans to give you a future full of hope" (Jeremiah 29:11). If trusting Him feels difficult, invite Him into your doubts and fears. Ask Him to reveal His goodness and faithfulness—He will answer, because He is always near. Refocus your heart and trust God's plan for your life. Let go of distractions, realign your priorities, and step into the peace that comes from seeking Him first.

