



Doug's Reflection

04-19-26 THE THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

My heart and mind keep returning to last Sunday - - - the second Sunday of Easter - - - the Sunday of Divine Mercy. Those graces poured out for me and for us all comprise blessings in which all of us should immerse ourselves with joy. Yet I fear that too many of us tend to receive a diluted dose of these blessings because after Divine Mercy Sunday, we tend to revert to our old ways. I know because I have experienced this in my own life! Saint Gemma Galgani asks a question we should all ask of ourselves. - - - "Oh, my soul, how much longer do you wish to be so stingy with Jesus? Why so negligent towards Jesus who made You? Why so lazy towards Jesus who redeemed you? Who do you want to love, if you do not want to love Jesus?" This quote strikes a chord with me, and I pray it has the same effect on you.