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## May 29, 2011

### Sixth Sunday of Easter

### Worship Schedule

#### Weekend Masses

Saturday 4:30 p.m.

Sunday 8:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

### Weekday Schedule

Mon., Tues., Wed., and Fri.: Mass Thurs.: Communion Service

All at 8:30 a.m.

#### Rosary Devotion

Monday through Friday: 8:00 AM

### **Sacraments**

Reconciliation - Saturday 3:30 p.m.

#### Baptism

1st and 3rd Sundays of the month at 2:00 p.m. Baptismal preparation is required. Baptismal prep takes place on the 2nd Tues. of the month at 7:30 pm. Please call Deacon Tom Nolan to register.

#### Marriage

Please contact the Pastor 6 months in

### **Parish Office Hours**

Mon.-Fri.:9:00am-4:00pm

### **Pastoral Staff**

Rev. Anthony R. Taschetta Pastor

Rev. John Barrett Pastor Emeritus

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### Note from the Pastor



# TRY TO REMEMBER AND DO THIS IN REMEMBRANCE OF ME

Tomorrow (Monday) is Memorial Day. It is a day to remember. We create memorials so that we might call to mind and remember

someone or something in the past that has shaped our present. And yet, it doesn't always work. We call our local hospital Elmhurst Memorial Hospital and for the life of me I am not sure who we are trying remember. I'm sure it was somebody or something that made the hospital possible. Today we remember those young men and women who gave their lives to make our life as we know it in this country possible. But we don't know their names. There are too many of them. A few years ago I stumbled upon an American WWII cemetery in Italy. For three hours I walked through that cemetery being utterly overwhelmed by the sheer vastness of it and the number of lives that were lost to that war. Somehow, this is something worth remembering.

And so we do. From the time I was in 7th grade, every Memorial Day I fronted the Wheaton Junior High School marching band as its drum major. As I grew, so did the bands. High School and then the best band of them all, the Wheaton Municipal Band. Many of them were middle aged, overweight and did not make for spectacular marchers but, boy, could they play. When the band began the National Emblem march, or the Stars and Stripes Forever, all parade goers were surrounded by a wall of sound that sent chills up and down the spine. As the colors paraded by, the townsfolk stood at attention with hands over their heart and tried to remember. It's Memorial Day.

But are we called to just remember the warriors or the glories of war itself? How many of us of a certain age remember how poorly we treated the returning home Vietnam veterans because the war in which they were drafted to fight was so hated. It was a national shame how shabbily we acted toward these young men and women who fought in the horrors of a senseless war. We as a nation have since learned to distinguish between wars in which everybody loses and the young people who are caught in the crossfire of them. And so today, praise God, we can honor our warriors and legitimately question and protest against the wars.

Today we celebrate another Memorial Day as well. It is one we celebrate every Sunday in which we are admonished to, "Do this in remembrance of me." What are we trying to remember? What's the memorial? That one of our own laid down His life that all might live. That one, of course, is Jesus. And in this sense, he was just like one of our war warriors. But there's a difference. And the difference is not in the movement of self sacrifice, but in the goal and

the end of the sacrifice. In war, we want to dominate. In sacrificial love, we are called to liberate. Here we enter into the battle and into the fray of human hatred, armed with the weapons of love and forgiveness. And according to the teachings of Jesus, they are the only true means of bringing about a lasting and permanent peace.

No permanent peace was ever brought about by violent means. If we indeed live by the sword, we shall die by the sword. The great changes, the radical changes in our society are caused by the non-violent warriors like Gandhi and Martin Luther King who entered into the hatred of humanity with truth and love they transformed the human heart. This too is a remembrance worth remembering. These are the warriors for peace and we pray that God continues to send them into the world as agents of God's goal: That all may be one.

And so today we remember. We remember our warriors of war. But we also pray for and remember our warriors of peace and that the peace makers, wearing the armor of truth and light, may enter into the fray of a broken world to make it whole. And bring it peace. As we do that, we celebrate Memorial Day. We do it in remembrance of the One who came to bring us true peace.

In Jesus, God's Warrior for Peace,



## Parish News



ON MONDAY MAY 30, MEMORIAL DAY, THE PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED

# WELCOME FATHERS BARRETT AND STEMPORA

Ft. Tony is in Charleston, SC this weekend for a wedding (tough work but someone has to do it). We welcome back Fr. John Barrett and Fr. Dan Stempora who are celebrating with us this Memorial Day weekend.

# FOOD COLLECTION FOR IC/WALK-IN MINISTRY THIS WEEKEND

Please bring your donations of food, etc. for the Immaculate Conception/Walk-In Ministry this weekend of May 28 and 29. We are collecting non-perishable items of soup, vegetables, prepared foods, personal items such as bar soap, deodorant, and shampoo. Due to the Memorial Day holiday, the food will be dropped off at IC on Tuesday, May 31 instead of Monday.

## **Religious Education News**

### **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS**

**RE** Registrations. The list of closed classes is growing. Please note the following classes are closed: Gr. 1 and Gr. 2 are closed at 3:15. At 5:15 Grades 4, 5, 6, and 7 are closed. There is still space available at the other grades and times. To quarantee a space for your child, be sure to return your completed RE registration form **now**. Remember, registration will close on June 15 with the exception of families new to the parish. FYI: registration in the RE program is limited to participating members of Mary Queen Parish.

Catechists are needed for the 2011/2012 RE year.

The children may be gone for the summer, but preparations for the fall are in full swing. Please help us all have a pleasant summer free from worry about catechist needs. Right now we need catechists at the following grade levels and times:

3:15 pm - Grade 1 - 1 co-catechists Grade 2 - 4 catechists

5:15 pm - Grade 2 - 1 aide or co-catechist

We may have other needs as summer progresses. If you have not as yet returned your yellow volunteer form, please do so. We are counting on you. September seems very far away, but it will be here before you know it. If you are someone who loves your faith and would enjoy sharing it with our children, we would love to talk to you.

For more info on any of the above, please contact Mary Ann Woods at the REO: (630) 832-8962 or email: mqhmawoods@sbcglobal.net.



### MARY QUEEN OF HEAVEN PRESCHOOL AND KINDERGARTEN **ENRICHMENT**

### **NEWS FLASH!**

Three spots have opened for Monday, Wednesday, and Friday for the 2011-2012 Preschool. These spots fill up quickly so don't delay in signing up your child for Preschool.

For information please contact: Ms. Brenda Scanlon, Director Mary Queen of Heaven Preschool (630) 833-9500 Website: www.maryqueenpresschool.org

# **CCW LADIES NIGHT OUT**

COME JOIN IN THE FUN AS WE HONOR OUR WOMAN OF THE YEAR

# DEBBIE STYKA

ON TUESDAY JUNE 14, 2011 AT 7:00 ₽.M.

> CASEY'S RESTAURANT 415 EAST NORTH AVE. **LOMBARD** \$28.00 PER PERSON

FOR A FAMILY STYLE DINNER INCLUDES: SOUP, SALAD, PASTA, 2 ENTREES, DESSERT FOR MORE INFORMATION, CALL CHERYL DESANTIS (630) 279-3148 OR MARY WHITE (630)833-9809

Deadline for the reservations is Friday, June 10. Checks should be made payable to Mary Queen of Heaven CCW.

Name	 	 	_
Phone			

Completed form with check can be placed in collection basket.

# MINISTRY SCHEDULE SATURDAY, JUNE 4 - SUNDAY, JUNE 5, 2011 4:30 PM 8:30 AM 10:30

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Presider	Fr. Tony	Fr. Tony	Fr. Tony
Lector	E. Walker	R. Villamil	P. Reynertson
Eucharistic Ministers	R. Lawlor (S) D. StaRosa (C) C. Reisenbuckler R. Lijegren G. Curtis J. DuPrey K. Diggins	A. Grozik (S) M. Grozik (C) D. Bernstein G. Regan J. Eichorst J. Unger K. Vicary	D. Styka (S) R. Styka (C) D. Justus J. Spears J. Lindberg P. LeTourneau T. Kevil P. Mason
Altar Servers	J. Nosek J. Nosek	B. Dunn D. Dunn	R. Hendron B. Hernandez



# MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

C. Letourneau

C. Hernandez

Sunday, May 29, 2011

E. Zielinski

8:30 AM † Elisabeth Kramm 10:30 AM † Franz Frank

Monday, May 30, 2011

8:30 AM † Jean Gayle

† Ralph (Jack) Gayle

Tuesday, May 31, 2011

8:30 AM † Albert Fuchsen

Wednesday, June 1, 2011

8:30 AM † Daniel Hayes

Thursday, June 2, 2011

8:30 AM Communion Service

Friday, June 3, 2011

8:30 AM All Parishioners

Saturday, June 4, 2011

4:30 PM † Guy Attardo

**Sunday, June 5, 2011** 

8:30 AM † Margy Vandenberg

10:30 AM † Robert Clark

† indicates person is deceased



Collection Tot Sunday, May 2	
Adults	\$7,184.65
Parish Pay	\$3,302.66
Children	\$33.60
Collection Total	\$10,520.91

Thank you for your continued support!

### Readings for the Week of May 29, 2011

Sunday: Acts 8:5-8, 14-17/1 Pt 3:15-18/

Jn 14:15-21

Monday: Acts 16:11-15/Jn 15:26-16:4a

Tuesday: Zep 3:14-18a or

Rom 12:9-16/Lk 1:39-56

Wednesday: Acts 17:15, 22-18:1/Jn 16:12-15

Thursday: Ascension: Acts 1:1-11/

Eph 1:17-23/Mt 28:16-20

Friday: Acts 18:9-18/Jn 16:20-23
Saturday: Acts 18:23-28/Jn 16:23b-28
Next Sunday: Acts 1:12-14/1 Pt 4:13-16/

Jn 17:1-11a

### **Destiny Youth Group Breakfast**

All high school students are invited to join us for breakfast on Sunday, June 5 following the 10:30 am Mass in Barrett Hall.

# Wings to Heaven Ice Cream Social Sunday, June 5 6:00-8:00 pm in Barrett Hall

All incoming 5-8<sup>th</sup> grade students for 2011-2012 school year come and enjoy an evening of fun and games.

Questions? email Kathleen Gusloff **kgusloff@gmail.com** or call (630)269-0744

### **Christian Worship**



Please call (630) 279-5700 to have a name added to our list. A new listing will appear in bold face. Names will remain on the prayer list for four weeks. Contact the parish office to renew the individual's name on our prayer list.

We hope that you will pray for these persons every day.

Fred Cafasso Joel Falco **Kate Graete** 

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
29 Sixth Sunday Of Easter 8:30 AM & 10:30 AM - MQH Masses 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM RCIA/Mystagogy in SH/School Rm 4-5, 11-12,13	30  Memorial Day  PARISH OFFICE CLOSED  7:00 PM - 9:00 PM  CRHP (Men) in SH	31	7:00 PM - 9:30 PM Bible Study in Conf. Rm.	28:00 PM - 10:00 PM Men's Group in BH	3 DEADLINE BULLETIN JUNE 12	4 3:30 PM - Confessions 4:30 PM - MQH Mass
5 Ascension of the  Lord  8:30 AM & 10:30 AM - MQH Masses 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM RCIA/Mystagogy in SH/School Rm 4-5, 11-12,13 11:30 AM - 1:30 PM Destiny Youth Group Breakfast in BH 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM Baptisms in C 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM Wings to Heaven Ice Cream Social in BH	6 9:00 AM - 7:15 PM Eucharistic Adoration in C in C 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM CRHP (Men) in SH	9:00 AM - 10:30 AM Prayer Shawl Ministry in SH 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM Building & Grounds Comm. Mtg. in Conf. Rm.	8	9	10 DEADLINE BULLETIN JUNE 19	11 3:30 PM - Confessions 4:30 PM - MQH Mass
12 Pentecost Sunday 8:30 AM & 10:30 AM - MQH Masses 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM RCIA/Pentecost in SH/School Rm 4-5, 11-12,13	13 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM CRHP (Men) in SH	14 6:30 PM - 9:30 PM Women's CRHP in BH 7:30 PM - 9:00 PM Baptism Preparation in C	15 7:00 PM - 9:30 PM Bible Study in Conf. Rm. RE REGISTRATIONS DEADLINE	16 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM Prayer Shawl Ministry in SH	17 DEADLINE BULLETIN JUNE 26	18 3:30 PM - Confessions 4:30 PM - MQH Mass
$19\ Most\ Holy\ Trinity$ 8:30 AM & 10:30 AM - MQH Masses 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM Baptisms in C	20 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM CRHP (Men) in SH 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM Commission Meeting in BH	21	22	23	24 DEADLINE BULLETIN JULY 5	25 3:30 PM - Confessions 4:30 PM - MQH Mass
26 Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ  8:30 AM & 10:30 AM - MQH Masses 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM Feast of Corpus Christi at Elmhurst College	27 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM CRHP (Men) in SH	28 6:30 PM - 9:30 PM Women's CRHP in BH	29	30		BH Barrett Hall C Church Conf Conference Room Rm SH Social Hall