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June 17, 2012

11th Sunday in
Ordinary Time

Happy Father's Day!



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 Thurs.: Mass

Fri.: Communion Service

First Friday of the month: Mass

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. Required Baptismal preparation on the 2nd Tues. at 7:30 p.m. Call Deacon Tom to register.

Marriage

Please contact the Pastor 6 months in advance.

Parish Office Hours

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

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Note from the Pastor



Scattered Thoughts on Being a "Father" (From the Archives)

"In the name of the Father..."
"Our Father..." There are few words more powerful in any language than **"Father."** It is the name and image we use for God. It was no one less than Jesus who changed the name of the Divine from Yahweh (I Am Who Am) to Abba (Daddy). And from that moment on everything changed in both our perception of God as Father and for human fathers. The question is, does our image of God the Father come from our experience of human fathers or do our thoughts about human fathers come from our image of Father-God? Probably a little of both. At any rate, its one powerful word and one of our major archetypes.

"Hi, Faddah, how y'doin?" From the age of 26 I took on the title and mantle of Father. To be honest, I was a bit young and wet behind the ears (I still had hair in those days) to be called by such an august title. Instant authority. Instant respect (completely unearned). In ancient Rome, the *pater familia* had the power of life and death over his family. After all, he had fathered them (but as the old black matriarch used to tell me, **"any boy can sire a child; to father a child takes a real man."**) **What does it mean to father?** First and foremost, a father shares of himself in planting the seeds of life. Life, and especially human life does not grow by itself. It takes nurturing and **nourishing.** And it doesn't come cheap. The physical creation is the easy part. The mental, emotional and spiritual creation takes the work (and it is work) of a true artist. I am happy to report, that Sunday after Sunday I get to encounter truly great artists with their beautiful works of creation.

It wasn't too many years ago that I would rail against our popular culture's notion of fatherhood. The image was that of a loving but bumbling goofus a *la* Dagwood Bumstead. Even though he couldn't get anything right, we still loved him. In those days it was almost impossible to find a Father's Day card that didn't basically say, **"You're an idiot Dad, but we still love you."** Praise God, those days have changed. On any given Sunday, I see handsome young fathers with their children in tow, hand in hand coming to pray

together. And when I see the gentleness and love that our fathers show to their children, my heart leaps for joy. I never tire of telling the children as they come out of church glued to their Daddies, **"Do you know how lucky you are little kid? You've got the best daddy in the world!"** And I'm not blowing smoke. That's just a fact.

What is it that I see on any given Sunday? An incredible bond of love between creator and created, an unspoken union that will never be broken. How do I know that what I see is real? **That's easy. I was loved like that. That's how my father loved me. And that is how I hope I love my children in return. There's saying that you can't be a good father until you have been first a good son and until you have been fathered correctly.** There is nothing in life that gives me more joy than fathering, both my own children and my spiritual children. **I'm finally old enough to be called "Father" (and in most instances, grandfather.... But that's a whole different relationship).** For me, that's as good as it gets.

Now, I must confess that in my musings, I have extolled the ideals of fatherhood but there are some of you who have not been fathered well or suffer from a serious **"father wound."** **How do we get healed and whole so that we can father children better than we have been fathered?** **"Our Father..."** You do know that theologically the image of Divine Mother is just as real as that of Father. In so many ways, it is much easier to snuggle up against a Mother-God than a Father-God. And yet Jesus uses the image of Father. **Why? Because it's the harder one. Even if our human fathers have failed us, the Divine One won't.** And no matter what our age, it is not too late to allow Him to father us, create us, nurture us, love us.

How frightening, how awesome, how wonderful to share the very title of God and then to do what God does. What does he do? He fathers.

In Jesus, the Son of the Father,



Fr. Tony

Parish News



NO MEETINGS TO BE SCHEDULED FOR THE MONTH OF JULY

Due to maintenance and to give all parishioners the opportunity to enjoy the beautiful summer days, there will be no meetings scheduled on the parish grounds for the month of July.

CCW DUES

Annual dues (\$5.00) for the Council of Catholic Women will be collected during the month of June. The CCW sponsors many events throughout the year including the **Senior Citizen Christmas Dinner, the Mother's Day Carnation Remembrance, and the Spring Plant Sale.** All women in the parish are considered members of the Council of Catholic Women. The yellow CCW envelope can be placed in the collection basket anytime in June. If you would like to be informed of upcoming CCW events, please include your email address on the outside of the envelope. Members of the CCW will also be on hand to collect dues before and after Masses the weekend of June 23 and 24.



Deadlines for the bulletin for the months of June and July:

For Bulletin On	Articles due by noon
Sunday, July 1	Wednesday, June 20
Sunday, July 8	Monday, June 25
Sunday, July 15	Wednesday, June 27
Sunday, July 22	Friday, June 29

Thanks for your cooperation



CALENDAR OF EVENTS JUNE 17 - JUNE 24

Sunday, June 17, 2012 - **Father's Day**

8:30 AM & 10:30 AM MQH Mass
2:00 PM - 3:00 PM Baptisms in Church

Monday, June 18, 2012

8:30 AM MQH Mass
7:00 PM - 9:00 PM Commission Meeting in Barrett Hall
7:00 PM - 10:00 PM CRHP (Men) in Room 13

Tuesday, June 19, 2012

8:30 AM MQH Mass
2:00 PM - 9:30 PM Photo Shoot for Pictorial Directory in Barrett Hall

Wednesday, June 20, 2012

DEADLINE BULLETIN ARTICLES JULY 1, 2012

8:30 AM MQH Mass
2:00 PM - 9:30 PM Photo Shoot for Pictorial Directory in Barrett Hall

Thursday, June 21, 2012

8:30 AM MQH Mass
9:00 AM - 10:00 AM Yoga in Barrett Hall
2:00 PM - 9:30 PM Photo Shoot for Pictorial Directory in Barrett Hall
7:30 PM - 9:00 PM Prayer Shawl Ministry in School Room 4-5

Friday, June 22, 2012

8:30 AM MQH Mass
2:00 PM - 9:30 PM Photo Shoot for Pictorial Directory in Barrett Hall

Saturday, June 23, 2012

10:00 AM - 4:00 PM Walk-In Ministry Food Drive in Church
Photo Shoot for Pictorial Directory in Barrett Hall
3:30 PM Confessions
4:30 PM MQH Mass

Sunday, June 24, 2012

8:30 AM & 10:30 AM Walk-In Ministry Food Drive in Church
MQH Mass



FACILITIES CALENDAR

July 1, the due date for scheduling information, is coming soon. Have you sent in your dates, time, and place for meetings? Please send in your information before your favorite days are taken and you end up with a conflict. We need to know your scheduling needs from July 1, 2012 to June 30, 2013.

Parish News



SUMMER YOGA SCHEDULE
Try out beginner/intermediate Yoga
For ages ten and up
Bring a friend!

June 21, and June 28
9:00 am until 10:00 am

This will conclude our yoga classes until the Fall.

Peace,
Debbie Styka

Religious Education News

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS



RE Registrations. To guarantee a space for your child, be sure to return your completed RE registration form now. Classes are filling up quickly and class sizes are limited. FYI: registration in the RE program is limited to participating members of Mary Queen Parish.

We are in need of a few catechists for the 2012/2013 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 p.m.
Grade 2 – 3 catechists and 1 aide
Grade 3 – 2 aides
Grade 4 – 2 catechists
- 5:15 p.m.
Grade 3 – 1 catechist
Grade 6 – 2 catechists
- 6:45 p.m.
Grade 5 – 1 catechist
Grade 6 – 2 catechists

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



CURIOUS?

Have you wondered about the Catholic faith? Do you know someone who is curious to learn more about what we believe in, how to become a Catholic, or what the Sacraments are all about? Come to a RCIA *meet and greet* session on July 8, 29 or Aug. 26 (9:30 a.m. in the Conference Room). Invite someone along to check us out...curious minds want to know!!



WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

Today's reading talks about God's children being plants that grow, flourish and bear fruit. Do we reflect this in our lives and our marriage relationship? Attend the next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend on August 10-12, 2012. Contact Tim and Pat Doyle, (630) 577-0778 for more information or visit our website at: www.mejoilet.org.



MARY QUEEN OF HEAVEN PRESCHOOL AND KINDERGARTEN ENRICHMENT SCHOOL YEAR

Open registration is ongoing for the preschool Tue/Thurs class and the KEP class.

For information please contact:
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Website: www.maryqueenpreschool.org
E-mail: mqhpreschool@maryqueen.org

11TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



MINISTRY SCHEDULE			
SATURDAY, JUNE 23		SUNDAY, JUNE 24, 2012	
	4:30 PM	8:30 AM	10:30 AM
Presider	Fr. Tony	Fr. Tony	Fr. Tony
Lector	R. Styka	M. Reed	P. Reynertson
Eucharistic Ministers	M. Zelinski (S) S. Pingatore (C) K. Passarelli M. White J. DuPrey T. Sabel J. Vilim	N. Williamson (S) T. Nanak (C) K. Vicary M. Grozik G. Curtis D. StaRosa	R. Marro (S) R. Melendez (C) P. Twardowski P. LeTourneau M. Japczyk K. Mueller D. Justus G. Pstrzoch
Altar Servers	J. Nosek C. Letourneau J. Mirretti	I. Weigel M. Piszczor P. Serpico	A. Lang E. Fahey J. Vosicky

Collection Totals for: Sunday, June 17, 2012	
Adults	\$5,967.65
Parish Pay	\$4,010.25
Children	\$10.64
Collection Total	\$9,988.54

151 parishioner envelopes were used.
144 parishioners - Parish Pay.

Thank you for your continued kindness and generosity.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

- Sunday, June 17, 2012
 - 8:30 AM † **Albert Fuchsen**
 - 10:30 AM † **Edward Poremba**
- Monday, June 18, 2012
 - 8:30 AM † **William Dorney**
- Tuesday, June 19, 2012
 - 8:30 AM † **Bill DeCero**
- Wednesday, June 20, 2012
 - 8:30 AM † **Earl Fults**
- Thursday, June 21, 2012
 - 8:30 AM † **Lucille Locascio**
- Friday, June 22, 2012
 - 8:30 AM *Communion Service*
- Saturday, June 23, 2012
 - 4:30 PM † **Joe Micheli**
50th Anniversary - Phil & Sue Taschetta
- Sunday, June 24, 2012
 - 8:30 AM † **Rev. Paul Benson**
 - 10:30 AM † **Florian Japczyk**

† indicates person is deceased

Readings for the Week of June 17, 2012

- Sunday: Ez 17:22-24/2 Cor 5:6-10/Mk 4:26-34
- Monday: 1 Kgs 21:1-16/Mt 5:38-42
- Tuesday: 1 Kgs 21:17-29/Mt 5:43-48
- Wednesday: 2 Kgs 2:1, 6-14 /Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
- Thursday: Sir 48:1-14/Mt 6:7-15
- Friday: 2 Kgs 11:1-4, 9-18, 20/Mt 6:19-23
- Saturday: 2 Chr 24:17-25/Mt 6:24-34
- Next Sunday: Vigil: Jer 1:4-10/1 Pt 1:8-12/Lk 1:5-17
- Day: Is 49:1-6/Acts 13:22-26/
Lk 1:57-66, 80

Prayer List

Please pray for the sick of our Parish

- Dallas Barker
- Andrew Berryman
- Stephanie Dahlberg
- Paula Nolan
- Brenda Scanlon
- Mary Thorton
- Dennis White
- Patrick White



Please call the Rectory to add a name to our Parish Prayer List.