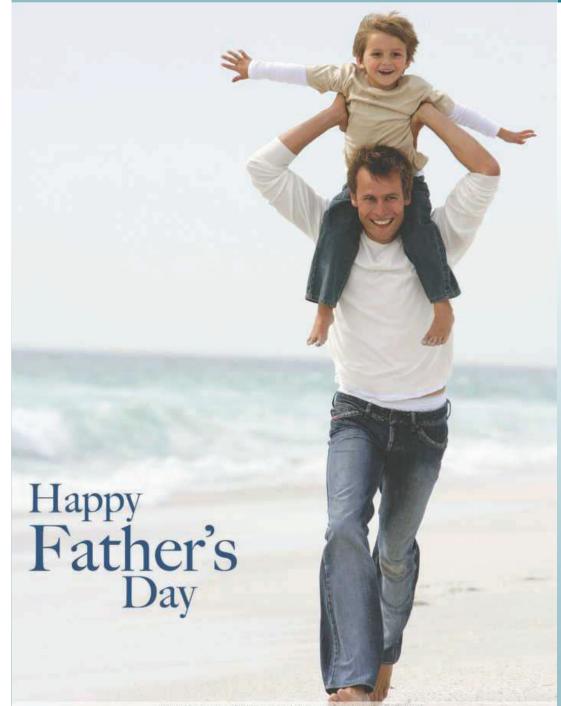
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June 16, 2013 11th Sunday in <u>Ordinary T</u>ine

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.

<u>Rosary Devotion</u> 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

Pastoral Staff

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Note from the Pastor

An Open Letter to my Granddaughter Ariel Antonia from her Grandfather on Father's Day

Originally written on Father's Day, 2006

Dear Ariel,

For some time I have contemplated writing this letter and now is the time. Today is Father's Day and everybody calls me "Father" except for you, your siblings and your cousins in Denver, they call me, "Grandpa." You call me, "Pompa," (close enough). And as much as I love to hear the sound of the word, "Father", there is nothing sweeter to my ears than to hear, "Grandpa". Your sister Azucena and brother Abraham have already learned to use it most effectively. Now, I have no problem being called, "Father" by the members of my parish family (I am now finally old enough to have grown into the title). On the rare occasions when your father calls me "Dad" I am utterly delighted. But every time I hear "Grandpa" I melt. To me it is the sweetest sounding word in the English language and you are beginning to say it so well (you're almost two, y'know).

Ariel, there are certain things that you just know in the core of your soul and your being, and your being here, and your being my granddaughter is one of them. How do I know? I just know! There are certain things I am just so convinced of in my heart and one of them is about your grandmother (your father's mother, Rosita). When your father came to live with me (long before I adopted him) I knew after two days he would be part of my life for the rest of my life. How did I know? Your grandmother. Your grandmother who died when your father was seventeen years old picked me out to take care of him. I know your grandmother. I never met her, obviously, but I know her. And of that I am positive. So much so that when I die your grandmother will be there to meet me (it's the least she could do for having taken in her son).

Nieta, there are certain things you already know. One of them is that you and I are joined at the hip (that means we have a very, very special relationship). And we have had it from the moment I knew you were coming. When your mother confided in me that she thought she was pregnant my heart leapt into my throat so I could hardly speak. You were not coming at the most opportune time (none of us do) but you were coming at the perfect time. I remember telling your mother "Hija, este bebé será un regalo de Dios, vas a ver," (this baby will be a special gift from God, you'll see). And you are. When you walk in you light up the room and you light up my heart. Child of God, you know me as Grandpa. As you grow older you will hear people call me Father and then one day it will hit you ... oh dear, my grandpa's a priest (your sister and brother are just beginning to understand). The holy work of a priest is to be conduit or a catalyst for people to know they are already in communion with God. You make that very easy for me to do. When our eyes lock on each other, when you are nestled in my arms at perfect peace and tranquility, when our hearts beat in unison, I know God. I know God. It is perfect heart knowledge.

Shortly after your first birthday, I went away to Rome for three months. When I got back I was sure you would forget me. While I was there I promised myself that I would never be away from my family that long again. And when I walked into the door of your house and our eyes met, it was instant recognition, the recognition we had with each other before the time you were born. You scream with delight every time I walk into the house and, sweetie, for as long as it lasts I love it. You are better now but there was a time shortly after I got back when you would rest in my arms and I would pass you to your father and you wanted to come back to mine. How embarrassing! How delightful. And yet, I'm really glad that it's your daddy and mommy raising you and not me. I'd spoil you rotten. I don't know how your mother and father do it but they intuitively know the perfect balance between boundaries and expectations on one hand and unconditional love on the other. God gave you the right parents, no doubt about it. I, on the other hand, well, I'm in charge and control of a very, very large institution known as St. Isidore Church and you, little girl, are in charge of me. Go figure.

Note from the Pastor (cont.)

Today is Father's Day and today your proud papa looks upon you, your brother and sister with great love. You'll hear him call you from time to time, "Rosita", your grandmother's name. I asked him why. He told me he caught you one day with your hands on your hip looking at him exactly, exactly as his mother used to. Now why am I not surprised. Today may be Father's Day and I may be a proud grandpa but don't you ever forget, grandmas still rule the roost. How do I know? There are some things you just know.

My love to you, precious, in Jesus, Grandpa



"All Grown Up"

Parish News

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 and monthly activities. 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. Those who are enrolled in Parish Pay may place their dues in the collection basket in an envelope marked CCW during the month of June. Thank you.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS **JUNE 16 - JUNE 23**

Parish Calendar

Sunday, June 16, 2013 - Father's Day 8:30 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. MQH Mass 2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. Baptisms in Church

Monday, June 17, 2013

8:30 a.m.

MQH Mass 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Commission Meeting in Barrett Hall 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. CRHP (Men) in Room 13

Tuesday, June 18, 2013

8:30 a.m. MQH Mass 9:15 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. Book Study Group in Conf. Room

Wednesday, June 19, 2013 8:30 a.m. MQH Mass

Thursday, June 20, 2013

8:30 a.m. MQH Mass 8:45 a.m. - 10:15 a.m. Yoga in Barrett Hall 7:00 p.m. - 9:30 p.m. Prayer Shawl Ministry in Room 4-5

Friday, June 21, 2013

Bulletin Deadline June 30, 2013 8:30 a.m. **Communion Service**

Saturday, June 22, 2013

3:30 p.m. 4:30 p.m.

9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Contemplation Speaker in Barrett Hall Confessions MQH Mass

Sunday, June 23, 2013 8:30 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. MQH Mass



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.

Parish News



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, 2013 to June 30, 2014.



Deadlines for the bulletin:

For Bulletin On	Articles due by noon
Sunday, June 30	Friday, June 21
Sunday, July 7	Wednesday, June 26
Sunday, July 14	Friday, July 5

Thank you for your cooperation.

Preschool News



MARY QUEEN OF HEAVEN PRESCHOOL AND KINDERGARTEN ENRICHMENT

Become a part of our growing school! Schedule a visit, meet the teachers, and see the classrooms. There are openings in the Kindergarten Enrichment Program and we have begun a wait list for the Preschool. Come visit us!

For additional information please contact : Mrs. Genet Pinkerton,

Director, Mary Queen of Heaven Preschool (630) 833-9500 mqhpreschool@maryqueen.org www.maryqueenpresschool.org

Religious Education News

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

RE Registrations

We are continuing to take registrations for those classes where there is still room. Please note that class lists are filling up and space is limited to registered parishioners. At this time, Grade 2 is at capacity at the 3:15 p.m. session and Grade 4 and Grade 7 is closed at the 5:15 p.m. session. **Also note that we will contact you if you do not get your first choice of session and time.** If you do not hear from us, be assured that your children are in the time you requested.

Catechists Needed

Thank you to those of you who have responded to our request for help. However, we are still in need of catechists at various grade levels at various session times. If you are a loving, welcoming, accepting, forgiving person, you have the most important qualifications for being a catechist. You don't have to be a theologian, just someone who can help our children understand how the Gospel can be applied to their lives. Come share your Faith with the young people of Mary, Queen. All of our classes meet on Wednesdays. Currently we need catechists and aides at the following levels

3:15 p.m. Session	Grade 1 – 1 catechist Grade 3 - 3 co-catechist 1 aide Grade 4 - 1 co-catechists
5:15 p.m. Session	Grade 6 - 1 aide
6:45 p.m. Session	Grade 6 - 1 co-catechist

As you can see, our greatest need is for our 3:15 p.m. session. If you are someone who works at home and are able to fit us into your schedule, we would love to speak with you.

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

May Baptisms



WELCOME TO THE FAMILY OF GOD

May Baptisms

Zoe Marie Dench Gianna Marie Fracasso Aidan Riley Tornabene Michael Passarelli

Youth Group News



WINGS TO HEAVEN PICNIC

All incoming 5th - 8th graders are invited 6:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. Monday, June 24 in Barrett Hall Join us for games, fun and food RSVP

maryqueen.wings2heaven@gmail.com



ParishPay Making it Easier to Give

Contact <u>www.parishpay.com</u>, or call 866-PARISH-1 for further information.

Diocesan News

SPECIAL COLLECTION FOR DIOCESAN PRIESTS' CARE & SUPPORT

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

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On Father's Day June 16, there will be a special collection to care for our infirm and retired priests. The money raised from this collection will go to the fund which provides long term care for our priests who need assisted living or skilled nursing care. Currently the diocese cares for seven of our retired priests who need these services.

While we were blessed to ordain five young men to the priesthood on May 18, we have many more priests approaching retirement age. As such, there is a need to strengthen the fund that will provide for their care should they not be able to care for themselves. This collection should not be confused with the collection for the Retirement Fund for Religious, which is taken in December and assists religious men and women who belong to religious orders. That collection does not benefit or provide care for our retired diocesan priests.

As we celebrate this Year of Faith, prayerfully consider making a donation to help our aged and sick priests as an expression of appreciation for all they have done to nourish your life of faith through their spiritual guidance and celebration of the sacraments.

On behalf of all the active and retired priests of the diocese, I am grateful for your prayers and for your generous support of the Father's Day Collection for our aged and infirm diocesan priests. Please be assured of my prayers for you.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Most Reverend R. Daniel Conlon Bishop of Joliet

Community News

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FINDING THE HEAVENLY TREASURE **ADULT VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**

JUNE 19-20, 26-27, 2013 6:30 PM - 9:30 PM

Notre Dame Church 64 Norfolk Ave. Clarendon Hills, IL 60514

Cost: \$100 To register: Contact: Dr. Doug Muir dmuir@notredameparish.org (630) 654-3365 x 244

Catholics Read The Bible Too!

The Catholic Approach to Sacred Scripture.

This study will open the Bible for newcomers and experienced Bible students alike, providing a real boost to those looking to gain more from study of the Bible. Participants will become comfortable finding their way around the Bible, develop a better understanding of its themes and writing styles, and gain clear insights about Catholic use and interpretation of the Bible.

What to Expect:

Each day has a different theme.

- Days One to Three: Fundamentals of the ٠ Catholic approach to reading Scripture
- Days Four and Five: Practice with the funda-٠ mentals

Who should attend? Anyone who wants a systematic yet basic introduction to how to read the Bible as a Catholic. Especially useful for people who work with Scripture in parish ministries: catechetical leaders, youth ministers, deacons, pastoral associates, catechists of children and youth, catechists of adults, R.C.I.A. team members, lectors, Bible study and prayer group leaders and participants.

Materials Needed: Catholic Bible



DONATE YOUR **USED SOCCER BALLS**

My name is Dominik Gliatis and I am asking for your help. I am collecting used soccer balls for children in Tanzania, Africa. This project is a collaboration with Troop 82 Eagle Scout Project and Special Kids Day, a local not for profit charity.

Please bring any used soccer balls to church during the weekend of June 29/30. There will be a marked bin in the narthex for collection.

One soccer ball serves twenty kids! They currently roll up any paper they have to create a ball. Please help me to help the children of Tanzania know what it is like to play with a real ball.

Eighth graders needing Confirmation service hours can contact Mrs. Kathleen Gusloff (630)-269-0744. She will provide information regarding this project. For questions please call Dominik Gliatis at (630) 808-1146.



WORLD MARRIAGE **ENCOUNTER**

God sent his only begotten Son, Jesus, to die for our sins. Jesus loved us, and gave himself up for us so that we who have been forgiven of much, could love much. We are called to reach out and love others with the Love of Jesus. Allow Love to strengthen, renew, rekindle and even transform your marriage sacrament. Attend the next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend on August 10-12, 2013. Contact Jim and Kris McCulloch, 630-577-0778. For more information visit our website at: wwmejoliet.org.

MINISTRY SCHEDULE SATURDAY, JUNE 22 SUNDAY, JUNE 23, 2013					
	4:30 PM	8:30 AM	10:30 AM		
Presider	Fr. Taschetta	Fr. Taschetta Fr. Taschetta			
Lector	B. Dunn	K. Sutkus	M. Reed		
Eucharistic Ministers	K. Diggins (S) B. Lawlor (C) B. Eadon G. Los K. Passarelli S. Pingtore C. Reisenbuckler T. Sabel	N. Williamson (S) D. Bernstein (C) J. Elchorst D. Gornick M. Grozik J. Lewand	B. Kevil (C)		
Altar Servers	S. Harrington G. Vandenberg C. Hernandez	K. Lewand M. McDonough J. Mirretti	R. Hendron M. Kerley J. Mirretti		



Collection Totals for: Sunday, June 9, 2013	
Adults	\$7,839.10
Parish Pay	\$4,114.35
Children	\$26.00
Collection Total	\$11,979.45

165 parishioner envelopes were used. 142 parishioners - Parish Pay.

Thank you for your continued kindness and **Generosity!** Blessings to you!



Sunday, June 16, 2013

8:30 a.m. † Roberto García 10:30 a.m. † Albert Fuchsen

Monday, June 17, 2013 8:30 a.m. † Dolores Hayden

Tuesday, June 18, 2013 8:30 a.m. † Dr. James Cassidy

- Wednesday, June 19, 2013 8:30 a.m. † Lino Magnelli
- Thursday, June 20, 2013 8:30 a.m. † Fay St. Pierre
- Friday, June 21, 2013 8:30 a.m. Communion Service

Saturday, June 22, 2013 4:30 p.m. † Patrick McDonald

Sunday, June 23, 2013

8:30 a.m.	+	Tony Carlevato
10:30 a.m.	†	Joe Micheli

† indicates person is deceased

Readings for the Week of June 16, 2013

Sunday:	2 Sm 12:7-10, 13/Gal 2:16, 19-21/
	Lk 7:36-8:3 or 7:36-50
Monday:	2 Cor 6:1-10/Mt 5:38-42
Tuesday:	2 Cor 8:1-9/Mt 5:43-48
Wednesday:	2 Cor 9:6-11/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
Thursday:	2 Cor 11:1-11/Mt 6:7-15
Friday:	2 Cor 11:18, 21-30/Mt 6:19-23
Saturday:	2 Cor 12:1-10/Mt 6:24-34
Next Sunday:	Zec 12:10-11; 13:1/Gal 3:26-29/
	Lk 9:18-24

Prayer List

Please pray for the sick of our Parish

Peter Bolan **Jenna Baston** Roberta Liljegren **Kira Spedale**

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





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