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Sheep Without a Shepherd

• When he disembarked and saw the vast crowd, his heart was moved with pity for them, for they were like sheep without a shepherd; and he began to teach them many things. *Mk* 6:34

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July 19, 2015

16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Worship Schedule

Weekend Masses

Saturday 4:30 p.m.

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

Weekday Schedule

Mon., Tues., Thurs., and Fri.: Mass Wed.: 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. Required Baptismal preparation on the 2nd Tues. at 7:30 p.m. Call Deacon Alex to register.

Marriage

Please contact the Pastor at least 6 months in advance.

Parish Office Hours

Monday - Thursday: 9:00am - 4:00pm Friday: 9:00am - 12:00 Noon

Pastoral Staff

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A Note from Father Jason

Summer is travel season. It is a time for vacations and getaways. I personally love to travel, but for me the worst part

is packing. It is nerve racking deciding what to bring and what to leave behind. Ultimately, I end up putting everything out that I think I need and then pulling stuff out until everything fits. Of course, by "fits" I mean all that which I can get into the bag while sitting on it, rolling clothes as tightly as possible, and praying that the zipper does not burst as it groans its way closed. I suppose it goes back to my life as a boy scout, where in order to "be prepared" we learned to tie extra shoes to the outside of the backpack to increase storage.

In last weekend's gospel, we heard the message that we should learn to pack light and trust God. "He instructed them to take nothing for the journey but a walking stick-no food, no sack, no money in their belts." Jesus gave the Twelve Apostles a remarkable mission. He sent them out two by two to preach repentance, to cast out evil spirits, and to heal the sick. And he made them do it in a spirit of complete dependence upon God. They were not allowed to take anything along that would have given them material comfort or security. These men--who did not even have the witness of other apostles or saints to inspire or give them courage, and who had not yet beheld the Resurrection of the Lord--stepped out into the world with literally nothing but their faith in this man named Jesus. And look what happened!

In this weekend's gospel, the disciples returned, full of excitement of all that they were able to accomplish. Empowered by the Lord, "The Twelve drove out many demons, and they anointed with oil many who were sick and cured them." I am sure that they had stories to tell. However, Jesus encourages them to go away and reflect so that the success of their journey does not become another attachment for them. And so He calls us to stop and reflect, because it is only when we do so that we can see how it was Him who helped us all along.

If the apostles can trust God and work miracles, imagine what we could do if we were willing to go out, not just on vacation, but into our lives, with that kind of complete trust in God over even our own ability to force a zipper closed. Ultimately, I find

over and over again that even if I forget something or find myself lacking in some way, I find a way to live without it.

Brothers and Sisters, let us pack light, both materially and spiritually, confident that the Lord will provide. After all, we will be more mobile with fewer things and attachments to weigh us down. Plus, the fees for baggage are steep and in the end, we cannot even bring a bag for our final journey anyway. Lord, help us lighten our baggage and trust in your care for us!

Fr Jason

Parish News



FOOD COLLECTION!

The Food Collection for the Immaculate Conception/Walk-In Food Pantry will take place the weekend of July 25 and 26. Items needed include canned fruit, vegetables, soup, prepared food, peanut butter, jelly, pasta and spaghetti sauce, baking items, toilet tissue, paper towels, kleenex, coffee, tea, juice, personal items i.e. bar soap, shampoo, deodorant and tooth paste. Baking items are also appreciated.

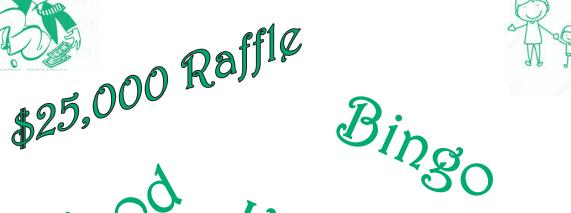
Mark Your Calendars!
Auction/Dinner Dance
will be held on
November 6, 2015
at
Alta Villa Banquet
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Questions? Call Sheila Reiter at 630-833-6657.

Mary Queen of Heaven Parish Fun For All!

Sunday, August 23

















All money raised will be used for the Parish Building Fund.

MARY QUEEN OF HEAVEN \$50,000 CASH RAFFLE

TO BENEFIT THE MQH BUILDING FUND

\$50,000 in cash prizes* 25 total prizes* only 1000 tickets to be sold

Drawing will be held on Sunday, August 23, 2015 at the MQH Fun For All! Mary Queen of Heaven 426 N. West Avenue Elmhurst, Illinois 60126 Call the Parish Office for Ticket Information (630) 279-5700 Ticket cost: \$100.00

1 ticket costs \$100

1st Prize- \$25,000 2nd Prize- \$5,000 3rd-6th Prizes- \$2,500 7th-10th Prizes- \$1,000 11th-20th Prizes- \$500 21st-25th Prizes- \$200

RULES

- Winners need not be present.
- Total prize money may be reduced proportionately if fewer that 1,000 tickets are sold. If this occurs, a minimum of one half of all monies collected will be awarded in prizes.
- All prizes are subject to Federal, State, and Local taxes.. Tax identification numbers on winning tickets must be provided with prizes over \$600 before the prize is awarded.
- Only one prize will be awarded per winning ticket.
- Prizes will be awarded only to the names on the ticket stubs.
- Raffle licensed by the City of Elmhurst.

Fill out this form including cash or a check and put it in the Sunday collection, drop off at the Parish Office, or mail it to the Mary Queen of Parish Office with your check payable to:

Mary Queen of Heaven Attn: Cash Raffle 426 N West Avenue, Elmhurst, IL 60126

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Name	
Address	
City	StateZip
Phone	Amount Paid

Parish News



RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA)

Our journey through life is seldom a straight path. Our personal choices or decisions that others make for us can impact our lives including our spiritual lives.

- Are you, or do you know of someone who was baptized in the Catholic faith, but for various reasons never completed their sacramental preparation by receiving Eucharist and Confirmation?
- Perhaps your family moved frequently or you never connected to a parish family in your younger years and were not part of a Religious Education program.
- Have you been attending Mass with your Catholic spouse, and have an interest in learning more about the Catholic faith?
- Do you know someone who is interested in becoming Catholic or someone who has never been baptized?

If you can relate to these situations, consider completing your sacramental preparation by looking into the RCIA!

Are you curious to learn more about how you can enrich your spiritual life through full participation in the life of the church through the sacraments?

Stop by Room 13 in the school at 9:30 a.m. on any of the following dates to meet the RCIA Team and to learn more about us and how you can become part of the Catholic Church: July 19 and 26.

You also contact Jo Styler directly: re@maryqueen.org or Deacon Alex and Marie Grozik: almar402@comcast.net

Parish Calendar



CALENDAR OF EVENTS **JULY 19 - JULY 26**

7/19 Sunday

8:30 AM Mass

9:30 AM RCIA Meet and Greet in School Room 13

10:30 AM Mass

2:00 PM Baptisms in Church

7/20 Monday

8:30 AM

2:00 PM Parish Staff Meeting

7/21 Tuesday

8:30 AM Mass

7/22 Wednesday

8:30 AM Communion Service 2:00 PM Baptisms in Church

7/23 Thursday

8:30 AM Mass

7/24 Friday

Deadline for the Bulletin of August 2, 2015

8:30 AM Mass

7/25 Saturday

Walk-in Ministry's Food Drive

3:30 PM Confessions

4:30 PM Mass

7/26 Sunday

Walk-in Ministry's Food Drive

8:30 AM Mass

9:30 AM RCIA Meet and Greet in School Room 13

10:30 AM Mass

10:30 AM Children's Liturgy of the Word

in School - Room 4

16TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

NOW THAT MY CHILDREN ARE GROWN AND HAVE THEIR OWN LIVES I TO PROTECT THEM ANY MORE



Diocesan News

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

Cathedral of St. Raymond in Joliet Sunday, August 30, 2015 at 2:00 p.m. For couples celebrating 25, 50 and more than 50 years of marriage

Last Name	
Husband	Wife
Address	
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Parish you Attend	
City	
Date of Marriage	
# of Yrs. Married in 2015	
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Pre-registration by mail required by <u>Aug</u>	• •
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The Thirty-seventh Annual Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass will be celebrated on Sunday, August 30, 2015 at 2:00 p.m. at the Cathedral of St. Raymond in Joliet. Couples celebrating anniversaries of 25 years, 50 years, and more than 50 years, are welcome to attend the event. Couples will receive a special blessing during the liturgy and will receive an anniversary certificate after the Mass. Our celebrant will be Bishop R. Daniel Conlon. Because of space limitations, there is not room for additional guests. However, if necessary, a caregiver/helper is very welcome to attend with the couple. Pre-registration is required; please complete and return the form or register online by August 10, 2015. For more information, please call 815-838-5334.

The Office of Family Ministry

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Email: familyministry@dioceseofjoliet.org

Catholic Education/Faith Formation

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION



Calling all MQH Middle Schoolers searching for a meaningful RE experience! Look no further.... it is right here at MQH! The **EDGE** published by Life Teen is the new model for middle school catechesis at MQH this Fall. The EDGE is not your average RE program!

The EDGE is a dynamic youth faith formation program open to teens in middle school grades 6-8. Learning the way of discipleship through rich prayer experiences, lively games and activities, powerful DVD clips, and small group faith sharing is a dynamic change from using a textbook to connect to Christ.

Parents, there will be an information meeting on September 2 at 7:00 p.m. in Barrett Hall to learn more about this catechetical process before the RE year begins.

Religious Education Office
Jo Styler, Director of Faith Formation
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MARY QUEEN OF HEAVEN PRESCHOOL AND KINDERGARTEN ENRICHMENT

Registration for the 2015-16 school year is underway. You are welcome to come in to visit our school. Individual tours are by appointment only and are scheduled on Mondays, Wednesdays or Fridays from 8:00am - 1:00pm.

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MINISTRY SCHEDULE SATURDAY, JULY 25 / SUNDAY, JULY 26 2015

	4:30 PM	8:30 AM	10:30 AM
Lector	R. Villamil	F. Tremmel	M. Reed
Eucharistic Ministers	T. Sabel (Capt) J. Alonso B. Lawlor G. Los K. Passarelli C. Reisenbuckler H. Todd	D. Gornick (Capt) D. Bernstein J. Eichorst D. Styka R. Styka K. Vicary	B. Carambot (Capt) W. Bonifiglio D. Justus R. Marro G. Pinkerton P. Twardowski
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Collection for: Sunday, July 12, 2015			
Sunday Collection	\$5,800.00		
Parish Pay	\$3,390.42		
Children	\$23.00		
Collection Total	\$9,213.42		

142 parishioner envelopes were used. 113 parishioners contributed via Parish Pay.



Sunday, July 19, 2015

8:30 a.m. † Frances Waschbusch

10:30 a.m. † Brian Hayes

Monday, July 20, 2015

8:30 a.m. † Francis and Della Schroedl

Tuesday, July 21, 2015

8:30 a.m.

Parishioners of Mary Queen

Wednesday, July 22, 2015

8:30 a.m.

Communion Service

Thursday, July 23, 2015

8:30 a.m.

† Albert Fuchsen

Friday, July 24, 2015

8:30 a.m. † Carrie Rentner

Saturday, July 25, 2015

4:30 p.m. † Janice Pivoney

Sunday, July 26, 2015

8:30 a.m. † Robert Bradley

10:30 a.m.

† Kimberly Robertson

† indicates person is deceased

Readings for the Week of July 19, 2015

Sunday: Jer 23:1-6/Eph 2:13-18/

Mk 6:30-34

Monday: Ex 14:5-18/Mt 12:38-42 Ex 14:21-15:1/Mt 12:46-50 Tuesday: Wednesday: Ex 16:1-5, 9-15/Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

Ex 19:1-2, 9-11, 16-20b/Mt 13:10-17 Thursday:

Ex 20:1-17/Mt 13:18-23 Friday: 2 Cor 4:7-15/Mt 20:20-28 Saturday:

Next Sunday: 2 Kgs 4:42-44/Eph 4:1-6/Jn 6:1-15

Pray for the Sick

Rosalie Honel John Perion



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



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