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August 23, 2015

21st Sunday in
Ordinary Time



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Solemnity of the Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary

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

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FATHER'S CORNER

Happy Feast Day! This weekend we celebrate our parish feast, Mary Queen of Heaven. We are blessed to have Mary as our saint and we give thanks for how she has helped our community, pray for her helping hand to continue to guide us, and of course we celebrate the many blessings that being members of Mary Queen of Heaven Parish brings into our lives!

This weekend is our annual outdoor Mass to take advantage of the wonderful summer weather (Hail Mary, intercede for us so that we may be blessed with a day full of sunshine.) We have expanded the after Mass social into a picnic style event called the MQH Fun for All. Please join us at both events. Proceeds will help cover the cost of new windows and climate control for the school building.

I am excited to announce a new beginning for our High School Youth ministry. Last year, three of our neighbor parishes entered into a new paradigm for engaging our parishioners who are in High School. As they looked at how best to provide Youth Ministry, they realized that all of our public school youth attend the same high school... York. Each parish could only provide limited resources for a youth minister, but together could hire a full time youth minister that could provide more events that more youth would attend with any and all of their friends from school. They realized that this creates an opportunity to work together.

After one year of this arrangement, it is evident that the experiment is a success. 10 activities per month are being offered and participation has been good. As I have discerned the options for our Youth Ministry, it was quickly apparent that we could not provide the same level of activity that is already being offered. And so, Mary Queen will join our neighbors in this combined effort in Youth Ministry. The youth minister that is in charge of this effort is Marcia Lane-McGee. I look forward to working with her and helping her and the youth of Elmhurst build a successful ministry that will help the young members of our Church to grow into the leaders that God is calling them to become.

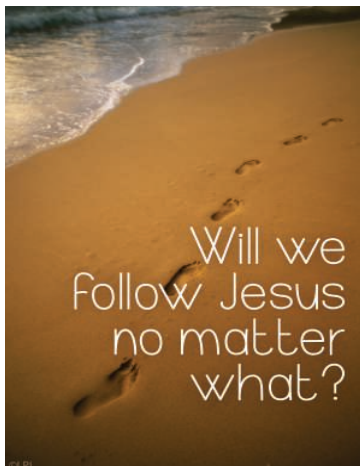
Fr. Jason



Hi! My name is Marcia Lane-McGee and I am so excited to join the MQH youth ministry collaborative that includes Visitation, Immaculate Conception and St. Charles Borromeo! I have been working with the teens in Elmhurst and Bensenville for the last year, and I am so humbled to be able to share God's love with the young church!

Growing up Protestant, my experiences with the faith were during my years of receiving a Catholic education on the city's north side in grade school and then at Regina Dominican for high school. After my sophomore year at Benedictine University, I felt a tug on my heart to make scripture and tradition a part of my life and joined the Church in April of 2000. There is no way I can express how blessed I am to be here and to have the opportunity to grow in faith with all of you and I am looking forward to getting to know all of you and your families!

Marcia Lane-McGee



WEEKLY EVENTS

8/23 Sunday

- 8:30 AM Mass
10:30 AM Outdoor Mass
12:00 PM Parish Picnic in Parish Grounds

8/24 Monday

- 8:15 AM Preschool & KEP First Day of Class
8:30 AM Mass
2:00 PM Parish Staff Meeting
7:00 PM Parish Pastoral Council in School - Room 13

8/25 Tuesday

- 8:30 AM Mass
9:30 AM Morning Bible Study in Barrett Hall
6:30 PM CRHP Women in School Rm 1
7:30 PM Auction/Dinner Dance Committee Meeting in Barrett Hall

8/26 Wednesday

- 8:30 AM Communion Service
7:00 PM Catechist Orientation in Barrett Hall

8/27 Thursday

- 8:30 AM Mass
9:00 AM Yoga in Barrett Hall

8/28 Friday

- Deadline for the Bulletin of September 6**
8:30 AM Mass
5:00 PM Wedding Ceremony Jurkowski

8/29 Saturday

- Walk-in Ministry's Food Drive**
3:30 PM Confessions
4:30 PM Mass

8/30 Sunday

- Walk-in Ministry's Food Drive**
8:30 AM Mass
10:30 AM Mass
10:30 AM Children's Liturgy of the Word in School Room 4

PARISH NEWS

AUCTION/DINNER DANCE MEETING SUNDAY, AUGUST 23

The next meeting of the Auction/Dinner Dance Committee will be on Tuesday, August 25th at 7:30 p.m. in Barrett Hall. We are still looking for volunteers to help with this event. If you would like to help out, please come on Tuesday evening. The more hands we have the lighter the work. Be sure to mark your calendars, and invite families and friends to join you the evening of NOVEMBER 6th at Alta Villa Banquets in Addison. You'll enjoy the festivities that will take place and have a chance to do early Christmas Shopping by bidding on the auction baskets and items that will be available. Why not plan on filling a table of 10. Remember all the profits from this event are for needy families in our parish and the surrounding area. If you have any questions or would like to volunteer to help, please contact Sheila at (630) 833-6657 or Mary at (630) 833-9809.

FOOD COLLECTION SATURDAY, AUGUST 29 AND SUNDAY AUGUST 30

The Food Collection for the Immaculate Conception/Walk-In Food Pantry will take place the weekend of August 29 and 30. 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.



ALTAR SERVER TRAINING SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 12

If you are in grades 4 through 8 and interested in becoming an altar server, there will be a training session on Saturday, September 12th from 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. for new and returning servers. We ask that one parent is present at the training to help the servers understand their roles during the Mass. For additional questions, please contact John Vosicky at jkvosicky@sbcglobal.net or (773)206-4937.



Stewardship

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your continued
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and generosity.



WEEKLY OFFERINGS REPORT SUNDAY, AUGUST 16, 2015

Sunday Collection	\$6,163.00	128 parishioners envelopes
Parish Pay	\$3,390.42	115 parishioners
Children	\$10.50	
Collection Total	\$9,563.92	243 parishioners



Mary Queen of Heaven
PRESCHOOL and KEP

There are currently a few openings in the preschool classes. Please call or email if you would like a tour. The kindergarten enrichment program (KEP) registration is closed. Please call or email if you would like to be placed on the wait list.

The first day of classes will be Monday, August 24.

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PARISH NEWS

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Today is the “last hurrah” before school starts! Be on the lookout for the RE mailing with the calendar and other valuable information about the RE year.

- ◆ September 2 - Middle School Parent Meeting for EDGE experience
- ◆ September 9 - All RE Family Kick Off for the new RE year
- ◆ September 16 - Classes begin for all RE youngsters

Still needed:

Session 2 (5:15 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. on Wednesdays)

3 catechists for 7th grade

2 catechists for 6th grade

Session 3 (6:45 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. on Wednesdays)

2 catechists for 5th grade

At MQH, catechists are valued for giving their time and sharing their faith. **Parents who serve as catechists may have their child’s tuition waived.** Please consider joining the catechetical team and serve as a catechist.

DIOCESAN NEWS

CATHOLIC CHARITIES MOBILE FOOD PANTRY IS COMING! THURSDAY, AUGUST 27

On Thursday, August 27 from 12:00 Noon to 2:00 p.m., Catholic Charities' Mobile Food Pantry will be distributing food at St. Charles Borromeo (145 E Grand Avenue, Bensenville) in the church parking lot (rain or shine). Catholic Charities and the Northern Illinois Food Bank have partnered to deliver nutritious food (meat, produce and nonperishable items) to people in need.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THESE MEMBERS OF OUR PARISH COMMUNITY:

Heather Brand
Eugene M. Godawa Jr.
Rosalie Honel
Clarence Pacheco
Bud Rogers
Teri Rogers
Jon Perion



DIOCESAN NEWS



**Who smokes
the best ribs
in Elmhurst?**

**It's time to find
out!**

SUNDAY

Sept. 6

**2-9 pm, City parking
lot at York & Vallette**

END THE SUMMER WITH A BANG!

- ★ RIB COOK-OFF
- ★ LIVE MUSIC
- ★ BAGS TOURNEY
- ★ BEER AND BARBECUE
- ★ GREAT RAFFLE PRIZES
- ★ KIDS ENTERTAINMENT
- AND MUCH, MUCH MORE!

**ALL PROCEEDS FROM THE EVENT WILL BENEFIT THE ELMHURST
WALK-IN MINISTRY, A COMMUNITY ORGANIZATION OFFERING
EMERGENCY FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE TO MEMBERS OF THE
ELMHURST COMMUNITY.**

**TO REGISTER TO COMPETE, BE AN EVENT SPONSOR, OR LEARN MORE
ABOUT EWIM, GO TO WWW.ELMHURSTWALKINMINISTRY.ORG.**

DIOCESAN NEWS



“COME AND SEE”

Biblical Institute
of the Diocese of Joliet

PREVIEW NIGHTS

AUGUST EVENTS

St. Isidore's Parish

427 W. Army Trail Rd., Bloomingdale
August 19 7-8:30 p.m.

Assumption Parish

245 S. Kankakee St., Coal City
August 25 7-8:30 p.m.

St. Rose of Lima Parish

626 S. Kankakee St., Wilmington
August 26 7-8:30 p.m.

St. Matthew Parish

1555 Glen Ellyn Rd., Glendale Hts.
August 27 7-8:30 p.m.

This September, the Diocese of Joliet registers for **TWO** Biblical Institute sites: Assumption Parish in Coal City and St. Matthew Parish in Glendale Heights.

If you're interested in learning the Bible, but aren't sure if this is the program for you, join us for a BIDJ Preview Night. You'll learn a lot about this great diocesan program—and a few things that will help you with Scripture right now.

Jesus invited potential disciples to “come and see.” We invite *you* to “come and see” how BIDJ can help

- **Learn about** the Catholic approach to Scripture, and how this program uses it.
- **Meet** a BIDJ instructor.
- **Talk to** current BIDJ students.
- **Learn how** this kind of Scripture study can help you grow in your Catholic faith.
- **See** the resources used in this program.
- **Get a feel** for a typical BIDJ class.
- **Ask** your questions about BIDJ and about Bible study in general.



For more information
about the Biblical Institute
of the Diocese of Joliet:

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(Click on *Biblical Institute.*)

FREE!

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

SATURDAY, AUGUST 29 / SUNDAY, AUGUST 30 2015

	4:30 PM	8:30 AM	10:30 AM
Lector	B. Lawlor	B. Nosek	M. Reed
Eucharistic Ministers	C. Reisenbuckler (Capt) J. Alonso K. Diggins G. Los S. Pingatore T. Sabel J. Vilim	N. Williamson (Capt) D. Bernstein J. Eichorst D. Styka R. Styka K. Vicary	M. Reed (Capt) W. Bonfiglio K. Carambot R. Marro G. Pinkerton P. Twardowski
Altar Servers	R. Lewand T. Serpico G. Hernandez	D. Dunn E. Fahey J. Fahey	E. Frank J. Frank R. Klein



Sunday, August 23, 2015

8:30 a.m. † Fabio Fuggiti
10:30 a.m. Parishioners of Mary Queen

Monday, August 24, 2015

8:30 a.m. Jo Styler

Tuesday, August 25, 2015

8:30 a.m. Altar Servers

Wednesday, August 26, 2015

8:30 a.m. Communion Service

Thursday, August 27, 2015

8:30 a.m. † Brenda Scanlon

Friday, August 28, 2015

8:30 a.m. † Carla Conlon

Saturday, August 29, 2015

4:30 p.m. † Rosalyn Adair

Sunday, August 30, 2015

8:30 a.m. † Della Schroedl
10:30 a.m. † Brian Hayes

† indicates person is deceased

Readings for the Week of August 23, 2015

Sunday, August 23:

Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jos 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b/
Eph 5:21-32 or 5:2a, 25-32/Jn 6:60-69

Monday, August 24:

Bartholomew, Apostle

Rv 21:9b-14/Jn 1:45-51

Tuesday, August 25:

Saint Louis; Joseph Calasanz, Priest

1 Thes 2:1-8/Mt 23:23-26

Wednesday, August 26:

1 Thes 2:9-13/Mt 23:27-32

Thursday, August 27:

Saint Monica

1 Thes 3:7-13/Mt 24:42-51

Friday, August 28:

Augustine, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

1 Thes 4:1-8/Mt 25:1-13

Saturday, August 29:

The Passion of John the Baptist

1 Thes 4:9-11/Mk 6:17-29

Next Sunday, August 30:

Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dt 4:1-2, 6-8/Jas 1:17-18, 21b-22, 27/
Mk 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

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