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November 13, 2016

33rd Sunday in **Ordinary Time**

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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 a.m.

Sacraments

Reconciliation - Saturday 3:30 p.m.

1st and 3rd Sundays of the month at 12:00 p.m. Required Baptismal preparation on the 2nd Tues. at 7:30 p.m. Call the Parish Office to register.

Marriage

Please contact the Pastor at least 6 months in

Parish Office Hours

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

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"For I myself shall give you a wisdom in speaking that all your adversaries will be powerless to resist or refute." - Lk 21:15

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A Message From Father Jason

Over the past few years, I have noticed a shift in how Catholics approach funerals. The traditional approach of having an evening visitation followed by a funeral and immediate burial is becoming less common and it is becoming more common for the body to be cremated before the funeral ritual is celebrated, sometimes even delaying the ritual and burial.

Catholics profess a faith that originated in the resurrection of the body of Our Savior. We look forward to the resurrection on the last day, when our bodies will be glorified. It is based on this faith that we hold that, even after death, the bodies of the dead should be laid to rest with fitting honor and dignity.

In 1963, the instruction of the Church was changed to allow for the faithful who request cremation to be granted a Christian burial. Only more recently was permission granted to celebrate a funeral liturgy in the presence of cremated remains. It is important to note that the Church has never taught that cremation is an equal choice to burial of the body. Cremation is allowed because it is "not opposed to Christian religion."

Concerned with the great increase in the use of cremation in recent years and a growing tendency for persons to choose not to be buried in a timely manner or even in a proper burial place, the Congregation of the Doctrine of the Faith has released a new document entitled *To Rise with Christ* in order to reaffirm the teaching of the Church on proper burial.

There are no new instructions or changes in practice in this document. The document reaffirms that:

- 1. The Church continues to prefer the practice of burying the bodies of the deceased, because this practice maintains the integrity of the body.
- 2. The choice to be cremated is permitted, but the choice may not be motivated by reasons contrary to Christian faith, such as a lack of respect for the body or denial of belief in the resurrection.
- 3. The Church will continue to show proper respect to cremated remains, providing a Mass in their presence and a Christian burial.
- 4. Cremated remains must be laid to rest in a sacred place, such as a cemetery or a chapel designated for that purpose.
- 5. Cremated remains may not be kept in a domestic residence.
- 6. Cremated remains may not be scattered in any way. They may not be divided and kept in different places. They may not be made into jewelry or other objects. The intention to do so is grounds to deny the celebration of a Christian funeral.

If you have further questions, I encourage you to read the document online or to contact me.

Fr. Jason

WEEKLY EVENTS

11/13 **Sunday**

Thanksgiving Food Drive

8:30 AM Mass

9:30 AM RCIA in School Rm. 13

10:30 AM Mass

10:30 AM Children's Liturgy

11/14 Monday

8:30 AM Mass

5:00 PM MQH Preschool

Open House

6:30 PM Thanksgiving Food Drive

Sorting in Church

11/15 Tuesday

7:00 AM Coffee And... in

Barrett Hall

8:30 AM Mass

9:00 AM Adult Bible Study in

School Rm. 13

7:00 PM CCW Appetizers &

Desserts for the Holidays

in Barrett Hall

7:30 PM Baptism Prep in Church

11/16 Wednesday

Deadline for the Bulletin of November 27, 2016

8:30 AM Communion Service

3:15 PM RE Classes (Thanksgiving

Food Drive)

11/17 Thursday

8:30 AM Mass

9:00 AM Yoga in School Rm. 1

7:30 PM Choir Practice in Church

11/18 Friday

8:30 AM Mass

6:30 PM Thanksgiving Food Drive

Pick-Up in Church

11/19 Saturday

10:00 AM RE 1st Reconciliation

in Church

3:30 PM Reconciliation

4:30 PM Mass

11/20 **Sunday**

8:30 AM Mass

9:30 AM RCIA in School Rm. 13

10:30 AM Mass

10:30 AM Children's Liturgy

11:30 AM Advent Family Event in

Barrett Hall

12:00 PM Baptisms in Church

Parish News



THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE NOVEMBER 12 AND 13

Our Thanksgiving Food Drive will be held the weekend of November 12 &13. As in past years we have adopted 25 families. We are in need of canned soup, vegetables, fruit, prepared foods, cranberry sauce, dressing, cereal, peanut butter & jelly, condiments, goodies, baking items, drinks, coffee & tea, paper towels, kleenex, toilet tissue, laundry soap, dish soap, and personal bars of soap. Also, cleaning supplies.

Help is needed on Monday, November 14 at 6:30 p.m. to sort the food and prepare the food baskets. If you can give a few hours of your time, please give Sheila a call at (630) 833-6657.

TABLE OF REMEMBRANCE

Thank you to all who brought in photos for our Table of Remembrance. This action helped to expand our view of family and remind us of the lives and gifts of these individuals. May they rest in the peace of God. With Thanksgiving approaching the table will need to be taken down by November 21. Please begin taking your photos home. Thank you.

MQH FAMILY ADVENT EVENT SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 20 IN BARRETT HALL

MQH Family Advent Event will take place on November 20 from 11:30am - 1:00pm. Families are invited to learn more about the season of Advent by making an Advent wreath, doing a service project together, playing a game, and praying together. The event is free, but you must register the number of family members who will attend. Call Jo at the



REO (630) 832-8962 or Genet at the Preschool (630) 833-9500 to register your family by Wednesday, November 16.

ALTAR SERVER TRAINING SUNDAY, DECEMBER 11

If you are in grades 4 through 8 and interested in becoming an altar server, there will be a training session on Sunday, December 11 from 12:00pm to 1:00pm 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 **ikvosicky@sbcglobal.net** or (773) 206-4937.

THE DEADLINE FOR BULLETIN ARTICLES FOR: NOVEMBER 27 IS WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 16

FAITH FORMATION NEWS

MQH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

The MQH RE Saint Parade was a holy time to learn about the Saints. At home, the parents and children learned about a Saint. In class the children presented what they learned about the Saint. Even our newest Saint, St. Teresa of Calcutta, made an appearance! Thanks to the parents who worked with their children to learn about the Saints and to create a costume for this fun activity.

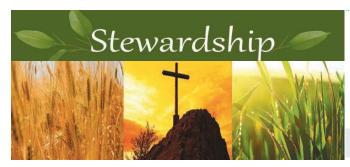
There is no RE on November 23 due to the Thanksgiving holiday! Savor the gifts that bless your lives!







Pictures taken by Les Otto and Jodi Faley



WEEKLY OFFERINGS REPORT SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 2016

Sunday	\$6,014.00	146 parishioners envelopes
Parish Pay	\$2,850.46	102 Parishioners
Children	\$0.00	
Total	\$8,864.46	248 parishioners

MQH Preschool News

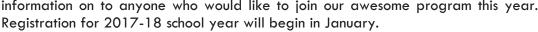
MQH PRESCHOOL OCTOBER ACTIVITIES

We had a few blustery days of scarecrow building. Thank you Less Otto and Herb Schwartz for securing our scarecrow creations so that they stay up all season. We had so much fun at our Halloween celebration. The event was planned well and executed flawlessly by a great group of parents. Later, additional parents and staff came to help so that the children could trick or treat in front of the Church.



We currently have openings in our classes. We have one T/Th opening in Preschool and there are two spots open in the KEP class. Please pass this

information on to anyone who would like to join our awesome program this year.



Open house dates are as follows:

Monday, November 14, 5:00pm - 7:00pm Saturday, January 14, 3:30pm - 6:30pm Sunday, January 15, 9:30am - 12:30pm

Become a part of our growing school. Schedule a visit, meet the teachers, and see the classrooms. for current and past families begins January 1st. registration for new families begins January 16th. Registration papers can be found on our website, they can be picked up in the office, and will be available at the open houses.







Parish Events

Recipe

CCW APPETIZERS AND DESSERTS TUESDAY NOVEMBER 15 AT 7:00 PM IN BARRETT HALL NEED SOME NEW RECIPES FOR THE HOLIDAYS?

Join the CCWs from Mary Queen of Heaven and St. Charles Borromeo on Tuesday, November 15th at 7:00 p.m. in Barrett Hall. We welcome **Kathy Leville**, who was previously in charge of the Culinary Department at College of DuPage. Kathy will prepare some delicious appetizers and desserts for us to sample! If you have a favorite appetizer or dessert that you would like to share with others, feel free to bring it along. Be sure to bring copies of the recipe. Please RSVP to Sheila at (630) 833-6657 if you are planning to attend.



CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT - NOVEMBER 19-20, 2016

The Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD) works to be a voice of hope for those on the margins of society who experience the realities of living in poverty. CCHD supports programs to heal the wounds of crime and violence, advocate for more just policies, protect God's creation, and develop strong communities. Your donation to CCHD will help build a society where all have a voice and all know their inherent dignity. Funding from the collection offers new hope every year to those living in poverty throughout the United States. 25% of the collection's proceeds stay here in



our diocese to fight poverty in our communities and defend the dignity of our neighbors. Help us defend human dignity and show Christ's charity to those in need. For more information about the collection for CCHD and the groups it funds, please visit <u>www.usccb.org/cchd</u>

COMMUNITY NEWS

ICCP INVITES STUDENTS TO SECOND OPEN HOUSE ON NOVEMBER 16

IC Catholic Prep (ICCP) will be hosting its second Open House for prospective students and their parents on Wednesday, November 16th in the IC Gym located at the corner of York and Arthur in Elmhurst. Doors will open for the opening presentation at 6:30pm. Plan to attend this Open House, spend a Shadow Day on our campus, and/or make arrangements for a personal tour. It's the best possible way to discover ICCP. For questions about Open House, please call Mrs. Kate Luburic in the Admissions Office at (530) 530-3484 or visit www.lccatholicPrep.org to pre-register for this Open House event on-line.

Weekend Ministry Schedule Saturday, November 19, Sunday November 20, 2016

	4:30 PM	8:30 AM	10:30 AM
Lector	S. Griffin	F. Tremmel	H. Brand
Eucharistic Ministers	M. White (Capt.) B. Lawlor K. Passarelli S. Pingitore	K. Vicary (Capt.) D. Hall M. Hall N. Williamson	G. Pinkerton (Capt.) K. Mueller D. Styka R. Styka P. Twardowski
Altar Servers	B. Harrington J. Harrington		E. Frank J. Frank



Sunday, November 13, 2016

8:30 a.m. † George Whitting 10:30 a.m. † Franz Frank

Monday, November 14, 2016

8:30 a.m. † Olympia Sarvida

Tuesday, November 15, 2016

8:30 a.m. Parishioners of Mary Queen

Wednesday, November 16, 2016

8:30 a.m. Communion Service

Thursday, November 17, 2016

8:30 a.m. Susana Caicedo de Gómez

Friday, November 18, 2016

8:30 a.m. † Ed Wilson

Saturday, November 19, 2016

4:30 p.m. † Donna Otto

Sunday, November 20, 2016

8:30 a.m. † AliceAnne Burny Salzman

10:30 a.m. † Filomena Nardulli

† indicates person is deceased

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR FELLOW PARISHIONERS

Emma Barz Hilda Daly Maria Pena Geri Pstrzoch John Rossi



Readings for the Week of November 13, 2016

Next Sunday: 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mal 3:19-20a/Ps 98:5-9/2 Thes 3:7-12/Lk 21:5-19

Monday:

Rv 1:1-4; 2:1-5/Ps 1:1-4, 6/Lk 18:35-43

Tuesday:

St Albert the Great, Bishop and Doctor of the Church Rv 3:1-6, 14-22/Ps 15:2-5/Lk 19:1-10

Wednesday:

St Margaret of Scotland; St Gertrude, Virgin Rv 4:1-11/Ps 150:1-6/Lk 19:11-28

Thursday

St Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious Rv 5:1-10/Ps 149:1-6, 9/Lk 19:41-44

Friday

Dedication of the Basilicas of Sts Peter and Paul, Apostles; St Rose Philippine Duchesne, Virgin

Rv 10:8-11/Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131/Lk 19:45-48

Dedication: Acts 28:11-16, 30-31/Mt 14:22-33

Saturday

Rv 11:4-12/Ps 144:1-2, 9-10/Lk 20:27-40

Next Sunday:

Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe 2 Sm 5:1-3/Ps 122:1-5/Col 1:12-20/Lk 23:35-43

Please call the Parish Office to add a name to our Prayer List. Names will appear for one month. A new listing will appear in bold face.



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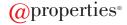


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