

# MARY QUEEN OF HEAVEN CHURCH

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# Fourth 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.

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 Deacon Alex to register.

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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# A MESSAGE FROM FR. JASON

"Rejoice and be glad, for your reward will be great in heaven." This verse, which we hear in this Sunday's Gospel, is the culmination of the beatitudes. The iconic "blessed are" statements are reminders of how God has favored us. Many of them speak of his favor, even in the midst of our poverty, our smallness, our mourning, our suffering, our battles against evil.

Perhaps at no time do we feel more able to rejoice and be glad in God's blessing than at Christmas. That celebration may feel like a distant memory at this point, but this week, forty days after the birth of Jesus, the celebration continues as we recount the Presentation of Jesus. This celebration recounts another step in Jesus becoming present in our world, as He was presented to Simeon in the Temple, who proclaims, "Lord, now you let your servant go in peace, your word has been fulfilled." The Presentation of Jesus is a celebration with special ritual attached to it, the procession and blessing of candles. Once again, as throughout Advent and into the twelve days of Christmas, we are made aware of the light of Christ, whose sacrifice for our salvation, shines into the darkness of our world. His light is what moves us to "Rejoice and be glad."

Also this week is the celebration of the memorial of Saint Blaise. Saint Blaise was a fourth century bishop of Armenia (modern day Turkey) who was martyred for his witness of the faith. While in prison, it is believed that he miraculously intervened and saved a boy who was choking on a fish bone. His story was not forgotten and by the sixth century there is evidence of prayers to him for healing of diseases of the throat. By the sixteenth century, a ritual of blessing throats with crossed candles was widespread.

As we push our way through the gloominess of January, all the while doing our best to avoid the respiratory problems that our damp, cold weather brings this time of year, these celebrations bring a little light into our darkness. Dare to rejoice and be glad, for Jesus is presenting opportunities to you to enter into the warmth of the light he shines into the world.

May God bless you with the ability to rejoice and be glad as you marvel in His wondrous light and seek His protection against winter's ailments. St. Blaise

Fr. Jason

### St. Blaise and the Blessing of Throats

"Through the intercession of St. Blase, bishop and martyr, may God deliver you from every disease of the throat and from every other illness: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, ♣ and of the Holy Spirit" (Book of Blessings #1633).

### **WEEKLY EVENTS**

#### 1/29 Sunday

4th Sunday in Ordinary Time Walk-in Ministry Food Drive

8:30 AM Mass

9:30 AM RCIA in Rm. 13

9:30 AM RCIA for Children in Rm. 1

10:30 AM Mass

10:30 AM Children's Liturgy of the Word

in Rooms 4-5

1/30 Monday

8:30 AM Mass

7:00 PM Parish Pastoral Council

in Barrett Hall

1/31 Tuesday

8:30 AM Mass

**9:00 AM** Adult Bible Study in Rm. 13

**6:30 PM** CHRP Women in Rm. 13 **7:30 PM** Lector Training in Church

2/1 Wednesday

8:30 AM Communion Service

3:15 PM RE Classes

2/2 Thursday

8:30 AM Mass

9:00 AM Yoga in Rm. 1

7:00 PM Eastern DuPage Deanery

in Barrett Hall

7:30 PM Choir Practice in Church

2/3 Friday

Deadline Bulletin February 12, 2017

8:30 AM Mass

2/4 Saturday

#### **CONFIRMATION RETREAT**

9:30 AM Albert Klopacz Funeral

3:30 PM Reconciliation

4:30 PM Mass

2/5 Sunday

5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 AM Mass

9:30 AM RCIA in Rm. 13

9:30 AM RCIA for Children in Rm. 1

10:30 AM Mass

10:30 AM Children's Liturgy of the Word

in Rooms 4-5

12:00 PM Baptisms in Church

DEADLINE FOR THE
FEBURARY 12TH BULLETIN IS
FRIDAY FEBRUARY 3RD AT NOON.

Thank you for Your consideration

#### Parish News

#### LECTOR TRAINING JANUARY 31ST

Lector training will take place at 7:30 PM in the Church. The duties of a lector are not



difficult but are important and fulfilling to both our parish and to the lector. No experience needed. For more information, please contact **Ellen Walker at 630-279-4021**.

# FOOD COLLECTION JANUARY 28TH AND JANUARY 29TH

The Food Collection for the Immaculate Conception/Walk-In Food Pantry will take place the weekend of January 28th and 29th. 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 and baking items. Personal items such as bar soap, shampoo, deodorant and tooth paste are also appreciated.

# EUCHARISTIC ADORATION MONDAY, FEBRUARY 6

Good friends find pleasure in one another's company. Let us know pleasure in the company of our best Friend...who loves us beyond measure. (St. Alphonsus



Liguori) Come and adore Him during our next day of Eucharistic Adoration on Monday, February 6, from 9:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. when we close the day with Benediction. All are invited! Our sister parish, Visitation, provides 24/7 adoration in the convent chapel, 799 S. York.



## Parish News

# Newly Baptized

January 15, 2017

Elizabeth Ryan Ni daughter of Chen & Nicole (Conness) Ni

Leo Joseph Santillanes son of Andy & Laura (Janke) Santillanes

The parish of Mary Queen welcomes you!



#### COMMUNITY NEWS

#### Foundations of the Faith

A series of six mini-courses focused on evangelization and the Catechism of the Catholic Church.

Open to any interested parishioner for ongoing faith formation; to RCIA teams; to lay ecclesial ministers and parish staff.

Completion of the "Foundations of the Faith" sequence also counts toward catechist certification for Religious Education and Catholic School teachers.

The Creed - East Deanery
Session 1—I Believe in God the Father
Session 2—I Believe in Jesus Christ
Session 3—I Believe in the Holy Spirit

St. Isaac Jogues Hinsdale 9:30-11:30AM

Creed 1—Tuesday, 2/21/17

Creed 2—Tuesday, 2/28/17 Creed 3—Tuesday, 3/7/17 Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, Darien 7:00-9:00PM

Creed 1—Tuesday, 2/21/17 Creed 2—Tuesday, 2/28/17 Creed 3—Tuesday, 3/21/17

#### Registration

St. Isaac Joques Helen Johnson 630-323-0265 Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Margaret Pinas 630-852-3303



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## **CHRISTMAS DONATION**



2016 CHRISTMAS DONATION

\$36,700.00

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# Stewardship

# WEEKLY OFFERINGS REPORT SUNDAY, JANUARY 24, 2017

Sunday	\$5,327	133 parishioners envelopes
Parish Pay	\$2,849	102 Parishioners
Total	\$8,176	235 parishioners

Thank your for your generosity

#### **2016 TAX STATEMENTS**

Donation accounts for 2016 have been closed. Your tax statements have been prepared and mailed. Any donations received after January 15, 2017 will appear on the 2017 tax statement. If you have any questions, please call the Parish Office at (630)279-5700.

### FAITH FORMATION NEWS

# FAITH FORMATION BELONGING

The concept of "belonging" is emphasized to 2nd graders as they prepare to receive the Sacraments of



Reconciliation and Eucharist. The lost sheep that wandered away lost sight that it belonged with the flock and the safety of the shepherd.

Children recognize the belonging in their family- the Domestic Church; belonging in God's family- the Church; and other communities like school, teams, and scouts gives them an identity.

We have our family name, our relationship to each member we call family helps us to know that we fit in, or belong. Our Baptism identifies us as Christian and connects us to all of God's family. We come together at Mass to hear the stories of our faith, lift our broken world and each other in prayer, and receive Jesus; Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity. Then we are sent out to the world to be Christ to others. We don't need a uniform to show we belong, or fit in to God's family. We are! We belong! We celebrate this belonging at Mass each week. Let's encourage others to join us. You are welcome! You belong! We're happy you joined us!

### Preschool News

#### **MQH PRESCHOOL OPEN HOUSE**

#### Thursday, February 9 5:00pm - 7:00pm

Registration for Fall 2017-18 school year has begun! If you are interested in joining our school family, please call to make an appointment for a tour. All registration forms are a vailable on line at www.maryqueenpreschool.org



can be dropped off at the parish office during business hours or mailed in to us. Please feel free to call or email if you have further questions.

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# SCHOOL SPIRIT TASTES GREAT



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#### CHIPOTLE

If placing an order online during your fundraiser, please note you must choose the pay in-store option and inform our cashier of your participation before paying. Gift card purchases during fundraisers do not count towards total donated sales, but purchases made with an existing gift

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	24 DEADLINE BULLETIN March 5, 2017 8:30 AM Mass	17 DEADLINE BULLETIN February 26, 2017 8:30 AM Mass 6:00 PM Preschool SweetHeart Dance	1 () DEADLINE BULLETIN February 19, 2017 8:30 AM Mass 6:30 PM Auction Dinner/Dance at Alta Villa Banquets	3 DEADLINE BULLETIN February 12, 2017 8:30 AM Mass	Fri	Elmhurst,
BH Barrett Hall C Church Rm. School Room SH Social Hall	25 Walk-in Ministry Food Drive 3:30 PM Reconcilitation 4:30 PM Mass	18 3:30 PM Reconciliation 4:30 PM Mass	11 3:30 PM Reconciliation 4:30 PM Mass 6:00 PM Indian Catholic Community in BH	4 9:30 AM Klopacz Funeral 11:00 AM CONFIRMATION RETREAT 3:30 PM Reconciliation 4:30 PM Mass	Sat	t, IL

## Ministry Schedule Saturday, February 4 / Sunday, February 5, 2017

	4:30 PM	8:30 AM	10:30 AM
Lector	E. Walker	M. Pretlow	M. McCall
Eucharistic Ministers	M. White (Capt.) K. Diggins G. Los S. Pingitore M. Stepniewski	D. Bernstein (Capt.) P. D'Souza J. Eichorst D. Styka	B. Kevil (Capt.) B. Carambot G. Galbraith T. Kevil G. Pozen
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#### Sunday, January 29, 2017

8:30 a.m. † Dorothy Weigel & Joan Wrobel

10:30 a.m. † Chad Becker

#### Monday, January 30, 2017

8:30 a.m. Parishioners of Mary Queen

#### Tuesday, January 31, 2017

8:30 a.m. † Robert Shea

#### Wednesday, February 1, 2017

8:30 a.m. Communion Service

#### Thursday, February 2, 2017

8:30 a.m. † Annette Donovan

#### Friday, February 3, 2017

8:30 a.m. † Delores Shaheen

#### Saturday, February 4, 2017

4:30 p.m. † Jeanne M. Ward

#### Sunday, February 5, 2017

8:30 a.m. † Mary Lee Parisi 10:30 a.m. † Isabelle Murphy

† indicates person is deceased

# PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR FELLOW PARISHIONERS

Judith Fuchsen Bill Kohut Luke Lancaster John Rossi Joan Skimina



# Readings for the Week of January 29, 2017

#### **Sunday: Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Zep 2:3; 3:12-13/Ps 146:6-10/1 Cor 1:26-31

Mt 5:1-12a

#### Monday

Heb 11:32-40/Ps 31:20-24/Mk 5:1-20

#### Tuesday

St. John Bosco, Priest

Heb 12:1-4/Ps 22:26-28, 30-32/Mk 5:21-43

#### Wednesday

Heb 12:4-7, 11-15/Ps 103:1-2, 13-14, 17-18a

#### Thursday

#### The Presentation of the Lord

Mal 3:1-4/Ps 24:7-10/Heb 2:14-18 Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-32

#### Friday

**St. Blaise, Bishop, Martyr; St. Ansgar, Bishop** Heb 13:1-8/Ps 27:1, 3, 5, 8-9/Mk 6:14-29

#### Saturday

Heb 13:15-17, 20-21/Ps 23:1-6/Mk 6:30-34

Next Sunday: Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time Is 58:7-10/Ps 112:4-9/1 Cor 2:1-5/Mt 5:13-16

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