

*Elmhurst, Illinois*

# MARY QUEEN OF HEAVEN CHURCH

## Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**July 27, 2008**



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### **Worship Schedule**

#### **Weekend Masses**

**Saturday 5:00 p.m.**

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

#### **Weekday Schedule**

**Mon., Tues., Wed., and Fri.: Mass**

**Thurs.: Communion Service**

**All at 8:30 a.m.**

#### **Sacraments**

##### **Reconciliation**

Saturday 4:00 p.m.

##### **Baptism**

1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Sundays of the month at 2:00 p.m.  
Baptismal preparation is required. Baptismal prep takes place on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tues. of the month at 7:30. Please call the parish office to register.

##### **Marriage**

Please contact the Pastor 6 months in advance.

## Note from the Pastor

I am not here this weekend (sometimes I am not even all there). Thanks to the Fathers John (Barrett and Enright) for ably taking my place this week.

As you read this missive I am on my way to Lexington, Kentucky with my ten year old granddaughter, Azucena (the name means tiger lily). We are on our way to a long-awaited adventure exploring the blue-grass of Kentucky and horses, horses, horses (did I mention that she is a 10 year old girl?). This will be my third Intergenerational Elderhostel experience with one of my grandchildren. As they all reach a certain age, we plan a life experience for each according to their interests. Thus I took my oldest granddaughter to Paris to discover her mother's roots, my grandson to India to discover his father's mysticism (actually, I never made it to India but he did. I ended up in the hospital and he ended up meditating with the masters and his father), the next I took an outward bound type of experience to Yosemite, the next to the four corners to study archeology and Indian arts and now we are off to Kentucky (five down, two to go).

Elderhostel is an international organization of old people who love to learn. From time to time they offer different adventures for grandparents and grandchildren. These are my favorites, not because I particularly enjoy rock climbing or repelling (or being the cleanup committee in a horse barn) but because I love being with my grandchildren. And I relish my role as grand-father.

Long before I was ready for it (but then, I guess, none of us are ever ready for it) I became "father". My first pastor was Father Orlikiewicz and when he discovered that my last name was Taschetta he declared that I would be known as Father Tony (long before the fashion he was Father Stanley). And in a very real way he *fathered* me in the priesthood. In the spiritual life as in life in general, no one ever gets to the next level without a model. Truth be told, we figure out very little for ourselves, we have to be shown. And so Father Stanley taught me how to stand in front of the church to greet people (a skill he learned in Paxton and here at Mary Queen) as well as how to run a Gestetner (a skill he never quite learned himself). What he taught me most, however, was how to father

a community. My, how he loved his people and how they loved him. Now, to learn that, you can't study a textbook. You simply have to hang around someone who is doing it. The greatest learning is always incidental learning. You have to spend the time. Quantity time (I remember an adolescent lamenting in the '80's that he was sick and tired of hearing the word quality time with his father, he wanted some quantity time!).

What is true for parents and children is very very true for grandparents and grandchildren. Just hanging around, wasting time, enjoying each other's company without a specific agenda is enough. Almost by osmosis the young ones pick up the energy of the old ones and the old ones are invigorated by the young. It is like another language that they speak to each other without words. There is a surety and security that a grandparent can give a grandchild that mom and dad who are so busy trying to make a living and ends meet and survive just don't have time to give. And there is that wonderful aliveness in direct experience that a child vibrates from their very being that sometimes a parent just doesn't have time to notice. And so the *grand-parent* and the *grand-child*. The word "grand" isn't there by accident.

This week I will learn more about horses than I ever wanted to know. No matter. It's simply an excuse and a forum to hang around my granddaughter and for her to hang around me. And for an old man (and a young girl) life just doesn't get any better than that.

In Jesus, the grandson of Joachim and Anne,

**Father Tony**



## Parish News

### MASS OF INSTALLATION FOR FATHER TONY TASCHETTA

Retired Auxiliary Bishop Roger Kaffer will install Father Tony Taschetta as pastor of Mary Queen of Heaven Parish at the 5:00 p.m. Mass on August 2, 2008.



Father will pray the creed with the congregation and pledge to lead the people of God with a shepherd's heart. The Parish Council will receive this pledge and promise on behalf of the community of Mary Queen.

All are invited to attend.



### ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

**Thursday, August 14**  
Celebration of the Assumption  
at 7:00 PM

**Friday, August 15**  
Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary  
Mass at 9:00 AM

### IMPORTANT PARISH OFFICE REMINDER

**TUESDAY JULY 29 THROUGH FRIDAY AUGUST 1  
AND MONDAY AUGUST 4**  
**THE PARISH OFFICE WILL BE OPEN FROM  
9 AM TO 12 PM**

### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

"The worship of the Eucharist outside of the Mass is of inestimable value for the life of the Church. This worship is strictly linked to the celebration of the Eucharistic Sacrifice. The presence of Christ under the sacred species reserved after Mass... derives from the celebration of the sacrifice..." (Pope John Paul II)

Come and spend time with Our Lord in the cool and quiet of our Church during Eucharistic Adoration on Monday, August 4th, between 9 a.m. and 7 p.m. Benediction closes the day of prayer at 7:00 PM. We are in need of people to sign up for an hour of adoration. Please see the large sign-up poster in the back of church.



### BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY

Elmhurst Memorial Hospital is sponsoring a 10 week general grief group for adults. "**Coping with Grief**" will be held the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Mondays of each month beginning August 4<sup>th</sup>. The group will meet from 6:30-8:00 p.m. for a half-hour presentation and one hour for sharing. Each session will take place in the **Bates Conference Room located in Elmhurst Hospital (200 N. Berteau)**. For more information call 630-833-1400 Ex. 47058.

Please check out the orange colored flyer on the back bulletin board in church for a list of topics to be covered over the next several months. You may enter the group at anytime.

### A Vocation View

Finding our vocation in life is like finding a buried treasure. We will do whatever we have to in order to be able to possess it. Finding the treasure is a gift, possessing it is our vocation.

17<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



## Parish News

### YOUTH GROUP NEWS

#### DESTINY NEWS

**ALL HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS ARE WELCOME**

**August 14<sup>th</sup>**  
**6:00 PM**      Decorating/painting party  
for the Destiny Room  
In School Building

**August 17<sup>th</sup>**  
**Brunch after**  
**10:30 AM Mass**      Meet Father Burke Masters  
"What is your vocation in  
life?"

**September 14<sup>th</sup>**  
**8:30 AM**      Meeting  
In School Building

**September 28<sup>th</sup>**  
**8:30 AM**      Meeting  
In School Building



#### WINGS TO HEAVEN

**5<sup>th</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Welcome**

**August 13<sup>th</sup>**  
**6-8 PM**      Hot Dog and Game Night  
In Barrett Hall

**September 14<sup>th</sup>**  
**6-8 PM**      Meeting  
In Barrett Hall

**September 28<sup>th</sup>**  
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### JOYFUL AGAIN RETREAT

Are you widowed?

This weekend program will be held at Mary Queen of Heaven Parish, Elmhurst, IL. All are invited. The Joyful Again! retreat is for both men and women (all ages) who have been widowed and are still trying to find hope and joy in their lives.

- **What:**      **Workshop/Retreat for Widowed Men & Women**
- **When:**    **August 2 & 3, 2008**
- **Donation:** **\$75 – includes all meals**

For further information, call Joyful Again! Widowed Ministry Program at **708-354-7211.**

**Come to Mary Queen of Heaven  
Parish's  
5<sup>th</sup> speaker in the series of  
Women in the Bible and the Church**

### Saint Clare of Assisi

Sr. Teresa Noser, O.S.F.

**Sunday, August 10, 2008,  
12 noon in Barrett Hall**

(the day before St. Clare's Feast Day)



Also, join us Tuesday, October 14, 2008, 7:00 pm  
for the next in the series of  
Women in the Bible and the Church  
**Women of the New Testament**  
with Sister Barbara Reid, OP



## Parish News



### RCIA UPDATE AND INVITATION

We are completing our weekday sessions and moving to a summer schedule. Our "breaking open the word" sessions will be moved to Sunday mornings. **Anyone interested** can join us at 9:30 a.m. in the conference room on the following Sunday mornings:

**July 27  
August 10 & 24**

Are you interested in becoming part of the Catholic faith? You are invited to "Come and See".

Questions?? Please contact Mimi Wolak (941-3851) or Tom Nanak (530-4502)

## Christian Education Commission

### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

#### Help spread the "Word"



Thank you so much to those who have already stepped forward to minister to our children. As you can see below, our list is getting shorter. Before you know it, RE will be back in session. However, we still need catechists & aides for the fall. The following are the remaining vacancies. Time is getting short, please contact the REO or email Mary Ann Woods at [mahmawoods@sbcglobal.net](mailto:mahmawoods@sbcglobal.net) if you are willing and able to help.

Session 1 Wednesday 3:15-4:30	Session 3 Wednesday 7:00-8:15
<b>Preschool 3 year olds</b> 1 aide  <b>Kindergarten</b> 1 catechist  <b>Grade 3</b> 2 catechists  <b>Grade 4</b> 2 catechists	<b>Grade 7</b> 1 catechist

If you love children and you love your faith, we invite you to join our staff. We will help you with the rest. Please help us share our faith with our children. We cannot do it without you. We are waiting to hear from you.

**If you have any questions or need more information, please call Mary Ann Woods at the REO, 832-8962.**

## Christian Education Commission

### MQH PRESCHOOL—SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE



Please call the Preschool for information. Become a part of our growing school. Schedule a visit, meet the teacher, come "Light the Way" with us.

### OPEN HOUSE SCHEDULE

**Thursday, July 31, 2008 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.**  
**Sunday, August 3, 2008 9:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon (after Masses)**

The Preschool is accepting Registration for the 2008-2009 school year. We look forward to being able to serve your child and your family. We are offering Open Houses for those interested in visiting our classroom.

Please see our website at [www.maryqueenpreschool.org](http://www.maryqueenpreschool.org) and contact the school office for more information and registration. **(630) 833-9500**

Preschool tours scheduled upon request.

## Christian Worship Commission



To pray for our sick is an important privilege of our parish family. Please call 630-279-5700 to have a name added to our list. A new listing will appear in bold face. When calling the parish office, please leave contact information and your relationship to the person. Names will remain on the prayer list for four weeks.

Contact the parish office to renew the individual's name on our prayer list. We hope that you will pray for these persons every day.

Dean Heilman  
Roy Heilman  
**Kenneth Kabat Sr.**

Mary Queen of Heaven				August 2008				Elmhurst, Illinois			
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday					
<b>27</b> Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time 8:30 AM & 10:30 AM MQH Masses 9:30 AM RCIA session in Conference Room 12:00 PM New Wine Picnic in BH & Grounds	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b> 7:00 AM - 7:00 PM Joyful Again in Barrett H 4:00 PM Confessions in Church 5:00 PM Installation Mass for Fr. Taschetta in Church					
<b>3</b> Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time 7:00 AM - 5:00 PM Joyful Again in Barrett Hall 8:30 AM & 10:30 AM MQH Masses 9:30 AM - 12 noon Preschool Open House in School 2:00 PM Baptisms in Church	<b>4</b> 9:00 AM - 7:00 PM Eucharistic Adoration in Church	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b> 4:00 PM Confessions in Church 5:00 PM MQH Mass in Church					
<b>10</b> Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time 8:30 AM & 10:30 AM MQH Masses 9:30 AM RCIA session in Conference Room 6:00 PM - 10:00 PM Speaker Series "St. Clare" in Barrett H	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b> 7:30 PM Baptism Prep Class in Church	<b>13</b> 6:00 PM Hot Dog and Game Night For Wings in Barrett Hall	<b>14</b> 6:00 PM Painting Party Destiny in School 7:00 PM Feast of Assumption Mass in Church	<b>15</b> 9:00 AM Feast of Assumption Mass in Church	<b>16</b> 4:00 PM Confessions in Church 5:00 PM MQH Mass in Church					
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<b>24</b> Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time 8:30 AM & 10:30 AM MQH Masses 9:30 AM RCIA session in Conference Room	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b> 6:00 PM RE NEW Catechist Mtg in Barrett Hall 7:00 PM RE General Catechist Mtg in Barrett Hall	<b>28</b> 7:00 PM New Wine in School 4-5,13	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>					
<b>31</b> Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time 8:30 AM & 10:30 AM MQH Masses											

**MINISTRY SCHEDULE SATURDAY, AUGUST 2 - SUNDAY, AUGUST 3, 2008**

	5:00 PM	8:30 AM	10:30 AM
<b>Presider</b>			
<b>Lector</b>	B. Lawlor	G. Dolesy	M. Reed
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	S. Pingitore (S) D. StaRosa (C) G. Los H. Todd Geri Pstrzoch	D. Bernstein (S) M. Reed (C) K. Vicary J. Unger <b>Volunteer</b>	M. McCall (S) J. Spears (C) F. Tremmel M. Murray J. Eichorst <b>Volunteer</b>
<b>Altar Servers</b>	J. McDonough M. McDonough	M. Bourke B. Gornick G. Gornick	J. Vosicky C. McManus

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK****Sunday, July 27, 2008**

8:30 AM † Albert P. Kabat  
10:30 AM † Jeanette Morby

**Monday, July 28, 2008**

8:30 AM † All Souls in Purgatory

**Tuesday, July 29, 2008**

8:30 AM † Diana M. Lizzardo

**Wednesday, July 30, 2008**

8:30 AM † Edward Weissert

**Thursday, July 31, 2008**

8:30 AM Communion Service

**Friday, August 1, 2008**

8:30 AM People of the Parish

**Saturday, August 2, 2008**

5:00 PM † Joan Early

**Sunday, August 3, 2008**

8:30 AM † Joan Early  
10:30 AM † Donald Reiter

† indicates person is deceased

**Gospel Verse**

"The kingdom of heaven is like a treasure buried in a field, which a person finds and hides again, and out of joy goes and sells all that he has and buys that field. Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a merchant searching for fine pearls. When he finds a pearl of great price, he goes and sells all that he has and buys it."

- Mt 13:44-46

**Readings for the Week of July 27, 2008**

Sunday: 1 Kgs 3:5, 7-12/Rom 8:28-30/  
Mt 13:44-52 or 13:44-46  
Monday: Jer 13:1-11/Mt 13:31-35  
Tuesday: Jer 14:17-22/Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42  
Wednesday: Jer 15:10, 16-21/Mt 13:44-46  
Thursday: Jer 18:1-6/Mt 13:47-53  
Friday: Jer 26:1-9/Mt 13:54-58  
Saturday: Jer 26:11-16, 24/Mt 14:1-12  
Next Sunday: Is 55:1-3/Rom 8:35, 37-39/Mt 14:13-21



The collection total for  
Sunday July 13, 2008  
will be published in the  
August 3, 2008 bulletin

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Type "Mary Queen of Heaven Catholic Church" into the  
"I support" box, & click "verify". Continue your search.