

*Welcome to
Mother of Perpetual Help Parish
West Allis*

*Website: www.mphwa.org
(414) 453-5192*



In Loving Memory of

Deacon Gene D. Brah

Given by God - January 20, 1953

Given to God - November 3, 2018

Deacon Prayer

Lord Jesus, you came to serve, not to be served,
form within us your generous spirit;

Fill us with your love,
that we may love the Father as you love him.

Fill us with your compassion,
that we may see our brothers and sisters
as you see them.

Fill us with your courage,
that we may give our lives in service to the
Church as you gave your life for her.

Fill us with that Spirit which will make us
preachers of your Word,
ministers of your Sacrifice,
servants of your Bride, friends of the poor,
and the voice of the forgotten.

Transform us through your Holy Spirit
so that we may transform the world into
Your Kingdom of justice and faith.

Amen

MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP SITES



92ND STREET SITE
1414 S. 92nd Street



106TH STREET SITE
2322 S. 106th Street



116TH STREET SITE
1212 S. 117th Street

MASS INTENTIONS

THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 2018

- 7:30 AM Living and Deceased Members of Our Parish (116 St.)
- 8:30 AM † Samantha Blagg (106 St.)
- 9:00 AM † Art Stueck (116 St.)
- 10:30 AM † Grace Hanson (92 St.)
- 11:00 AM † Jeff Kusik (106 St.)
- 7:00 PM † Carl J. Anderson (92 St.)

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 2018

- 7:00 AM † Fr. Larry Meike (106 St.)
- 8:00 AM † John and Frances Putchinski (116 St.)

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 2018

- 8:10 AM For the sick and elderly (92 St.)

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 2018

- 8:00 AM † Gary Guth (116 St.)

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 2018

- 7:00 AM † Tom Shanahan (106 St.)

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 2018

- 7:00 AM † Marie Balistriero (106 St.)
- 8:10 AM For all those in prison (92 St.)

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 2018

- 9:00 AM Sacrament of First Reconciliation (116 St.)
- 4:00 PM † Ernest Goytowski (116 St.)
- 4:30 PM † Richard Foster and Kandace Foster (106 St.)

THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2018

- 7:30 AM Living and Deceased Members of Our Parish (116 St.)
- 8:30 AM † Anthony Budish (106 St.)
- 9:00 AM † Ann Ryan Frye (116 St.)
- 10:30 AM † Giuseppe Ferrise (92 St.)
- 11:00 AM † Deceased Members of the Gunderman and Hanson Families (106 St.)
- 7:00 PM Living and Deceased Members of Raebel Family (92 St.)

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MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP

The Sacred Heart Votive Light at
116th St. Site is burning this month

In Loving Memory of Peggy Wipplinger

The Immaculate Heart Votive Light at
116th St. Site is burning this month

In Loving Memory of Dick and Ruth Baker

The Mary Candles at 106th St. Site are burning this month
**for the Gunderman children and grandchildren
And for the recovery of Gina Granger**

The Chapel Candles at 106th St. Site are burning this month
**In Loving Memory of Richard Steliga and
for the Deceased members of the Gunderman and Hanson
Families**

Celebrating the Sacraments

Baptism is celebrated during or after Mass on the second and fourth Sunday of the month. Other times may be arranged by calling one of the priests. A Baptismal preparation class is required. Please call the parish office to register for the class and the Baptism.

Reconciliation (Confession) is celebrated on the First Saturday of the month at 8:30 am at the 92nd Street site and at 3:00 pm on the 116th Street site. On the Third Saturday of the month at 3:30 pm at the 106th Street site.

Anointing of the Sick is celebrated communally on the First Saturday of the month after the evening mass at the 106th and 116th Street sites. Individual anointing may be requested by calling one of the parish priests.

Weddings Please call the Parish office to make arrangements no later than 6 months prior to your anticipated date. A process of preparation including participation in an Archdiocesan Engaged Encounter is required of all couples seeking marriage in the church.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Readings for the Week of November 11, 2018

Sunday: 1 Kgs 17:10-16/Ps 146:7, 8-9, 9-10 [1b]/
Heb 9:24-28/Mk 12:38-44 or 12:41-44

Monday: Ti 1:1-9/Ps 24:1b-2, 3-4ab, 5-6 [cf. 6]/Lk 17:1-6

Tuesday: Ti 2:1-8, 11-14/Ps 37:3-4, 18 and 23, 27 and
29 [39a]/Lk 17:7-10

Wednesday: Ti 3:1-7/Ps 23:1b-3a, 3bc-4, 5, 6 [1]/
Lk 17:11-19

Thursday: Phlm 7-20/Ps 146:7, 8-9a, 9bc-10
[5a]/Lk 17:20-25

Friday: 2 Jn 4-9/Ps 119:1, 2, 10, 11, 17,
18 [1b]/Lk 17:26-37

Saturday: 3 Jn 5-8/Ps 112:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/
Lk 18:1-8

Next Sunday: Dn 12:1-3/Ps 16:5, 8, 9-10, 11 [1]/
Heb 10:11-14, 18/Mk 13:24-32



GOD'S WORD

No matter how many times we say we trust in the Lord, we often live as if we are in charge of our own lives and dependent only on our own talents. We are reminded today that not only are we called to live in utter surrender and dependence on our Lord, but we are to give from our very poverty to those who are in need. We must trust God will provide for us as we empty ourselves to care for the poor and the oppressed. It is a risky way to live but it is the life of faith and trust to which we are called.

1 Kgs 17:10-16 The jar of flour shall not go empty.

Heb 9:24-28 Now once, for all, he has appeared for the ages.

3 Mk 12:38-44 She contributed from her poverty.

FROM THE PASTORS' DESK

Deacon Gene Brah



Longtime resident of New Berlin. Passed to eternal life Saturday, November 3, 2018, age 65 years. Devoted husband for 45 years of Karen (Nee Schendzielos). Loving Dad of Eugene John (Becca Pfenninger) and Tracie (Tim) Heyrman. Proud Grandpa of Alexander Brah, Griffin Bianchi, Amelia and Huck Heyrman. Brother of Addie (James) Lackovic, Charles (Jelaine) Brah, Diane (James) Albiero and John (Mary) Brah. Son-in-law of John Schendzielos. Brother-in-law of Daniel Schendzielos, Carleen Schendzielos, Tom (Kerry) Barrett and Christine Schendzielos. Also survived by nieces, nephews, other relatives and many friends.

Deacon Gene was ordained as a Permanent Deacon for the Archdiocese of Milwaukee in 1994 and proudly served the parishes of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, New Berlin, WI and Valparaiso, IN, St. James Parish, Mukwonago, WI, Mary Queen of Heaven Parish, West Allis, WI and currently served at Mother of Perpetual Help Parish, West Allis, WI.

During his time as a Deacon, he assisted in many marriage preparation and baptism classes, funerals, weddings and baptisms, communion services, Inner City Ministry, Hispanic Ministry, Prison Ministry, and working with the Youth of the parishes he served. Deacon Gene enjoyed his ministry to the church and was humbly touched by the many people he was honored to work with.

Gene devoted his life to independent pharmacies and enjoyed time with family and friends golfing. During the past few years Deacon Gene served proudly as a Chaplain for the West Allis Police Department. He gave a lasting gift of sight through his donation to the Eye Institute.

In lieu of flowers, memorials to the Catholic Relief Services are appreciated.

MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP
2018- 2019
WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 4, 2018

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| Stewardship | \$7,718.20 |
| Offertory Collection | 2,062.24 |
| Repair and Maintenance | 341.00 |
| Scholarship | 16.00 |
| Holy Day | 826.58 |
| Total..... | \$10,964.02 |

Our deep gratitude to parishioners and guests for their commitment to the ongoing work of Christ at Mother of Perpetual Help.

WEEK AT A GLANCE

KEY

92nd Street Site - (92 St.)
106th Street Site - (106 St.)
116th Street Site - (116 St.)

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 2018

8:30 AM Fair Trade Products for sale-Gather Area (116 St.)
8:30 AM Hospitality Sunday - Hall (116 St.)
9:30 AM Book Chat - PC 8 (106 St.)
2:30 PM Packer Party/Chili Cook/off - Gym (106 St.)

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 2018

9:30 AM Senior Meal Program - GH (92 St.)
10:30 AM "The Mass" - BH Living Room (116 St.)
6:00 PM WI Geo Society - Hall (116 St.)
6:30 PM SVDP Conference Mtg. - BH Pantry (116 St.)

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 2018

9:30 AM Senior Meal Program - GH (92 St.)
1:00 PM MPH Christian Women Meeting - ND
6:00 PM Bach Chamber Choir Rehearsal - Church (116 St.)
6:30 PM Rosary - Church (106 St.)
6:30 PM Square Dancers lessons - Hall (116 St.)
7:00 PM Hearts of Harmony - GH (92 St.)

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 2018

9:00 AM Exploring Sunday Readings Bible Study - ND (106 St.)
9:00 AM Women's Ministry - BH (116 St.)
9-11 AM SVDP Food Pantry - BH (116 St.)
9:30 AM Senior Meal Program - GH (92 St.)
5:30 PM Human Concerns Committee - ND (106 St.)
6:15 PM Sheepshead - PC 7 (106 St.)
7:00 PM Singles Square Dancers - Hall (116 St.)

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 2018

8:00 AM Potato washing - Ki/Hall (116 St.)
9:30 AM Senior Meal Program - GH (92 St.)
10:30 AM Alcoholics Anonymous - B1/B2 (92 St.)
6:30 PM Choir Rehearsal - Church (116 St.)

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 2018

9:30 AM Senior Meal Program - GH (92 St.)
12:30 PM St. Ben's Meal Drop-off - Ki/Hall (106 St.)
5:30 PM Retreat for Teens - All PC/Gym/Ki (106 St.)

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 2018

7:30 AM Loaves and Fishes - ND (106 St.)
8:00 AM Men's Scripture Group - BH Living Rm (116 St.)
9:00 AM First Reconciliation - Church (116 St.)
9:30-11:30 AM Food Pantry - BH (116 St.)
All Day Retreat for Teens - All PC/Gym/Ki (106 St.)

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2018

9:15 AM Religious Education Classes thru 5th grade - Gym/
ND/All PC - (106 St.)
9:30 AM Book Chat - PC 8 (106 St.)

The St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry

Is in need of soup and mac & cheese donations! Please use the box in the Gathering Area at 116th St. or bring them to the parish office.

Monday - Thursday 8:30-4:30
Thank You!



MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP OF WEST ALLIS

ADULT AND FAMILY

Director: Kathy Smith 414-453-0300 ext. 25
Kathy@mphwa.org

Beginning the last week of November

For ADVENT:

“REJOICE—Advent Meditations with Mary”

*Journals available now from Kathy
go to*

www.rejoiceprogram.com

*and scroll down to sign up to receive weekly
videos during Advent directly to your inbox
to accompany your journal*

*Small groups will meet on Monday mornings &
Wednesday evenings to discuss; sign up with Kathy*

Every Week:

Wednesday Mornings 9:00-10:30

106th St. Site Notre Dame Room

“Exploring the Sunday Readings”

Reflecting on the upcoming Sunday Readings

ALL ARE WELCOME

COME WHEN YOU CAN!

CHILD AND YOUTH MINISTRY

Director: Becca Bojarski 414-453-0300 ext. 26
Becca@mphwa.org

November 11th - Confirmation Class and dinner, 5-7 p.m.

November 16th & 17th - Overnight Retreat

Next class for the Religious Education Program will be on
December 2nd at 9:15 a.m.

Our MPH St. Vincent de Paul Conference is requesting
Frozen TURKEYS (any size)

For their Food Pantry turkey & fixings give-away on
November 17. **Please drop off donations at the pantry** (located
at the 116th St. Site in the old convent) **on**
Nov. 14 between 8:30 and 11:00 am.

*Thank you in advance for your
generosity!!*



EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION-106th STREET:

Please pick up your new schedule in the sacristy as soon as
possible. Thank You.

St. Ben's for NOVEMBER

3rd Friday Nov. 16, NO 4th Friday

Drop off potatoes by Nov. 14 and wash on Thur., 15th

Additional servers always needed

Questions/volunteer:

contact Kathy Smith 414-453-0300 x25 or kathy@mphwa.org
MANY THANKS to all those so faithful to this ministry.

MQSCA SCHOOL

Principal: - Michael Derrick 414-476-0751
derrickm@mqscateacher.org

**Our school is having a Pajama and Cereal Drive
November 8th - 26th**

Needed: NEW Pajamas, sizes infant - Adult and/or
boxes of cereal.

You may drop the items off at the school office.



PARISH NEWS



The Archdiocesan Choir

Jeffrey Honoré, Director

presents

Hymns and Inspired Songs II

November 17, 2018 – 7:00 p.m.

Holy Apostles Catholic Parish

16000 W. National Avenue
New Berlin, WI

Mother of Perpetual Help members Laurie Cosson, Rick Sobeck and
Sam Skogstadt sing in the Arch Choir.



Christian Women Meeting

All women of Mother of Perpetual Help
are invited to attend the next Christian Women Meeting which
will be held on Tuesday, November 13th at 1:00 PM at the 106th
Street Site (Notre Dame Room).

Come and hear the guest speaker Deacon John D'Alessio.

At that meeting we will also recognize and honor the members of
Christian Women who have passed away this past year.
We look forward to seeing you at the next meeting.

MORNING BOOK CHAT

At 106th Street Site

Next Book Chat is November 18th
(9:30-10:45 a.m.) Parish Center 8

All are welcome!

The book will be **“The Healing Power of the Eucharist”**
by John Hampsch.

PARISH NEWS

Adoration Chapel
(106th Street Site)
Monday-Thursday
8:00 AM to 9:00 PM



“How many Christians are pressed for time, and only condescend to come for a few short moments to visit their Savior who burns with the desire to see them near Him and to tell them that He loves them, and who wants to load them with blessings!”

(St. John Vianney)

For information, please call Pat, 262-439-8731.

THANK YOU to all those who donated hygiene items for **PROJECT RETURN**. We assembled nearly 60 Dignity Kits for both men and women whose sentences are ending and will be leaving jail. We were also able to donate many of the remaining items to Capuchin Community Ministries as gifts for the people who will be occupying the 60 new apartments they are opening this week. Without your amazing generosity, this wouldn't be possible. We thank you for your kindness!

The MPH Human Concerns Committee
Consider joining this amazing Committee!

~ THANK YOU ~

The 19th Annual Spaghetti Dinner was a huge success! We sold 199 dinners and received several donations. Altogether, \$1,995.63 was raised from the dinner and donations to benefit Congo Helping Hands. Our sincere appreciation to all who attended the dinner, everyone who made a donation and all of our wonderful volunteers! We could not have done it without all of you.

THANK YOU!

Jon & Dawn Leonardelli and Kathy Smith

DONATIONS NEEDED

The Mother of Perpetual Help Religious Education Program needs supplies to complete our upcoming service project of Christmas Stockings for 50 kids and 25 adults. Can you donate some Brand New Items? Look for the R.E. Service Project Drop Boxes at all church entrances.

Can't go shopping but want to help? Drop an envelope (labeled R.E. Service Projects) with a monetary donation in the offering basket or mail or the Parish office.

(Checks written to MPH)

All Donations will be collected until Sunday, November 11th.

stocking stuffers

Small toys (stuffed animals, matchbox cars, Barbie, trains, dolls, etc)

Crayons

Small Coloring or Story books

Individually packaged candy

Hygiene Items

Pens

Post-its

Socks (child & adult)

Mittens /Gloves (child & adult)

Fidget Spinners

Mini Notepads

Small Headphones/earbuds

Playing Cards

Gift Cards (\$5 or \$10)

Nail polish

Stickers

Senior Social Club

November 20th 11:30 am - 3:00 pm

Seniors are welcome to our annual Thanksgiving Dinner. We furnish the “turkey” and ask that everyone bring a side dish to pass to serve at least 10 people. A \$2.00 fee is required. Any questions call Mary Margaret 262-786-9542.

FR. MARK TOUPS

Rejoice!

Advent Meditations with Mary

Small Group Meetings on

Monday mornings 11:00 AM & Wednesday Evenings 6:30 PM

Mon. group runs Nov. 26-Dec. 17;
Wed. group runs Nov. 28-Dec. 19

Bethany Living Room
116th Street Site
(old convent, south end of the parking lot)

ASCENSION

Join us this Advent For this Special Program

Each participant receives a Journal with daily reflections, prayers and space for journaling

You may do the program on your own or join/start a group
Journals are \$5

See

www.rejoiceprogram.com for details & to sign up for emails and videos
Contact Kathy Smith for a journal or to join a group

kathy@mphwa.org

Or

414-453-0300 x25



MPH Annual

Christmas Cookie and Craft Sale

*Cookies are assorted, pre-packaged, in 1 pound clear boxes
and will be sold at all 3 parish sites on
December 8th and 9th after all Masses*

*We need donations of your favorite fancy, small, homemade
Christmas cookies.*

Bring them to the MPH office

8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m., December 3rd-6th

or to the

116th Street Hall on Saturday, December 8th after 1:00 p.m.

Have crafts to sell?

(Craft Sale only at 116th St. Site)

Call Mary Margaret (262) 786-9542

to reserve a table

All parish members welcome!

Come help us bake on November 29th, 9:00 a.m. - ?

(116th site kitchen)

