

# Mother of Perpetual Help PARISH



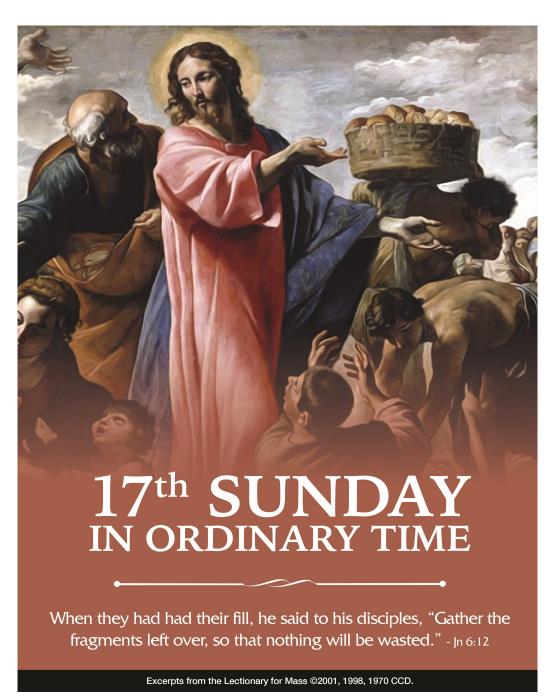
#### **MISSION STATEMENT**

We are Catholics of Mother of Perpetual Help Parish in West Allis, Wisconsin. We encounter Jesus and grow as disciples through the Sacramental Life of the Church. We seek to proclaim the joy of the Gospel of Jesus Christ through His life-giving and saving Death and Resurrection. We are called and sent to form new disciples through our worship, our service, and our witness, to share the joy of living the Good News in the world today.

# PRAYER FOR OUR PARISH DURING THE TRANSITION

Good and Gracious God, We ask you to guide us in our time of transition. We need your wisdom, that we might be receptive to change. conversion and growth. We need your grace to redirect our hearts so we may be willing to offer ourselves in joyful service. Do not allow fear. ignorance or pride to limit the work of your Spirit. Strengthen us to be your Church in all times and seasons of life - a place where all are truly welcomed and embraced in your love; a place where we find ways You are active among us and calling us to join in Your saving work; a place where the story of your love and grace and mercy are embodied. We offer our prayers through Jesus Christ our Lord and through the intercession of our Mother of Perpetual Help. Amen.

# 17TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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# Mother of Perpetual Help Sites



106TH STREET SITE 2322 S. 106th Street



116TH STREET SITE 1212 S. 117th Street

## MASS INTENTIONS



**SUNDAY, JULY 25, 2021** 

#### SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:00 AM † Thomas Kelleher (106 St.) 9:30 AM † Thomas J. Brown (116 St.)

7:00 PM Living and Deceased Members of Our Parish (106 St.)

MONDAY, JULY 26, 2021 8:00 AM † William Dowling, MD (106 St.)

TUESDAY, JULY 27, 2021 No Mass

WEDNESDAY, JULY 28, 2021 8:00 AM † Keith Faber (106 St.)

THURSDAY, JULY 29, 2021 No Mass

FRIDAY, JULY 30, 2021 8:00 AM † Jack Koch (106 St.)

SATURDAY, JULY 31, 2021 4:00 PM † Donna Maye Schmidt (116 St.)

SUNDAY, AUGUST 1, 2021

#### EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:00 AM † Kathy Clausing (106 St.) 9:30 AM † Paul Mikelonis (116 St.)

11:00 AM Living and Deceased Members of Our

**Parish (106 St.)** 

7:00 PM † Charles Collins (106 St.)



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#### MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP



The Mary Candles at 106th St. Site are burning this month

In Loving Memory of Sammie Blagg
And

In Loving Memory of Mary Frohmader

The Sacred Heart Votive Light at 116th St. Site is burning this month In Loving Memory of Ralph Walczak

The Immaculate Heart Votive Light at 116th St. Site is burning this month In Loving Memory of Ethel Cindric

#### **Celebrating the Sacraments**

**<u>Baptism</u>** is celebrated at the 106<sup>th</sup> St. site on the second and fourth Sundays of the month. A Baptismal preparation class is required. Classes will be held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of the month at 10:00 a.m. in the Notre Dame Room at the 106<sup>th</sup> St. site. <u>You must call the parish office to register for</u> the class and the Baptism.

**Reconciliation (Confession)** is celebrated on the First Saturday of the month at 8:30 am.

<u>Anointing of the Sick</u> Anointing may be requested by calling the parish office or the pastor.

<u>Weddings</u> 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 July 25, 2021

Sunday: 2 Kgs 4:42-44/Ps 145:10-11, 15-16, 17-18

[cf. 16]/Eph 4:1-6/Jn 6:1-15

Monday: Ex 32:15-24, 30-34/Ps 106:19-20, 21-22, 23

[1a]/Mt 13:31-35

Tuesday: Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28/Ps 103:6-7, 8-9, 10-11,

12-13 [8a]/Mt 13:36-43

Wednesday: Ex 34:29-35/Ps 99:5, 6, 7, 9

[cf. 9c]/Mt 13:44-46

Thursday: Ex 40:16-21, 34-38/Ps 84:3, 4,

5-6a and 8a, 11 [2]/Jn 11:19-27 or

Lk 10:38-42

Friday: Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37/Ps 81:3-4, 5-6,

10-11ab [2a]/Mt 13:54-58

Saturday: Lv 25:1, 8-17/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 7-8 [4]/Mt 14:1-12 Next Sunday: Ex 16:2-4, 12-15/Ps 78:3-4, 23-24, 25, 54 [24b]/

Eph 4:17, 20-24/Jn 6:24-35

# God's Word

# 17<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time / July 25, 2021

#### First Reading:

"For thus says the LORD, 'They shall eat and there shall be some left over." (2 Kgs 4:43)

### **Second Reading:**

One body and one Spirit, as you were also called to the one hope of your call; one Lord, one faith, one baptism; one God and Father of all. (Eph 4:4-6)

#### Gospel:

Then Jesus took the loaves, gave thanks, and distributed them to those who were reclining, and also as much of the fish as they wanted. (Jn 6:11)

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# A NOTE FROM FR. MATTHEW PERUMPIL, MI

Dear Parish Families.

This week we are reflecting on the great and miraculous story of Jesus feeding the people. First of all it shows how much God is concerned about our well-being including our physical needs. What caught my attention is the fact that Jesus did not work this miracle by himself. He asked and invited the disciples to bring whatever they have to Him so that He could multiply it and satisfy the hunger of the people. This is an interesting proposition that God does miracles through us and our generous collaboration and sharing.

These days I am meeting many of you and learning about how gifted each one of you are. I wonder if we bring all our giftedness to God, He would multiply them and make our parish community and the neighborhood satisfied for all our needs.

One of the ways we can share our gifts and talents is to bring them to the Lord that He may bless and multiply them to enrich various ministries in our parish. We need more greeters, ushers, lectors, sacristans, choir members, eucharistic ministers, and volunteers for various outreach ministries. If we bring to the Lord what we have, He will bless them, multiply them, and make them useful for our community. I pray for that miracle.

Blessings and Prayers,

Fr. Matthew Perumpil, MI



#### **Deacon Information Session**

The Archdiocese of Milwaukee Office of Diaconate Formation will be holding an information session at St. Sebastian, 5400 W. Washington Blvd, Milwaukee on Monday, July 26 from 6-7:00 PM. This is a multi-parish event used to answer questions about the diaconate. If you think you might be being called to be a deacon



or if you just want to find out more about serving as a deacon, please come to this session.

The time between now and Thanksgiving is a very important window for men to discern whether to apply for admission into the Aspirant Class of 2022. The application process starts in January 2022.



#### WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday, Wednesday and Friday morning Mass will be celebrated at 8 AM at 106th Street site.

**First Saturday morning Mass 8:00 a.m.** followed by confessions has returned to the 106<sup>th</sup> Street site.



#### ROSARY

You are the glory of Jerusalem, the surpassing joy of Israel; you are the splendid boast of your people.

(Judith 15:9).

Tuesday 7:00 p.m. evening Rosary is held at the 106th Street site. Let us come before the Blessed Sacrament with our intercession to Mary, Our Mother for blessing and guidance as we go through this unprecedented time. We will pray for the soul of our Nation, the soul of the Catholic church, the soul of MPH, our own personal intentions and an end to Covid 19.





#### Prayer Chain

If you, a loved one or someone you know is in need of prayers you can call Nell Lee at (414) 529-1642.

#### MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP 2020 - 2021

WEEK ENDING JULY 18, 2021

Membership	\$6,480.00
Repair and Maintenance	225.00
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Total	\$8,220.26

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

# MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP OF WEST ALLIS

# **HUMAN CONCERNS/OUTREACH**

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

# Today is a World Day Celebrating Grandparents and the Elderly

Proclaimed by Pope Francis to be celebrated every year on the 4th Sunday of July

MPH wishes all of you many, many blessings today and all year long!

# Our Parish's Name since 2018 is **Mother of** *Perpetual Help!*

One of our strengths here is the fact that we are "Perpetually Helping" so many!

Please prayerfully consider volunteering in any one area if you aren't already (or two if you happen to have extra time on your hands).

See the St. Vincent de Paul box for a current need.

We are also looking for new members for St. Vincent de Paul—
contact Kathy for details
and thank you for everything you already do!

# CHILD AND YOUTH MINISTRY

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

As a parish, we have begun using a subscription to Flocknote to email and text our members some updates, cancellations, reminders, available resources, and fun quotes. If you were in our Religious Education Program in 2019 through this year, I will be adding your family's information into Flocknote (using your preferences that you listed on your previous registration forms for the REMIND app). We will NO LONGER be using REMIND, but will be switching over to Flocknote. This tool will be very helpful to all our participants as well as our office personnel.

Registration packets for 2021-2022 will be sent through USPS in August. Until then, ENJOY the Summer!

# Did you know?

 $1^{\text{st}}$  Communion prep begins in the fall of a child's  $2^{\text{nd}}$  grade year of school.

Confirmation prep begins in the fall of a teen's 11<sup>th</sup> grade year of school.



The board members and circle chairs will formerly meet in August to finalize the plans for next year's meetings with the first one to resume in September. We look forward to seeing all of you and new members.

Everyone will receive further information about the meetings. Until then, take care and we hope all of you are well.

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# ATTENTION SENIORS! MPH Senior Social Club

We are thinking of starting up again in September. Anyone interested please call Mary Margaret 262–786-9542 and let me know, and I will tell you what we do. We start at 12:00 noon with a short meeting and then we have lunch afterwards. You can either join in playing bingo, or quite a few people play sheepshead. We end the day at 3:00 pm.

We also have some special days such as turkey on Thanksgiving and a Christmas party catered, St. Patrick's Day celebration and then in June we have a picnic. We do not meet in July and August. Hope to hear from you!

Mary Margaret

# **Pastoral Council Meeting**

Monday, August 2nd 6:30 p.m. in the Parish Center

# Volunteer Coordinator(s) Needed For the Crossroads (southside)

Meal Program

The MPH SVDP Conference makes the meals for this meal program on 5th

Fridays and 5th Sundays (Next is August 29) The Coordinator(s) would have 4 tasks to coordinate

- Friday casseroles (6)
- 2. Sunday casseroles (6)
- 3. Friday jello (14)
- 4. Sunday jello (14)

5.

This can be split up between 2 or even 3 people Contact Kathy Smith in the office for specific task details and any other questions

# July 25, 2021

#### WORLD DAY FOR GRANDPARENTS AND THE ELDERLY



Pope Francis established World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly on the fourth Sunday of July. The celebration coincides with the feast of Sts. Joachim and Anne, Jesus' grandparents.

- We celebrate this special day for our grandparents and the elderly, acknowledging the blessings we have received through them.
- This is an opportunity for our parish community to reflect more attentively about the great world of our elderly. Let us ask ourselves how they can continue to be great resources educating our children and young people to the faith.
- Let us create a welcoming encounter between young and old, fulfilling the prophesy of Joel, "Your elders will dream, your young people will have visions". In this encounter the young people see their mission and the elderly realize their dreams.
- "Wealth of years is a treasure to be valued and protected'. Pope Francis while instituting this special day said, 'we forget this wealth of preserving roots and passing on what the elderly have shared'. One of the greatest wealth they share with us is their FAITH. Let us make efforts to cherish this wealth and nourish the faith lives of our children and grandchildren.
- Let us create a community and neighborhood where our elderly find a safe and healthy space to live their lives joyfully, enriching the lives of young with their wisdom and love.



## St. Aloysius Church Stained-Glass Windows

We are going to remove these windows from the St. Aloysius Church building to be used at a future date!

This project is set to begin within the next month or so. Conrad Schmitt Studios, Inc. will be working with us on this.

A very generous donor has offered to match dollar for dollar up to \$10,000, any donation made towards the reclamation of these stained-glass windows. The windows will be crated and stored and eventually used in the updating of our worship space at 106<sup>th</sup> and Lincoln.

Please make donation checks out to "Mother of Perpetual Help" and indicate on the memo line "windows donation".

Thank you for your generous support of our parish family!

# St. Ben's Update:

The Community Meal will resume on <u>Tuesday, Sept. 7</u> Pre-Covid, MPH provided food & servers on 3rd & 4th Fridays

\*\*\*\*\*CONTACT KATHY ASAP\*\*\*\*
IF YOU WISH TO RETURN
to this ministry and in what capacity.
Thank you to all who have
responded so far!
NEW VOLUNTEERS WELCOME TOO!

Questions/volunteer:

Kathy Smith 414-453-5192x25 or kathy@mphwa.org BLESSINGS to all those so faithful to this ministry!

## Hours Of Adoration Needing A Second Adorer

If you have an hour, or two, to give to the Lord, the hours listed below are in need of a Second Adorer. Please check them carefully and if you are available, please call Grace Elliott (262-786-3840) or email her at graceopera@sbcglobal.net. Thank you.

Monday - 10-11; 3-4; 6-7; 7-8 Tuesday - 1-2; 3-4; 5-6; 7-8; 8-9

Wednesday - 10-11; 1-2; 2-3; 3-4; 4-5; 7-8

Thursday- 11-12; 12-1; 4-5; 6-7

#### **Adoration Chapel**



Monday & Wednesday 9:00 AM to 9:00 PM Tuesday 8:00 AM to 9:00 PM & Thursday 8:00 AM to 8:00 PM At the 106th Street location

"The Church and the world have a great need for Eucharistic worship. Jesus awaits us in this sacrament of love. Let us not refuse the time to go to meet him in adoration, in contemplation full of faith, and open to making amends for the serious offenses and crimes of the world. Let our adoration never cease."

(Pope St. John Paul II, Catechism of the Catholic Church, #1380).

You are most welcome to stop in church for a visit or a few minutes of prayer. If you have any questions, please call Grace Elliott, 262-786-3840.



# Farewell Weekend September 11th and 12th

As we boldly step into our future as Mother of Perpetual Help Parish, we must first formally acknowledge our past. As already announced, Immaculate Heart of Mary is planning a week of activities culminating with a 1:00 pm Mass on Sunday, September 12th. At Mary Queen of Heaven we are planning to thankfully acknowledge our past with farewell Masses at 8:00 am and 11:00 am on Sunday, September 12th.

## Farewell Week For Our Immaculate Heart of Mary Site



A core group of people have met to begin planning the final week at the former IHM site.

The final Mass will be held on **Sunday**, **September 12th** at 1 pm. In addition to the final Mass, we will also be planning days full of devotions and activities to prayerfully transition our worship space to become the school chapel.

If you would like to share a memory or pictures, please feel free to email to office@mphwa.org or drop in the offering basket (attn: IHM memories). Please keep memories to a 1-paragraph limit so as to keep our final HEARTBEAT newsletter/booklet to a reasonable size to keep down the cost to print.

If you are interested in helping in any way or have ideas, please contact Jon Leonardelli at 414-550-5175.

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