

# Mother of Perpetual Help



## MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP SITES



MPH EAST 2322 S. 106th Street

## **Mass Times**

**Saturday:** 4:00 pm (MPH West)

**Sunday:** 8:00 am, 9:30 am,

11:00 am,

7:00 pm (MPH East)

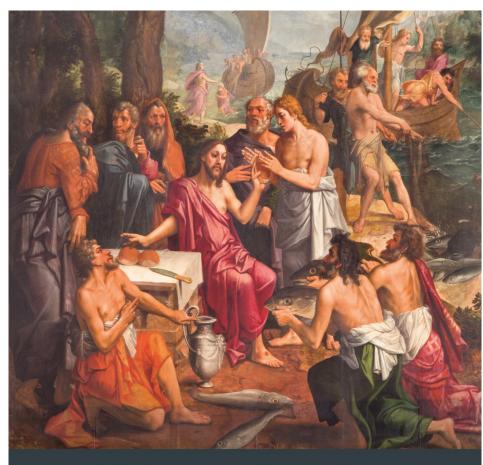
**Week Days:** 8:00 am (Except Thursday)

First Saturday: 8:00 am (MPH East)



MPH WEST 1212 S. 117th Street

#### THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER



## 3RD SUNDAY OF EASTER

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Jesus said to them, "Come, have breakfast." And none of the disciples dared to ask him, "Who are you?" because they realized it was the Lord. Jesus came over and took the bread and gave it to them, and in like manner the fish. - Jn 21:12-13

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## **Parish Staff Transitions**

Our Business Manager, Mary Wenger, has taken a position as the Director of Administrative Services at her home parish. Mary has been with us for the past 10 years.





Our Director of Religious Education, Becca Bojarski, has taken a position as the Pastoral Care Minister at Our Lady of the Angels for the School Sisters of Notre Dame and the School Sisters of Saint Francis. Becca has been with us for the past 8 years. You will see Becca from time to time singing at Mass.

We thank Mary and Becca for their dedicated service to our parish and wish them all the best!

#### **OPEN POSITIONS**

MPH Parish is currently looking to fill these positions. If you are interested or know of someone who might be interested, please contact the parish office at 414-453-5192.

#### **Bookkeeper - Part Time**

The bookkeeper assures development and maintenance of the financial bookkeeping system for the parish. Specifically, recording financial transitions that are accurate and in compliance with Archdiocesan guidelines. Specific responsibilities include processing payroll, accounts payable, petty cash, contributions, monthly reports, and assisting with the budgeting process for the parish.

#### **Director of Faith Formation - Full Time**

We are seeking a dynamic and creative person to help our parish to support the faith formation of our people (young children, youth, adults, and seniors).

#### **Director of Administrative Services - Full Time**

The Director of Administrative Services serves as a staff resource in support of the pastor, fulfilling parish administrative needs in the areas of managerial, financial, human resource, communications, computers/IT, and facilities/building. Understands the overall parish mission and administers parish business operations in relation to it.

## **MASS INTENTIONS**



SATURDAY, APRIL 30, 2022 4:00 PM † George Cindric (West Site)

SUNDAY, MAY 1, 2022 THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

8:00 AM † Ann Klamecki (East Site)

9:30 AM † Harry Marmurowicz (East Site)

11:00 AM † Chester Wnuk (East Site)

7:00 PM Living and Deceased Members of Our Parish (East Site)

MONDAY, MAY 2, 2022 8:00 AM † Fr. Jeff Prasser (East Site)

TUESDAY, MAY 3, 2022 8:00 AM Living and deceased members of the John Haugh Family (West Site)

WEDNESDAY, MAY 4, 2022 8:00 AM † Karl Schneider (East Site)

FIRST FRIDAY, MAY 6, 2022 8:00 am † Nancy and Keith Faber (East Site)

FIRST SATURDAY, MAY 7, 2022 8:00 AM Sr. Lawrence Marie, SSND 75th Jubilee (East Site) 4:00 PM † Tom and Santa LoDuca (West Site)

## **First Saturday Mass**

May 7th at 8:00 AM
Reconciliation will follow after Mass
At
106th Street Site

#### Parish Office / Staff

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MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP



The Sacred Heart Votive Light at 116th St. Site is burning this month For the living and deceased members of the Clemens Families

The Mary Candle at 106th St. Site is burning this month

In Loving Memory of Joyce Rebro

#### **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 May 1, 2022

Sunday: Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41/Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12, 13

[2a]/Rv 5:11-14/ Jn 21:1-19 or

21:1-14

Monday: Acts 6:8-15/Ps 119:23-24, 26-27,

29-30/Jn 6:22-29

Tuesday: 1 Cor 15:1-8/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5/

Jn 14:6-14

Wednesday: Acts 8:1b-8/Ps 66:1-3a, 4-5, 6-7a/Jn 6:35-40 Thursday: Acts 8:26-40/Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20/Jn 6:44-51 Friday: Acts 9:1-20/Ps 117:1bc, 2/Jn 6:52-59

Saturday: Acts 9:31-42/Ps 116:12-13, 14-15, 16-17/

Jn 6:60-69

Next Sunday: Acts 13:14, 43-52/Ps 100:1-2, 3, 5 [3c]/Rv 7:9,

14b-17/Jn 10:27-30

## God's Word

## 3rd Sunday of Easter/May 1, 2022

#### First Reading:

"We are witnesses of these things, as is the Holy Spirit whom God has given to those who obey him." (Acts 5:32)

#### **Second Reading:**

"Worthy is the Lamb that was slain to receive power and riches, wisdom and strength, honor and glory and blessing." (Rev 5:12)

#### Gospel:

Jesus came over and took the bread and gave it to them, and in like manner the fish. (Jn 21:13)



# REFLECTIONS FROM FR. MATTHEW

## "Do you Love me?..... Tend my sheep.."

On this third Sunday of Easter we continue to journey with the disciples to experience the Risen Christ in our daily lives. Today's Gospel reading is a rich story that speaks of Jesus' presence in the Eucharist and our commission to serve others as Jesus did.

Last week we heard that Jesus appeared to the gathered disciples in a locked room in Jerusalem. In today's Gospel, the disciples are no longer in Jerusalem; they are in Galilee, returning to their work of fishing. Simon Peter is still presented in the role of leader: when he announces that he is going fishing, the other disciples follow. They spend the night fishing but are unsuccessful.

Jesus appears to them as a stranger and instructs them to cast the net on the "right side" and they get a large haul of fish. With this miracle they recognize the risen Lord and come to the shore and see that Jesus has already prepared fish and bread on a charcoal fire. Jesus directs the disciples to bring their catch of fish as well. Jesus is host at the meal that follows, feeding the disciples the bread and fish.

Look at the connection of this resurrection story to our gathering for the celebration of the Mass. In the Eucharist, we too are fed by Jesus in the bread and wine that have become his very Body and Blood. We also find in this story insight about the Presentation of the Gifts at Mass. The gifts we bring to the altar, bread and wine, are made from gifts that God gave first to us: grain and grapes, the fruit of the earth. God has no need of anything further. Yet God accepts the offering we bring—bread and wine, "the work of human hands"—and transforms our offering into the gift of his very presence.

After the meal, Jesus directs himself to Simon Peter. This dialogue with Simon Peter is a reversal of Peter's three denials. Peter is forgiven. Having been restored to friendship with Jesus, Simon Peter is sent on a mission. "Feed my lambs . . . Tend my sheep . . . Feed my sheep." These commands indicate that Peter is to be as Jesus, even unto sacrificing for the flock. As Jesus has fed Peter in this meal and as Jesus feeds us in the Eucharist, so he also sends us to follow him, asking that we offer our lives in service and sacrifice.

## WEEK AT A GLANCE

MONDAY, MAY 2, 2022

9:15 AM Sheepshead - PC 9 (106 St.)

**TUESDAY, MAY 3, 2022** 

2:00 PM Staff Meeting - PO (116 St.) 7:00 PM Rosary - Church (106 St.)

WEDNESDAY, MAY 4, 2022

8:45 AM Sunday's Scripture Session - ND (106 St.)

9-11 AM Food Pantry - BH (116 St.) 9:15 AM Sheepshead - PC 9 (106 St.)

THURSDAY, MAY 5, 2022

6:30 PM Choir Rehearsal - Church (106 St.)

**FRIDAY, MAY 6, 2022** 

4:30 –7 pm Fish Fry - Hall (116 St.)

SATURDAY, MAY 7, 2022

7:00 AM Men's Sunday Reading Study - PC 5 & 7

(106 St.)

9:30 –11:30 AM Food Pantry - Bethany House (116 St.)

#### **Prayer Request**

If you have a prayer request or need a Prayer Shawl, you can call the parish office at 414-453-5192.



## **Prayers & Blessings**

#### Death(s)

We extend our sympathy to the Schwalbach family on the death of **James Schwalbach**. May he rest in peace and be risen to eternal glory!

#### MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP 2021 - 2022 WEEK ENDING APRIL 24, 2022

Membership Repair and Maintenance Scholarship Easter Offertory	\$6,143.00
Repair and Maintenance	650.00
Scholarship	236.00
Easter	547.00
Offertory	1,546.05
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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

## THE MASS

# LITURGICAL VESTMENTS THE ALB. THE STOLE. THE CHASUBLE

The vestments worn at Mass by the priest, and other ministers, are symbolic to the entire assembly. The vestments add solemnity to the Mass and brings focus to the one who calls us to prayer – Christ himself. As with much of our liturgy, it was influenced by the culture of the Roman Empire. Thus, the vestments reflect the culture of Rome.

#### The Alb

This full-length white garment belongs to all baptized Christians as scripture reveals "... I looked, and there before me was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, tribe, people and language, standing before the throne and before the Lamb. They were wearing white robes and were holding palm branches in their hands." (Revelation 7:9) At Mass the priest and other ministers wear this garment to recall their Baptism and our own Baptism. The word "alb" is derived from the Latin "albus," meaning "white." This is the first garment the priest wears.

#### The Stole

The stole is a symbol of the ordained office of the deacon and priest. The word "stole" is derived from the Latin "stola," a scarf-like garment that symbolized rank. The priest wears the stole over both shoulders and the deacon wears the stole over only his left shoulder. This stole is symbolic of the privilege of service, to represent Christ (in persona Christi).

#### The Chasuble

The chasuble is the outer garment worn by the priest for Mass which covers the alb and stole. It recalls the "yoke of Christ," reminding the priest that he is "another Christ" at Mass; to "put on the new man, who according to God is created in justice and holiness of truth" (Ephesians 4:24). The word "chasuble" is derived from the Latin "casula," a little house, an outer garment or cloak. A deacon will wear a **Dalmatic** as his outer most garment over the alb and stole. This garment has sleeves, open on the sides, and shorter in length than the chasuble of the priest. This vestment derives from the region of Dalmatia in the Roman Empire, thus its name. The vestment of the deacon is always the same color as the priest.

#### The Colors

Besides the symbolic nature of the vestments themselves, they also call to mind the feast or season of the liturgical year. White is associated with purity and joy; used for the liturgical seasons of Christmas and Easter, as well as other great feasts of the year. Green is associated with life and the Holy Spirit through all of time and history in the ordered Sundays of the year referred to as Ordinary Time. Purple (Violet) is associated with penance and waiting; used for the seasons of Advent (before Christmas) and Lent (before the Triduum). The purple used for Lent and Advent differ, it is the combination of blue and red that create purple. The Advent purple is more blue than red. Lenten purple is more red than blue. Rose [for] Gaudete Sunday (Third Sunday of Advent) and Laetare Sunday (Fourth Sunday of Lent)." (GIRM 2000 #346) Red symbolizes the Passion of Christ and the blood of martyrs; used for Palm Sunday, Good Friday, feasts of the Lord's Passion, feasts of Martyred Saints and Pentecost. Blue, not a prescribed liturgical color, is often associated with the Blessed Mother, symbolizing her being robed in the mantel of the heavens upon her "yes" to the will of God. Gold and Silver are sometimes used to compliment white vestments to add greater solemnity to a liturgical celebration.

Joseph P. Wittmann, MTS

## **HUMAN CONCERNS/OUTREACH**

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

#### CONGO HELPING HANDS

We are continuing to accept donations through
May 15. Checks payable to MPH with Congo Helping
Hands on the memo line.
Be sure to watch the video on our website:

www.mphwa.org

## St. Ben's Community Meal We plate next on 3rd Monday - May 16

MPH provides bag lunches on 3rd & 4th Fridays—

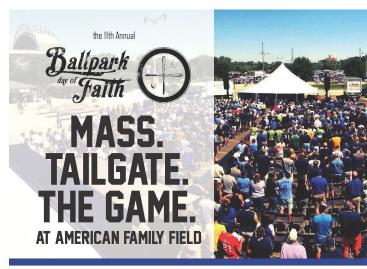
The bags are prepared on the Thursdays before

Next up are May 19 & 26

Sandwich prep 8am & food delivery 2-4pm done at our East (106th St.) site

Contact Kathy: to donate/serve
Ouestions/volunteer:

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



SUN. 06.26



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## **MQSCA SCHOOL**



Principal: Nick Lee 414-476-0751 leen@mqscateacher.org

MQSCA is currently enrolling for our school for the 2022-2023 school year for grades K3-8th. Please call 414-476-0751 for more information or click the QR code:



#### **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

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

# Congratulations to all the First Communicants!



## MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP FISH FRY May 6th



**4:30-7:00pm** MQSCA School Building Cafeteria Entrance is on S. 117th Street

Baked or fried cod, fried shrimp, French fries, parsley buttered potatoes, green beans, rye bread, homemade desserts and more!

Adult dinners —> \$12.00 Kids ages 5 to 11 —> \$5.00 Kids 4 and under eat free Take-outs available! Credit Cards Accepted

#### **MPH Pastoral Council Candidates**

There are four open positions for our upcoming Pastoral Council Election that will be held May 21st and 22nd. These eight candidates are running in the election.

Karen Brah Devan Gracyalny Nellita Lee Deberah Peterson Dave Shook John Weber Doug Wied Debra Stenz

Thank you for your participation in this important process in serving our parish.

#### **Mother's Day Rose Sale**

The Rose Sale benefits Wisconsin Right to Life. Roses will be sold after the 4:00 pm, 8:00, 9:30 and 11:00 am Masses the weekend of May 7th and 8th.

A \$2.00 donation is appreciated.



#### **Come Join Us!**

The Contemporary Choir that leads the music at Mass on Sundays at 7 pm is looking for individuals to join the group. Middle School, High School, Adults are all welcome. Practices happen the half hour before the Mass. It is not necessary to read music.

Anyone interested can contact Jan Gregory at 262-391-3301 or <a href="mailto:pupka8@aol.com">pupka8@aol.com</a> or stop by the group before or after the 7 pm Mass.

## **Mass Schedule Changes**

# MPH will move from Four Sunday Masses to Three Sunday Masses on Pentecost

Our parish leadership team has been discerning and discussing the current Mass schedule over the past several months. We feel that it is more practical to have three Masses on Sundays instead of four for the following reasons.

- The overall attendance of the Sunday Masses is less than 30% of the Church capacity.
- We do not have sufficient volunteers to cover all the Masses as Sacristans, Ushers, Eucharistic Ministers, Greeters, Lectors and Servers.
- The time gap between the morning Masses is too short and inconvenient.
- Reducing one Mass on Sunday will help us financially.

Therefore, after much discernment, the decision has been made to change the Sunday Mass Schedule from four Masses (8:00, 9:30, 11:00 and 7:00 pm) to three Masses, 8:30 am, 10:30 am and 7:00 pm, beginning the weekend of June 4/5, 2022 (Pentecost Sunday). The Saturday vigil Mass will continue at 4:00 pm.

Thank you for your understanding and openness to this change.

Parish Leadership Team Mother of Perpetual Help Parish.

## Ministry Schedules for May 8, Fourth Sunday of Easter

	Saturday May 7 4:00 pm Mass	Sunday May 8 8:00 am Mass	Sunday May 8 9:30 am Mass	Sunday May 8 11:00 am Mass	Sunday May 8 7:00 pm Mass
Lector	Neil Peterson	Monica Blagg Sandi Freund	Julie Herbst	Marie Ullerich Paul Johnson	Margaret Rondeau
Eucharistic Ministers	John Weber Diane Bay Rachel Formolo	Lynn Donovan John Gomez Mary Maberry	Doug Wied Judy Wied Carol Schroeder	Marge Paskvan Deb Stenz Beth Mouradian	Marilyn Licht Doug Barnes Karen Barnes Don Falk
Ushers	Tom Cannek Maggie Cannek	Gary Steicher Bob Studer Patti Studer Alan Eisemann Margy Eisemann	Mark Lancour Gil Van Blaricom Jim Peterson Debbie Peterson	Susan Scharmach Ray Ciszewski Rick Stenz	Tom Healy Alan Muckerheide Bob Lewicki Jeff Berndt

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