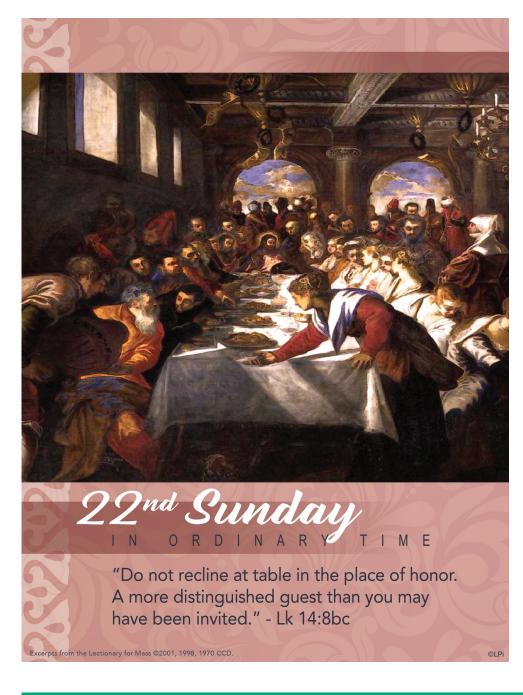
**September 1, 2019** 

**Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time** 

# Welcome to Mother of Perpetual Help Parish West Allis

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



### **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**

Mother of Perpetual Help, you have been our refuge from one generation to another. Intercede for us now with your Son Jesus. Help our parish to be an instrument in the hands of God. Unite and guide us as people of Faith, to become more like Jesus. May our worship give glory to God. May our service find its model in your discipleship. Make us living witnesses of unfailing hope in our troubled world. Mother of Perpetual Help, pray for us. AMEN

Fr. Jeff Prasser (262) 424-3341 prasserjap@gmail.com Fr. Thomas Vathappallil, MCBS (262) 945-8071 mcbsthom@yahoo.com

## Mother of Perpetual Help Sites



92nd Street Site 1414 S. 92nd Street



106th Street Site 2322 S. 106th Street



# MASS INTENTIONS



SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 2019TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME8:00 AM9:30 AM† Robert Galusha (116 St.)11:00 AM† Ruth Wronski (106 St.)7:00 PMLiving and Deceased Members of Our<br/>Parish ((92 St.)

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 2019 (Labor Day) 9:00 AM † Allan H. Prasser (106 St.)

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 2019 8:10 AM † Alice Shumway (92 St.)

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 2019 8:00 AM † Lillian and Donald Challis (116 St.)

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 2019 7:00 AM † Jerry A. Sobczak (106 St.)

FIRST FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 20197:00 AM† Jack Koch (106 St.)8:10 AMSandy, Ken and Marcia Wilkinson (92 St.)

FIRST SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 2019

8:00 AM Mass Reconciliation until 9:30 a.m. (92 St.) 4:00 PM † Clement Huber 60th Wedding Anniversary -Ralph and Rosemary Schwalbach (116 St.)

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2019

**TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** 8:00 AM Living and Deceased Members of Our

- Parish (106 St.)
- 9:30 AM † Mary Kay Nawrocki (116 St.)
- 11:00 AM † Robert Doren (106 St.)
- 7:00 PM For the merger process (92 St.)





## PARISH OFFICE / STAFF

<u>Parish Priests</u>: Fr. Jeffery Prasser Fr. Thomas Vathappallil, MCBS

<u>Deacons</u>: Deacon John D'Alessio Deacon Walt Henry Deacon Keith Marx

Pastoral Minister: Margaret Rondeau

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Parish Website www.mphwa.org

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(414) 313-8756

### **MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP**

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

For Elliott Children and Grandchildren

The Immaculate Heart Votive Light at 116th St. Site is burning this month **In Loving Memory of Dorothy Terrian** 

The Sacred Heart Votive Light at 116th St. Site is burning this month **In Loving Memory of Robert Galusha**  **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. Classes will be held quarterly in 2019, so it is recommended you schedule a class early, possibly before your child is born. 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.

<u>Anointing of the Sick</u> is celebrated communally on the First Saturday of the month after the evening mass at the 116th Street site. Individual anointing may be requested by calling one of the parish priests.

<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 September 1, 2019

Sunday:	Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29/Ps 68:4-5, 6-7, 10-11 [cf. 11b]/Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a/Lk 14:1, 7-14
Monday:	1 Thes 4:13-18/Ps 96:1 and 3, 4-5, 11-12, 13 [13b]/Lk 4:16-30
Tuesday:	1 Thes 5:1-6, 9-11/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14 [13] /Lk 4:31-37
Wednesday:	Col 1:1-8/Ps 52:10, 11 [10]/Lk 4:38-44
Thursday:	Col 1:9-14/Ps 98:2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6 [2]/Lk 5:1-11
Friday:	Col 1:15-20/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5 [2b]/Lk 5:33-39
Saturday:	Col 1:21-23/Ps 54:3-4, 6 and 8 [6]/Lk 6:1-5
Next Sunday:	Wis 9:13-18b/Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14-17 [1]/
	Phlm 9-10, 12-17/Lk 14:25-33

## **God's Word**

### **First Reading:**

Humble yourself the more, the greater you are, and you will find favor with God (Sir 3:18)

### **Second Reading:**

You have approached Mount Zion and the city of the living God, the heavenly Jerusalem, and countless angels in festal gathering. (Heb 12:22)

### Gospel:

"For everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, but the one who humbles himself will be exalted." (Lk 14:11)

## FROM THE PASTORS' DESK



## Seven Days of Service Ways to Help

All are welcome to participate in 7 Days of Service events. Besides serving at your parish, you can assemble care bundle packages, walk in one of St. Vincent de Paul's Friends of the Poor walks, or volunteer at the Rock the Block event to clean up the Amani neighborhood. Details and registration can be found at archmil.org/Seven-Days-of-Service.htm or call 414-758-2286.



### MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP 2018 - 2019

WEEK ENDING AUGUST 25, 2019

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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.

### WEEK AT A GLANCE

### KEY

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

Rooms ND—Notre Dame Rm GH - Gonzaga Hall BH - Bethany House PC - Parish Center PMR - Parish Meeting Room

### SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 2019

9:15 AM Book Chat - PC 8 (106 St.)

### MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 2019 (Labor Day)

No Senior Meal Program - GH (92 St.) No Eucharistic Adoration

#### **TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 2019**

9:30 AM	Senior Meal Program - GH (92 St.)
6:00 PM	Bach Chamber Choir - Church (116 St.)
6:00 PM	Singles Square Dancers Lessons - Hall (116 St.)
6:30 PM	Rosary - Church (106 St.)
7:00 PM	Hearts of Harmony - GH (92 St.)

### WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 2019

- 9:00 AM Women's Ministry BH (116 St.)
- 9-11 AM SVDP Food Pantry BH (116 St.)
- 9:00 AM Exploring the Sunday Readings ND (106 St.)
- 9:30 AM Senior Meal Program GH (92 St.)
- 9:30 AM Staff Meeting  $\overline{PMR}$  (116 St.)
- 6:15 PM Sheepshead PC 7 (106 St.)
- 6:30 PM Adult Formation Committee Mtg. PMR (116 St.)

### **THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 2019**

9:30 AM	Senior Meal Program - GH (92 St.)
10:30 AM	Alcoholics Anonymous - B1/B2 (92 St.)
1:30 PM	Divine Mercy Cenacle - PC 7 (106 St.)
6.30 PM	Choir Rehearsal - Church (116 St)

6:30 PM Choir Rehearsal - Church (116 St.)

### FIRST FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 2019

9:00AM-3:00PM Eucharistic Adoration - Church (92 St.) 9:30 AM Senior Meal Program - GH (92 St.)

### SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 2019

7:00 AM	MPH Men's Scripture Group - BH (116 St.)
9:30 AM	Food Pantry - BH (116 St.)

#### SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2019

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9:15 AM	$P_{ool}$ Chat $PC \hat{S}(106 \text{ St})$
,	Book Chat - PC 8 (106 St.)
10:30 AM	Hospitality Sunday - Hall (116 St.)
1:00 PM	Milw. Area Callers Club - Square Dance - Hall
	(116 St.)

### Mother of Perpetual Help Choir will sing at the following Masses

September 7, 4:00 PM (116th Site) September 15, 8:00 AM (106th Site) September 22, 9:30 AM (116th Site) September 29, 8:00 AM (106th Site)

## MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP OF WEST ALLIS

### **ADULT AND FAMILY**

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

### Exploring the Sunday Readings

Happens every Wednesday Morning 9-10:30 AM beginning Sept. 4 In the Notre Dame Room at the 106th Street site *Coffee, tea, snacks always!* ALL ARE WELCOME!

### FALL SMALL GROUPS ON FORGIVENESS Threshold Scripture Study

Begin Monday, Sept. 16, 9-10:30 AM, runs for 8 weeks *Coffee, tea, snacks, lively discussion!* Bethany Living Room at 116th Street ALL ARE WELCOME!

## CHILD AND YOUTH MINISTRY

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

Please be on the look-out for your 2019-2020 Religious Education Registration information through the US postal service. It was mailed to all registered parishioners with children aged 18 months to 18 years.

There will be extra forms available at the parish office, on our website, and at the church entrances.

### **Jubilee Celebration for Married Couples**

Join the Office for Marriage & Family Life in celebrating your silver or golden wedding anniversary! The annual Archdiocesan Jubilee Celebration is Saturday, October 5, 2019, at 10:00 a.m. at Mary Mother of the Church Pastoral Center, 3501 S Lake Dr., St. Francis, 53235. This Mass honors those married in 1994 or 1969, celebrating their 25th (silver) or 50th (golden) wedding anniversaries. Couples married over 50 years are also welcome to attend this celebration. A reception will follow the Liturgy. Cost is \$40.00 per couple and includes a commemorative certificate and a professional photo. For more information, please call 414-758-2201. To register: complete and mail the form below, or visit www.johnpaul2center.org/marriageministry to print a flyer with registration form or to register online.

Send your registration and check to: Marriage and Family Life – Jubilee Celebration, Archdiocese of Milwaukee, P.O. Box 070912, Milwaukee WI 53207-0912.

### **Help Wanted**

Do you enjoy working with children? Are you looking for part time work? Please consider applying to the Mary Queen of Saints Catholic Academy's before/after school care. We currently have one opening for both morning and afternoon shifts. Contact Jen Vega, principal at MQSCA if you are interested. Hours are 6 - 7:45 AM or 3 - 6 PM.

### **MQSCA School**

### Principal: Jennifer Vega 414-476-0751 Vegaj@mqscateacher.org

The 2019-2020 school year is off to a great start with 224 students enrolled, but still have room for additional families looking to become part of an award winning school community. If you haven't seen our state report card, visit the department of public instruction to take a peek at <u>https://apps2.dpi.wi.gov/reportcards/home</u>

We have so much to be proud of and look forward to another great year. Please don't hesitate to reach out with any questions about our amazing school.

### **PARISH NEWS**



The Parish Office will be closed on Monday, September 2, for the Labor Day holiday.

No Eucharistic Adoration on Monday, September 2nd.

Our Labor Day Mass is at 9:00 AM at the 106th Street site.

### **MORNING BOOK CHAT**

At 106th Street Site Next Book Chat is September 8th (9:15-10:45 a.m.) Parish Center 8 All are welcome! Coffee, tea and snack provided. The book is "<u>Meet Solanus Casey</u>" by Brother Leo Wollenweber.



### **Register Now for the 2019 Women of Christ Conference**

#### The 11th annual **WOMEN OF CHRIST**® **CONFERENCE** will be held November 9th, 2019 at Washington County Fair Park, West Bend. **Come**

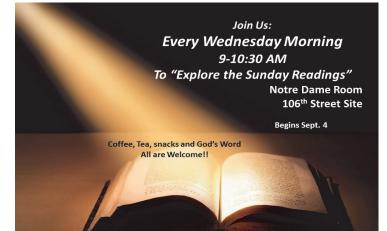
and See, He Delights in *you* is the theme. Conference <u>concludes</u> with 4:00pm Mass celebrated by Archbishop Jerome Listecki. Outstanding speakers include, Bishop Donald Hying, Steve Ray, Kimberly Hahn, and Derya Little. Confession and Adoration available all day. Group of 5 or more discounted ticket price at \$40.00 (price at door is \$50.00).

For more information or to Register as a Parish Group, please call Grace Elliott, 262 786-3840. Car Pooling may be available and if you are able to be a driver, please let Grace know.

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First Saturday Mass September 7th at 8:00 AM Reconciliation will follow after Mass until 9:30 AM At

92nd Street Site





#### Singers and Instrumentalists! We Need You!

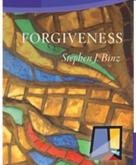
Have you wondered how to become a member of our music ministry team here at Mother of Perpetual Help? Our season is ready to begin and we have many ways in which you can participate!

#### **Traditional Choir rehearsal** will be held <u>Thursday</u>, <u>September 5th</u> at 6:30 PM at the 116th Street site. Please contact Laurie, Joe or Andy if you are interested in participating. Call them at 453-5192.

Join Us For an 8 week series on FORGIVENESS Monday Mornings, 9-10:30 AM

Begins Sept. 16 ; held in the Bethany Living Room, 116<sup>th</sup> St. Site

12 S. 116<sup>th</sup> St. , building on south end of parking lot Workbook cost: \$15



Human experience and psychological research confirm the teachings of Scripture that practicing forgiveness is good for our health and happiness and that refusing to forgive can bind us in depression, anxiety, and low selfesteem. We may not feel like forgiving, but God calls us to embody pardon and mercy in imitation of the divine forgiveness we have received. Learn the dynamics of forgiveness and how it can bring healing to your personal life, your family, and our church.

Sponsored by Mother of Perpetual Help Parish

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



**PLEASE NOTE:** The Adoration Chapel will be closed on Monday, September 2<sup>nd</sup>, for Labor Day.

"Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament has been the fervent devotion of the Saints. Their adoration lasted hours and hours, sometimes whole days or nights. There – 'at Jesus' feet' – like Mary of Bethany (Luke 10:39), keeping Him fond and intimate company, absorbed in contemplating Him, they surrendered their hearts in a pure and fragrant offering of adoring love." (Fr. Stefano Manelli, OFM)

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



The Fall Meijer Simply Give Campaign runs Sunday, August 18 through Saturday, September 28 Benefiting the MPH SVDP Conference Food Pantry All \$10 donations for the Fall Campaign may be turned in to the parish office, in the weekend collection baskets in envelopes marked Meijer Simply Give (if paying by check, make it out to Meijer) or after masses Sept. 7, 8. All donations will be turned in by our MPH SVDP Conference on the **double match day of Friday, Sept. 13**. Donations after Sept. 13 will not be matched by Meijer so please make your donations <u>directly at the Greenfield Meijer Store on the **double match day** <u>or turn them in to the parish prior to Sept. 13</u>. THANK YOU!!</u>

### **Christian Women Meeting**

Tuesday, September 10th 6:30 pm in the Notre Dame Room (106th St. Site) Ice Cream Social All are welcome.

### **St. Ben's for SEPTEMBER**

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September 20th and 27th Potato delivery by Wednesday Sept. 18th & 25th; Washing on Thursday, 19th & 26th at 8AM Questions/volunteer: contact Kathy Smith 414-453-0300 x25 or kathy@mphwa.org New Serving Volunteers always welcome & needed! BLESSINGS to all those so faithful to this ministry.

# MPH RUMMAGE, BAKE & JEWELRY SALE 2019 Sept. 20-21 106th and Lincoln Ave. (formerly Mary Queen of Heaven Parish Hall)

donations may be brought in on Wed, Sept 18 6-8 pm and Thurs, Sept. 19 9 am - 5 pm

donations and workers needed call Mary Margaret 262-786-9542 or Joan 414-771-2334 for more info



Sale Hours Fri. Sept. 20, 9 - 4 Sat. Sept.21 (bag day) 9 -12



NO Donations accepted before Wed. Sept. 18