



Mother of Perpetual Help PARISH

JUNE
13
2021

11TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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



11TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“To what shall we compare the kingdom of God, or what parable can we use for it? It is like a mustard seed that, when it is sown in the ground, is the smallest of all the seeds on the earth. But once it is sown, it springs up and becomes the largest of plants.” - Mk 4:30-32b

“¿Con qué compararemos el Reino de Dios? ¿Con qué parábola lo podremos representar? Es como una semilla de mostaza que, cuando se siembra, es la más pequeña de las semillas; pero una vez sembrada, crece y se convierte en el mayor de los arbustos”. - Mc 4, 30-32

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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, JUNE 13, 2021

ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:00 AM For the healing of Melissa Bennetts
(106 St.)

9:30 AM † Nick Dumak (116 St.)

11:00 AM † Howard and Anna Klitgaard (106 St.)

7:00 PM For all those who have suffered from
Covid (106 St.)

MONDAY, JUNE 14, 2021

8:00 AM † Mary Bevacqua (106 St.)

TUESDAY, JUNE 15, 2021

No Mass

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 16, 2021

8:00 AM † Carolyn Brussat (106 St.)

THURSDAY, JUNE 17, 2021

No Mass

FRIDAY, JUNE 18, 2021

8:00 AM † Cindy Shakula (106 St.)

SATURDAY, JUNE 19, 2021

4:00 PM † Kathleen Schendzielos (116 St.)

SUNDAY, JUNE 20, 2021 (Father's Day)

TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:00 AM For the Wnuk and Gutowski Families
(106 St.)

9:30 AM † David E. and Eleanore Shook (116 St.)

11:00 AM † Julie and Lyle Karis (106 St.)

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



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Celebrating the Sacraments

Baptism is celebrated after Mass at the 106th St. site on the second and fourth Sundays of the month. A Baptismal preparation class is required. Classes will be held on the 2nd Saturday of the month at 10:00 a.m. in the Notre Dame Room at the 106th St. site. You must 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.

Anointing of the Sick Until further notice, individual anointing may be requested by calling the pastor.

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 June 13, 2021

Sunday: Ez 17:22-24/Ps 92:2-3, 13-14, 15-16 [cf. 2a]/
2 Cor 5:6-10/Mk 4:26-34

Monday: 2 Cor 6:1-10/Ps 98:1, 2b, 3ab, 3cd-4 [2a]/
Mt 5:38-42

Tuesday: 2 Cor 8:1-9/Ps 146:2, 5-6ab, 6c-7, 8-9a [1b]/
Mt 5:43-48

Wednesday: 2 Cor 9:6-11/Ps 112:1bc-2, 3-4,
9 [1b]/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday: 2 Cor 11:1-11/Ps 111:1b-2, 3-4
7-8 [7a]/Mt 6:7-15

Friday: 2 Cor 11:18, 21-30/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5,
6-7 [cf. 18b]/Mt 6:19-23

Saturday: 2 Cor 12:1-10/Ps 34:8-9, 10-11, 12-13 [9a]
Mt 6:24-34

Next Sunday: Jb 38:1, 8-11/ Ps 107:23-24, 25-26, 28-29,
30-31 [1b]/2 Cor 5:14-17/Mk 4:35-41



GOD'S WORD

11th Sunday in Ordinary Time /June 13, 2021

First Reading:

And all the trees of the field shall know that I, the LORD, bring low the high tree, lift high the lowly tree, wither up the green tree, and make the withered tree bloom. (Ez 17:24)

Second Reading:

We are always courageous, although we know that while we are at home in the body we are away from the Lord, for we walk by faith, not by sight. (2 Cor 5:6-7)

Gospel:

“It is like a mustard seed that, when it is sown in the ground, is the smallest of all the seeds on the earth. But once it is sown, it springs up and becomes the largest of plants and puts forth large branches, so that the birds of the sky can dwell in its shade.”

(Mk 4:31-32)

MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP



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

In Loving Memory of Rudy Cindric
And

Deceased Members of the Haegers Family

The Chapel Candle at 106th St. is burning this month

In Loving Memory of Paul Mikelonis

FROM THE TEMPORARY ADMINISTRATOR FR. ALAN

I'd like to express my appreciation for all the cooperation and support during my time as Temporary Administrator of MPH. It was an honor to help in the transition from the pastorate of Fr. Jeff (may he Rest In Peace) to that of Fr. Matthew.

I am confident that the future of MPH is bright. But this bright future is dependent on continuing goodwill and willingness to trust in the guidance of the Holy Spirit. As one parish, MPH must be careful never to fall into the trap of division, or longing for the "good old days." Jesus calls us to be people of the mission. Our buildings and institutions are important not for themselves but as means to enable the mission to share the Gospel.

Sometimes we need to be trusting and leave behind the familiar and move into a new future.

I truly hope that the September move to one worship site will be smooth. I humbly and sincerely ask that those who might be considering moving to another parish reconsider and give the united worship site a fair chance.

As part of this move into the future, it is planned to provide a summary financial report of the status of MPH. Since the fiscal year ends June 30, it is anticipated the report will be available by the end of August.

Finally, I hope to continue to help out on weekends when Fr. Matthew needs help.

MPH will be in my prayers.

Fr. Alan



Welcome Fr. Matthew
Enlighten us to
Live in love, peace and harmony
Come join us as we invite all and
Open our hearts as we give
Meaningful prayer with spirit and
Enthusiasm



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 106th Street site.

PLEASE NOTE: LAST MASS ON VIDEO

With the pandemic restrictions lifted, we can now come to Church normally as before; and after reviewing the YouTube analytics, the viewership is very low and gives us the impression that very few are attending Mass virtually. We have come to the conclusion that we will discontinue recording for now. The last Mass recording will take place on the weekend of June 19/20 at the 8 am Mass.

Also, a big Thank You to all who have made the availability of a video Sunday Mass possible.

For those who are homebound or have health issues and want to continue to watch Mass from home, the Archdiocese offers *Heart of the Nation* Mass which is televised on Sunday mornings at 7:00 am and 9:00 am on channel 24.



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 JUNE 6, 2021

Membership.....	\$16,586.50
Repair and Maintenance	1,236.50
Scholarship	273.00
Offertory	593.00
Total.....	\$18,689.00

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

Thank You Fr. Alan!

Your leadership enhanced by your wonderful sense of humor, helped us all through a difficult time and transition period. Blessings as you continue your life journey!

Welcome Fr. Mathew!

We are looking forward to your leadership as we embrace our future together!

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?

1st Communion prep begins in the fall of a child's 2nd grade year of school.

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

St. Ben's Covid-19 Update:

NO volunteer-made food or community meals in the dining room for the foreseeable future

HOWEVER STEP 1:

WEDNESDAYS IN JUNE a prepackaged meal is being served on tables in the St. Ben's parking lot

FINANCIAL DONATIONS ALWAYS WELCOMED

www.capuchincommunityservices.org/ways-to-help/donations

Questions/volunteer:

contact Kathy Smith 414-453-0300 x25 or kathy@mphwa.org

BLESSINGS to all those so faithful to this ministry!

CONTACT KATHY IF YOU WISH TO RETURN WHEN THEY REOPEN

Both Servers and Food preparers

MQSCA SCHOOL

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

I'm saddened that this will be my last school update as principal of Mary Queen of Saints Catholic Academy. Before I go, I would like to thank our entire parish community for the commitment, support and prayers throughout the school year. I honestly don't think we could have made it without you! This year is definitely one for the books and one that our children will be talking about for decades! I will surely miss the entire MQSCA community, but know that I will keep you in my heart and prayers. Thank you for welcoming me and your gracious support. The next principal, Mr. Lee will continue to fight for the school, students and families and he will lean on you as I have for your prayers and support. I wish you a wonderful, safe and healthy summer.

In peace,

Jen Vega

Simply Give
This campaign is being run twice in a row because it wasn't run at all in 2020 due to COVID

double match day
THANK YOU! June 19

Purchase \$10 donation cards now through 7/3/21 to provide food to your local food pantries for families in need. On double match days, Meijer will match Simply Give card purchases up to a maximum Meijer donation of \$10,000 per store.

meijer
visit meijercommunity.com for more details.

How to Give

Campaign runs **NOW-JULY 3**
Cash may be turned in NOW until JUNE 14
Inside an envelope marked "Simply Give"
To the Collection Baskets
Checks to Meijer accepted if you have shopped at Meijer and they have you on record
OR
at the parish office and we will turn it in for you on the Double Match Day
OR
During the Simply Give campaign, customers are encouraged to purchase a **\$10 Simply Give donation card at checkout at the Greenfield Store until July 3** (90th and Layton).
Once purchased, all donations are converted into Meijer Food-Only Gift Cards and donated directly to our **MPH Food Pantry!**
With the Double Match turn-in of the Winter campaign, we netted \$3,350 in Food Cards from Meijer
THANK YOU TO ALL WHO DONATED!

The M.P.H. St. Vincent de Paul FOOD PANTRY is OPEN

Many Thanks to all of our "regular" donors!

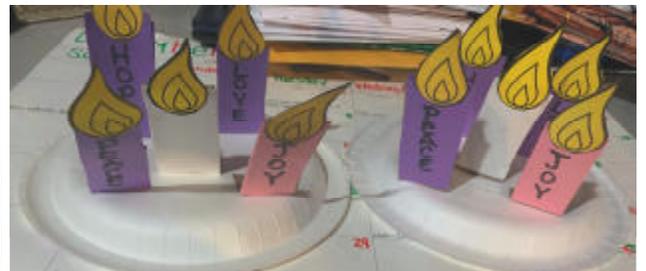
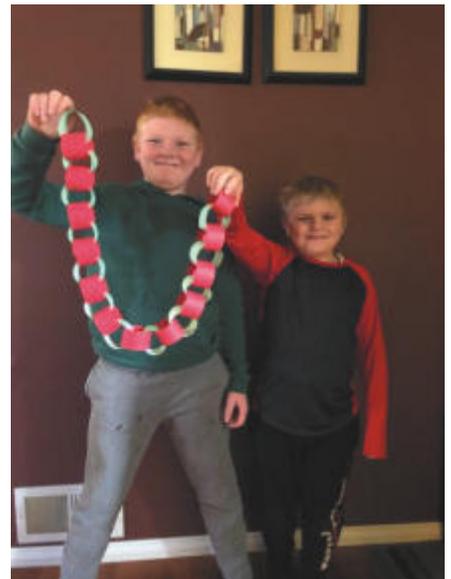
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For emergencies please call 211

Feeding the Community
Open to the Community and ALL Parishioners in Need

Due to Covid, this year we had at-home FAMILY Religious Education. Some assignments throughout the year asked for sharing of pictures. Please enjoy seeing some of the submitted photos!



MPH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION ADVENT 2020-2021



GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

June 13, 2021

11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

A favorite motto of St. Teresa of Calcutta was, “do small things with great love.” This is how it works in the kingdom of God. God can do tremendous things with the smallest gesture, especially when it is done in love. We can clearly see that our world is suffering greatly. People are struggling to find peace, navigate through conflicts, earn a sustainable living, find security and enough food to eat, and work through political tensions and conflicts. In the light of the magnitude of the difficulties that exist around us and even within us, we can find ourselves floundering to discover practical, effective solutions. How can something so large be helped by someone as small and seemingly insignificant as me? While whole systems and structures may be out of the league of our personal influence, are we really that helpless in the midst of all of the turmoil, sadness, and suffering?

If we believe that God is with us and that God is still working to bring about the glory of God’s kingdom, then the answer is no. We are never helpless or without hope. Armed with a strong life of prayer, we can always flee to God and ask for inspiration, wisdom, and especially love. We are all blessed with unique gifts and talents and it often seems that considering all that the world lacks, love and charity remain at the top of the list. Life can easily become a battleground of hostility. Because life is challenging and difficult, anger is not far away. We see it on people’s faces and hear it in their voices. There is a measure of frustration that permeates all avenues of life. It is even felt in the air.

As people of faith, we know that what we see here is not the end but only a part of something far greater to come. We know that God’s kingdom is where we are ultimately meant to be, and the Gospel is the way to get there. If love and charity can prevail in us, then God will be able to do what God does best. God will use us to scatter the seeds of his kingdom. Through our small gestures, those seeds can receive the nurturing attention that is necessary for them to bear great fruit. We cannot fall victim to the strife that is around us. We have to keep ourselves refreshed and focused so that even in small ways, we can become part of the solution, not the problem. Love and charity, which come from God, can help to heal the ills of the world. May we bring these simple gifts to the everyday simple tasks of our lives! Watch how big the plant grows!

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Camp de Sales - Summer Vocation Camps

Middle and high school boys are invited to join Fr. Luke Strand, Fr. John Burns, and seminarians this summer at Saint Francis de Sales Seminary for fun-packed and faith-filled summer vocation camps.

For dates and details, visit www.thinkpriest.org/Camp-de-Sales-2021.

SCRIP:

Scrip is a fundraising program where Mother of Perpetual Help sells gift certificates and prepaid cards that can be used at the participating retailers to purchase merchandise. The retailers sell the cards to us at discounted rates and that is how Mother of Perpetual Help Parish makes money on the program. Scrip is sold at the Parish office.



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 intensity of life lately has led me to savor with greater fervor the quiet times of prayer I get to spend in our Eucharistic chapel, early in the morning before the whole swirl begins. Our beautiful Catholic tradition has a deep strain of mysticism which calls each of us to sit daily in stillness before the Lord and simply BE.”

(Bishop Donald J. Hying).

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.

St. Anthony Can Find Anything — Even You

“Tony, Tony, come around! Something is lost and it must be found.”

Did you learn this one when you were a kid? In my experience there are even a lot of lapsed Catholics — or people who were never Catholic at all — who know that when you lose something, St. Anthony becomes your best friend. Missing keys? Pray to St. Anthony. Can’t find your favorite sweater? St. Anthony. Forget where you parked your car in the mall lot? St. Anth— okay, you get the idea. Whatever it is, large or small, important or trivial, Tony has a reputation for finding the lost things.

It’s a devotion that can seem a little like superstition — witchcraft, even? — if you don’t really understand it. Mumble an incantation to a dead guy and you’re guaranteed to find your sunglasses. But as with most traditions that are old, beloved and effective, looking a little closer reveals the truth of the matter.

When we lose something really important, what do we do? We make the whole household stop what they’re doing to join the search. Having St. Anthony as a friend means you ask him to stop what he’s doing to help, too. And how he helps is by taking the matter exactly where all matters need to go — straight to the feet of Christ.

Here’s the real genius of St. Anthony: he takes the most mundane, commonplace occurrence — misplacing socks — into an encounter with the divine and truly all things great and small are gifts from God. He grabs our hand and points to the cross. “That’s what you’re looking for,” he tells us.

In the end, Tony doesn’t really find the lost things. He finds the lost people.

— Tracy Earl Welliver, MT

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