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MARCH 21, 2021 | BELONGING *LEADS* TO BELIEVING

5TH SUNDAY OF LENT

LIFTED

“And when I am lifted
up from the earth, I
will draw everyone
to myself.” - Jn 12: 32



Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

MASS

WEEKEND MASS

Saturday Vigil-5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

(All Indoor Public Masses. 5:00 p.m. & 9:00 a.m. Masses are Live-Streamed-Recording available at any time. Outdoor seating available for all Masses)

WEEKDAY MASS

Monday- Saturday 9:00 a.m.

(Indoor Public Mass & Live-streamed. Outdoor plaza seating available for indoor Masses)

Register for Public Mass:

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Staff: in the back of the bulletin.
Volunteer Directory:
mqp.org/Parish-Ministry-Directory

SACRAMENTS

RECONCILIATION

Indoors with masks & social distancing. See mqp.org for dates.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please call the parish office for an appointment.

COMMUNION IN THE HOME

By appointment ONLY.

Please call the parish office.

EXPOSITION & ADORATION

Wednesday: 9:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Live-Streamed until 10:00 a.m.,

Thursday: 9:30 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Church open daily for prayer
Mon-Sat, 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Sun. 12:00-2:00 p.m.

PARISH INFORMATION

SCRIPTURE READINGS

March 21
JER 31:31-34
HEB 5:7-9
JN 12:20-33
March 28
ISS 50:4-7
PH 2:6-11
MK 14:1-15:47



NEW PARISHIONERS

We would like to extend a warm welcome to all new parishioners and visitors to our church!

We hope that you enjoy your stay, and if you would like to join our family here at Mary, Queen of Peace, we invite you to become a registered parishioner.



Please stop by the Parish Office during the week to fill out a registration form and pick up your welcome gift, or register online at mqp.org



All families and friends of MQP are being prayed for daily. Check out our website for updates: www.mqp.org



OUR SISTER PARISH



LENTEN GREETINGS FROM FR. MATTHEW

Fr. Matthew Yitierh, former pastor of our sister parish, Our Lady of the Annunciation, and now Vicar General of the Archdiocese of Tamale in Ghana sends MQP Lenten greetings: "I bring you greetings of the season of Lent. It is my hope and prayer that you are all doing well by God's Grace. May we intensify our prayers for God's healing mercies for the world. I certainly will pray for you all and ask you to do same for me. Please keep safe."

~Fr. Matthew"



JOIN US IN PRAYING THE ROSARY FOR OUR SISTER PARISH

Thursday, March 25, is the Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord and is the feast day of our sister parish in Ghana, Our Lady of the Annunciation. At 8:30 a.m., for those that would like to join us in-person, we will pray the rosary. It will be livestreamed so people may also join virtually. We welcome all to join us!

INSIDE THE PARISH

GOD WANTS TO GIVE YOU HIS JOY

A STAFF REFLECTION

In today's Psalm, we hear a familiar verse, "Create a clean heart in me, O God." For me, this Psalm is a reminder of, as we near the end of Lent, the need for continual perseverance in our Lenten promises, and especially that which helps us grow closer to God, seeking his love, mercy and forgiveness for the places where we have failed.

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is a place where we can lay all of our struggles, our sins, and our fallings at Christ's feet and receive his healing love and mercy. For me, this was a Sacrament that I avoided at all costs for many years. Growing up, my dad went every other weekend. I remember asking him one time why he went so often. I just assumed he was a really bad sinner (but aren't we all, ha!). He told me he went because he loved the feeling of coming face to face with Christ and being cleansed. Even after that discussion, it took me many years to return to the Sacrament, but, once I did, I finally understood what my dad was talking about.

My return to the Sacrament of Reconciliation happened in college on a retreat. All of the retreat attendees were told to put on blindfolds for the next "activity." We were then led on a blind walk from the hall where the retreat was, into the church across the street, and seated in the pews. After being given the okay to take our blindfolds off, we were told that we now had the opportunity to go to reconciliation. There were four priests there, ready to hear our confessions. I was twenty years old and had not been to confession since my first reconciliation when I was eight. I was absolutely terrified. Not only had it been a long time, but the last couple of years had been particularly rocky as I made many, many poor choices. How could I bare to tell all of this to the priest? But slowly, everyone around me got up, went to one of the priests, and returned to their pew. A guy at the end of the row next to me, who I had seen around and was a football player, was crying so hard he could hardly breath, after returning from going to confession. But he also had a peace about him that was so attractive; like a weight had been lifted from him. I slowly got up and made my way to an available priest. He led me through the confession as I told him at had been too long to remember how to do it. He was so kind and as tears streamed down my face as I shared about my past, he too began to cry. In that moment, peace washed over me like I had never known before. I was filled with an indescribable joy. I met Christ in the confessional, and from that moment on, made it a point to go to confession more often. I began to make time to pray; to go to adoration; I relearned the rosary. I wanted to continue to experience the peace I found in the confessional, and the more I prayed, the more I came to know Christ and who He created me to be. I encourage you all to make time to go to confession this Lent, even if it has been a while. The priest is happy to walk you through it. Fr. Chad offers it all Fridays in Lent from 4:30-5:30. See mqp.org for the full schedule!

Article written by Pastoral Assistant for Communications, Chelsea Smith.

YEAR OF THE EUCHARIST

In an ever changing world the Holy Eucharist is a constant reminder of the



great reality of God's changeless love.

~ St. Teresa of Calcutta



PRAYER CORNER

Please pray for those who are ill:

Mary Castro
Nila Augustini
Michael Chiles
Jan & Gabriela
Lopuszynski
Leon Young
Mirka Saposnik

Helen Corcuera
Derek Bryson
William Bryson
Mike & Anne
Hoye
Geraldine Van
Dyke

And for those who have died:

Harold Cahoy
Julia Yue
LoChay Lee
Delfin Bermudez
Father Paul
Dalton, on the
13th anniversary
of his death
Lilia Velano
Helen Yupa
Sebastian Kyle
Malabanan
Robert Gross

Tommy Erickson
Al Lee
Don Rees
Raul Gonzales
Lois Dougherty
Julia Ordonez
Joseph Konowal
Ernesto Romero
Sheryl Ann Dean
Clarence
Kahilihiwa
Don Schulz Sr.

Names spoken during mass one week are then listed here for three weeks. Please contact the parish office to add someone to our parish prayers.

Never doubt the power of prayer.

MINISTRY OF THE MONTH

CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES

Catholic Relief Services Is About Life!

During the first 1000 days of life (from conception to age 2), the foundations for childhood development are laid. This period of life is critical to healthy body and brain development and, ultimately, preparing the child to reach its potential as an adult.

For this reason, Catholic Relief Services (CRS) focuses on a healthy start, from the womb, for mother and child. By age two, if a child has had a diet with the nutrients it needs for good development, the child can thrive as it grows into a successful adulthood. In addition to a diet rich in nutrients needed for healthy development, CRS' approach includes access to clean water, fighting disease, and education.

You can read more about the excellent results that Catholic Relief Services obtains while partnering with communities, throughout the countries it works in, at www.crs.org/stories/first1000-days-life-are-unskippable For more information on Catholic Relief Services' impact around the world, check out their facts and figures for fiscal year 2019. You'll be amazed at what this organization is doing! (www.crs.org/sites/default/files/crs_fy19_facts_and_figures_en.pdf)

Catholic Relief Services has a CRS Parish Ambassador Program to help foster awareness of, educate about, and advocate for, its work internationally. This is a new ministry at MQP and if you are interested in finding out more about it, please contact Marie Taylor (mariemtaylor529@gmail.com) or Barb Luxenberg (luxeaa@msn.com).

~Barb Luxenberg



STEWARDSHIP



STEWARDSHIP MESSAGE

"If anyone would serve me," says Jesus in today's Gospel, "let him follow me; where I am, there will my servant be." In what way is Jesus inviting me to follow Him? What service is He asking of me?
See John 12:26

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Lent 2021

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Fridays at 6:00 p.m.
In the Church

FISH FRY TRUCK

Five Hooks Seafood will have their truck in our parking lot Friday, March 19 & 26 from 3-7pm

THE CHOSEN

Mondays, 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.
View & discuss the pioneering, crowd-funded, independently developed TV series depicting the Gospels.
Email: adulted@mcp.org for Zoom link & more information.

CONFESSIONS

Fridays, 4:30-5:30
In the Church

ADORATION IN THE CHURCH

Wednesdays, 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
Thursdays, 10:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.

EVENING OF ST. JOSEPH

Friday, March 19th
Stations & St. Joseph consecration, 6:00, Mass at 6:30 p.m.

SOLEMNITY OF THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD

Thursday, March 25th
Mass at 9:00 a.m.

LENTEN VESPERS

March 24th at 6:00 p.m.
With adoration & benediction. Join us in-person or live streaming via our YouTube channel.

HOLY WEEK

March 28- April 4



● **DAILY MASS**

Mon - Wed: 9:00 a.m.

● **HOLY THURSDAY MASS**

6:00 p.m.

● **GOOD FRIDAY**

Tre Ore "7 Last Words": 12-3 p.m.
Stations of the Cross: 2:30 p.m.
(English)

Viacrucis 4:00 p.m. (En Español)

The Lord's Passion: 6:00 p.m.

● **HOLY SATURDAY**

Easter Vigil: 8:30 p.m.

● **EASTER SUNDAY MASS**

Easter Sunrise Mass 7:00 a.m.
9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

***All liturgies will be live-streamed except the 11 a.m. Easter Mass.*

Visit mcp.org to register to attend in person.
Registration is not required for Daily Mass, Tre Ore & Viacrucis en Español.

PUBLIC & LIVE STREAMING MASS

PUBLIC & LIVESTREAM MASS TIMES

Archbishop Etienne has extended the dispensation of the obligation to attend Sunday Mass. There is no obligation and no sin in not coming to Mass during this time.

**THE CHURCH WILL BE OPEN FOR PERSONAL PRAYER
MON. TO SAT. FROM 10 A.M. – 1 P.M.
SUNDAY FROM 12 P.M. TO 2 P.M**

*Please note: the office is closed but we are answering calls from 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.,
We will also answer those who come to the parish office door and ring the new doorbell.*

Join in community with us at these liturgical events:

Weekday Mass - Monday to Saturday - 9 a.m.
Indoor Public Mass - Live-Streamed on our YouTube channel.

Weekend Mass
Saturday Vigil- 5:00 p.m. - Indoor Public Mass- Live-Streamed on our YouTube channel.

Sunday -9 :00 a.m. - Indoor Public Mass - Live-Streamed on our YouTube channel.
Recording available at any time

Sunday -11 :00 a.m. - Indoor Public Mass.

Register for Public Mass: signupgenius.com/go/mqpmass

Exposition and Adoration, Wednesdays: after 9 a.m. Mass until 1:00 p.m. Live Streamed until 10 a.m.
Thursdays: after 9 a.m. Mass until 7:00 p.m.

Confessions by appointment and indoors on some Fridays. See our website for dates. Please contact Fr. Chad if you would like to make an appointment, at: pastor@mqp.org. If you are unable to come to Confession during this time, please trust in God's Mercy, make a sincere Act of Contrition, and resolve to come to Confession as soon as you are able.

Visit www.mqp.org to find more ways to grow in faith at home during the Covid-19 outbreak.

Please check our website for more updates.

Easter Masses

Easter Vigil:
8:30 p.m.

Easter Morning:
7:00 a.m., 9:00 a.m.,
11:00 a.m.

Live -Streamed
(except 11 a.m. Mass)

Visit mqp.org to register
to attend in-person.



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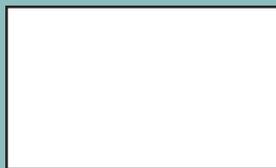
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