Mary Queen
CATHOLIC CHURCH

NOVEMBER 15, 2026

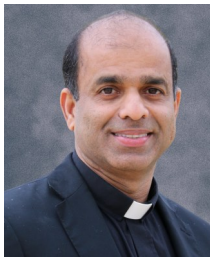


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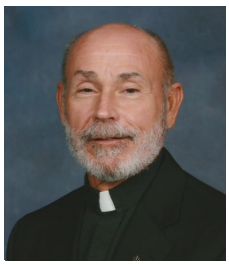
WELL DONE, MY GOOD AND FAITHFUL SERVANT.

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The Priests who serve Mary Queen Catholic Church are Missionaries of Our Lady of La Salette.



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www.maryqueencatholicchurch.org
www.lasalette.org

Office Hours
Monday - Friday 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Mass Schedule

Saturday
5:30 PM Vigil Mass

Sunday
7:30 AM, 9:30 AM (Livestreamed), 11:30 AM and 4:30 PM

First Saturdays
8:30 AM

Daily Mass
8:30 AM Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday
6:30 PM Wednesday

Daily Rosary
After 8:30 AM Mass Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday (except First Friday)

First Friday Eucharistic Adoration
9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

33 Hours of Eucharistic Adoration
9:00 AM Tuesday - 5:45 PM Wednesday

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Wednesday 4:30 - 5:30 PM in the church
Saturday 4:00 - 5:00 PM in the church

Welcome to Mary Queen!

If you are new to Mary Queen parish or visiting, please stop by with any questions regarding our parish. We would love to meet you! If you have been attending Mary Queen Church and consider this your parish community, please register with the Parish Office so we can keep an accurate census. If you have questions or would like additional information, please contact our parish office or visit our website: www.maryqueencatholicchurch.org.

Mission Statement

Our Mary Queen community, inspired by faith and love, will live, worship, teach, welcome and support one another in the imitation of Christ.

2027 Mass Intentions Are Open

Please visit www.maryqueencatholicchurch.org/mass-intentions to review the guidelines and learn how to submit a scheduled Mass intention.
Questions after reviewing the guidelines?
Contact Anita Shorosky at 281-482-1391 or anitashorosky@maryqueenchurch.org.

THIS WEEK

Sunday, November 15th
Mary Queen Ministry Fair in the Main Hall (After All Masses)
9:45 AM - 11:00 AM OCIA Breaking Open the Word - Catechumens (Mini Hall)
1:00 PM - 2:00 PM Baptisms (Church)

Monday, November 16th
9:00 AM - 11:00 AM Woodworkers Workshop (Mary's House Garage)
5:45 PM - 8:00 PM Special Friends Program (Main Hall)
6:00 PM - 8:30 PM Men's ACTS Small Group (Room 110/Library)
7:00 PM - 8:30 PM Our Lady of La Salette Prayer Group (Room 125)
7:00 PM - 9:00 PM ACTS Core Team Meeting (Room 119)

Tuesday, November 17th
9:00 AM Exposition for 33 Hours of Eucharistic Adoration (Chapel)
9:30 AM - 11:30 AM Mary's Chain of Love Ministry (Room 114/115)
9:30 AM - 12:00 PM MQ Seniors Bingo Program (Mini Hall)
10:30 AM - 12:00 PM Spiritual Motherhood Women's Bible Study (Main Hall)
4:00 PM - 5:15 PM Elementary Faith Formation Classes (Mini Hall/Classrooms)
5:45 PM - 7:00 PM Elementary Faith Formation Classes (Mini Hall/Classrooms)
7:00 PM - 8:30 PM 'Jesus: The Truth, Way, and the Life' - AFF (Mary's House)
7:00 PM - 8:30 PM Spiritual Motherhood Women's Bible Study (Main Hall)

Wednesday, November 18th
6:00 AM - 7:00 AM TMIY - Apostles of the New Springtime- AFF (Main Hall)
8:45 AM - 11:00 AM Meditation Prayer Group (Room 110/Library)
9:00 AM - 10:30 AM Pancakes with Santa Planning Meeting (Room 119)
9:00 AM - 11:00 AM Woodworkers Workshop (Mary's House Garage)
9:00 AM - 12:00 PM Queen Bee Quilters Meeting (Mini Hall)
4:00 PM - 5:15 PM Elementary Faith Formation Classes (Mini Hall/Classrooms)
4:30 PM - 5:30 PM Reconciliation (Church)
5:45 PM - 6:00 PM Benediction Concludes Eucharistic Adoration (Chapel)
5:45 PM - 7:00 PM Elementary Faith Formation Classes (Mini Hall/Classrooms)
5:45 PM - 7:00 PM High School Faith Formation - Adoration Night (Church)
5:45 PM - 7:15 PM Jr High Faith Formation Lesson 6 - YM (YC)
7:00 PM - 8:30 PM YA Bible Study Small Group - AFF (Mary's House)
7:15 PM - 8:15 PM TMIY - Apostles of the New Springtime- AFF (Main Hall)
7:15 PM - 8:30 PM Finance Council Meeting (Room 114/115)

Thursday, November 19th
9:30 AM - 11:00 AM Grief & Grace Support Group (Mary's House)
9:30 AM - 11:00 AM Lectio Bible Study: 'The Case for Jesus' - AFF (Mini Hall)
9:30 AM - 12:00 PM WWP Coordinator Meeting (Room 110/Library)
11:30 AM - 1:00 PM Grief & Grace Support Group (Mary's House)
12:00 PM - 2:00 PM Parish Staff Thanksgiving Luncheon - JOYful Lights (Rectory)
5:30 PM - 6:30 PM Youth OCIA Faith Formation Class (YC)
5:30 PM - 7:00 PM Grief & Grace Support Group (Mary's House)
5:30 PM - 6:00 PM Knights of Columbus Rosary (Chapel)
6:00 PM - 7:00 PM Knights of Columbus Memorial Mass (Chapel)
6:30 PM - 8:30 PM OCIA Catechumenate Session 4 for Adults - AFF (Main Hall)
7:00 PM - 8:00 PM Pastoral Council Meeting (Room 114/115)
7:00 PM - 9:00 PM Knights of Columbus Memorial Mass Reception (Main Hall)

Friday, November 20th
11:00 AM - 1:30 PM Friendsgiving Luncheon - Social Services (Mary's House
6:00 PM - 9:00 PM Creation Care Ministry - Movie Night (Main Hall)

Saturday, November 21st
9:00 AM - 11:00 AM Distribution of Thanksgiving Boxes (Parking Lot, Hallway, La Salette Room)
9:00 AM - 11:00 AM Woodworkers Workshop (Mary's House Garage)
4:00 PM - 5:00 PM Reconciliation (Church)

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, November 14th
5:30 PM †Stanley Saccomanno

Sunday, November 15th
7:30 AM †Geneva Glanville

9:30 AM All Our Mary Queen Parishioners

11:30 AM †Randy Walbe

4:30 PM †Alfredo de la Paz, †Leonida Paraiso, †Marissa Ledesma - Laurel, †Limvengco & †Gisbert Families, Living & Deceased Loved Ones of Nelson & Teresa Olavarria, Jerett & Melanie Bell - Wedding Anniversary Blessings, Regan Keathley - Birthday Blessings, Gilbert Enriquez - Birthday Blessings

Monday, November 16th
8:30 AM Karen Hatchik

Tuesday, November 17th
8:30 AM †Mr. & †Mrs. Leonard Adam

Wednesday, November 18th
6:30 PM †Frank & †Carlotta Garza

Thursday, November 19th
8:30 AM †Danny Yarberry

Friday, November 20th
8:30 AM †Rives Benoit

Saturday, November 21st
5:30 PM Jason Jansky - Birthday Blessings

Sunday, November 22nd
7:30 AM Julian & Evelyn Morales - Wedding Anniversary Blessings

9:30 AM Living & Deceased Loved Ones of Don & Becky Adam

11:30 AM All Our Mary Queen Parishioners

4:30 PM †Dominic Gangitano, †Tony Diotalevi, †Jean Maxwell, †Dolores Anderwald, †Joan Blake, Living & Deceased Loved Ones of Judy Hodges, Living & Deceased Loved Ones of Beth Drone

TIME·TALENT·TREASURE

Offertory: October 17, 2026 - October 23, 2026
This includes offertory at Mass, mail-in and online giving.

Weekly Offertory Received: $40,019.46
Weekly Budgeted Amount: $43,610.00
Difference: ($3,590.54)
Future Development & Maintenance: $529.00
Food Pantry: $3,457.00
Special/2nd Collection: All Saints Day Offering $6,104.43

Upcoming Special/2nd Collections

November 15 - Campaign for Human Development

November 22 - Future Development and Maintenance

Building Together Campaign

Parish Goal: $3,500,000.00
Total Amount Paid: $1,996,234.47
Total Amount Pledged: $1,837,225.82
Total Number of Individual Pledges: 438

Diocesan Services Fund

2026 DSF Summary as of November 3, 2026

Parish Goal: $220,375.00
Total Amount Paid: $177,621.00
Balance: $42,754.00
Total Number of Mary Queen Donors: 291
Total Number of Gifts Received: 774
Total Number of Mary Queen Households: 2,670

To make your gift or for more information, please visit www.archgh.org/dsf.

IGNITE Campaign

2022 IGNITE Summary as of November 3, 2026

Parish Goal: $1,886,649.00
Total Amount Paid: $647,311.00
Total Amount Pledged: $590,383.32
Total Number of Gifts Received: 2,679
Total Number of Mary Queen Donors: 276
Total Number of Mary Queen Households: 2,545

Make the switch from envelopes to online giving!

Scan the QR code to make a one-time gift or set up recurring gifts today!

ParishSOFT
Connecting People and the Church

Current Mary Queen Parishioners Update Your Family Information

Parish Soft gives current parishioners the opportunity to log in and update family information.

1. Go to the following link **https://galveston.parishsoftfamilysuite.com**
2. A **New User Registration Form** will come up. Fill out the form and hit submit.
3. Your request will be sent to Mary Queen to obtain confirmation.
4. Once you receive confirmation, you may set a permanent password and make changes to your family information.

This system allows you to add family members but it does not allow you to delete them. If you need assistance in adding and/or deleting information or would like to provide your updated information via telephone or e-mail, please contact Anita Shorosky at 281-482-1391 or anitashorosky@maryqueenchurch.org.

FORMED

To sign up for FORMED, visit www.formed.org/signup

- Select your parish – Mary Queen 606 Cedarwood Dr., Friendswood, TX
- Register with your name and email address
- Check that email account for a link to begin using FORMED

They have also created a series of videos to guide you through logging in, signing up, and using the platform at https://watch.formed.org/formed-help-1/season:1.

FLOCKNOTE



Flocknote is the email communications platform Mary Queen uses to keep our parishioners informed about what's going on in the parish. The weekly eNews is sent out using Flocknote, and many of our ministries and other parish groups also use it to keep their members up to date with meeting news and other information.
If you are not receiving email communications from Mary Queen, sign up for Flocknote at https://maryqueenchurch.flocknote.com/.

ARCHIVES & ROOM RESERVATIONS

To request a copy of your parish records or to update your personal information, contact Anita Shorosky at anitashorosky@maryqueenchurch.org.

For room reservations and/or to schedule calendar events, contact Rose Mary at baezrm@maryqueenchurch.org.

LOOKING FOR PARISH INFORMATION? START HERE!

Sacraments

Find registration information for all of our Sacraments for all ages.

Elementary Faith Formation (EFF)

Find class calendars and all other information relating to EFF.

Jr. High Faith Formation (ARK)

High School Faith Formation (CAST)

Adult Faith Formation (AFF)

Find all of the programs and Bible studies we offer for all ages ranging from 18 onwards.

OCIA for Adults

Interested in becoming a full member of the Catholic church? Scan the QR code to fill out our OCIA Inquirer & Candidate Information Form.

Sunday Bulletin

Want to read our bulletins online? Find current and past issues on our website.

Become a registered parishioner!

We welcome all to Mary Queen! If you worship with us weekly, register as a parishioner to receive parish updates and more.

Ministries

Want to get involved in our parish? Check out our list of active ministries! There is a place for you here!

Social Concerns Ministries

We are called to live out the Corporal Works of Mercy for our neighbors in need. If you feel called to help, join one of these ministries!

Need additional information?

Call our parish office at 281-482-1391 or visit our website at www.maryqueencatholicchurch.org.



FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Dear Mary Queen Family,

Gifts often bring to mind a child eagerly unwrapping a birthday or Christmas present with great anticipation and joy! Today's Scriptures remind us that God's gifts should inspire that same joy and gratitude in us. Among the many lessons in Jesus' parable of the talents, the opening words stand out: "A man going on a journey called in his servants and entrusted his possessions to them." What a responsibility to receive the master's possessions! God likewise entrusts us with His gifts, everything we have and all that we are. Like the master in the parable, He expects us to use our gifts and talents to build His Kingdom on earth and spread His goodness.

Jesus reminds us that each of us is blessed with unique gifts and talents. Our gifts are not meant to be hidden or kept for ourselves. They are meant to be shared to make a difference in the lives of others. A simple act of kindness, a word of encouragement, a helping hand, or a generous heart can bear beautiful fruit in God's Kingdom.

Does the parable's ending seem harsh? The last servant did not squander the money; he simply returned it unchanged. Yet our generous God calls us to use His gifts, not hide them away. When we neglect these gifts, we miss the invitation to participate fully in His Kingdom. Each of God's children has unique gifts, just as the servants received different numbers of talents according to their abilities.

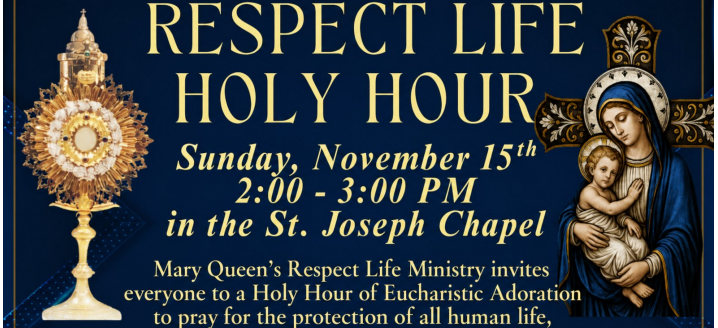
Let us consider how we can share our gifts and help others do the same. No gift is too small, and God has given us everything we need. We are called to use each gift wisely. Strengthened by His love and grace, let us use our blessings for His glory.

Many Blessings,

Fr. Thomas Vellappallil, MS

UPCOMING EVENTS

RESPECT LIFE HOLY HOUR



Sunday, November 15th
2:00 - 3:00 PM
in the St. Joseph Chapel

Mary Queen's Respect Life Ministry invites everyone to a Holy Hour of Eucharistic Adoration to pray for the protection of all human life, from conception to natural death.

Please note: due to the annual parish picnic falling on the second Sunday of November, this month's Respect Life Holy Hour will be held on Sunday, November 15th.

Mary Queen Children's Choir

Join us for Christmas Eve and Our Lady of Guadalupe



Rehearsals • 5:15–5:45 PM
Nov. 18 and Dec. 2, 9, 16

To sign up, contact **Jose Arredondo**
jarredondo@maryqueenchurch.org

BAY AREA DEANERY ADVENT PENANCE SERVICE SCHEDULE 2026



All Penance Services start at 6:30 PM

November 19	St. Hyacinth
December 1	St. Paul the Apostle
December 2	St. Mary – League City
December 3	St. Bernadette
December 4	Mary Queen
December 9	St. Luke (location TBA)
December 10	St. Helen
December 15	St. Mary, La Porte
December 17	St. Clare of Assisi

The First Sunday of Advent 2026 is **11/29/26**

Knights of Columbus®

MARY QUEEN COUNCIL #8494
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

MEMORIAL MASS

Please join us in prayer and remembrance.

THURSDAY, NOV. 19

5:30 PM ROSARY • CHAPEL
6:00 PM MASS • CHAPEL
7:00 PM RECEPTION • MAIN HALL

ALL ARE INVITED.

Hosted by Mary Queen's Creation Care Ministry

Movie Night: 'Buy Now: The Shopping Conspiracy'



This eye-opening documentary exposes the hidden tactics and covert strategies major brands use to keep us buying. It also highlights the cycle of waste that online shopping produces.

Join us for a screening and discussion to put the focus back on Christ during this Christmas season.

Friday, November 20th
6:30 p.m.
in the Main Hall

Free pizza will be provided!
All are welcome!

Bring a friend, enjoy some pizza, and let's talk about the real cost of consumer culture.

Watch the 2-minute trailer:
tinyurl.com/MQmovienight

Thanksgiving Pie Sharing

Hosted by the Women's Ministry

after 6:30pm Mass
on November 25th
in the Parish Hall



Bring a pie to share
(homemade or store bought)
or just bring yourself and enjoy a slice of pie!

(They can be dropped off in the Parish Hall kitchen before Mass)

Contact Linda Smith for more details
Lsmith@maryqueenchurch.org

Great time to get to know other Mary Queen parishioners!

Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ,

King of the Universe

Candlelight Eucharistic Procession



Jesus Christ is King of the Universe.

Come walk with our Eucharistic Lord. As we follow the Blessed Sacrament by candlelight, we publicly profess our faith in Jesus Christ, truly present in the Eucharist, and honor Him as King of all creation.

Sunday, November 22, 2026
Following the 4:30 PM Mass

After Mass, we will process to Stevenson Park and back (about 0.6 miles each way), then gather in the church for Benediction and quiet Adoration.

Even our youngest parishioners can take part. Bring a stroller or wagon and an LED candle for your child to hold.

AROUND THE PARISH

A Morning of Prayer and Friendship





Father Thomas and Mary Queen were delighted to host the annual gathering of Indian priests serving in the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston. The 28 priests shared a morning of prayer, friendship, and conversation, followed by a delicious lunch with our parish staff. It was a joy to welcome these men who give so generously of themselves in service to Christ and His Church.

Help Mary Queen Fulfill Our 2026 DSF Commitment

Diocesan Services Fund

The Diocesan Services Fund supports the ministries of the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston that serve our parishes, families, clergy, schools, and communities. As the year comes to a close, we prayerfully ask for your help in fulfilling Mary Queen's annual obligation.

As of November 3, 2026

Parish Goal:	**$220,375**
Current Deficit:	**$42,754**
Registered Households:	**2,670**
Mary Queen Donors:	**291**

Any shortfall must be paid from our parish operating budget.

75% of any amount received above goal is returned to Mary Queen.

Only 291 of 2,670 registered households have participated.

Every gift helps.

Please prayerfully consider making your gift today.

Visit *archgh.org/dsf* and choose Mary Queen from the parish list.

Scan to Give

Mary Queen Catholic Church

Become a Nullity Case Sponsor



Beginning the marriage annulment process can be difficult, especially when someone is unsure where to start.

Mary Queen is seeking compassionate volunteers who will listen patiently and help each person take the first steps toward preparing a petition for the Tribunal.

Case Sponsor Training

The Metropolitan Tribunal of the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston offers a 36-hour course to prepare volunteers for this ministry. Sponsors serve with their pastor's approval.

Alternate Saturdays
January 9 through March 13, 2027
Cathedral Centre, downtown Houston

If you feel called to this ministry of mercy, please email Fr. Thomas.

frthomas@maryqueenchurch.org

Mary Queen Catholic Church Warmly Invites You to Our 57th Annual

Christmas BAZAAR & LUNCHEON

December 4 & 5, 2026 9:30 am—4 pm
Luncheon served 11 am—2 pm

Come and experience the joy of the season at our annual Christmas Bazaar!

More than 60 talented vendors will be showcasing their handcrafted treasures, including quilts, artwork, stained glass, jewelry, gourmet treats, home décor, toys, soaps, candles, and more.

Enjoy our Soup & Salad Luncheon and don't forget to stop by our bakery for a variety of homemade desserts!

Door prizes awarded throughout the day!

No admission fee!

Mark your calendar and bring a friend to kick off the Christmas season with us!

Christmas Bazaar & Luncheon

Call for Volunteers

December 4 & 5, 2026
MARY QUEEN CATHOLIC CHURCH
Help support college scholarships, parish events, religious education and ministry needs.

Tea Room Hospitality
Greet guests, help with seating and serve tables.
Karen Lowe • 832-245-6302

Luncheon & Kitchen Support
Prepare and plate soups, salads and sandwiches.
Anita Shorosky • 281-745-0885

Bakery & Dessert Table
Cut, plate and sell desserts.
Baked goods welcome both days.
Donna Badgett • 281-636-9049
Janet Wild • 281-450-1253
jwild1@gmail.com

Welcome & Guest Assistance
Guide visitors to seating and bazaar booths.
Alice Malek • 281-814-2617
alicemalek@comcast.net

Sign up to volunteer
https://tinyurl.com/bazaar-help



Pilgrimage with Fr. Thomas

13-Day Enchanting France & Medjugorje Pilgrimage

Lourdes • Carcassonne • Avignon • La Salette • Paris • Lisieux • Medjugorje • Sarajevo

May 17–29, 2027

$5,290 per person from Houston

Join Fr. Thomas Vellappallil, M.S., Spiritual Director, for a beautiful 13-day pilgrimage through some of the most beloved Catholic destinations in France and Medjugorje.

***Includes** roundtrip air from Houston, first-class hotels, daily Mass, daily sightseeing, entrance fees, and more.*

Interested in learning more? Reach out to Fr. Thomas at 281-482-1391 ext. 312 or

frthomas@maryqueenchurch.org

Mary Queen Catholic Church
Friendswood, Texas

EBY KURIAN, DIRECTOR OF ADULT FAITH FORMATION & OCIA
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God Continues to Call

Mary Queen congratulates our catechumens and candidates!

On Sunday, October 25, at the 9:30 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. Masses, our parish joyfully welcomed those taking the next step in their journey of faith.

The Rite of Entrance

Our catechumens were signed with the Cross as they prepare to receive Baptism, Confirmation, and Holy Communion.

Children Ireland Berndt, Levi Berndt, Andrea Garza, Olivia Gill, Emery Liserio, Jillian Medrano, Abigail Silva

Youth Edward Anderson, Azaleya Bjerke, Ashley Johnson, Chloe Parnell, Philip Feliu, Elizabeth Feliu, Isabell Edwards

Adults Alissa Ruiz, Anneliese Goodrum, Alex Nobles, Brianna Zink, Andrew Doherty, Isabella Wright, Andrew Ruiz, Jazlyn Espinosa, Caden Leung, Karen Stewart, Drew Gallaway, Karen Rene Jones, Kenedi Simpson-Hurtado, Ethan Attaway, Kylee Leung, Ethan Curry, Riley Derbyshire, Sasha Bjerke, Michael Curry, Serene Chen, William Baker, Valerie Kenney, Zachary Giugliano

The Rite of Welcome

Already baptized in another Christian tradition, our candidates expressed their desire for full communion with the Catholic Church. They, too, were signed with the Cross.

Youth Payton Gerald, Bodie Davis, David McCarthy, Hannah Siggins, Sarah Siggins, Matthew Hicks

Adults Blake Conner, Curtis Evans, Allison Gregory, Daniel Bilnoski, Ally Cole, Elijah Mooney, Alycia Valdez, Ethan Dyer, Brooke Hewitt, James Atteberry, Cassidy Lofton, James Zink Jr., Danielle Moore, John Murray, Madeleine Bonham, Kris Hufstetler, Matthew Hewitt, Gina Ellis, Price Baer, Jennifer Baker, Russell Stites, Jordan Stevens, Spenser Dean, Kelsey Hewitt, William Gemza Jr., Kristie Johnson, William Schendel, Makena Cashiola, Samuel Berry, Santana Murphy

We thank our Faith Formation directors, OCIA team, godparents, and sponsors. Please pray for our 37 catechumens, 36 candidates, and 32 baptized Catholics. Together, these 105 participants make this the largest OCIA group in Mary Queen's history.

May the Holy Spirit guide them, and may our parish accompany them with prayer, encouragement, and Christian love.

ELEMENTARY FAITH FORMATION

Linda Smith, Director of Elementary Faith Formation
281-482-1391 Ext. 333 | LSmith@maryqueenchurch.org





JR. HIGH FAITH FORMATION

Sarah Kennepohl, Jr. High Faith Formation Coordinator
281-482-1391 Ext. 100 | skennepohl@maryqueenchurch.org





HIGH SCHOOL FAITH FORMATION

Trey Brock, Director of Youth Faith Formation
281-482-1391 Ext. 317 | tbrock@maryqueenchurch.org

NOV. 15	High School At-Home Lesson
NOV. 16	*No* Makeup Class
NOV. 17	OASIS Bible Study 6:30-8:00 PM
NOV. 19	*No* Youth OCIA



In the Catholic Church, the month of November is dedicated to the Holy Souls in Purgatory

"From the beginning the Church has honored the memory of the dead and offered prayers in suffrage for them, above all the Eucharistic sacrifice, so that, thus purified, they may attain the beatific vision of God."

CCC, 1032

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

Elementary Faith Formation Catechists Needed

Kindergarten, 1st & 2nd Grade

Wednesdays • 4:00–5:15 PM

Training is provided, and co-teachers are in place.

Contact Linda Smith
LSmith@maryqueenchurch.org

Children's Liturgy of the Word Volunteers Needed

One Sunday a month
9:30 or 11:30 AM Mass

Serve alongside an experienced team member.

Contact Linda Smith
LSmith@maryqueenchurch.org

DAILY READINGS

Readings for the week of November 15, 2026

Sunday: Prv 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5/1 Thes 5:1-6/ Mt 25:14-30 or 25:14-15, 19-21

Monday: Rv 1:1-4; 2:1-5/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6/Lk 18:35-43

Tuesday: Rv 3:1-6, 14-22/Ps 15:2-3a, 3bc-4ab, 5/Lk 19:1-10

Wednesday: Rv 4:1-11/Ps 150:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6/Lk 19:11-28

Thursday: Rv 5:1-10/Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b/Lk 19:41-44

Friday: Rv 10:8-11/Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131/Lk 19:45-48

Saturday: Rv 11:4-12/Ps 144:1, 2, 9-10/Lk 20:27-40

Next Sunday: Ez 34:11-12, 15-17/Ps 23:1-2a, 2b-3, 5, 6/1 Cor 15:20-26, 28/Mt 25:31-46



PLEASE PRAY FOR THESE BRAVE MEN AND WOMEN SERVING IN OUR ARMED FORCES

US Air Force:
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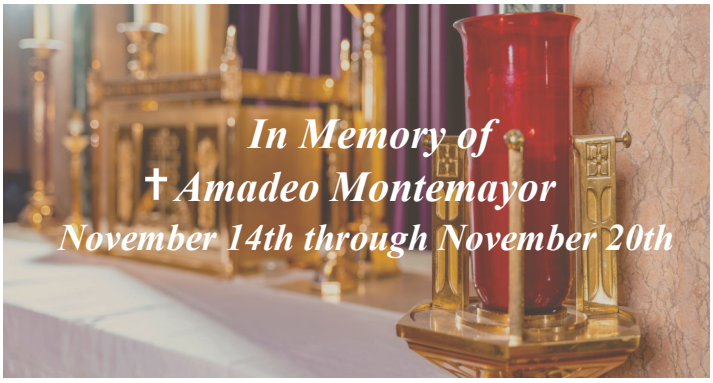
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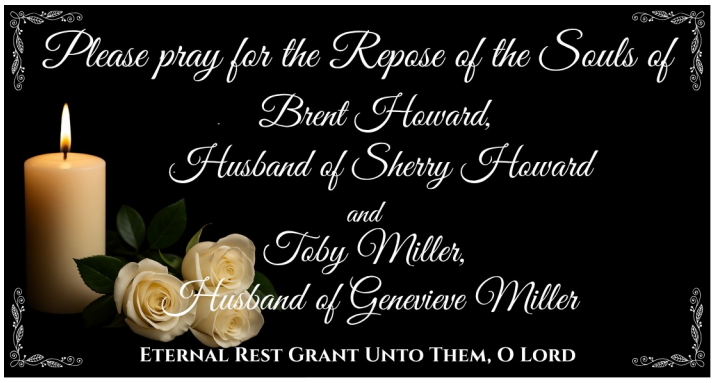
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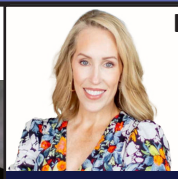
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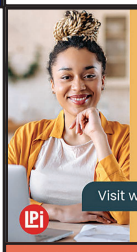
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