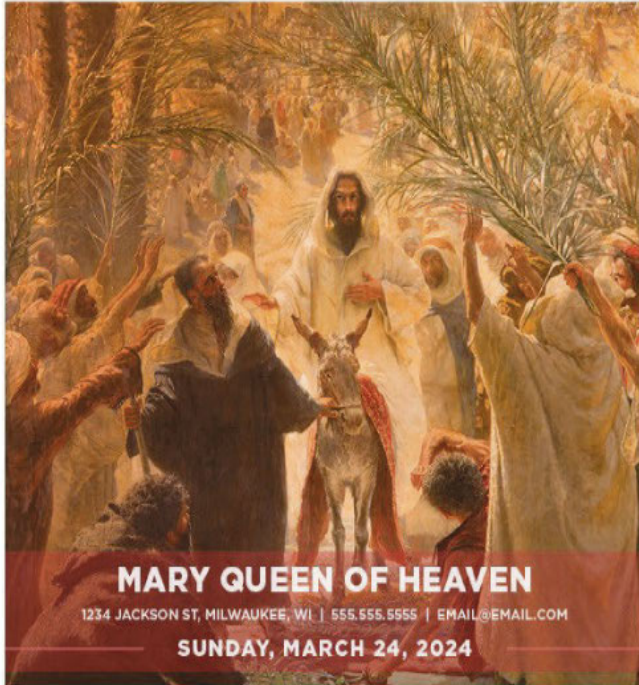


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SUNDAY, MARCH 24, 2024

PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

So they brought the colt to Jesus and put their cloaks over it. And he sat on it. Many people spread their cloaks on the road, and others spread leafy branches that they had cut from the fields. - Mk 11:7-8

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MASS SCHEDULE

SUNDAYS

Saturday: 5 pm

Sunday: 8 am

10 am

12 Noon

WEEKDAYS

Monday - Friday: 8 am

Saturday: 9 am

HOLYDAYS

Vigil: 7:30 pm

Day: 8 am

10 am

CONFESSIONS:

Saturday: 4 pm—4:45 pm

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday, Tuesday:

9 am—12 Noon, 1 pm—4 pm

Wednesday-Friday:

9 am—12 Noon, 1 pm—8 pm

Saturday: 10 am—6 pm

Sunday: CLOSED

LOVE LIVES HERE

All are welcomed at Mary Queen of Heaven. Meet us in church or watch us live at the 8:00 am Mass or watch the saved 8:00 am Mass broadcast at a later time, at your convenience, on our website (maryqueenofheaven-brooklyn.org) or on Facebook (search for Mary Queen of Heaven Church).



HELP SUSTAIN OUR SPIRITUAL HOME

As our parish relies heavily on cash and envelope tithing, please help us sustain our spiritual home by enrolling in electronic giving.

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Our Mission: We, the parish community of Mary Queen of Heaven, are called to live and proclaim the Good News of Jesus Christ to all with whom we come into contact. We are committed to being a vibrant and welcoming community of faith by worshiping God through prayer and sacrament, teaching and sharing our faith, and serving others as Jesus did. We seek to become a faith community that invites people of all races and cultures to become part of our parish family.

THE SHEPHERD'S VOICE

Dear Parishioners,

Participating in the liturgical reading of our Lord's Passion is one of the most moving moments in the entire Church year. To repeat the words of Jesus drives home to me, as a celebrant, what I am called to be as a priest. To cry out as part of the crowd, "Crucify him!" just five days after having proclaimed Jesus "blessed" as "the one who comes in the name of the Lord" forces one to recognize the fickleness of the human heart.

But to contemplate Jesus before the chief priests and the whole Sanhedrin, before Pilate and Herod, before the Roman soldiers, and before all the onlookers, is to understand what constancy and fidelity to the will of God in every circumstance looks like.

The call of Jesus from the start to the finish of the gospel is to "Follow me." Will you set aside time this week, the holiest of the year, to follow Jesus both in our liturgies and devotions and in your own private reflections along that difficult road from his triumphant entry into Jerusalem, through the horror of the cross, to the glory of his resurrection?

*The Good Shepherd,
Father Tom*



The Ministry Fair will
resume after Easter.

RECURRING EVENTS/MEETINGS AT A GLANCE

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| Altar Servers | 3 rd Saturday of each month at 10:00 am, Church |
| Charismatic Prayer Group | Every Friday, 7:00 pm on Zoom |
| Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament | First Fridays after the 8:00 am Mass until 10:30 am, Church |
| Adult Choir | Rehearsal, Wednesday, 7:30 pm, Church |
| Haitian Choir | Rehearsals, 2 nd Saturday, 11:00 am - 1:00 pm, Church |
| Holy Name Society | Mondays after the 2 nd Sunday, 7:30 pm, Parish Center |
| La Legion de Marie | First and Third Saturday of each month, 1:00 pm in the Parish Center. Fourth Saturday of each month, 3:00 pm-5:00 pm Committee Members in the Parish Center. |
| Rosary | Rosary and refreshments, Every Wednesday after the 8:00 am Mass, Parish Center |
| Rosary Society | First Sunday of each month, 1:00 pm-3:00 pm, Parish Center |
| Seniors | Wednesdays, 12:00 pm-3:00 pm, Parish Center |
| St. Martha's Guild | 3 rd Monday of each month, 7:15 pm, Parish Center |
| Youth Ministry | Fridays, 7:00 pm-8:30 pm, Parish Center |

EXPERIENCE LENT AT MARY QUEEN OF HEAVEN



MQH LENTEN SEASON SCHEDULE

HOLY WEEK

•Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord:

March 23rd Mass: 5:00 pm **March 24th**

Masses: 8:00 am, 10:00 am, 12:00 pm

•Reconciliation Monday (Confessions):

March 25th 2:00 pm-4:00 pm, 6:00 pm-9:00pm

•Holy Thursday: **March 28th**

9:00 am: Morning Prayer, 7:30 pm: Mass of the Last Supper, 9:00 pm-11:00 pm: Solemn Adoration

•Good Friday: **March 29th**

9:00 am: Morning Prayer

10:00 am: Stations of the Cross (French/Creole)

12:00 pm: Stations of the Cross (English)

3:00 pm: Solemn Liturgy

4:30 pm: Stations of the Cross (English)

•Holy Saturday: **March 30th**

9:00 am: Morning Prayer, 8:00 pm: Easter Vigil

HAPPY EASTER SUNDAY

March 31st

Masses 8:00 am, 10:00 am, 12:00 pm

LENTEN REGULATIONS

Fasting: All the faithful between the ages of 18 and 59 inclusive, are bound to fast on Good Friday. This practice involves limiting oneself to a single full meal and avoiding food between meals. Light sustenance may also be taken on two other occasions during the day.

EUCCHARISTIC REVIVAL—**SAVE THE DATE**

The Eucharistic Revival previously scheduled for October 2023 has been rescheduled for **April 20, 2024** in the Louis Armstrong Stadium of the USTA Billie Jean King Tennis Center, Flushing Meadows. More details to come. Tickets are limited, and bus transportation seating is limited. Please call the Rectory Office to reserve a ticket.



OUR BOOK CLUB

will meet in the Parish Center

Wednesday, April 17

at 7:00 pm for a discussion of

Goodnight Irene by Luis Alberto Urrea

MQH GIFT SHOP

Open Saturday evenings and Sundays
after Masses.



ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL (ACA) - 3/18/2024

Our Diocesan Goal: \$62,690

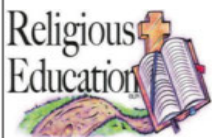
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Thank you for your support of Mary Queen of Heaven Parish.

MASS ATTENDANCE 3/17/2024:

Church= 512 Website= 11 Facebook= 128

FAITH FORMATION



Classes are held 8:30 am until 9:45 am (doors open at 8:15 am), followed by 10:00 am Mass. For more information please contact Sr. Mary Jane.

RELIGIOUS ED NEEDS YOUR HELP

Are you, or someone you know, willing to become a Catechist (teacher) in the Religious Ed Program at Mary Queen of Heaven. The parish is always in need of more Catechists, especially to assist as substitute Catechists.

Consider this call and service to the Parish of Mary Queen of Heaven a gift from God as a result of your Baptism. Please call Sr. Mary Jane (718-763-2590) for more information.

ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

Help bring to the Light, those who no longer want to walk in darkness. Invite those who have never been Baptized or who have been Baptized in a non-Catholic Christian tradition, or adult Catholics who have not been confirmed, to the inquiry sessions. Do you know anyone who would be interested in finding out about the introduction and education? Ask about inquiry meetings by contacting the Rectory and speak to Fr. Tom, the Pastor, Fr. JohnPaul, and/or Sr. Mary Jane. Thank you.



TEEN CLUB



All teens are invited to join the Teen Club **Friday evenings from 7:00 pm until 8:30 pm** in the Parish Center Basement Meeting Room. All are welcome. Please bring a friend. Contact Sr. Mary Jane for more information.

SICK LIST

To add a name to the sick list, you must call into the Rectory Office **on Mondays only, before 3:00 pm**. The name will appear on the list for 4 weeks.

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| Doug Bontempo | Gill Grossman |
| Arlene Brack | Barbara Hirschfield |
| Adriane Brown | JoAnn & Richard Kompa |
| Michael Cinalli | Joseph Martino |
| Vincent DeLuca | Kendall Matthew |
| Maria DeVito | Alicia Maxwell |
| Angela Dipalo | Vernon & Cynthia McCoy |
| Vito Gaglio | Melissa Murray |
| Ida Giannettino | Ancil Whittle |



REST IN PEACE

to all of the deceased members of the parish and our relatives and friends.

Bread & Wine In Honor of **Suzelle Augustin (Living)**—**Birthday Blessing** Requested by: **Suzelle Augustin**

Altar Candles In Memory of **Gloria B. Varban**
Requested by: **Maria & Laura DePalma**

Tabernacle Candles (2) In Memory of **Maria Faiella**
Requested by: **Ernest Rossi, In Memory of Earlene**

Whittaker Requested by: **The Edwards Family**

Bells In Memory of **Mary Casatelli—1st Anniversary**
Requested by: **Peter & Jim Casatelli**

SUNDAY, MARCH 24, 2024

PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

Readings: Mk 11:1-10, Is 50:4-7, Phil 2:6-11, Mk 14:1—15:47

8:00 am **The Louis Family-In Thanksgiving**
10:00 am **Deceased members of Di-Lauro Family & Gloria B. Varban**
12:00 pm **Louise Balsano & Ann Viola**

Requested by
The Louis Family

Maria & Laura DePalma

Robert Weston

MONDAY, MARCH 25, 2024

Monday of Holy Week **Readings:** Is 42:1-7, Jn 12:1-11

8:00 am **People of the Parish**

TUESDAY, MARCH 26, 2024

Tuesday of Holy Week

Readings:

Is 49:1-6, Jn 13:21-33, 36-38

8:00 am **Mary Casatelli-1st Anniversary**

Requested by
Peter & Jim Casatelli

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27, 2024

Wednesday of Holy Week **Readings:** Is 50:4-9a, Mt 26:14-25

8:00 am **Vincent & Betty Deluca—Wedding Anniversary Remembrance**

Requested by
Jerri Deluca

THURSDAY, MARCH 28, 2024

Thursday of Holy Week—(Holy Thursday)

Readings: Ex 12:1-8, 11-14, 1 Cor 11:23-26/ Jn 13:1-15



9:00 am **Morning Prayer**
7:30 pm **Josephine Gregan—Birthday Remembrance**
9:00 pm **Solemn Adoration**

Requested by
Eileen Gregan

FRIDAY, MARCH 29, 2024

Friday of the Passion of the Lord—(Good Friday)

Readings: Is 52:13—53:12, Heb 4:14-16, 5:7-9, Jn 18:1—19:42



9:00 am **Morning Prayer**
10:00 am **Stations (French/Creole)**
12:00 pm **Stations (English)**
3:00 pm **Liturgy**
4:30 pm **Stations (English)**

SATURDAY, MARCH 30, 2024

Holy Saturday

Readings: Gn 1:1—2:2, Gn 22:1-18, Ex 14:15—15:1, Is 54:5-14, Is 55:1-11, Bar 3:9-15, 32—4:4, Ez 36:16-17a, 18:28, Rom 6:3-11, Mk 16:1-7



9:00 am **Morning Prayer**
8:00 pm **Easter Vigil**

SUNDAY, MARCH 31, 2024

EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

Readings: Acts 10:34a, 37-43/Col 3:1-4, Jn 20:1-9

8:00 am **Easter Intentions**
10:00 am **Easter Intentions**
12:00 pm **Easter Intentions**





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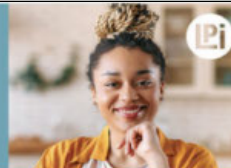
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