

QUEEN *of the* HOLY ROSARY

7023 W. 71st Street • Overland Park, KS 66204
(913) 432-4616

November 27, 2011 • First Sunday of Advent

Mass Schedule

Weekend: Saturday 4:00 p.m.
Sunday 7:00, 9:00 & 11:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

Weekday: Tuesday-Friday 8:15 a.m.

Communion Service Monday 8:15 a.m.

Holy Day: See inside bulletin

Confession: Saturday 2:30 p.m.—3:15 p.m.

*Those needing hearing assistance,
receivers are available by contacting an usher.*

Parish Office Building (Old Rectory)

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Parish Staff

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Parish Office: Cathy Mahr

cathyqhr@qhr-opks.org

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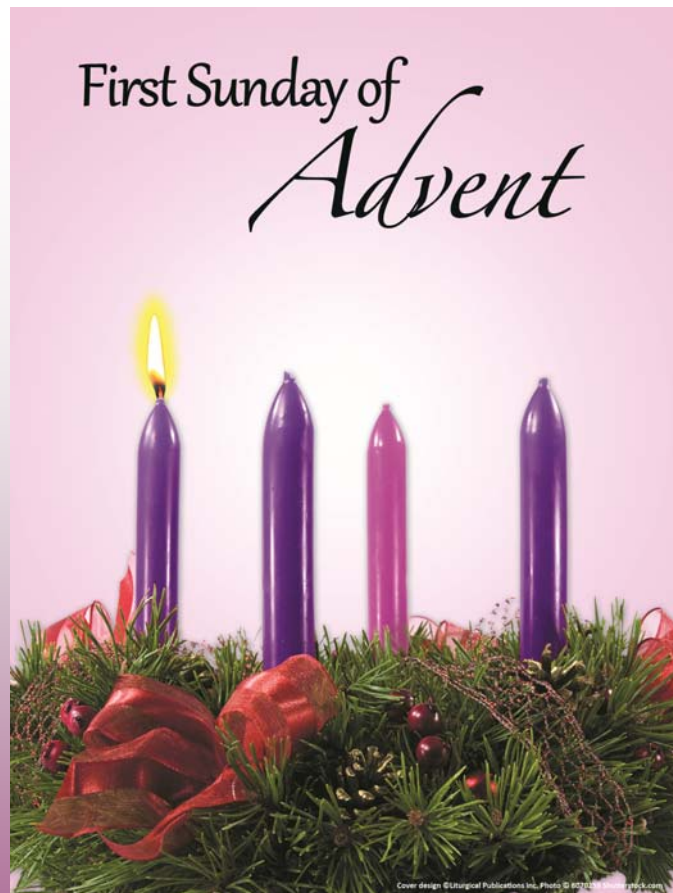
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Our Mission Statement

Led by the Spirit of God... We are a Catholic faith community dedicated to becoming a dynamic center of worship and Christian involvement. Our enthusiasm and love will fill each member and permeate the larger communities that surround us. We strive to recognize and celebrate our unity. We challenge ourselves to lead lives that will reflect our beliefs.

Pastoral Council

Pastor: Father Don Cullen
 President: Rick Alvarez
 President Elect: Judy Wolf
 Secretary: Mary Beth Summers

Members:

John Paul II School:
 Tim Rafferty
 Religious Education:
 Denise Godinez
 High School Youth Representative:
 rotating position
 Parish Social Activities:
 Kevin Caldwell
 Community Outreach:
 Sue Ryan
 Rick Alvarez
 Parish Administrator:
 Gene Meiners
 Parish Customer Service:
 Carolyn Elder
 Nancy Pullo
 Buildings and Grounds:
 Bill Staudenmaier
 Liturgy & Music :
 Judy Wolf
 Knights of Columbus:
 Matthew Harkins
 Queen's Ladies:
 Sue Ryan
 Issues at Large:
 Terrie Stanker
 At Large:
 Jeff Belgum

Phone numbers for Council members may be found in your copy of the church directory.

Finance Council

Pastor: Father Don Cullen
 Parish Administrator: Gene Meiners
 Chair: Dave Richardson
 Bookkeeper: Ruth Mailand
 Members:
 Marilyn Dugan
 Chris Redmond
 Mike Kerr

The Sacraments

Confession

The Sacrament of Confession: Saturday 2:30-3:15 p.m.

Baptisms

Baptisms are conducted on the first Sunday for each month. Registered parishioners must complete the Baptismal Preparation Class prior to their child's baptism. It is recommended to take this class at least 3 months prior to the birth. To reserve your place in class, please contact Rosalynn Redmond in the Religious Education Office (913) 378-2700, Monday-Thursday from 8:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m., after hours please leave a message, or send an email to: rosallynn@qhr-opks.org. Your child's Baptismal date will be scheduled upon completion of this class. This is a requirement for your first child and we invite you to attend the class for each child hereafter as a refresher course. It is highly recommended, but not required, for your child's Baptismal Godparents to attend this class with you.

Weddings

Weddings require six months notice to fulfill the Archdiocesan marriage program. An appointment with the Pastor is necessary **before a date can be set.**

Anointing of the Sick

If you would like to receive the Sacrament of the Sick, please see Father Cullen after Mass. The sacrament is available to all those who are ailing physically, mentally or spiritually.

Timely Information

Bulletin & Announcement Deadlines

Items for the bulletin are due the Monday prior to publication by 4:30 pm. Please drop your items off at the parish office or e-mail them to QHRBulletin@gmail.com. **Full page notices need to be submitted 2 weeks in advance for consideration and approval.** Questions? Please e-mail the above address.

Please remember that announcements and petitions (i.e. sick list) for masses must be turned into the parish office no later than 5:00 p.m. on the Thursday prior to the weekend masses.

Altar Linens

St. Therese's Circle is in charge of taking care of the linens for the month of December.

Hospital Reminder

If you are in the hospital and would like to receive Holy Communion, please have a family member contact Sheryl Lickteig at the Parish Office (913) 432-4616 or (913) 722-2250.

Parish Prayer Chain

The Parish Prayer Chain is ready to pray for your intentions. Please contact Doris Kapsch at 642-0410 or Carolyn Pate at 492-7612.

New Parishioners

Please register at the Information Station after any weekend Mass. The Information Station is located in the southeast corner of the church at the top of the steps by the elevator. You may also register in the rectory office Monday through Friday between 8:30 am and 5:00 pm. If you are currently a QHR parishioner but have never registered, please stop by the Information Station or the parish office and fill out an official form.

Mass Schedule & Intentions

Monday, November 28

8:15 a.m. Communion Service

Tuesday, November 29

8:15 a.m. The Freimuth Family-Kosmicki

Wednesday, November 30

8:15 a.m. A Special Intention for Ed Ingenthron
-Kapsch

Thursday, December 1

8:15 a.m. Madeline Dinoto-Connors

Friday, December 2

8:15 a.m. Robert Vogt-South

Saturday, December 3

8:15 a.m. 1st Saturday Mass:
Immaculate Heart of Mary-Legion of Mary
4:00 p.m. A Special Intention for Evelyn Whal-
Kurre

Sunday, December 4

7:00 a.m. Special Intention for the 20th Anniver-
sary of Luis and Martha Astorga-Astorga
9:00 a.m. Hannah Apperson-Dowell
11:00 a.m. Sam Cornelius-Cornelius
5:00 p.m. Regis Stallbaummer-Hord

For Mass times around the country when you travel,
call 1-734-794-2100 or visit www.masstimes.org.

Readings for the Week

Sunday: Is 63:16b-17, 19b; 64:2-7/1 Cor 1:3-9/
Mk 13:33-37
Monday: Is 2:1-5/Mt 8:5-11
Tuesday: Is 11:1-10/Lk 10:21-24
Wednesday: Rom 10:9-18/Mt 4:18-22
Thursday: Is 26:1-6/Mt 7:21, 24-27
Friday: Is 29:17-24/Mt 9:27-31
Saturday: Is 30:19-21, 23-26/Mt 9:35--10:1,
5a, 6-8

This Week's Events

We pray the Rosary at 7:50 am Monday-Saturday
before daily Mass or Communion Service.

Sunday, November 27

SOR Advent Sales
7:00 a.m. —FZC—Scrip and Coffee & Donuts

Monday, November 28

7:00 p.m.—FZC—Boy Scouts
7:00 p.m.—C—Men's Group

Tuesday, November 29

5:00 p.m.—FZC—Aerobics
6:00 p.m.—C2 — Legion of Mary
7:00 p.m.—CH—Novena/Benediction
7:00 p.m.—FZC—RCIA
7:30 p.m.—CH—Choir Practice

Wednesday, November 30

9:00 a.m.—C2—Bible Study
5:00 p.m.-6:30p.m.—JPII—Children's Choir
6:30 p.m.—CH—Divine Mercy
7:00 p.m.—C2—Bible Study

Thursday, December 1

5:00 p.m.—FZC—Aerobics
7:00 p.m.—Knights of Columbus Christmas Party

Friday, December 2

8:15 a.m.—CH—All School Mass

Saturday, December 3

8:15 a.m.— 1st Saturday Mass

BR—Bride's Room • C1-C5-Convent • CH-Church
CGS-Catechesis of the Good Shepherd • CMR-Church Meeting
Room • FZC-Father Zawacki Center (church basement) • REO-
Religious Education Office • RMR-Rectory Meeting Room

Change in Parish Information

Old Information

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

New Information

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

If you are moving out of the parish, please check.

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

December 3 - December 4

	Lector	Sacristan	Eucharistic Minister	Hospital Eucharistic Minister	Altar Server	Usher	Greeter	Children's Liturgy
Saturday, 4:00 PM Second Sunday Of Advent	Alvarez, Rachel (1) Mlodzik, Ed (2)	Gay, Kyle/Melissa	Borelli, Jim Distler, Phyllis Hargrave, Amy Luchi, Robert O'Connor, Jim O'Hara, Katie Staudenmaier, Andrea Summers, Mary Beth		Manning, Madalyn Manning, Josh O'Meara, Emily	Alvarez, Rick Alvarez, Rachel Bossing, John Manning, Aaron Manning, Patricia	Fox, Clarine Graves, Suzy Miller, Mary	
Sunday, 7:00 AM Second Sunday Of Advent	Carter, Bruce (1) Humphrey, Jean (2)	Benson, Theresa	Affolter, Marsha DePlato, Bill Kolarik, Michelle Mahr, Steve O'Connor, Michelle Pruente, Ralph Weber, Janet		Astorga, Diego Matos, Janet Matos, Emily	Mahr, Michael Rodriguez, Rod Weber, Al Zawada, Anthony	Pate, Carolyn Pate, Dick Price, Mary	
Sunday, 9:00 AM Second Sunday Of Advent	Pyle, Dawn (1) Asher, Diane (2)	VanBooven, Annette	Dombrowski, Nick Gauthier, Annette Honas, Brian/Mary Matthews, Abby Richardson, D/ML Ryan, Sue Ryan, Steve		Boiling, Olivia Walther, Oskar Zipf, Peyton	Crutchfield, Lee Dean, Tom Miller, Will Ryan, Lori	Boiling, Renee Dowell, Jerry Dowell, Sue	Westermayer, Thomas (1) Mentzer, Joe (2)
Sunday, 11:00 AM Second Sunday Of Advent	Thomas, Anna (1) Rubaie, Cindy (2)	Kirchner, Janelle	Garrison, Laura Hickox, Gary Johnston, Tim Osborn, Amy Sanches, Kathy Schulte, Scott Treacy, Joy Van Sickle, Lindsey		Kidder, Natalia Sanz, Alyssa Sanz, Alex	Urich, Joe/Joy Kirchner, Bill Simonelli, Mindy Simonelli, Daniel	Hahn, Mary O'Connor O'Shea, Sherri Robinson, Frieda	Mick, Elaine (1) Mick, Curtis (2)
Sunday, 5:00 PM Second Sunday Of Advent	Sostarich, Abby (1) Hoffman, Rita (2)	Brown, Kevin	Brown, Sheryl Cunningham, Colleen Gaving, Theresa Scaizi, Ann Scaizi, Howard Sostarich, Tim Strobl, Phyllis Usovicz, Elizabeth		Bucklin, Andrew Sutherland, Erin Sutherland, Shannon	Gouvion, Linda Godinez, Victor Karlsen, Beth Mischka, Scott	Carr, Rich Gaving, Rick Gaving, Theresa	

PLEASE REMEMBER THE SICK

Due to privacy laws, we will not be able to put a name on the sick list unless we have been asked to do so a family member. To keep the Prayer List manageable, names will be dropped after *3 months* unless they are requested to be left on. Please call Sheryl Lickteig (913-722-2250) if you wish to have someone put on this list. Names must be received before 4:30 p.m. on Monday to appear in the next bulletin, names received after that time will be held until the next bulletin.

Rita Austin	Mary Cornelius	Anne Hendricks-	Tony Navickas	Tristan Wiesing
Steve Broaddus	George Curry	Darnell	Pat Nolan	Vincent Wiesing
Craig Bruenger	Ted Domanski	Winnie Hoffman	Gene Parisse	Anna Marie
Vera Byrnes	Lois Evans	Dick Krause	Jim Russell	Wilkinson
Rod Caldwell	Richard Gibbs	Farrell McGinnis	Al Schweers	
Colette Canchola	John Gualtieri	Gerry Mermis	Michelle Smith	
Jackson Coleman	Barbara Harper	Carole Murdoch	Gregory Tate	
Mary Elaine Conrad	Donilita Hasty	Terry Navickas	Chris Whittier	



Please remember in your prayers, those serving in the military...

Kenneth Young, spouse of Perry Young
 Capt. Albert Garcia IV, son of Melinda Krautmann
 Capt. Zackary Wilkes, grandchild of Tom & Theresa Wilkes
 Corp. Thomas R. Wilkes, grandchild of Tom & Theresa Wilkes
 Capt. Andrew T. Maas, great nephew of Brigid Murphy
 Msgt. Timmothy Graves, son of Denny & Kathy Graves
 AIC David A. Bellis, nephew of Robin and Scott Mills
 SSGT Matthew A. Crawford, nephew of Robin and Scott Mills
 2nd LT Jacob Jeffcoat, son of Ruth and Steven Mailand

Boatswains Mate Michael Price, grandchild of Mary Alice Price

Cpl. Kenneth Clark, grandson of Bob & Kareen Wormington

SSGT John Ternus, nephew of Jean Ternus

Corp. Michael Wentline, nephew of Carole Saunders

Sr. Airman Michael Lopez III, great nephew of Elise Barbosa

LT Charlie Bennett, nephew of Dave & Mary Lou Richardson

SGT 1st Class William Nash, father of Rebecca Nash

SGT Michael Dowd, nephew of Michael & Judy Dowd

AIC Jonathan Van Ryn son of Mary Van Ryn

If you are a parishioner of Queen of the Holy Rosary Parish and have a relative serving in active duty please call Margi or Nancy at the Parish Office (913-432-4616), if you wish to have them listed in the bulletin.

- NOTES FROM FATHER CULLEN - Catholic Info / Trivia... Tell Me More -AUCTION NEWS-

Thank you to all of you who supported the John Paul II Auction. Our net profits were \$123,000 which included \$27,000 for technology and SmartBoards in the school, and \$26,000 from car raffle tickets. The remaining money will be used in the general fund for school needs such as building improvement, textbooks, utilities and tuition assistance. Once again I thank you all for supporting our Parish School.

God Bless!
 Father Cullen

STEWARDSHIP

Needed each week.....	\$ 21,750.00
Received 11/20/11.....	\$ 20,732.00

God Bless!
Father Cullen & The Financial Council
Marilyn Dugan, Mike Kerr, Ruth Mailand, Gene Meiners, Dave Richardson, and Chris Redmond

Our Lady of Guadalupe Celebration

Queen of the Holy Rosary Church
71st Metcalf

Overland Park, Kansas

Monday, December 12, 2011

Mass at 6:00 p.m.

Mariachi Music provided by Beto Lopez

Reception will follow after Mass with Mexican Pastries, Hot Chocolate & Coffee in the Church Hall

Catholic Charities of Northeast Kansas Christmas collection: Catholic Charities of Northeast Kansas' mission is to provide help, hospitality and hope to our neighbors in need. Thank you for being a part of our mission by considering a gift to the Catholic Charities Christmas collection to help the poor and vulnerable.

Holiday Luncheon Ladies, you have only one more week to reserve your place at Meadowbrook Country Club for the Queen's Ladies Holiday Luncheon on Saturday, December 10th. The \$20.00 tickets will be sold after all Masses this weekend or by calling Sandy Bugni at 383-1583 or Mary Kay Dillingham at 677-1883.

Widows, Widowers, and Elderly: One of our parishioners, Mr. John Compton, has offered his services in finding a contractor or someone you need to fix things around your home, from small repairs to big things. He will not do the work, just help you find someone to do it for you. He doesn't want any money for helping you find someone who won't, "Rip you off!" as he puts it! Call him at (913) 381 - 5421. Or you may call Sheryl at 722 - 2250 for information about John and his services.

CATHOLIC CAREER ROUNDTABLE
JOB SEEKERS/BUSINESS OWNERS Career Roundtable Day will be held at Good Shepherd, 12800 W. 75th, Shawnee. Saturday, December 10th, 8:30 a.m. -- 10:00 a.m. in the Social Hall. We feature a panel of business owners, HR managers, and job club alumnae. Job seekers and business owners are invited and encouraged to attend. For more information, or to be on the panel, call Rick Alvarez (913) 963-2999 or email ricka1977@msn.com. Informal meetings for job-seekers at 8:30 a.m. on non-roundtable Saturdays. Get the latest information at www.catholiccareerroundtable.com

**BAPTISMS****NOVEMBER 2011**

COSETTE ELYSE DAUGHERTY

Daughter of Peter And Meg Palko Daugherty

MADISON HOPE JAMES

Daughter of Brett And Kristin Siemaska James

KATHERINE MARIE MASSOTH

Daughter of Austin And Kristin Kitten Massoth

WEDDINGS**NOVEMBER 2011**

JUSTIN HANSEN AND ELIZABETH LONG

ALICIA VOGEL AND SCOTT SADER

DEATHS**NOVEMBER 2011**

MARY J. COFFMAN

FRANK J. HOROSKO

LAWRENCE L. WENSKI

WILLIAM E. KLINGLER

KENT FOSTER

Food Pantry: Many prayers of Thanksgiving are offered to the people who help feed the hungry throughout the year from our food pantry. Your response to those in need is truly awesome, especially considering the economic climate we are currently experiencing. We are well stocked at this time except for being low on tuna and out of jelly. Thanks again for all you do. Special thanks to the Girl Scout Daisies who held their food drive this past month.



For many who have experienced the loss of loved ones, the holiday seasons can be especially difficult. **The Keeler Center** will offer a three-part series to help you cope with Holiday Grief. Meetings will be on Wednesdays, 10:00—11:30 P.M. Beginning November 30 and running through December 14, 2011. The facilitator is Mary Fran Zeller, BCC. For more information or to register call 913-906-8990.

Support the Keeler Women's Center, a ministry of the Benedictine Sisters. Shop for the Holidays at Ten Thousand Villages, Sunday, November 27, 2011 from 1:00—5:00 P.M. Keeler Women's Center will keep 15% of the total revenue generated to help fulfill our mission of empowering women in the urban core of KC. Ten Thousand Villages is located at 7947 Santa Fe, Overland Park, Kansas.



Angel Giving Tree



What is the Giving Tree and Where do the Names Come From ?

Thank You and Blessings to all who have already stopped at the Angel Giving Tree and taken a card (or two). The tree this year is located in the south entrance of the church. This project, sponsored by the Queen Crusader's High School Youth Group provides hundreds of requests from children who are in need of some Christmas happiness. The requests come to us from *Mother's Hands*.

Mother's Hands (*Helping to make a difference in our community*) is a non-profit organization centered on providing the basic living essentials to low income members of the Kansas City community. Individuals and families alike from different situations come to the shelter located at Olathe East High School requesting various items, which are often taken for granted in everyday life.. Some of the items include (but not limited to) clothing, coats, shoes, toiletries, food, diapers. *Mother's Hands* is staffed by adults and students.

The angels found on our tree come from children that come to shelter for assistance and have an income of \$1,000. or less per month. *Mother's Hands* works closely and cooperatively with other helping agencies to make certain that the individuals who come requesting their assistance do not also appear on other agencies listings.

This year, you will find 2 sizes in the card requests. We have been informed and learned about the high rate of high school students in Johnson County area who are homeless. Our high school youth group put together a list of personal care items we felt that another high school student would use in their daily routine. Items that are returned will be made into Dop Kits so that the student can keep it in their lockers and freshen up before they head to classes for the day. These cards are the larger of the two cards you will find on the tree. If you would like to help provide some of these items, we will greatly appreciate it.

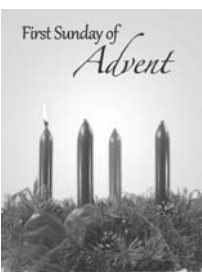
Our parish *Angel Giving Tree* will run from November 19th—December 11th. All gifts and items must be returned—wrapped— no later than Sunday, December 11th.

How does the Giving Tree Work ?

- ◆ Go to the Tree and choose a card.
- ◆ **Smaller Gift Card** (for young children) will show a Card Number along with the gender, age and the gifts requests of the child.
Go to one of the Crusader's and record your name, phone number and gift card number
Have fun shopping, wrap your gifts and be sure to tape the card to your gift or gift bag.
If you have more than one package, please be certain to write the Card number on each of your packages.
- ◆ **Larger Gift Card** (for high school student) will not have a number and does not need to be recorded.
You can either purchase some of all the items or pick a few of the items and buy in quantity.
You do not need to wrap these items.
Please return them to the tree.
The Crusaders will make Dop Kits for each of the students from the donations you provided.

Return the items to the Giving no later than Sunday, December 11.

- ◆ If you have any questions, do not hesitate to call the Religious Education Office at (913) 722-2206.



In the same way, let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father who is in heaven.

Thought for the week...
Never worry about numbers. Help one person at a time, and always start with the person nearest you. ~Mother Teresa



QHR SAINTS MEMBERSHIP – Anyone 50 and older is welcome to join the Queen's Saints. Activities are planned each month (membership is not required to attend.) If, however, you wish to become a member, contact Joan at 381-0670 for information.

MONTHLY MEETING – Fri., December 9 Anyone 50 and older is welcome to join us for the monthly planning meeting on Friday, December 9 at 9:15 a.m. in the Church Hall. Refreshments will be served.

Lunch Bunch - December 21st -. We'll meet at the Raphael Hotel on the Plaza for lunch at 1:00pm. Their **Chaz Restaurant** is superb, and offers a variety of tasty entrees at moderate prices. The Plaza will be all lit up for Christmas as a bonus. The address is 325 Ward Parkway and the hotel has parking available. For reservations or to arrange a ride, please call Annette at 913-226-1397 or 913-649-5868.

Book Club – Jan 2 - 1:00 pm in the convent. We are reading **Day After Night** by Anita Diamant. Call Connie for a copy of the book. 492-5697

HOLIDAY LIGHTS TROLLEY TOUR MONDAY, NOV. 28

The holiday trolley tour will leave QHR parking lot at 6 pm and will return at 8 pm with a stop for refreshments along the way. Call Sue at 913-262-4096 for any other information.

ANNUAL CHRISTMAS SHOW PUT ON BY THE SWEET ADELINES AND THE MENS BARBERSHOP CHORUSES DEC. 3

There will be shows at 2:30 and 7 pm at Unity Village. If we have a group of 10 or more going the cost will be \$14 for main floor seats.

Call Annette at 649-5868 or 226-1397 to buy your tickets

CHRISTMAS PARTY AND CELEBRATION FOR ED INGENTHON'S 100TH BIRTHDAY - WEDS., DECEMBER 7TH, 6:00 - 8:00 P.M.

Mark your calendars for this special event. The menu is turkey and ham, scalloped potatoes, sweet potatoes, vegetables, salad, rolls & butter and birthday cake. The meat and cake and beverages will be provided by the Saints. There will be a sign-up sheet at the Nov. 11th Saints meeting. Reservations are required. Any one can attend. Rides are available. Call Patty at 384-4644 for reservations.

A MUSICAL AFFAIR TO REMEMBER WEDNESDAY, FEB. 8, 2012

On Wednesday, February 8, 2012 we will go to Atonement Lutheran Church at 9948 Metcalf, Overland Park, for "**A Musical Affair To Remember**". The cost is \$12.00 and includes lunch. The show starts at noon. We will meet in the parking lot of the Lutheran church at 11:30. Money and reservations are due no later than Friday, Jan. 13, 2012. All are invited to join us. For questions or more information please call Patti or Frank at 913-956-7720.



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Susie English, Principal

- T** - Thanks we send your way
- H** - Help you always willingly give
- A** - Alumni who remember us
- N** - Never ending love you send
- K** - Knowledge we gain from you
- S** - Smiles we share with you
- G** - Gifts of the Lord (our school theme)
- I** - Investing your time, talent, & treasures for us
- V** - Voices raised at our all school Masses
- I** - Interesting life stories you can share
- N** - Nurturing ways you help us
- G** - is for God who is the center of us all

These are just a few of the ideas we received from our students when we asked them what they were thankful for from our parishioners.

The students, faculty
and staff of John Paul II School wish you a
blessed Thanksgiving!

Schedule

- November 27 - First day of Advent
- December 2 - Honor Choir sings at Crown Center
- December 5 - School Christmas Concert 7:00
at QHR
- December 8 - Feast of the Immaculate Conception
all school Mass 8:15



2011 Advent & Christmas Schedule

Feast of the Immaculate Conception

(Holy Day of Obligation)
 Wednesday, December 7, 5:00 p.m.
 Thursday, December 8
 8:15 a.m., 12:10 p.m., 7:00 p.m.

Parish Penance Service

Tuesday, December 13, 2011
 7:00 p.m.
 Saturday Confessions: 2:30 p.m.
 - (except for Dec. 24)

Mass Schedule for December 24-25, 2011

(Holy Day of Obligation)

Christmas Eve Masses

Saturday, December 24
 4:00 p.m. (upstairs), 4:00 p.m. (church basement)
 7:00 p.m., 10:00 p.m.
 12:00 Midnight Mass --(followed with breakfast in church basement)

Christmas Day Masses

Sunday, December 25
 7:00, 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m.
 No 5:00 p.m. Mass

New Year's Eve Masses

Saturday 4:00 p.m.

New Year's Day Masses

Sunday, 7,9,11 a.m., 5 p.m.

Merry Christmas from Father Cullen and Staff!



Advent Penance Schedule for other Parishes

Sunday, December 11, 7:30 p.m.
 Cure of Ars Good Shepherd

Monday, December 12, 7:00 p.m.
 Holy Cross (Spanish) Holy Trinity
 Holy Spirit

Tuesday, December 13, 7:00 p.m.
 Prince of Peace St. Agnes
 Queen of the Holy Rosary—Overland Park

Thursday, December 15, 7:00 p.m.
 Church of the Ascension St. Pius X
 Sacred Heart—Shawnee
 Divine Mercy—Gardner-Edgerton

Sunday, December 18, 3:00 p.m.
 St. Ann
 Queen of the Holy Rosary—Wea

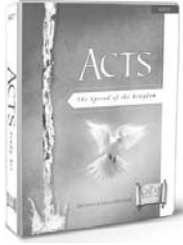
Sunday, December 18, 7:30 p.m.
 Church of the Nativity

Monday, December 19, 7:00 p.m.
 St. Paul (Spanish) St. Joseph
 St. Michael the Archangel

Holiday Season Bulletin Deadlines: Please take note of the following dates regarding deadlines for items to be included in the bulletin this holiday season. The deadline dates are to accommodate the holiday schedule of our printer. Because the holidays fall on the weekend this year, most of our parish deadlines can stay on Monday, but the final product is due to the printer early making the Monday deadline extra important. If you have any questions or need any assistance preparing information for the deadlines please feel free to contact your bulletin editor, Peggy Amor at (816) 260-8353 or QHRBulletin@gmail.com

Bulletin Sunday Date	Bulletin Items Due
December 18	Monday, December 12th
December 25	Friday, December 16th
January 1	Monday, December 26th

Acts: The Spread of the Kingdom Study Set by Jeff Cavins & Sarah Christmyer



The Acts Study Set Questions (100 pages) guide participants through their study with thought-provoking questions about the book of Acts and related portions of the *Catechism of the Catholic Church*. Comprehensive Study Set Responses (96 pages) provide answers and further commentary on the questions as well as a substantive review of each lesson. Each lesson is followed with the corresponding talk from the DVD or CD series.

Price: **\$30.00** Make checks payable to **Queen of the Holy Rosary**

Sessions will be held once a week on
Wednesday

morning [9:30—11:30] and evening [7-9]
beginning January 11 through May 30.
We will meet in the Parish Convent.

Registration

by Phone or Email only:

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DEADLINES

Payment due by 12/28/11— Materials ordered December 29, 2011

Dedicated Suffering is a new perspective on an old practice called “Offering It Up.” Many of us practice offering it up on our own. The Dedicated Suffering prayer group meets to combine the energy of their individual sufferings with others suffering. The group decides for what need they will offer their suffering up.

The Dedicated Suffering Prayer Group will meet December 6, 2011 after the 8:15 A.M. mass. We will gather in the meeting room in the basement. Take the elevator down to the basement, then enter the first door on the right. This group began October 18 and will meet once a month. Come learn more and experience the strength in communal prayer.



Trust in God

By Saint Francis de Sales

Do not look forward to the trials and crosses of this life with dread and fear. Rather, look to them with full confidence that, as they arise, God, to whom you belong will deliver you from them. He has guided and guarded you thus far in life. Do you but remain faithful, and He will lead you safely through all trials. Whenever you cannot stand, He will carry you lovingly in His arms.

Do not look forward to what may happen tomorrow. The same Eternal Father who cares for you today will take care of you tomorrow and every day of your life. Either He will shield you from suffering or He will give you the unfailing strength to bear it.

Be at peace then and put aside all useless thoughts, vain dreads, and anxious imaginations.