

# QUEEN *of the* HOLY ROSARY

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

October 16, 2011 • Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

## 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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Fax .....913-432-0620

Website..... www.queenoftheholYROsary.org

## Parish Staff

**Pastor:** Father Don Cullen

**Parish Administration:** Gene Meiners

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qhroffice@qhr-opks.org

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**Building & Grounds:** Merle Braden

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## John Paul II

## Catholic Elementary School

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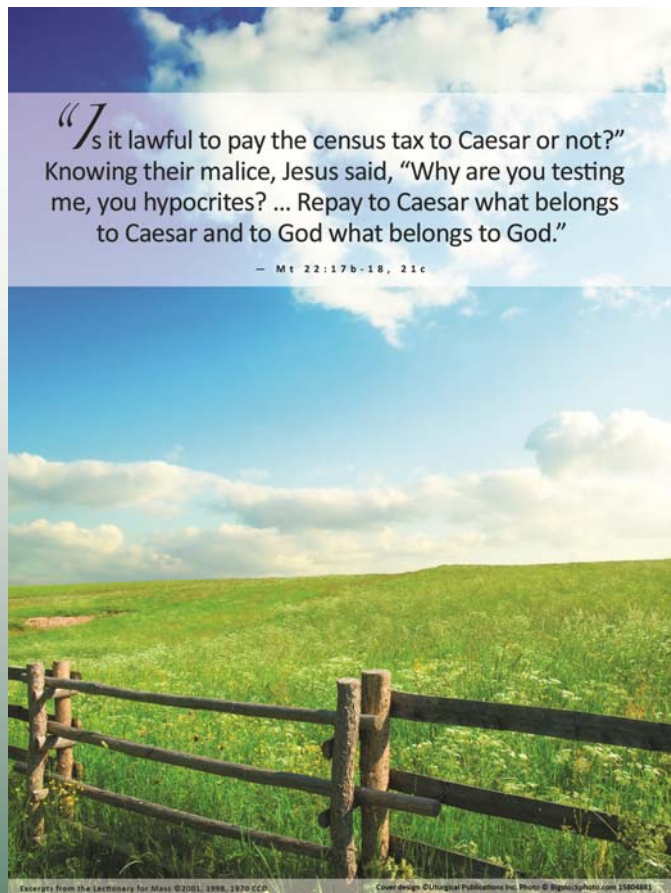
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**Principal:** Susie English

senglish@archkckcs.org

**Preschool and Daycare:** Donna Hogue

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*“Is it lawful to pay the census tax to Caesar or not?”  
Knowing their malice, Jesus said, “Why are you testing  
me, you hypocrites? ... Repay to Caesar what belongs  
to Caesar and to God what belongs to God.”*

— Mt 22:17b-18, 21c

## 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:  
 Sue Ryan  
 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: [rosalynn@qhr-opks.org](mailto:rosalynn@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](mailto: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. Cecilia's Circle is in charge of taking care of the linens for the month of October.

### 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, October 17

8:15 a.m. Wilma Stoffer– Mahr

### Tuesday, October 18

8:15 a.m. Frank Spinner-Spinner

### Wednesday, October 19

8:15 a.m. Thomas and Daisy Judge-Rueb

### Thursday, October 20

8:15 a.m. Keith Holy-Hara

### Friday, October 21

8:15 a.m. Ann Morley-Morley

### Saturday, October 22

8:15 a.m. Communion Service

4:00 p.m. Elodia Espiritu-Matos

### Sunday, October 23

7:00 a.m. Tom Pecinovic-Kristic

9:00 a.m. Robert Callahan-Callahan

11:00 a.m. Dolores Phelan-Phelan

5:00 p.m. Ann Mac Pham-Pham

For Mass times around the country when you travel, call 1-734-794-2100 or visit [www.masstimes.org](http://www.masstimes.org).

## Readings for the Week

Sunday: Is 45:1, 4-6/1 Thes 1:1-5b/  
Mt 22:15-21

Monday: Rom 4:20-25/Lk 12:13-21

Tuesday: 2 Tm 4:10-17b/Lk 10:1-9

Wednesday: Rom 6:12-18/Lk 12:39-48

Thursday: Rom 6:19-23/Lk 12:49-53

Friday: Rom 7:18-25a/Lk 12:54-59

Saturday: Rom 8:1-11/Lk 13:1-9

## This Week's Events

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

### Sunday, October 16

Tootsie Roll Sunday

7:30 a.m.—FZC—Coffee & Donuts and Scrip

10:15 a.m.—JPII—School of Religion

6:15 p.m.—Junior High SOR

6:30 p.m.—FZC—Confirmation Workshop

### Monday, October 17

2:00 p.m.—6:30 p.m. FZC— Blood Drive

7:00 p.m.—FZC—Boy Scouts

### Tuesday, October 18

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, October 19

5:00 p.m.-6:30p.m.—JPII—Children's Choir

6:30 p.m.—CH—Divine Mercy

7:00 p.m.—JPII—Bell Choir Practice

7:15 p.m.—C—Finance Council

### Thursday, October 20

9:00 a.m.—C2—Bible Study

5:00 p.m.—FZC—Aerobics

7:00 p.m.—C2—Bible Study

7:00 p.m.—BR—Knights of Columbus

### Friday, October 21

8:15 a.m.—CH— School Mass

9:00 a.m.—FZC—Seniors' Meeting

### Saturday, October 22

9:00 a.m.—FZC—Jesus Day Retreat

1:00 p.m. - CH—Wedding

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) •

## 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

## October 22 - October 23: 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

	Lector	Sacristan	Eucharistic Minister	Hospital Eucharistic Minister	Altar Server	Usher	Greeter	Children's Liturgy
Saturday, Oct 22, 4:00 PM 30th Sunday In Ordinary Time	Luchi, Robert (1) Miodzik, Ed (2)	Jablonski, Dee	Commodore, Robert Hargrave, Amy Jablonski, Dee Kapsch, Doris Kapsch, Pat Kreig, Bruce O'Toole, Lisa Summers, Mary Beth		Kidder, Natalia Manning, Josh Manning, Madalyn	Bossing, John Dalton, Bill Manning, Aaron Manning, Patricia Phillips, Danny	Middlemass, Audrey Miller, Mary Rusovick, Pam	
Sunday, Oct 23, 7:00 AM 30th Sunday In Ordinary Time	Asher, Diane (1) Scanlon, Mike (2)	Finnerty, Jeff	Carter, Bruce DePlato, Bill Haase, Kristi Maher, Tom O'Connor, Michelle Ruffin, Sue Weber, Janet		Astorga, Diego Gomez, Gabriel Matos, Janet	Holmes, Joe Rodriguez, Rod Stubbs, John Weber, Al	Pate, Carolyn Pate, Dick Price, Mary	
Sunday, Oct 23, 9:00 AM 30th Sunday In Ordinary Time	Hayek, Brian (1) DeBauge, Joan (2)	VanBooven, Annette	Dombrowski, Nick Honas, Brian/Mary Matthews, Abby Oswald, Don Oswald, Delores Richardson, D/ML Schmidt, Teri		Boling, Olivia Schmidt, Collin Zawada, Bryan	Dean, Tom Hernandez, Ricardo Ryan, Lori Zawada, Anthony	Boling, Renee Collins, Gregg Collins, Silvia	Gouvion, Linda (1) Westermayer, Thomas (2)
Sunday, Oct 23, 11:00 AM 30th Sunday In Ordinary Time	Dillingham, Susan (1) Sutryk, Robert (2)	Wilson, David/Michèle	Davila, Nick Davila, Jessie Dillingham, Mary Kay Garrison, Laura Johnston, Tim Meiners, Gene Shopper, Abby Treachy, Joy		Brady, Emily Brady, A.J. Owsley, Melissa	Brady, Mark Godinez, Victor Serrano, Chris Urich, Tony	Coward, Amy Peregrina, Hilda Urich, Tony	Borelli, Jim (1) Kolarik, Debbie (2)
Sunday, Oct 23, 5:00 PM 30th Sunday In Ordinary Time	Redmond, Megan (1) Rubate, Cindy (2)	Schreiner, Sharon	Belgum, Jeff Brown, Sheryl Debus, Pete/Helen Hickox, Gary Osborn, Amy Schreiner, Gene Usovitz, Elizabeth Van Sickle, Lindsey		Belgum, Halle Bucklin, Andrew Zipf, Peyton	Crutchfield, Lee Huynh, Huey Karlsen, Beth Phillips, Danny	Barrick, Mary Pantoja, Jennifer Taylor, Sharon	

### Cantor/Accompanists:

Saturday 4:00 p.m. Mary Ann Wiesing/Judy Wolf  
 Sunday 11:00 a.m. Rose Denning /Wally Drone

Sunday 9:00 a.m. Cathy Mahr/Parish Choir  
 Sunday 5:00 p.m. Saints Alive!

## 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.

Steve Broaddus	Lois Evans	Winnie Hoffman	Gene Parisse	Gregory Tate
Vera Byrnes	Kent Foster	Josh Jarvi	Maurice Pieters	Susan Walter
Rod Caldwell	Richard Gibbs	Joe Jablonski	Jan Ruder	Chris Whittier
Colette Canchola	John Gualtieri	Lil Lanning	Jim Russell	Vincent Wiesing
Kathae Cheray	Dave Hamilton	Farrell McGinnis	Ralph Sabala	Anna Marie
Jackson Coleman	Barbara Harper	Carole Murdoch	Al Schweers	Wilkinson
Mary Elaine Conrad	Anne Hendricks-	Terry Navickas	Heather Sixta	
George Curry	Darnell	Tony Navickas	Michelle Smith	



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

1LT James Ruffin, son of Sue and Charles Ruffin  
 1LT Steven White and CPL Ryan White, grandsons of Esther White  
 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  
 A1C 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

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 \$\$Finances\$\$

**A. Weekly Collection:** Every year I like to give you a report on the Financial Condition of the Parish. I can sum up your generosity to the parish from July 2010-June 2011 in five words, Thank You Very, Very Much !! Out of our 1.2 million dollar budget, we came out \$5,824 in the black. In these hard economic times thanks for your extra sacrifices to make this possible. Last year we needed \$20,900 weekly to make expenses this year the figure will be \$21,750. We will publish a detailed financial in the bulletin soon. **B. The Leaven:** The Archbishop requests that every household receive a copy of The Leaven each week. The Archdiocese bills each parish for the cost of the subscriptions. The current cost of each annual subscription is \$18, which will be reflected in the envelope next year. With 1,604 households in the parish at \$18 our cost is \$28,872. If you have not had a chance to pay for your subscription, please do so. Put your check or cash in an envelope and drop it in the collection. God Bless! Father Cullen

## STEWARDSHIP

Needed each week.....	\$ 21,750.00
Received 10/09/11.....	\$ 20,966.28
Needed for The Leaven.....	\$ 28,872.00
Received for The Leaven.....	\$ 2,862.50

*God Bless!*

*Father Cullen & The Financial Council*

*Marilyn Dugan, Mike Kerr, Ruth Mailand, Gene Meiners, Dave Richardson, and Chris Redmond*

**Blood Drive:** This Monday the 17<sup>th</sup> is the third and last blood of this year. If not already registered, "walk-ins" will be accepted through 6:30pm. The drive runs from 2-7 pm. YOU CAN SAVE A LIFE!

**Bible Study:** 40 participants are finishing up the first session of A Biblical Walk Through the Mass: Understanding what we say and do in the Liturgy, by Edward Sri. Having heard of others interested in the study we have decided to offer it again. There will be four sessions beginning Wednesday, November 9, 2011. There are already ten people who have expressed interest in this second session. Materials will be ordered October 27. Please call Sheryl at 913-722-2250 with questions or to sign up.

**Eucharistic Adoration:** Nighttime hours are still available. If you are considering it, think about taking St. Michael along with you. If you are worried about loss of sleep, try going to bed an hour earlier that night. The hour goes by very quickly and you can be back in bed in a short time. Do we really want to leave Jesus alone? Hours to be filled:

Sunday:	AM-12,1,2,4,	PM-3
Monday:	1,2	
Tuesday	12,1,2,3,	5,11
Wednesday:		11
Thursday:	12,1,2	10
Friday:	3	10,11
Saturday:	12,2,3,5	3,6,7,8,9,10,11

### Knights of Columbus

The Knights of Columbus will be passing out tootsie rolls and collecting donations for mentally handicapped individuals after all Masses this weekend. You might also see their yellow aprons around town. Stop and say hi and pick up a tootsie roll. All donations are used to help support the Kansas Special Olympics and our local assistance agency, L'Arche.

We will host a sunrise breakfast October 23rd after all morning Masses. A hearty serving of eggs, hashbrowns, sausage, and All-you-can-eat pancakes with coffee and orange juice will be served in the parish basement. Students from Bishop Miege will be on hand to help serve. We will utilize funds raised from this meal to help support their mission work.

We had our annual meeting last Thursday. You might not know that we recently instituted an attendance award. Had he been present Fr. Ron would have won the prize. Don't be left out of the next opportunity. Plan to attend our next meeting on November 3rd at 7:30 in the Parish basement.

Several opportunities to join are coming up in the next few weeks. If you are interested in joining our council to help with our service projects or join in our celebrations, or further your involvement in the Parish, please contact Matthew Harkins at 913-638-6670 or send an email to [kofc10841@hotmail.com](mailto:kofc10841@hotmail.com).

### Baptisms September 2011

**Brennan Joseph Leary**  
Son of Joe and Katie Hardacre Leary

**Finnegan Dean Mendus**  
Son of Fred and Amy Geving Mendus

### Baptisms October 2011

**Luke Matthew Arnett**  
Son of Clint and Rachel Benben Arnett

**Daniel Benedict Kaeding**  
Son of Clint and Katy Kellerman Kaeding

**Scarlett Colleen Kaeding**  
Daughter of Clint and Katy Kellerman Kaeding

**Kennedy Brooke Kaus**  
Daughter of Aaron and Courtney Kaus

**Logan Beckett South**  
Son of Justin and Kayla Hartley South

### Weddings September 2011

Michael Wondra and Angela Cordel

### Weddings October 2011

Jim Borelli and Melinda Krautman

Rory Shaw and Sara Fernandez

### Deaths September 2011

James J. Ahern

Clarence Kieffaber

Francis "Frank" Enright



**Food Pantry:** This week we are low on crackers, Jell-O, Rice-a-Roni, Hamburger Helper, pasta (macaroni, noodles, etc.), jelly, and Kleenex. Thanks to those who help others in these tough times with your donations.



**SACRAMENT Preparation  
for Confirmation**

This weekend, we introduce to the parish our Year II Confirmation Candidates. We ask for your prayers as they, their Sponsors, and families continue their journey of faith in preparation to receive and celebrate this special sacrament on May 3rd with Archbishop Naumann.

**Anthony Brown**  
(Saint Michael the Archangel)

**Liam Carroll**  
(Saint Patrick)

**Victoria Gomerdinger**  
(Saint Frances of Rome)

**Aubrey Hernandez**  
(Saint Sebastian)

**Matthew Ho**  
(Saint Bernard)

**Daniel Huynh**  
(Saint Francis of Assisi)

**Charles Kaifes**  
(Saint Christopher)

**Josh Manning**  
(Saint Alexander)

**Marco Marquez**  
(Saint John)

**Dustin Martin**  
(Saint George)

**Elizabeth Ann Martin**  
(Saint Elizabeth of Hungary)

**Emily O'Meara**  
(Saint Catherine Alexandria)

**Collin Schmidt**  
(Saint Michael the Archangel)

**Maria Sharpton**  
(Saint Elizabeth)

**Shannon Sutherlin**  
(Saint Anthony of Padua)



**Jesus Day Retreat** will be held for all students preparing for the Sacraments of Reconciliation and Eucharist. Please be in the Parish Hall, Saturday, October 22nd at 8:45 am. The retreat will run from 9:00—11:30 am.



**SOR Burrito Sale  
Pre-sales begin**

School of Religion (SOR) families will host their **3rd Annual Burrito Night** **Friday, November 18th** **5:00—7:00 pm. Parish Hall**

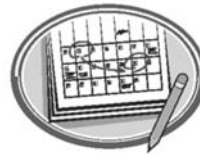


**DON'T FORGET...**

**Pre-sale orders to have at home**

On the weekends of October 29-30 and November 5 –6 you have the opportunity to Pre-Order Burritos for yourselves! This year we will have:

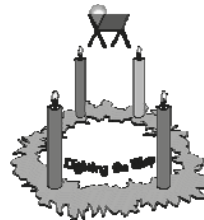
- ◆ Beef and Bean burritos
- ◆ Bean and cheese burritos
- ◆ 1/2 dozen = \$ 6.00
- ◆ 1 dozen = \$ 12.00



**Mark your calendar now to come join one another for Burrito Night...**

Adult plate of 2 burritos, rice, chips & salsa dessert and drink = \$7.00

Child plate of 1 burrito, rice, chips & salsa, dessert and drink = \$ 5.00



**Check your ADVENT supplies**

**First Sunday of Advent is  
November 27**

It might seem early—BUT— the Advent Season will be here very quickly.

**Starting the weekend of November 11-12th**

Advent candles, wreaths, calendars and assorted articles will be on sale.

Check your Advent supplies at home and see what you will need. Tables will be set up both upstairs in the south entry by the elevator for all Masses and also downstairs for the 9:00 and 11:00 am Masses.

**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 – November 11.** Anyone 50 and older is welcome to join us for the monthly planning meeting on Friday, November 11 at 9:15 a.m. in the Church Hall. Refreshments will be served.

**Lunch Bunch – October 19 at 1:00 pm** - For October we'll be enjoying some "ooh-la-la" at **Cafe Provence**. This French cafe is located in the Prairie Village Shopping Center at 3936 W 69th Terr. We'll meet on Wednesday, October 19th at 1:00pm. Prices are moderate and the food is quite good. Call Annette at 913-2261397 if you need a ride or wish to make a reservation.

We are trying a new restaurant, McGuire's Tavern, for November. We'll gather on Wednesday, November 16 at 1:00pm. The restaurant is located at 9148 Santa Fe Drive in Overland Park. Their menu features a varied selection of sandwiches, entrees, salads and soups, many under \$10. Call Annette at 649-5868 or 226-1397 if you need a ride or wish to make a reservation.

**Book Club – November 7** - 1:00 PM in the convent. The book we will discuss is "Cutting For Stone" by Abraham Verghese.

### **ARBORETUM TOUR - TUESDAY, OCT. 25**

All are welcome to join the seniors as they go to the Overland Park arboretum Tuesday, Oct. 25th. The arboretum is located at 8909 W. 179th St. We will meet there at 11:00 am and walk around and enjoy the beautiful foliage. There is a cafe inside the visitor center and Jersey boys Subs will provide a box lunch of ham and cheese or turkey and cheese sandwich, chips, cookie and drink for \$7.75. We will need to give them our order no later than Monday, Oct. 24 at 9:00am. Please call Patti or Frank at 956-7720 if you want to order a box lunch. Admission to the arboretum is free.

**POTLUCK – There will be NO POTLUCK in October** due to our Parish Mission. Our next pot luck will be held Wednesday, November 9 at 5:30 PM in the church hall. Drinks will be provided. Calling ahead is not necessary. Please call Delores at 432-7255 for information.



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Susie English, Principal

### **Auction Update:**

It's busy around the school. As we prepare this the auction is upon us! If you are at Saturday Mass, we hope you plan to attend tonight! If you are reading this on Sunday, we hope you had a wonderful time. More detailed information will follow next week with a recap of the evening's events and the details of its success. Thank you in advance for everyone's hard work and dedication to John Paul II Catholic School.

### **School Information:**

Our teachers attended an all day in-service with nine other archdiocesan schools on Monday, October 10th. They discussed 21st century learning and were able to collaborate with grade level teachers to share ideas. We continuously strive to stay current on educational advancements and strategies. This day was filled with spirituality and camaraderie. It reaffirmed the commitment our teachers make towards our mission of helping our students reach their greatest potential so they can serve God and others.

As always, thank you for your support and prayers for John Paul II School and its students.

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**CYO Basketball Sign-Ups:** All 3rd - 8th grade girls & boys of the parish are invited to play basketball through CYO at John Paul II !!! Sign ups are Tuesday October 25 @ 6:00 - 7:00 in the John Paul II Cafeteria Don't forget to register online @ [www.cyojwa.org](http://www.cyojwa.org) if you didn't play Volleyball or Football.

**Mission Update:** For the past 3 months we have been making and mailing rosaries to Brazil for a Rosary Procession on October 9th. Two million people participated. Many thanks to all the rosary makers, our Queen's Ladies for helping with supplies, the Knights of Columbus for helping with shipping, and several individuals. It couldn't have been done without you!! Rosaries were also provided for people in Nigeria, for the Little Sisters of the Poor, and for KU Medical Center. The people of Queen are truly Our Lady's hands.

# GET INTO SPIRITUAL SHAPE!



## KICKOFF MEETING

**When:** Monday November 14<sup>th</sup>

**Time:** 7:00 p.m.-8:30 p.m.

**Where:** QHR convent (this is SE of JPII school)

**Who:** Single and/or married men

### What are Catholic men's fellowship groups?

Catholic men's fellowship groups are gatherings of men, usually from the same parish, who get together to discuss their lives in the light of their Catholic faith and to share their faith and experiences through friendship, prayer, and fraternity.

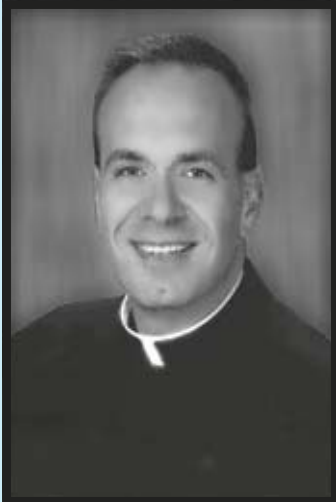
Most groups generally meet for sixty minutes to pray, socialize; discuss their faith and the issues they are grappling with in their lives. They support, affirm, and share insights about the difficulties men encounter in both their home and work lives. They also seek God's help in dealing with the issues they confront every day. Members strive to reinforce Catholic values in their home, reach out to share those values with others in their group, and support other men who are struggling to do the same.

### Why join a men's fellowship group?

Most men who have attended a men's fellowship group quickly discover the benefits they offer. Men participating in such groups cultivate friendships among their fellow parishioners, have fun, and learn from one another how to be a better husband, father, son, employee, Christian man, and Catholic parishioner. Many men say they have grown by this experience, which has helped them to form stronger and happier families and to cope better with the stresses they encounter at work. Another reason for belonging to a small group of men is that the men in the group can support each other in their quest for living a Catholic—Christian life (Proverbs 27:17).

It is confusing to be a man today, particularly a Christian man. There is a natural tension between the stereotypical male—the one many of us were taught to be, the male of the media—and the male that God calls men to be. Men are expected to play a variety of roles and to know how to bounce from one role to the other as the wind blows. The man of today is expected to be protective and hard working on the one hand, and gentle and supportive on the other. What is a man to do?

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8:00 - 9:00 P.M.

Reception in the Church Basement

Parishioners and their families are invited downstairs  
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