

QUEEN *of the* HOLY ROSARY

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

October 9, 2011 • Twenty-Eight 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.*

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“The feast is ready, but those who were invited were not worthy to come. Go out, therefore, into the main roads and invite to the feast whomever you find.’ The servants went out into the streets and gathered all they found, bad and good alike, and the hall was filled with guests.” — Mt 22:8b-10

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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:
 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: 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. 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 10

8:15 a.m. Communion Service

Tuesday, October 11

8:15 a.m. The Protection of Unborn Human Persons-
Divine Mercy Prayer Group

Wednesday, October 12

8:15 a.m. Dan and Jan Heimer-Stegeman

Thursday, October 13

8:15 a.m. Marie Frederick-Frederick

Friday, October 14

8:15 a.m. George Duermeyer-Lacy

Saturday, October 15

8:15 a.m. Communion Service
4:00 p.m. Jim Bannister-Steiner

Sunday, October 16

7:00 a.m. Rosemary Matthies-Matthies
9:00 a.m. Jim Connors-Connors
11:00 a.m. Bob and Bill Wormington-Wormington
5:00 p.m. Bob Brunner-Brunner

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 25:6-10a/Phil 4:12-14, 19-20/
Mt 22:1-14 or 22:1-10
Monday: Rom 1:1-7/Lk 11:29-32
Tuesday: Rom 1:16-25/Lk 11:37-41
Wednesday: Rom 2:1-11/Lk 11:42-46
Thursday: Rom 3:21-30/Lk 11:47-54
Friday: Rom 4:1-8/Lk 12:1-7
Saturday: Rom 4:13, 16-18/Lk 12:8-12

This Week's Events

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

Sunday, October 9

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

Monday, October 10

7:00 p.m.—FZC—Boy Scouts
7:00 p.m.—C3—Our Lady of Guadalupe

Tuesday, October 11

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 12

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
6:30 p.m.—FZC—High School Youth Group
7:00 p.m.—JPII—Bell Choir Practice
7:00 p.m.—C2—Bible Study

Thursday, October 13

St. Mary's Food Kitchen
9:00 a.m.—C2—Bible Study
5:00 p.m.—FZC—Aerobics
7:00 p.m.—C2—Bible Study

Friday, October 14

8:15 a.m.—CH— School Mass
9:00 a.m.—FZC—Seniors' Meeting

Saturday, October 15

9:00 a.m.—CH—Server Training
5:30 p.m.—Bishop Miege—JPII Auction

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 15 - October 16

	Lector	Sacristan	Eucharistic Minister	Hospital Eucharistic Minister	Altar Server	Usher	Greeter	Children's Liturgy
Saturday, Oct 15, 4:00 PM 29th Sunday In Ordinary Time	LeValley, RaeAnn (1) Braden, Merle (2)	Gay, Kyle/Melissa	Braden, Dolores Kapsch, Doris Kapsch, Pat Matthews, Abby O'Hara, Katie O'Toole, Lisa Ruffin, Sue Staudenmaier, Andrea		O'Meara, Emily Sutherland, Erin Sutherland, Shannon	Alvarez, Rachel Alvarez, Rick Casida, Mary Dalton, Bill Relic, Clarence	Barrick, Mary Fox, Clarine Newbanks, Mary	
Sunday, Oct 16, 7:00 AM 29th Sunday In Ordinary Time	Kolarik, Tom (1) Humphrey, Jean (2)	Schilling, Fran	Falcon, Daniel Kolarik, Michelle Lacy, Nan Oswald, Don Pruente, Ralph Roche, Tina VanGoethem, Evelyn		Carroll, Liam Lacy, Bea Marquez, Marco	Holmes, Joe Rodriguez, Rod VanGoethem, John Weber, Al	Lacy, Nan Roche, Tina VanGoethe m, Evelyn	
Sunday, Oct 16, 8:30 AM SMMC HEM				Bugni, Joe Bugni, Sandy Elder, Carolyn VanRyn, Mary				
Sunday, Oct 16, 9:00 AM 29th Sunday In Ordinary Time	Coakley, Norm (1) Simmonds, Susan (2)	Enriquez, Robert	Enriquez, Robert Gauthier, Annette Hickox, Gary Honas, Brian/Mary Janner, David Ryan, Steve Ryan, Sue		Bucklin, Andrew Hohnecker, Justin Walther, Oskar	Crutchfield, Lee Manning, Patricia Miller, Will Ryan, Lori	Geving, Rick Geving, Theresa Martin, James O'Shea, Sherri	Corkill, Karen (1) Gouvion, Linda (2)
Sunday, Oct 16, 11:00 AM 29th Sunday In Ordinary Time	Thomas, Anna (1) Cohen, Stephanie (2)	Schreiner, Sharon	Brown, Sheryl Dowd, Mike Dowd, Judy Garrison, Laura Maher, Tom Mayerle, Ron Scanlon, Mike Schreiner, Gene		Sanz, Alyssa Sanz, Alex Sharpton, Maria	Hernandez, Ricardo Rodriguez, John Rodriguez, Benina Serrano, Chris	Carr, Rich Hahn, Mary O'Connor Meador, Doris	Murphy, Brigid (1) Borelli, Jim (2)
Sunday, Oct 16, 5:00 PM 29th Sunday In Ordinary Time	Snodgrass, Dan (1) Sutryk, Robert (2)	Amor, Mary	Amor, Mary Cunningham, Colleen Distler, Phyllis Rineman, Joanne Strobl, Phyllis Usovicz, Elizabeth Wiesing, Ed Williams, John		Martinez, Santana McGinnis, Noah Steinmetz, Emily	Karlisen, Beth Mischka, Scott Phillips, Danny Urrich, Joy	Phillips, Danny Taylor, Sharon Urrich, Joy	

Cantor/Accompanists:

Saturday 4:00 p.m. Bob Oppold/ Greg Oborny
 Sunday 11:00 a.m. Mary Canhan/ Parish Choir

Sunday 9:00 a.m. Saints Alive!
 Sunday 5:00 p.m. Children's Choir

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

Upcoming Events

I am looking forward to our upcoming Parish Mission. Fr. Jim Sichko will be in charge of our Mission this year. He will be giving all of the sermons on October 22nd and 23rd. His sermons are very informative and inspirational. (This will be a nice change of pace.) He will be giving his mission talks from 7-8pm in the church Monday, October 24th through Thursday, October 27th. A reception will follow each night in the church basement from 8-9pm, with an opportunity for you to visit with Fr. Sichko. Again, Fr. Sichko's programs are for everyone, singles, couples, and families.

Our friend Fr. Roland Nadeau will be visiting us from Bangor, Maine, from October 13th through the 27th. He comes every year to visit his family and stays with us here at Queen. Please give him a warm welcome when you see him at church.

Thank You and God Bless! Father Cullen

STEWARDSHIP

Needed each week.....	\$ 20,900.00
Received 10/02/11.....	\$ 24,878.27

God Bless!

Father Cullen & The Financial Council

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

John Paul II Auction tickets and Car Raffle tickets will be available after every mass at both parishes from September 10th to October 9th. Tickets can also be purchased at the school office or online at www.johnpaul2auction.com. Ticket prices are \$35.00 per person or a VIP table of ten for \$550.00. Do you have something you would like to donate? Items with a minimum of a \$25.00 value or more are being now accepted at the school office.

Parish Mission Save the Date: Saturday, October 22-Thursaday, October 27: Please put these dates on your calendar for QHR's upcoming Mission. Father Jim Sichko will be conducting the Mission, speaking at all weekend masses with the Mission to begin on Monday. Father Sichko, from Kentucky, comes highly recommended by area churches. This will be a great chance for us to update and renew our faith. Monday through Thursday we will have a presentation by Fr. Sichko from 7-8pm in the church followed by a reception with Q&A in the church basement from 8-9pm.

Parish Council: It is time for New Parish Council Representatives. Anyone interested in being on this council or would like more information please contact Rick Alvarez at RickA1977@MSN.com or call the rectory for information (432-4616)

October-Pro-Life Month The multinational Pro-Life Novena for Unborn Babies is scheduled for September 29th to October 7th. We can be part of this Novena by praying a rosary each day of the Novena and participating in the Mass scheduled for October 11th at the 8:15a.m. Mass. The intention of the mass and each rosary is for the protection of unborn human persons.

QHR Men's Group: The mission of the Catholic Men's Fellowship is a response to the call made by Pope John Paul II for a new evangelization, particularly the reinvigoration of faith among Catholics. Specifically, our mission is to raise awareness among Catholic men of their need to re-experience the spiritual awakening they originally received at their baptism, to nurture and deepen their ongoing relationship with Jesus Christ through the Holy Spirit, so single and married men can accept their God-given roles as individuals in families, marriages, and churches.

These meeting combine readings from the Bible, Catechism, and a workbook call "The Signpost". The lessons in The Signpost lead us to discuss questions about our Faith in ways that men can relate to.

For more information call John Williams 913- 3438-3038 or e-mail at kcwilliamsj@yahoo.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

Deaths September 2011

James J. Ahern

Clarence Kieffaber

Francis "Frank" Enright



Food Pantry: Your donations to the needy are appreciated and many blessings to all who donate. We are very low on canned peas, Jell-o, crackers, applesauce, potatoes, Hamburger Helper, pastas (macaroni, noodles, etc.), and jelly. Thanks again to all who contribute.

UPCOMING BLOOD DRIVE After all Masses this weekend you can sign up for the final blood drive of 2011, at the information desk in the back of the church.



SACRAMENT Preparation for Reconciliation

Reminder to Parents:

Students from Queen of the Holy Rosary Parish who are preparing for the Sacrament of Reconciliation...

- ◆ **Sunday, October 16**....all must attend the 9:00 am Mass and will sit up behind the altar
- ◆ **Jesus Day Retreat**, Saturday, October 22—, down in the Parish Hall, 9:00—11:30 am
- ◆ **First Reconciliation**—
- Thursday, November 10, 7 pm in Church

Blessing of the Flag Pole ~



Father Cullen, Ryan White, altar servers and students from John Paul II School participated in the blessing of the new flag pole. Marine CPL Ryan White presented Father Cullen with the flag from his missions in Afghanistan.



SACRAMENT Preparation for Confirmation

Reminder to Candidates, sponsors & Parents:

Year II Candidates and Sponsors will sit together up behind the altar at the 5:00 pm Mass on Sunday, October 16. Presentation of Candidates and their chosen Confirmation name will take place.

Following the Mass, the Candidates and their Sponsors will have their workshop—*“Amazing Grace, what is so important about Grace?”*. The workshop will run till 7:30 pm. **All candidates and Sponsors must attend both Mass and workshop.**



Many varieties of pets (and their owners) came for the blessing of the animals on the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi —Tuesday, October 4th.



Protecting God’s Children—VIRTUS

If you have taken a VIRTUS training session and have not been reading your online training bulletins, you will now be listed as Non-Compliant by the Archdiocese.

They are asking everyone who has taken the training sessions, to either begin reading your bulletins or let your VIRTUS Coordinator know to take your name off the Virtus roster.

You can contact our Virtus Coordinator at denise-godinez@qhr-opks.org or call her at (913) 722-2206.

This includes all parish employees, teachers and catechists, room mothers and fathers, coaches, scout leaders, etc....anyone who has taken Virtus needs to continue reading their bulletins in order to stay compliant with Archdiocese policy. If not, you will be listed as Suspended and will not be able to participate in your chosen volunteer activity.



CRUSADER’S Youth Meetings

Join us for Spirited **FSR**

- F**ellowship with one another
- S**ervice work for others
- R**eflection for yourself

Parish Hall.....6:30—7:30 pm

- ◆ **Wednesday, October 12**
- ◆ **Wednesday, October 26**
(attend the Parish Mission together)
- ◆ **Wednesday, November 9**
(Work night for Giving Tree)
- ◆ **Wednesday, November 16**
(Work night for Giving Tree)
- ◆ **Wednesday, December 14**
(sorting of Giving Tree Gifts)
- ◆ **Wednesday, December 28**
(Crusaders Christmas-New Year’s Party...Info TBA)

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 – October 14. Anyone 50 and older is welcome to join us for the monthly planning meeting on Friday, October 14, 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

How much is a million?

The third grade wants to know!

So that we can have a example of what a million really looks like as we study large numbers, we are collecting pop can pull tabs.

So that we can serve the Lord and others, we are donating our collection of pop can pull tabs to the Ronald McDonald House pull tab collection program.

So that we can actually reach a million this school year and have lots of tabs to donate, we are asking for your help. Just twist off your pop can pull tabs, bring them to school and put them in the collection container on the PIT or send them to the 3rd grade room. (It would be nice if you rinsed them first.)

So that you can get excited with us, we will count the tabs and keep you posted as to the total amount collected every once in a while.

Last year we collected 70 lbs of pop tabs: 132,516. This year our goal is 100 pounds which would be about 152,00 pop tabs.

Thank you!

Calendar:

Oct 10 - No School

October 15 - JP II Auction!

Auction Update:

Thank you all for all of the items and donations you have given for the success of the auction. Please remember that for this to be the evening we all hope it will be we need you to attend! The night won't be complete without us all getting together and pulling for the school. Thank you again for all you are doing!

Raffle tickets for the new Nissan Versa will continue to be sold after all Masses. The tickets are a donation of \$20 each or 6 for \$100. Thank you for supporting JP II and good luck winning the car!!!

You won't want to miss bidding on:

Lodging in St. Martin

Stay in Royal Palm Resort for a week in the Caribbean!

The Cutest Puppy You've Seen!

AND it comes with all it's shots
and is already house broken!

Front Row Parking

At Masses and at the school events
this coming year!

Willow Tree Nativity Set

A beautiful addition to your holiday decorations.
With lots more to come...don't miss out!

HOSPITAL MINISTRY Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion bring the Eucharist to people who are in our community but unable to attend Mass. In ministering to the sick, elderly and homebound, we seek to fulfill our baptismal commitment of continuing the work of Christ on earth. These ministers may serve those who are hospitalized, living in long term care facilities or senior complexes or are homebound. Hospital Ministry is a beautiful way to nourish the dignity and spiritual wellness of those unable to attend Mass. There are several ways to serve. Training can happen anytime and will take approximately 30 minutes of your time. Interested in volunteering? Call Sheryl (913-722-2250).

If you become ill or hospitalized please have a FAMILY MEMBER notify the parish office.

This one phone call will make available to you the prayers and spiritual care of the Pastor. The family member may request:

- Your name be added to the Bulletin Prayers for the Sick.
- You receive the sacrament of Holy Communion.
- If you wish to be anointed speak with Father Cullen after the mass you attend the Sunday prior to your scheduled appointment.
- Please leave a phone number, so we may keep in touch and better serve you while in the hospital and upon returning home. Call Sheryl at the Parish Office 913-722-2250.

Hospital Eucharistic Minister's Day of Renewal On Saturday, November 5th, the Church of the Nativity is going to host a Day of Renewal for Eucharistic Ministers that take Holy Communion to Catholic patients in the hospitals in Johnson County. All Eucharistic Ministers of Holy Communion from the various parishes that minister specifically to the hospitals in Johnson County are invited to attend. The Day of Renewal will go from 9am until 1pm. There will be a light lunch available at the end of the program. Please RSVP to Kate Zon, Chaplain/Director of Hospital Ministry, Johnson County Catholic Parishes at catholicchaplainzon@yahoo.com or Tom Garbach913.338.4367 or tom@kcnativity.org.

Crop Walk: This Sunday is the CROP WALK being held at Loose Park –starting at 2pm. Walkers have already signed up. If you would still like to donate to this project, money will be accepted at the church office through Friday October 28th. Checks can be made out to CWS/CROP. All proceeds for the global relief go to Catholic Relief Services.

Prayer for Vocations

Heavenly Father, with a deep trust in the love that flows from the heart of your Son, and by the gifts of your Holy spirit, give to the seminarians, novices and all young people of the Archdiocese the courage to respond generously when you call them to the priesthood and religious life.

Give them strong examples of holy priests and religious. Through the intercession of the saints and by our prayers, help them pattern their lives after Mary, who was not afraid to let it be done to her according to your Word (Lk 1:38). We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

If you think Jesus may be calling to you the priesthood or religious life, talk to your Pastor, or contact the Vocation Director at (913) 647-0303

vocationvocation@archkck.org

To learn more about discerning your vocation, visit www.kckvocations.com

You will find Vocation Forms at the Information Station if you are interested in being contacted by our Archdiocese's Vocation Director. Please fill the form out and hand it to Father Cullen after Mass. If you know of someone with an interest in a Vocation to the Priesthood, please take the form to them so that they can fill it out and either hand it to Father Cullen or mail it to the Parish offices.

St. Mary's Food Kitchen This coming Thursday October the 13th is Queens day to serve at St. Mary's Food Kitchen. If you would like to donate a casserole or 2 of any kind it would be greatly appreciated. Even if you don't cook or have the time you may still help by making a monetary contribution marked for St Mary's Food Kitchen. Contributions made be placed in the collections basket or taken to the Rectory during the week. Pans for the casseroles may also be picked up at the Rectory during the week or at the Information station after all weekend Masses. Casseroles may be dropped off at the southeast entrance of the Church Thursday morning between 7-9 am. Thank you so much for all your help.

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. There is a form on the next page to sign up.

*** REPEAT STUDY ***

A Biblical Walk Through THE MASS: Understanding What We Say and Do in the Liturgy By Edward Sri

In A Biblical Walk Through the Mass, Edward Sri, via DVD presentation, takes us on a unique tour of the liturgy. Based on the revised translation of the Mass, this study explores the Biblical roots of words and gestures we experience in Liturgy, and explains their profound significance.



The study packet includes Edward Sri's book, **A Biblical Walk Through the Mass**, which is used as the text for the study, and a student work book. The workbook guides participants through their study with thought-provoking questions about the Mass, helpful notes, and home study material. Each lesson is designed to accompany the corresponding presentation from A Biblical Walk Through the Mass Study.

COST: \$20.00

Please make checks out to: Queen of the Holy Rosary Materials will be ordered: October 27, 2011.

To Register complete this form and return to Sheryl at QHR Parish Office 7023 West 71 Street, O.P. KS. 66204 or call 913-722-2250. Deadline October 27, 2011

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CATHOLIC CAREER ROUNDTABLE
JOB SEEKERS/BUSINESS OWNERS Career Roundtable Day will be held at Good Shepherd, 12800 W. 75th, Shawnee. Saturday, October 29th, 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

Addictions 101 is Oct 26th, 7pm till 8:30 in the Adult Faith Classroom # 3 at ASCENSION. The topic will be The "Wrong of Passage" presentation given by Johnson County STOP underage drinking coalition. Everyone is invited, those who face a problem with addiction in their family, friends or themselves and certainly NO 7th, 8th or high school parent should miss the opportunity to make themselves aware of what their teens are going to be faced with in high school. The time is now to be proactive. (The average age of a first drink in Johnson County is 13.5 years old) Get the latest information and start the discussion with your children now. George Crossland of Ascension will be leading the panel discussion, which will include members of Ascension and the STOP coalition. Contact Jean at Ascension for questions. 681-3348 or jhinman@kascension.org

Caring for the Caregiver: The Amos Family Funeral Home is hosting a "Caring for the Caregiver" seminar on Friday, November 4th. We invite anyone in your organization who serves the terminally ill and their families to attend this seminar. Our presenter will be Dr. Darcie Sims, an internationally known speaker on the subject of grief. The seminar will be offered twice (a morning and an afternoon session). Here is a link to our website where you can register and learn more about the seminar and Dr. Sims <http://www.amosfamily.com/caregiver/> This is a free program designed for professionals. Please join us.

SkillBuilders: Education & Support for Widows, Widowers and Caregivers

Thursdays, Sept. 8 to Nov. 17, 2011

Tomahawk Ridge Community Center

11902 Lowell Boulevard, Overland Park, Kansas

9:45–10:00 a.m. Coffee, Meet, Greet, Support

10:00–11:50 a.m. Program

Although classes are designed for widowed persons, anyone may attend. No pre-registration is necessary. There is no charge to attend. For information concerning classes and other support services for widowed individuals, information pertaining to becoming a sponsor or information about making tax exempt donations, call : Stephen E. Hamilton, WPS Board President, phone number 913-648-1520