

Queen of the World Church

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July 3, 2022

Rev. Jeffery J. Noble, Pastor
Rev. Kevin O. Holland, Asst. Pastor
Chaplain - ECCSS

Weekend Masses
Saturday Evening: 5:15 pm
Sunday: 7:30 & 10:00 am

Confessions
Saturday: 4:15 pm
Thursday before 1st Friday: 4 pm
And by Appointment

Parish office hours: Monday thru Thursday - 9 am to 4 pm

Sacrament of Baptism

Arrangements are to be made in advance at the parish office.

Sacrament of Marriage

Couples planning to marry need to talk to a priest at least six months in advance of the wedding.

Sacrament of the Sick

Please call a priest immediately in case of illness.
The homebound are urged to have their names placed on the Sunday and First Friday Communion lists.

Music Ministry

Stephen Toney, Director / Organist
Peggy Hoffman, Assistant Director

Faith Formation

139 Church St. - Phone: 781-1042
Administrative Assistant / Secretary
Mary Lynn Carnovale...Ext 226

Elk County Catholic School System

Sam MacDonald, President
600 Maurus Street – Phone: 834-7812
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Deborah Slay, Principal

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School Finance Office

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School Advancement Office - 834-7812

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Parish Care and Concern Prayer Chain

For those needing prayers, please call 781-3085 or 834-3844.

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**Mass Intentions
for the Week**

**FOURTEENTH WEEK IN ORDINARY
TIME**

- Monday, July 4th**
7:00 AM + Don & Craig Schneider
- Tuesday, July 5th**
7:00 AM + Robert Krug
- Wednesday, July 6th**
7:00 AM Tom & Patty Brennen 65th Anniversary
- Thursday, July 7th**
7:00 AM + Joseph & Clara Ehrensberger
5:00 PM *Evening Prayer & Benediction*
- Friday, July 8th**
7:00 AM QW Rosary Altar Society
- Saturday, July 9th**
7:00 AM + Matt Meyer

**FIFTEENTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME**

- 5:15 PM - Sat. Vigil - L&D Members of the Parish
- 7:30 AM + Francis & Marguerite Levenduski
- 10:00 AM L&D Tony & Margaret Herbst Family
and Louise & Don Nunamaker Family



THE SANCTUARY LAMP for the week of
July 3rd burns in memory of
+ Buz Williams



PLEASE PRAY FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

Remember to pray for all the Faithful Departed. In particular, please pray for Dave Froberg, who worked as a member of our maintenance staff at St. Marys Catholic Elementary School; Rolf Schmidt; and Fr. Bob Susa, a priest of our diocese, who died recently.

Our Father.... Hail Mary... Glory Be... Eternal Rest...

Gospel Summary & Question of the Week
Read Sunday's Gospel, Lk 10:1-12; 17-20

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time- Cycle C

Gospel Summary:

Freedom properly defined is freedom properly understood. The Cambridge Dictionary tells us that it is, "the condition or right of being able or allowed to do, say, think, etc., whatever you want to, without being controlled or limited." That same dictionary defines liberty as, "the freedom to live, work, and travel as you want to." Both definitions sound very similar. Is there a difference between freedom and liberty? Many are accustomed to believing that freedom and liberty are interchangeable and simply involve possessing rights and privileges. For the Christian, however, there is a big difference between the two.

St. John Chrysostom directs that "the only person who is free is the one who lives for Christ." There are many other inspirational people throughout history who see freedom as something far greater than liberty. True and properly understood freedom has little to do with entitlement or self-promotion. For the believer, it is a matter of the heart and soul. Freedom (and liberty, for that matter), seen only in terms of the world, can quickly be taken away. The freedom spoken of by St. John Chrysostom can only be lost by personal choice. When one lives for Christ, they live in pursuit of virtues that enlighten one's soul (faith, hope, and love) and strengthen one's character (justice, fortitude, temperance, and prudence). Rather than having the ability to acquire or do more things, true freedom asks us to be detached. Privileges, rights, and responsibilities are important, but they do not define us.

The world is not always open to listening to the truth. "I am sending you like lambs among wolves," Jesus tells his disciples. The secular definitions of freedom and liberty are very attractive. They promise us a great deal. It is no wonder Jesus asks his disciples to travel with very little. The Gospel is not dependent upon things or anything those with worldly power or investment can say or do. When one chooses to live for Christ, they choose to live with peace. That's what true freedom will give us. If we do not want what Christ offers, we can close the door, and the messenger will walk away. Distracted by the lure of personal liberties, we risk losing our freedom. We will not have anything truly life-giving to share with others.

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Question of the Week:

During his public ministry, we hear how Jesus sent out his followers to begin evangelizing (preaching, healing, and exorcising) in his name. How best can we evangelize non-believers today?



MINISTERS' SCHEDULE FOR July 9th and 10th		
Altar Servers	Eucharistic Ministers	Lectors
5:15 PM Marissa Ullman	Linda Hoffman, Terry Pontzer, Suzanne Wortman	Chris Lampe
7:30 AM Nico Assalone	Doug Bauer, Angie Bennett, Diane Shuttleworth	Fran Levenduski
10:00 AM Madeline Lanzel	Kathy Herzing, John Paul Bauer, Terry Lanzel	Delphine Gerber

Please Note: Minister schedules can be found in Church if you didn't receive a copy by email

BAPTISM PREPARATION SESSION

July 5 St. Joseph Church, Force 814-787-4151

Aug 11 St. Mark's Church, Emporium 814-486-0569

Please call the Church you wish to attend to pre-register.

VOCATION CALENDAR Please consider joining the Parish 31 Club for Vocations to the Religious Life.

4th Rose Ann, Steve & Juliana Silveri
 5th Ann, Matt & Becky Avery, Rita Peterson
 6th Mary Hahn, Carol Ehrensberger, Mary Gore,
 Chrissy & Jason Kuhar
 7th Mary Ellen Frank
 8th Lisa Lyons, Bonnie Kopp
 9th Doll Fox, Dick & Leah Dallasen, Dale & Jen Vogt
 10th Tom Snyder, Sally Geyer

**2022 DIOCESAN ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATIONS**

The 2022 Diocesan Anniversary Celebration liturgies for couples celebrating 25, 50, 60 or more years of marriage will be held at two locations in the diocese: Sunday, July 31st at 2 pm at St. Mary's Church, St. Marys and Sunday, August 7th at 2 pm at Holy Cross in Fairview. For more information or to register, go to www.eriecd.org/familylifeoffice/anniv.html or call the Parish Office at 814-834-4701.

ECCSS NOW HIRING

The Elk County Catholic School System is accepting applications for the 2022-23 school year for a full-time Elementary School Teacher.

Interested applicants forward a resume, transcript, letters of reference, and all applicable clearances to:

SMCES

Attn: Debbie Slay, Principal slayd@eccss.org
 114 Queens Rd. St. Marys, PA 15857

12TH ANNUAL ECCHS ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION GOLF OUTING

Enjoy a day of fun, fellowship, and prizes!
 Saturday, June 9th at the Leaning Pines Golf Course



Registration: 8—8:45 with Tee time: 9 am
 Lunch and refreshments provided.

To register a team visit: www.eccss.org/golfouting

Thank you for your continued support of ECC Athletics!

MERRY WIDOWS MEETING

Merry Widows meeting July 11th at the Sacred Heart Parish Center with a picnic indoors. Lunch will be served at noon. Cost is \$10. Come and join us!

**ELK COUNTY RIGHT TO LIFE GROUP**

Meeting will take place Tuesday, July 12th, at 6:30 pm in the St. Mary's Church Parish Annex. For additional information please call Mary Bea at 834-3834.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- **Sunday, 07/03: Adoration** of the Blessed Sacrament, St. Mary's Church until 8 pm.
- **Monday, 07/04: 6:00 pm - Apostolate of Fatima** Holy Hour at Sacred Heart Church.
- **Monday thru Saturday: Adoration** of the Blessed Sacrament, St. Mary's Church until 8 pm.
- **Tuesday, 07/05: 9:15 am - Adoration** of the Blessed Sacrament, St. Mary's Church; Benediction at 6:45 pm.
- **Tuesday, 07/05: 11am—Women's Bible Study** at St. Boniface Social Hall. Contact: Lynn 814-594-3593.
- **Wednesday, 07/06: 2:00pm—Maternity Closet** open until 3:30 pm for those in need up to their 3rd birthday.
- **Wednesday, 07/06: 4:00 pm - Bowls of Love - A free meal** at First United Methodist Church, St. Marys.
- **Wednesday, 07/06: 6:00pm—Rosary Walk for the Souls** at the Sister's Cemetery by St. Mary's Church. For info. Call 834-3214 or 781-1109. Not pets permitted.
- **Thursday, 07/07: 1:00pm—Maternity Closet** open until 2:30pm.
- **Friday, 07/08: 1:00 pm - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** at Sacred Heart Church until 4:00 pm.
- **Saturday, 07/09: 9:00 -2:00 pm - Crusaders Crushers Baseball Camp** at Berwind Park for 4th—9th grade students.

ECC SENIOR CLASS GARAGE SALE

On Thursday, July 14th from 3 -7 pm, the ECC class of 2023 will host a Garage Sale at the school cafeteria to benefit their class trip. Stop by to support our young people and find a treasure for your home!

DAILY SCRIPTURE READINGS**Monday, July 4th**

Hos 2:16, 17c-18, 21-22/Ps 145:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Mt 9:18-26

Tuesday, July 5th

Hos 8:4-7, 11-13/Ps 115:3-4, 5-6, 7ab-8, 9-10/Mt 9:32-38

Wednesday, July 6th

Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12/Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Mt 10:1-7

Thursday, July 7th

Hos 11:1-4, 8e-9/Ps 80:2ac and 3b, 15-16/Mt 10:7-15

Friday, July 8th

Hos 14:2-10/Ps 51:3-4, 8-9, 12-13, 14 and 17/Mt 10:16-23

Saturday, July 9th

Is 6:1-8/Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5/Mt 10:24-33

Sunday, July 10th

Dt 30:10-14/Ps 69:14, 17, 30-31, 33-34, 36, 37 or Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 [9]/ Col 1:15-20/Lk 10:25-37

FAITH FORMATION - LIFE TEEN - YOUTH & YOUNG ADULTS

Mary Lynn Carnovale, Secretary/Administrative Assistant
Kathy Cheate, Elementary Coordinator
Samantha Nedzinski, Middle School Coordinator
Nick Heise, Life Teen, Confirmation Coordinator,
and Youth Ministry



For more info, 814-781-1042 or sminterparishff@gmail.com

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**ROOTED YOUNG ADULT AND YOUTH MISSION TRIP
FATHER'S DAY RAFFLE WINNER**

Char Mulcahy is the winner of the Father's Day Raffle from the Youth Ministry office. Thanks to everyone who bought chances to help send our youth on their Mission Trip to North Carolina this July.



CONFIRMATION 2023

A note to all upcoming Sophomores and Juniors and families: your Confirmation date has been set. Bishop Persico will celebrate Confirmation on Sunday, April 23, 2023 at 1:30 pm. Mark your calendars now.



PARISH PICTORIAL DIRECTORY

This Tuesday, July 5th, the photo sessions for our new directory begin. They will run through this week and next. Should we have more people and families sign-up, we might even extend into the following week. If you have questions, please check with our team before or after weekend Masses this weekend or next. Or, call the Rectory and speak with Jessica Weinzerl, 814-834-4701.

If you have not yet signed up for a photo, please do so after Mass or during week days online at ucdir.com code **pa971** password **photos**.

We look forward to the finished product. But I also look forward to these photo sessions as we see and spend time with one another, our parish family. This is an opportunity to come together in expression of our sense of belonging to our parish here at Queen. We are truly blessed, and each of you is part of that blessing.

Please encourage anyone you know who has not yet signed up to join us in this endeavor.

If anyone has skills and a willingness to help us in graphic design, we would appreciate your help putting some of the pages together for the Directory.

If you have pictures of parish events, please forward them to us at qwdirectory@gmail.com. If they are printed pictures, drop them off with your name and contact info on the back of the photo.



PARISH BUDGET

July 1, 2021 thru June 30, 2022.....\$957,306

Parish Budget to Date.....\$ 666,199

OFFERTORY INCOME for weekend of June 11th and 12th

Regular Envelope\$ 7,835
Loose\$1,334
School Support\$15
Utilities & Maintenance.....\$30
Memorials\$50
Ascension.....\$55
Faith Formation.....\$5

DESIGNATED COLLECTIONS OF THE DIOCESE

Peter's Pence\$932

Thank you !

BABY BOTTLE PROJECT

Our local Knights of Columbus group has passed out baby bottles for us to fill with loose change between now and the weekend of July 16/17. Return them to church or to the rectory between now and then as you fill them up. Our gifts will be passed on to benefit Elk County Pro Life and our littlest children. Thank you!



ECCSS SUMMER CAMP PROGRAMS

Baseball Camp Kindergarten Readiness Camp
Football Camp Volleyball Camp
Drama Camp SLS Kindergarten Readiness Camp
Band Camp Soccer Camp

Registration and info at www.eccss.org/summercamps/

ADVERTISER OF THE WEEK

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176 Skyline Drive Kersey, PA 15846

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Dear Parishioners



It's been nice having someone with whom to share life and priesthood here at Queen of the World. Fr. Kevin's first two years of priesthood have not been easy. He was ordained during the pandemic. In fact, he and I both ended up with COVID and quarantining situations. He had to learn how to split time and switch gears for both campus ministry and parish ministry. He experienced many firsts, including Masses with no one attending, followed by Masses with social distancing, and finally, being able to see and be seen without masks! We are both sports enthusiasts, but with different emphases. He coached track and field and has been enjoying successful seasons for his Buffalo Bills, to name a couple. One of the things I enjoyed was watching him watch golf. I can't do that without falling asleep fairly quickly. He, on the other hand, would watch enthusiastically. This included, to my surprise, his enjoyment when professionals would mess up simple shots and putts. Our approach to priesthood and parish life together was a bit like that. We shared a lot in common, but also have different interests, styles, and approaches. I believe we learned a lot from each other. I hope this was also a benefit to you, our parishioners. So, this week, we "send him off," though not too far. You did your "job" for him, welcoming him, putting him to work, and enjoying his ministry. I hope I did, too. God bless him and all those who, as his future unfolds in priesthood, will be blessed by his faith in action. He will be taking a bit of each of you, of each of us, with him. And we will hold on to the graces he shared with us.

— fr. jeff

MORE THANK YOU'S

The latest "thank you" to you, parishioners of Queen, for your generosity, arrived, from the local Catholic Charities office. Our Lenten Works of Mercy donation will help local mothers who are having difficulties meeting the needs of their infants. Your generosity is much appreciated!

FOURTH OF JULY

This weekend and leading into tomorrow, our nation celebrates our birthday. Enjoy your celebrations and travels. Please be safe. Let us thank God for the blessings of this country and ask God to help us work through our current issues and divisions to be "One Nation Under God." Thank you for praying with us this weekend. Welcome to all visitors, and a special welcome to all who have come home for the holiday weekend.



FR. KEVIN

We offer our thanks and bid farewell to Fr. Kevin Holland, our assistant Pastor, on his final weekend with us. Make a few extra minutes to wish him well after Mass today. There will be refreshments after Mass "on the veranda" (weather permitting...) or in Church. There will be baskets available near the front and the back of Church if you brought a card or gift or wish to offer him a farewell bonus.

Fr. Kevin has been with us for these past two years as a newly ordained priest. His assignment also includes Campus Ministry for the Elk County Catholic School System. This portion of his assignment will continue while he also takes over as Pastor of St. Boniface Church Kersey, beginning Wednesday, July 6th. As he continues his priestly ministry in our area, we will see him, but it will not be the same for us here at Queen. We thank him for his prayers, preaching, teaching and care for our people. May his early days as a Pastor go as well as his first years of priesthood! God's blessings and our thanks to him!

Fr. Ross will become the Pastor of St. Jude Church, Erie on that same day. He has been in our area in teaching and campus ministry at ECC, Pastor of St. Boniface, and prior to that, assistant at St. Leo Ridgway, for a number of years. He, too, will be missed. Please keep him, Fr. Kevin, and the other 22 priests who will be crisscrossing our diocese Wednesday to take on new assignments, in your prayers.

ROE V WADE IS OVERTURNED!

Here is our Bishop's statements following the Supreme Court's decision to overturn the national legalization of abortion nearly 50 years ago.

The Catholic Church has long emphasized its commitment to respecting life from conception through natural death. While Dobbs v. Jackson is an important ruling, we acknowledge there are many complexities involved with unexpected pregnancies and recognize this is a challenging moment for all Americans. It is our hope we can play a role in healing and unity.

Everyone should know how to help parents in difficult circumstances. They need significant support and true accompaniment. Many parishes in the Diocese of Erie have relationships with a variety of organizations and resources for parents in need. The diocesan Office of Social Justice and Life hopes to build on the work that is already in place, tapping into a network of advocates knowledgeable about a wide array of services and support.

The United States Conference of Catholic Bishops has developed a new initiative, Walking with Moms in Need, accessible at www.walkingwithmoms.com. It is a step in the right direction.

We believe all life is sacred and are committed to the significant amount of work that remains to be done.