

# Queen of the World Church

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October 18, 2020

**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**  
**Call for an Appointment**  
**See Bulletin for Additional Times**

**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. Parents and Godparents attend a Baptismal Preparation Session prior to the baptism.

#### **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  
**St. Marys Catholic Elementary School**  
114 Queens Road – Phone: 834-4169  
**Deborah Slay**, Principal

**St. Marys Catholic Middle School /**  
**Elk County Catholic High School**  
600 Maurus Street – Phone: 834-7800  
**John Schneider**, Principal

#### **School Finance Office**

600 Maurus Street – Phone: 834-7812  
**Bob Breindel**, Director

#### **School Advancement Office - 834-7812**

**Susan Jansen**, Director  
**Jessica Fritz**, Director of Communications – 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**
**TWENTY-NINTH WEEK  
IN ORDINARY TIME**

- Monday, October 19th**  
7:00 AM + Betty, Lee & Clare Hoffman
- Tuesday, October 20th**  
7:00 AM + Robert & Matilda (Dolly) Heindl  
and + Carol (Heindl) Ferringer
- Wednesday, October 21st**  
7:00 AM Enrollees in the Benedictine Association
- Thursday, October 22nd**  
7:00 AM + Karl Geci
- Friday, October 23rd**  
7:00 AM + Paul & Abby Horchen
- Saturday, October 24th**  
7:00 AM L&D Paul & Loretta Detsch Family

**THIRTIETH SUNDAY  
IN ORDINARY TIME**

5:15 PM - Sat. Vigil - L&D Ed "Sonny" Seelye  
Family

- 7:30 AM L&D People of the Parish  
10:00 AM + John M. & Elizabeth Clark



**THE SANCTUARY LAMP** for the week of  
October 18th burns in memory of  
Rick Stauffer

**CELEBRATING MILESTONE ANNIVERSARIES**

It has been a joy to celebrate those in our diocese who mark(ed) milestone anniversaries this year. Strengthen your own marriage or vocation and give thanks for our anniversary couples by visiting the website: <https://www.eriescd.org/familylifeoffice/ac.html>, which hosts a list of anniversary honorees with some of the stories and pictures submitted.


**QUEEN OF THE WORLD WEBSITE....**

Have you visited QW website? There is valuable information to be found there. You can even register for the parish on our website. One of the nice features is that you can read our weekly bulletin on the website. You just need to click into the "bulletin" tab and wella - you have access to the weekly bulletin. We are excited to announce that there has been a new development with viewing the bulletin! If you scroll to the bottom of the front page of the website - you will now see the bulletins listed there, and you can also "subscribe" and have the bulletin sent directly to you email box. Just click into the "subscribe" box. Check it out!

**Gospel Summary & Question of the Week**

Read Sunday's Gospel, Mt 22:15-21

**29th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Cycle A**
**Gospel Summary:**

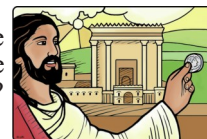
Nobody enjoys paying taxes. Despite our displeasure in being forced to do so, we also realize that the monies generated from taxes allows governments to provide essential services for its people. Corruption really gets our goat, however. When we witness malfeasance, overspending, irresponsibility, and dishonesty in governmental spending, the grave injustices make an already unpleasant and arduous task even more difficult. The inappropriate distribution and use of hard-earned monies can leave a person quite angry and disconnected. It's bad enough the government wants something from me, now God does, too?

God is not concerned necessarily with our money, although its proper use does factor into our faith life. As the payment of secular taxes speaks of our allegiance to the government, our return to God speaks of our allegiance to God. All of creation, even the entire universe, is fashioned in the image and likeness of God. What speaks to God and has meaning and relevance to him? All of creation and indeed our very selves! God delights in us and when we present ourselves back to him, he delights even more! As the payment of secular taxes is designed to secure the equitable distribution of goods and services to all people, so is our return of ourselves to God in gratitude meant to advance God's kingdom here on earth.

When our exclusive and sincere allegiance is given to God, God can use us to set things right and straight again. The wounds of sin distort our relationship and disorder our world. By giving ourselves and all of creation back to God in gratitude, we acknowledge the proper Creator and Author of life for who He is and devote our labors exclusively to God's kingdom and the justice, peace, or order God envisions. In giving back to God all that belongs to God, we set the axis of our lives correctly and put our priorities in proper order. All of our relationships, especially with God, our brothers and sisters, and all of creation are perceived more clearly as they really are. Using, accumulating, wasting, exploiting, hoarding, and self-preservation are no longer necessary.

**Question of the Week:**

How much responsibility do you feel the government should take for meeting the needs of the less fortunate in our society?  
How willing are you to contribute?  
Who needs help in your community?  
What could you do to help?


**Our Lady of the Rosary**


*Let us pray.*

*O God, whose only begotten Son, by His life, death, and resurrection, has purchased for us the rewards of eternal life. Grant, we beseech Thee, that meditating on these mysteries of the Most Holy Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary, we may imitate what they contain and obtain what they promise, through Christ Our Lord.*

*Amen.*

This is the final prayer of the Rosary

**BAPTISM PREPARATION SESSIONS**

	Nov. 3	St. Boniface, Kersey	885-8941
	Nov. 26	St. Mary's Church	781-1019

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.

- 19<sup>th</sup> Tara Vavala, Susan, Maureen Newman
- 20<sup>th</sup> Helen & John DaCanal
- 21<sup>st</sup> Donna, Sara & Rachel Keller
- 22<sup>nd</sup> Marian Viglione
- 23<sup>rd</sup> John & Char Nicklas, Tom Clark
- 24<sup>th</sup> Monica Werner
- 25<sup>th</sup> Gale O'Neill, Patty Brennen, Mary Ann

**THAT MAN IS YOU!**

'That Man is You' began a new season at the Ridgway K of C being held Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. The program is being offered in person or online. No need to sign up, just show up. For more info, contact St. Leo's for the details 772-3135.

**WREATHS ACROSS AMERICA**

"Be an American worth fighting for" is the theme for this years fundraiser and how appropriate. This year 2020, with our country in turmoil, it's so important to remember and honor our Veterans with a wreath for Christmas as a "Thank You" for their service. Veterans who have a wreath ordered for them will have the wreath placed on their grave on Dec. 19<sup>th</sup> with the ceremony to start at noon. You will find fliers in Church with the opportunity to support local veterans by purchasing a holiday wreath for a veteran's grave, or call Dolly at 781-7247.



Make checks payable to: Wreaths Across America and mail to P.O. Box 364, St. Marys, PA. Deadline is November 27<sup>th</sup>. Please help us to continue to honor all veterans. Thank you for remembering our Veterans!

**ST. MARYS CATHOLIC CEMETERY CLEAN-UP**

All non-permanent objects must be removed from the St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery by November 1<sup>st</sup>. Thank you.

**ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CEMETERY APPEAL**

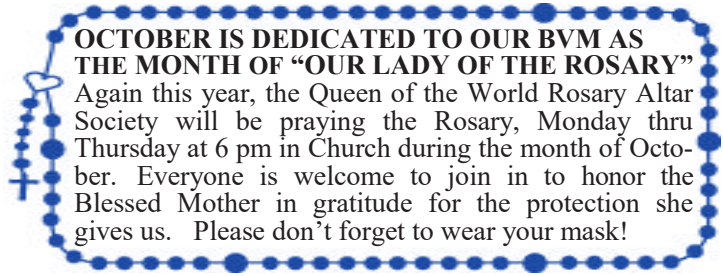
The operation of a large cemetery is expensive. Just the trimming around the more than 13,000 existing monuments is an intense job requiring the work of 2-3 additional people working six hours a day, five days a week, during the grass mowing season. The sale of interment leases only covers a part of the operating costs, therefore the Cemetery appreciates and relies on the support of our community. If you can assist their financial needs for perpetual care, please consider a donation. You can send it directly to St. Marys' Catholic Cemetery, 604 Joseph Road, or, pass along your donation through us in an envelope specifically marked for this purpose. Thank you for you help in this late but important annual appeal and your continued support.



**AREA HAPPENINGS THIS WEEK**

- **Sunday, 10/18: 12:00 noon - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** at St. Mary's Church until 9 pm.
- **Monday, 10/19: 6:00 pm - Apostolate of Fatima Holy Hour** at Sacred Heart Church. Please remember to maintain Social Distancing. Mass follows at 6:15.
- **Monday thru Saturday: 9 am - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**, St. Mary's Church until 9 pm.
- **Tuesday, 10/20: 6:30 pm - Elk County Right to Life Meeting** at St. Mary's Parish Annex Bldg. 834-3834.
- **Wednesday, 10/21: 4:00 pm - Family Dinner** at St. Marys Moose Club until sold out. Public welcome. Delicious meal at a very affordable price!
- **Wednesday, 10/21: 6:00 pm - Rosary being prayed** at Sacred Heart Church for the continuing journey of seminarians and all men discerning the priesthood. The Rosary is prayed every Wednesday for seminarians.
- **Friday, 10/23: 7:00 am - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** at Sacred Heart Church until 4:00 pm
- **Friday, 10/23: 12:00 noon - Fish / Shrimp Fry** at St. Joseph Church, Force. Take-Outs ONLY! \$12 Call 787-4151 #6.
- **Sunday, 10/25: 12:00 noon - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** at St. Mary's Church until 9 pm.

**OCTOBER IS DEDICATED TO OUR BVM AS THE MONTH OF "OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY"**



Again this year, the Queen of the World Rosary Altar Society will be praying the Rosary, Monday thru Thursday at 6 pm in Church during the month of October. Everyone is welcome to join in to honor the Blessed Mother in gratitude for the protection she gives us. Please don't forget to wear your mask!

The Fall '40 Days for Life Campaign' began September 23 and runs through November 1, 2020. You can help save lives by praying and fasting for an end to abortion during that time.

There will not be a sign up for this campaign, due to the Covid virus, but you can pray each day on your own. Prayers can be found in the back of Church for daily prayers.



Days for Life is sponsored by Elk County Right to Life For more information, call Mary Ross at 781-6867



**QUEEN OF THE WORLD PARISH MEMBERSHIP FORM**

Name \_\_\_\_\_


Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone No. \_\_\_\_\_



Email \_\_\_\_\_

Please check one:

- I am new in the parish & wish to register
- Change of Address  Moving out of Parish
- Want Envelopes  Interested in a Parish Ministry

**FAITH FORMATION - LIFE TEEN - YOUTH & YOUNG ADULTS**  
 Mary Lynn Carnovale, Secretary/Administrative Assistant  
 Kathy Cheatle, Elementary Coordinator  
 Samantha Nedzinski, Middle School Coordinator  
 Nick Heise, Life Teen, Confirmation Coordinator, and  
 Youth Ministry 

For more information, call 781-1042.

**FOLLOW ROOTED YOUTH & YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY**  
 SMYouthMin (facebook),   
 RootedYouthMinistry18 (Instagram) 

**FAITH FORMATION CLASSES**  
**MIDDLE SCHOOL** next session will be held today (Sunday, Oct. 18<sup>th</sup>) at St. Mary's Parish Center at 6 pm.

- \* Middle School **6th Grade** will be having a retreat at Sacred Heart on Saturday, Oct. 24th beginning at 8:30 am until 3 pm.
- \* Middle School 7th & 8th Grades will be online on Oct. 25th. Please log on at 6 pm. **NOTE: No class for 6th grade!**

**LIFE TEEN** - This Sunday evening (Oct. 18<sup>th</sup>) and will be held online, **please** log in at 6 pm.

- \* The next session will be an In-Person session, Sunday, Oct. 25th at the St. Mary's Parish Center at 6 pm.

**CONFIRMATION** Students (QW parishioners/Confirmand) will meet with Fr. Jeff after the 10 am Mass here at QW, Oct. 25th.

**NEXT CLASS FOR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL LEVEL** will be on Wednesday, October 21st, 6:00 – 7:30 pm at the St. Mary's Church Parish Center, 325 Church St.

Note: **Masks must be worn for all classes. Faith Formation will be following CDC guidelines.**

**Family Honor Webinars Available Online**

Parents: need help speaking with your young child about 'the birds and bees'? Or, are you looking for tips on talking with your teen about purity, sex and, dating? Or, maybe you've heard about Pope St. John Paul II's **Theology of the Body**, and you'd love for you and your teen to sit in on a talk **together**. Or you may just need some hope and encouragement as a parent. Whatever your reasons, we invite you to sign up for one of Family Honor's new **Fall 2020 Webinars**, which our Family Honor adult presenters will deliver live via Zoom! Some sessions are for parents only; others are for you and your teen or pre-teen to participate in together. There are lots of sessions to choose from and you can join us from the comfort of your home, no matter where you live! Research shows that a strong sense of parent-child 'connectedness' is the most significant factor in reducing teen risk-taking behavior. This is a terrific opportunity! To register, go to: <https://familyhonor.org/programs/find-a-family-honor-program-near-you/> Family Honor, created in 1988, provides a Catholic framework on the truth and meaning of sexuality, love, and family. Questions? Call 803.929.0858 or [info@familyhonor.org](mailto:info@familyhonor.org).



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**PARISH BUDGET**

July 1, 2020 thru June 30, 2021.....\$807,929

**Parish Budget to Date.....\$331,701**

OFFERTORY INCOME for weekend of Oct. 10/11, 2020

Regular Envelope .....\$9,454  
 Loose .....\$1,822  
 Children.....\$0  
 School Support .....\$536  
 Utilities & Maintenance.....\$109  
 Memorials.....\$50  
 Assumption of Mary.....\$25

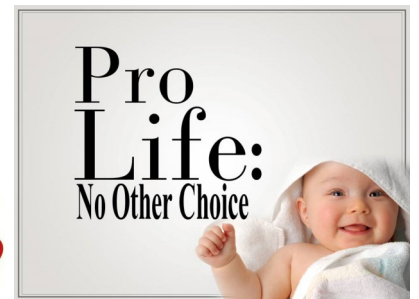
Total Received.....\$11,996

**DESIGNATED COLLECTIONS OF THE DIOCESE**

Church in Latin America.....\$5  
 National Needs.....\$5  
 Catholic Education.....\$15  
 World Mission.....\$30  
 Peter's Pence.....\$15

**Thank you !**

**PRO-LIFE PERSPECTIVE —**



**ADVERTISER OF THE WEEK**

**ART HEARY & SONS, INC**  
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Dear Parishioners,

If we are able to keep our schedules clear, the priests of our diocese will gather this Wednesday through a good portion of the day for a day of recollection. I always look forward to these. Just like many in the workforce, we need to be updated. In our case, the conference aspect usually offers some insights into theology and/or spirituality. The presenter(s) are sometimes authors or experts in some branch of faith studies. Sometimes, one of our own priests shares insights from his own knowledge and experience. We also have the opportunity to pray together and spend time with one another. The best homily I've heard from Bishop Persico came at one of these events, when he spoke to us from his own heart with words of encouragement. Since we cover the 13 counties of northwestern PA, it is not very often that we get to see one another these days. Your CSA gift, among many other things, helps facilitate days like this for your clergy. So, thanks to you for this gift. While attending I will offer prayers for you and your intentions, as I do daily. We head now into the last few weeks of Ordinary time. The world around us is heading into late autumn - dying, in its own way. The Gospels this time of year address some of those "end time" realities - joining nature in alerting us to "make ready." A day of prayer is one way to facilitate this. As clergy, we have the luxury that one is ready-made for us. I hope that you are able, in some way, to spend some part of some day away from the routine -- in prayer, reading Scripture, with family -- whatever you can do to be strengthened by God's grace. In the meantime, the Cleveland Browns are "coming to town" today. Let's enjoy that! - - - fr jeff

### THE COOLER WEATHER

Remember in this cooler weather that you might find the entrance and exit doors at Church closed. It would be wise to use gloves or tissues or a disinfectant wipe to touch the doors as you use them. There is sanitizer near the entrance for you to use after you've touched the doors.

### DAILY SCRIPTURE READINGS

#### Monday, October 19th

Eph 2:1-10/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4ab, 4c-5 [3b]/Lk 12:13-21

#### Tuesday, October 20th

Eph 2:12-22/Ps 85:9ab-10, 11-12, 13-14 [cf. 9]/Lk 12:35-38

#### Wednesday, October 21st

Eph 3:2-12/Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6 [cf. 3]/Lk 12:39-48

#### Thursday, October 22nd

Eph 3:14-21/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 11-12, 18-19 [5b]/Lk 12:49-53

#### Friday, October 23rd

Eph 4:1-6/Ps 24:1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6 [cf. 6]/Lk 12:54-59

#### Saturday, October 24th

Eph 4:7-16/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5 [1]/Lk 13:1-9

#### Sunday, October 25th

Ex 22:20-26/Ps 18:2-4, 47, 51 [2]/1 Thes 1:5c-10/Mt 22:34-40

### WEEKEND ATTENDANCE

Thank you to those who are joining us on weekends. These past few weekends we have seen an increase of 10-20% in attendance. This includes some of our families with young children. We are glad that you are joining us. We are still under the dispensation and it remains wise to be very careful wherever we go. But, most of us are working, attending school, playing sports, and doing more "normal" activities. So it is great that you would include Sunday Mass as a cornerstone of your lives again. Thank you for following the protocols that keep yourselves and all of us safe as we gather. Be vigilant: wear a mask, keep the distance, use the one-way aisles, and please do not congregate any more than is necessary.

### MISSION SUNDAY

Today by prayer and financial gift we support the mission work of the Church. All of us share the responsibility to help those who need the Good News of the Lord and those who are bringing it to them in the name of the Church, that is, all of us. Your financial gift supports mission work close to home and far away.



### VOTING WITH INFORMED CONSCIENCE

The Bishops of Pennsylvania have published a voter's guide for the presidential election. There is also a letter from Bishop Persico encouraging our participation as informed citizens. These are available at Church and online at the diocesan website, Eriercd.org. I ask that people refrain from placing anything else in Church or on car windshields on our property from other sources during election season no matter how dedicated or well-intentioned. Anything that someone wishes to be put out in church for public consumption should be brought to the rectory.

### CONFIRMATION PREPARATION

Next Sunday, Oct. 25, all 11th Graders from QW who seek to celebrate Confirmation this year are attending their first session with Fr. Jeff and Fr. Kevin. This will take place immediately after 10 am Mass. We will gather in Church. Confirmation students should attend with their sponsors, if they have not yet selected a sponsor, one parent is request to attend with them. We look forward to this time with you - and we will have you home by kickoff!



### MASS INTENTIONS FOR 2021

In Church we have place lavender fliers with your opportunity to schedule Mass intentions for 2021. Thank you for remembering your beloved deceased by offering a Mass for them.

### FINANCE COUNCIL

Meets this Thursday, Oct. 22 at 6:30 pm in the Rectory.

**PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED....** Please pray for Tyler S. Mancuso who died recently, and all the faithful departed. *Our Father...Hail Mary...Glory Be... Eternal Rest...*