

# Queen of the World Church

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September 6, 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

### **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-THIRD WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

**Monday, September 7th**  
7:00 AM L&D Lee & Betty Hoffman Family

**Tuesday, September 8th**  
7:00 AM + Agnes Decker

**Wednesday, September 9th**  
7:00 AM + Rita Schutz (Anniversary)

**Thursday, September 10th**  
7:00 AM L&D Dave & Isabel Caskey Family

**Friday, September 11th**  
7:00 AM + The Victims of the 911 Tragedy

**Saturday, September 12th**  
7:00 AM L&D QW Rosary Altar Society

### TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

5:15 PM - Sat. Vigil - + Catherine & Anthony Rossi

7:30 AM L&D People of the Parish

10:00 AM + Wm. James & Michael Zwald



**THE SANCTUARY LAMP** for the week of  
September 6th burns in memory of  
Lawrence & Anna Baumer

### **MARRIAGE MOMENTS.....**

*Labor Day "All work and no play make Jack a dull boy" - and a spouse boring. On this Labor Day, use a labor saving device (washer, microwave, car, blender, etc.) to save some time, then do something playful with your honey. Pray for (and thank) those who worked to make your life easier.*

*Life can be like that. When you were baptized, confirmed, married, you probably had positive expectations about how this commitment would work out. And then one learns that faith and marriage can be challenging, even disappointing at times. It's not all bliss and beauty. But still we hang on because underneath it all is someone who loves us - despite our failings.*

### **NINETEENTH ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT**

*The Sacred Heart Golf Committee would like to thank all the sponsors for a very successful Golf Tournament, with Twenty Four teams enjoying this years outing. A special thank you also to all who participated. Hope to see you next year!*

### Gospel Summary & Question of the Week

Read Sunday's Gospel, Mt 18:15-20

### 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time - Cycle A

#### Gospel Summary:

It's all about reconciliation and conversion, not punishment. Relationships are not static adventures but wonderful gifts that continue to develop, grow, change, and mature. We are meant to be social beings, so isolating ourselves from others is rarely helpful. But, because human beings are on the one hand tremendously gifted, talented, and blessed creations, they are on the other also flawed, broken, and sinful. We all need to humbly admit that we are works in progress and not only capable of enriching each other's lives but causing deep hurts and wounds as well. Hence, we always need to be reconciled. We are always growing, changing, and expanding our knowledge of who we are and how we are meant to share life together.

Because reconciliation and conversion are always part of the mix of life, honesty is crucial. Without honesty, we can easily find ourselves living a lie and causing more harm than good. Being able to freely share our feelings, especially those involving pain and hurt, is a charism necessary to pursue and an art to learn. When we are wronged or wrong someone else, we do not enjoy the confrontation that can and needs to come. We are taught to keep our feelings to ourselves, especially when they are negative, and we tend to avoid difficult conversations. Hence, we never really learn how to confront another, successfully resolve conflict, find reconciliation, and welcome conversion. When we hurt or wrong someone, it does not mean that we are a bad or sinful person who deserves only punishment and excommunication. Quite the opposite! We are simply a human person who can make poor choices and sin and can be forgiven. We can restore and deepen the relationship that has been affected and find our way home again.

Jesus clearly wants to avoid shame because it has no purpose in achieving reconciliation and conversion. All broken relationships deserve a chance at reconciliation. Every person has room for growth and a need for conversion. We have to learn to be okay with honesty and not be afraid to hear and process what someone needs to say, even if it is difficult for us to hear. Severing a relationship, both personally or with the church community as a whole, ought to definitely be a last resort and only pursued when all else has failed.

#### Question of the Week:

What have you been able to overcome because others patiently loved you? How can you help another person do the right thing?



#### A FAMILY PERSPECTIVE

*The key word in today's gospel is "listen." We cannot change another person; not alone, not with others and not with a whole Church. All we can do is state our position and "if he listens to you" then he / she can take the steps necessary to change themselves. Change comes from within.*

**BAPTISM PREPARATION SESSIONS**

	Sept. 22	St. Mary's Church	781-1019
	Oct. 17	Sacred Heart Church	834-7861

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.

- 7<sup>th</sup> Mary Ellen Frank, Lillian Haller, Eleanor Newell
- 8<sup>th</sup> Lisa Lyons, Bonnie Kopp
- 9<sup>th</sup> Doll Fox, Dick & Leah Dallasen, Dale & Jen Vogt
- 10<sup>th</sup> Tom Snyder, Anna Mae Mertz, Sally Geyer
- 11<sup>th</sup> Pat Pfeufer, Betty Cheatle, Nicole Schneider
- 12<sup>th</sup> Virginia Newell, Mady Schneider
- 13<sup>th</sup> Steve & Dody Winiarczyk, Peggy Hoffman, Emily O'Neill

**CONGRATULATIONS!**

These are the students who this past year celebrated the Sacrament of Penance for the first time.

Gio Assalone; Emma Belsole; Landyn Buhler; Max Castellano; Brittney Donachy; Kara Fleming; Brooke Floravit; Finnian Frasier; Janessa Halquist; Rose Kamats; Eli Meyer; Lane Newell; Emma Ryan; Margarethe Schmidt; Isaac Scutella; Leo Simbeck; Gwendolynne Sorg; Logan Spornier; Blake Stauffer, Keaton Stelene; Zarek Vrobel; and Alaina Wilson

We are proud of you for taking this next big step in faith, receiving the Sacrament of Jesus' mercy and forgiveness!

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION**

Congratulations to these students, who received First Holy Communion this summer:



Trenton Auman; Mia Azzato; Lyla Bowley; Lilly Brennan; Ava Brown; Gavin Casalo; Mason Cousins; Andrew Feldbauer; Molly Gahr; Trenton Gregori; Chase Herzing; Mackenzi Hoffman (Sacred Heart); Henry Housler; Max Jovenitti; Adam Laird; Anna Lanzel; Colin Lanzel; Greyson Meyer; Jaylynn Rivera; Alexis Sarginger; Ava Schlimm; Avery Stauffer; Luke Vollmer; Mack Vollmer; Natalie Wolfe; Peyton Wendel; Carter Wendel; Logan Young; and Bo Williams.

**CONFIRMATION**

During the month of August our young adults celebrated the Sacrament of Confirmation. We congratulate them and look forward to their witness of faith as they move into their Senior Year:



Dominic Aiello; Dylan Aiello; Connor Bressler, Gina Carnovale; Jordan DePrator; Brooke Henry; Kyla Johnson; Natalie Lenze; Lilia Lion; Lindsey Quatlani; Joshua Robinson; Savannah Ryan; Ethan Schreiber; Ryan Sharrow; Kara Van Eerden; Samantha Vavala; and Mark Walker

**AREA HAPPENINGS THIS WEEK**

- **Sunday, 9/06: 12:00 noon - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** at St. Mary's Church until 9 pm.
- **Monday, 09/07: 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, 09/08: 6:30 pm - Elk County Right to Life Group meeting** in the St. Mary's Church Annex. Any questions, call Mary Bea at 834-3834.
- **Tuesday, 09/08: 6:30 pm - Rosary is prayed** at the Fatima Statue by St. Joseph Church, Force.
- **Wednesday, 09/09: 4:00 pm - Family Dinner** at St. Marys Moose Club until sold out. Public welcome. Delicious meal at a very affordable price!
- **Wednesday, 09/09: 7:00 pm - Rosary Walk** at St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery. Wear a mask and bring your Rosary. Practice Social Distancing.
- **Friday, 09/11: 7:00 am - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** at Sacred Heart Church until 4:00 pm
- **Sunday, 09/13: 12:00 noon - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** at St. Mary's Church until 9 pm.

**DAY OF REMEMBRANCE FOR THE ABORTED**

The Eighth Annual National Day of Remembrance for Aborted Children will be held on Saturday, September. 12th beginning at 1 p.m. at Gate of Heaven Cemetery, 5711 W. Lake Rd. Erie at the cemetery west end, rain or shine. For more information: [www.abortionmemorials.com](http://www.abortionmemorials.com)

**ECC MUSIC BOOSTERS FALL "MUM" SALE**

Get your ticket now, pick up will be at Morning Glory Greenhouse on Bucktail Road from September 1<sup>st</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup>. You must present a ticket to receive mum! \$9.00 each.

To obtain a ticket, contact Cathy at 512-0818.



**DAILY SCRIPTURE READINGS**

- Monday, September 7th  
1 Cor 5:1-8/Ps 5:5-6, 7, 12 [9]/Ps 5:5-6, 7, 12 [9]/Lk 6:6-11
- Tuesday, September 8th**  
Mi 5:1-4a or Rom 8:28-30/Ps 13:6/Mt 1:1-18-23
- Wednesday, September 9th**  
1 Cor 7:25-31/Ps 45:11-12, 14-15, 16-17 [11]/Lk 6:20-26
- Thursday, September 10th**  
1 Cor 8:1b-7, 11-13/Ps 139:1-3, 13-14, 23-24/Lk 6:27-38
- Friday, September 11th**  
1 Cor 9:16-19, 22b-27/Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6, 12 [2]/Lk 6:39-42
- Saturday, September 12th**  
1 Cor 10:14-22/Ps 116:12-13, 17-18 [17]/Lk 6:43-49
- Sunday, September 13th**  
Sir 27:30—28:7/Ps 103:1-4, 9-12/Rom 14:7-9/Mt 18:21-35

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

For more information, call 781-1042.

**FAITH FORMATION REGISTRATION - IS OPEN**  
 Check out the new website: [sminterparishff.com](http://sminterparishff.com) to register.  
 Orientation night for Elementary is Sept. 23rd, Middle School, Life Teen and Confirmation will be held Sept. 27.  
 First night of Elementary classes is Sept. 30th; Middle School - Oct. 4, Life Teen - Oct. 11 and Confirmation - Oct. 18. All sessions will be held at the St. Mary's Church Parish Center, 325 Church Street. Check the website for complete details and times. **Note: Masks must be worn.**

**Child Protection and Creating Safe Environments - Diocesan Child Protection Policies:** The Diocese of Erie, along with all other dioceses in the United States, has policies and procedures in place to address the national problem of child abuse and to aid in maintaining safe environments. The three main components of the Policy for the Protection of Children are: screening of all employees and volunteers who work with minors, training of all youth, parents, employees and volunteers, and reporting all suspected child abuse. The diocese is committed to promptly reporting any suspected child abuse directly to ChildLine or law enforcement. The diocese requires on-going screening and training of all personnel, paid or unpaid, who have regular contact with our children and youth under the age of 18. The diocese also requires yearly safe environment training of our children, youth and parents regarding touching-safety and safe environments. Visit <https://www.eriecd.org/childprotection/> to read the policy and learn what the diocese requires for all personnel who work with children and youth in parishes/schools/agencies.

**SHOPPING WITH SCRIPT**  
 Consider shopping with Script to help with students tuition. Call the school for details and who to contact - 834-4169.

**ECC MUSIC BOOSTERS' FACEMASK FUNDRAISER**  
 We say, if you can't beat 'em, join 'em!!  
 1) Choose your color: Maroon, Gold, Print  
 2) Choose your style: Pleated or 3D  
 (rests away from face, vertical seam)  
 3) Choose your size: Small (7" wide), Medium (7.5" wide), Large (8.5" wide)  
 4) Call / text 814-245-5502 with order and questions.  
 Payment should be made to ECCHS office (600 Maurus Street, St. Marys). Orders received by September 7th may be picked up on September 14th from 2:30 to 7. Prints may vary as fabric is subject to availability. If you have any questions? Please call/text Cindy at 814-245-5502. Crafted locally by Lucy Mosebarger. All masks are reversible with maroon or gold on opposite side, includes a metal nose bridge sewn inside with adjustable ear straps. \$8 each. Help support the ECC Music Boosters and show your school spirit by ordering your Crusader Face mask now!!



<b>PARISH BUDGET</b>	
July 1, 2020 thru June 30, 2021.....	\$807,929
<b>Parish Budget to Date.....</b>	<b>\$140,273</b>
OFFERTORY INCOME for weekend of Aug 29/30, 2020	
Regular Envelope .....	\$8,693
Loose .....	\$3,721
Children.....	\$0
School Support .....	\$0
Utilities & Maintenance.....	\$45
Memorials.....	\$50
Assumption.....	\$20
<b>Total Received.....</b>	<b>\$12,529</b>
DESIGNATED COLLECTIONS OF THE DIOCESE	
Church in Latin America.....	\$15
<b>Thank you !</b>	
<b>Envelopes Used Aug 22/23, 2020.....</b>	<b>241</b>

**2020 CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL**

Number of Pledges	304
Amount Pledged	\$99,579
Amount Assessed	\$106,460

Thank you to those who pledged and contributed to this year's appeal in spite of many difficulties, including loss of income. The CSA and the Offertory continue to sustain us through these difficult times. God bless your generosity.

**PRO-LIFE PERSPECTIVE —**



*"Any country that accepts abortion is not teaching its people to love, but to use violence to get what they want. That is why the greatest destroyer of love and peace is abortion."  
 ~ Blessed Mother Teresa of Calcutta ~*

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Dear Parishioners,

Perhaps you, like me, spent many Labor Days watching Jerry Lewis. He starred and sponsored a 24-hr. telethon on behalf of people, especially children, suffering from Muscular Dystrophy. He entertained and educated; he offered warmth and compassion. He encouraged other notable stars to join the efforts. His care for those who suffer from this disease was genuine and palpable. No Labor Day was complete without some portion of it being dedicated to his one-day campaign to fight a terrible disease. Whatever else we did on Labor Day, this was a cornerstone. Now we face another terrible disease. We need the same kind of energy and dedication to attack it, to help overcome it. While we picnic, enjoy family and outdoors, take a day off, wish our students well, express our gratitude to those whose work supports and sustains us, pray for a better workplace conditions, work for justice, thank God for the ability to earn a living, look for a job, discover a vocation, use our talents, and build up the Kingdom of Heaven... while we do all these things and maybe even more...there is a uniqueness to this Labor Day. As if we had Jerry Lewis still among us, let us "pledge" to support our scientists and medical workers, our first responders, and all those caring for us without regard for the cost to themselves. And let us find within ourselves the compassion to care for the sick and suffering. Find some way this weekend to reach out, to help, to support, to encourage someone in need. So many are in need of companionship; in need of a friendly greeting or smile; in need of a meal; and in need of their dignity and their rightful place in society. Jesus tells several stories about those who are "working." He knew we could relate. We just want the basics. We want a job to do; we want workable conditions and just pay; we want to have a sense of contribution to the bigger picture of our community and society. And someday, we want to hear The Boss say, *"Well done, good and faithful servant."* - - - fr jeff

### SPECIAL COLLECTION

We have not had a Special Collection since before Lent! In just two weeks, we will take up the Catholic Education Collection. This is one of the important ones, for it supports several aspects of the way we pass on the faith: our Catholic School System, The diocesan support that is needed; our Faith Formation processes and Youth Ministry; our Sacramental Programs. And, a portion of this collection stays with us to help us in our responsibilities toward all of these. Please prepare to make a gift worth of the great needs we have to support our children, young people, and families in their growth in faith. This collection will be taken up on the weekend of September 19-20.

### PRAY FOR THE DECEASED

Please pray for Kathryn Hoffman, who died recently, and all the faithful departed. *Our Father... Hail Mary ... Glory Be... Eternal Rest...*

### FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

At the 10 am Mass today, Sunday, Sept. 6th, we welcome Jaylynn Rivera as she celebrates First Holy Communion with her family. Congratulations Jaylynn!

### RCIA

The first gathering of the RCIA for the upcoming year will be this Tuesday, Sept. 8 at 6:30 pm in the Rectory. Anyone interested in joining the Church, completing a Sacrament of Initiation (Confirmation or Eucharist) or learning more about our Catholic faith is welcome to join us. You can also call ahead if you would like, 834-4701. If you know someone who has been pondering this, please pray for them, encourage them, and come with them!

### PLEASE HELP WITH PROTOCOLS

When coming to Mass on weekends, please sit in the designated areas:

The center banks of pews are for families of three or more who do not need to practice social distance from one another because they are together at home. There shouldn't be anyone else in that pew with them.

The side banks are for individuals or couples. There should be three or less people in each of these - there is not room for two couples to sit with each other and yet be 6' from another person.

Please remember to put your kneeler to the floor at the end of any Mass you attend. This helps our cleaning volunteers know which pews need to be sanitized for the next Mass.

Please exit using the rear, going out the proper one-way aisle. If you need or choose to use the ramp or elevator, please wait a few moments until there is no cross-traffic.

At daily Mass, please use the center banks, keeping in front of the marked pews about 2/3 of the way back. Again, this helps our cleaning crew to stay within a certain area rather than having to clean the whole church.

There is plenty of seating for all Masses - no need to crowd together.

If someone needs a single seat and comes in late, perhaps you have room in your pew to move to the other end to let them in - saving them a much longer walk. When people come late, there is no need to watch them, please stay focused on Mass. It is already difficult for them to know they have to walk into the "front" door.

The Bishop has asked that we come to Mass and return home without gathering in Church or in the parking lot for conversation. This applies for all Masses, including weddings and funerals. As the Bishop says, go home and call anyone with whom you would like to visit further.

We really need to keep vigilant about the various protocols. Thank you for doing your best to safeguard yourself and others.