



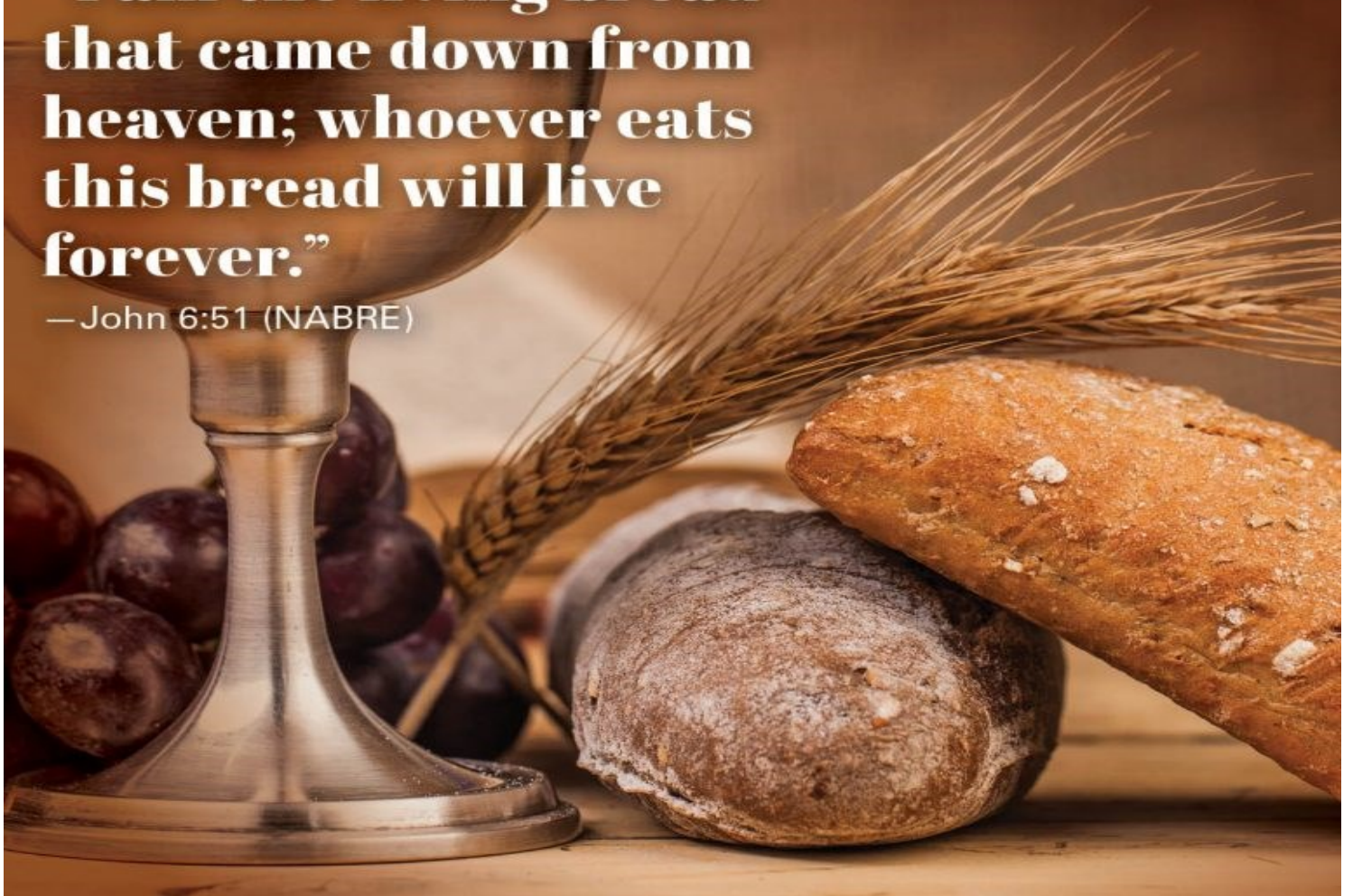
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WEST ALLIS, WISCONSIN

19TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME • AUGUST 11, 2024

**“I am the living bread
that came down from
heaven; whoever eats
this bread will live
forever.”**

—John 6:51 (NABRE)



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Saturday: 4:00 pm (MPH West)
Sunday: 8:30 am, 10:30 am,
7:00 pm (MPH East)
Weekdays: 8:00 am (MPH East)
Monday, Wednesday,
Friday, and First
Saturdays

SCHOOL YEAR WEEKDAY MASS:
Tuesdays 8:00 am (MPH West)

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MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP

The Mary Votive Light at
116th St. Site is burning this month
In Loving Memory of Thomas J. Brown



The Sacred Heart Votive Light at
116th St. Site is burning this month
**In Loving Memory of Dr. John Haugh
Family**

The Mary Candles at 106th St. Site are
burning this month
**In Loving Memory of Tommy Kelleher
and Marlene Blagg
And
In Loving Memory of Frances Renner**

The Adoration Candle at 106th St. Site is
burning this month
In Loving Memory of Nancy Scharmach

MASS INTENTIONS

AUGUST

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

SATURDAY, AUGUST 10, 2024

4:00 PM † Ferd and † Arlene Haevers
(West Site)

SUNDAY, AUGUST 11, 2024

8:30 AM † Geraldine Breezer (East Site)
10:30 AM † Douglas Pederson (East Site)
7:00 PM Living and Deceased Members of
Our Parish (East Site)

MONDAY, AUGUST 12, 2024

8:00 AM † Edward Holzem (East Site)

TUESDAY, AUGUST 13, 2024

No 8:00 am Mass (Will resume August 27th)

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 14, 2024

8:00 AM † Eileen Donovan (East Site)

THURSDAY, AUGUST 15, 2024

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:30 AM † Ray and † Rose Schrader
(East Site)

12:00 Noon † Mary Herro (East Site)

6:00 PM In Thanksgiving for the Sisters of
St. Joseph of Tarbes (East Site)

FRIDAY, AUGUST 16, 2024

8:00 AM † Jim Barnes (East Site)

SATURDAY, AUGUST 17, 2024

4:00 PM Living and Deceased Members of
Our Parish (West Site)

Prayers

We extend our sympathy to the Stueck family
on the death of **Robert Stueck**. May he rest in
peace and be risen to eternal glory!



Mass Schedule Holy Day of Obligation The Assumption of the Blessed Mother

Thursday, August 15th
(East Site)

8:30 AM, 12:00 Noon, 6:00 PM



REFLECTIONS FROM FR. MATTHEW

“Whoever eats this Bread will live forever.” (John 6:51)

As we continue to reflect the teachings of Jesus on the Eucharist through the “Bread of Life Discourse,” this Sunday we are reading from the gospel of John Chapter 6, verses 41-51. We begin hearing the murmurings of the listeners as Jesus tells them that He is the Bread of Life, came down from heaven, and this Bread is leading them to eternal life, if they believe in the one who was sent by the Father. They could not understand how Jesus, the carpenter’s son, could be God’s Son. They could only see him as a human being, at most, a prophet who had some miraculous powers.

Jesus continues to teach them by quoting the prophets, “They shall all be taught by God.” He is telling them that he himself is the manna given by God. He is the bread sent down from heaven. He gives life where death before was a certainty. He sustains us through this pilgrimage of earthly life until we can enter the fullness of God’s promises. He fulfills the work of God in the Old Testament, while also surpassing it by far. While those who ate manna still died, eating this living bread will give life eternal. This was utterly mysterious for Jesus’ hearers, for whom the concept of Eucharist did not yet exist. It remains mysterious for us now. Partaking in the Eucharist is a radical act of trust in the God who made us and loves us and wants abundant life for us.

Like prophet Elijah in the first reading today, the Lord feeds us miraculously in the Eucharist to nourish and sustain us for the long pilgrimage of Christian life. The Psalm invites us both to taste and see God’s goodness and points our attention to the gift of Christ’s presence in the eucharistic species, which we do in fact experience with both our taste and our sight. As St. Paul reminds us in the second reading, we are anointed by the Holy Spirit of God and sealed for the day of redemption. The Holy Spirit enables us to believe and live the Eucharistic life as we partake in the most beautiful gift of God- the Eucharist.

Eucharistic Revival Year of Mission

“The Mass is not just about looking at Jesus. When you see the Lord lifted up like this you are looking at Calvary. Lifting his hands as if holding up the Chalice and Host. When you see the Lord lifted up like this, you are participating in his restoration of the world.” Fr. Mike Schmitz – From the Revival Session in Lucas Oil Stadium on Thursday evening, July 18, 2024

The year of mission is about sitting at the feet of Jesus, gazing upon him, and recognizing how he freely gives himself away over and over again. The more time we spend in his Presence, the more our own hearts are healed, converted, formed, and united so that we can go out into the world, to speak on behalf of Jesus, in charity and truth—for the life of the world. The heart of living as a Eucharistic Missionary is being united to Jesus in his own perfect offering to the Father, which we re-live in a mysterious way at every Mass!

When the priest or deacon says, “The Mass is ended. Go in the peace of Christ,” Please go! What you have heard, touched and tasted, you must share with others!

Cardinal Louis Antonio Tagle from his homily at the closing mass of the National Eucharistic Congress.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Readings for the week of August 11, 2024

- Sunday: 1 Kgs 19:4-8/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 (9a)/Eph 4:30—5:2/Jn 6:41-51
- Monday: Ez 1:2-5, 24-28c/Ps 148:1-2, 11-12, 13, 14/Mt 17:22-27
- Tuesday: Ez 2:8—3:4/Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131/Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14
- Wednesday: Ez 9:1-7; 10:18-22/Ps 113:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/Mt 18:15-20
- Thursday: *Vigil:* 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2/Ps 132:6-7, 9-10, 13-14/1 Cor 15:54b-57/Lk 11:27-28
Day: Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab/Ps 45:10, 11, 12, 16/1 Cor 15:20-27/Lk 1:39-56
- Friday: Ez 16:1-15, 60, 63 or 16:59-63/Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6/Mt 19:3-12
- Saturday: Ez 18:1-10, 13b, 30-32/Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19/Mt 19:13-15
- Next Sunday: Prv 9:1-6/Ps 34:2-3, 10-11, 12-13, 14-15 (9a)/Eph 5:15-20/Jn 6:51-58



Need to sign-up by August 31st!

From K3 to Grade 12+
Weekly classroom sessions are offered from
September through April
Timings: 9:15 to 10:15



A Year of encounter with Jesus

Family is the Domestic Church! Parents / Guardians are the first, foremost & forever teachers of the faith. This parish level catechesis is one small layer in the grand scheme of faith formation. Take advantage of every beautiful resource available to you!!!

MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP PRESENTS
Summer Movie Night
August 23, 2023 8:00pm - 10:30pm
OUTDOOR MOVIE
2322 S 106th Street - Parish Center Parking Lot
PEC Provides: Hot dogs, popcorn, licorice, water, and juice boxes and a family friendly movie. Bring your own soda and perhaps a snack to share.



Located in Neosho, WI A Ministry of the Laudato Si' Project
"Connecting to Christ and His Creation"
The CEC seeks to deepen faith & foster a stewardship ethic through hands on encounters with creation.

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CATHOLIC ECOLOGY CENTER
CatholicEcologyCenter.org

Join us **Tuesday, August 20** to hear all about it!
4pm in the **Notre Dame Room** (106th & Lincoln, MPH Parish Center)
OR 6pm at the **Cleveland Pub & Grill** (Sunnyslope & Cleveland)

JOIN US! Presentation is **Free**; Donations to the Center encouraged

St. Ben's Community Meal

AUGUST dates:

Serving: Monday, Aug. 19, 4pm carpool
Sandwich Making/Bagging Thursdays the 15th & 22nd at 8AM
at 106th Kitchen

Food Delivery Thursdays 8-9:30 AM or
2-3:30 PM to 106th Kitchen

Questions/volunteer:

Kathy Smith 414-453-5192x125 or kathy@mphwa.org

WEEK AT A GLANCE

MONDAY, August 12, 2024

8:45 AM New Human Life Writers Mtg. - ND (106 St.)
9:00 AM Sheepshead - PC 9 (106 St.)
6:45 PM Evening Prayer - Church (106 St.)

TUESDAY, August 13, 2024

9:00 AM Sandwich Ministry - Ki (106 St.)
6:45 PM Evening Prayer & Rosary - Church (106 St.)

WEDNESDAY, August 14, 2024

8:45 AM Scripture Study - ND (106 St.)
9:00 AM MPH Helping Hands - BH (116 St.)
9-11 AM MPH Food Pantry - BH (116 St.)
9:00 AM Sheepshead - PC 9 (106 St.)
5:30 PM Human Concerns Mtg. - ND (106 St.)
6:45 PM Evening Prayer - Church (106 St.)

THURSDAY, August 15, 2024

8:00 AM St. Ben's Food Delivery & Bag - Ki (106 St.)
2:00 PM St. Ben's Food Delivery & Bag - Ki (106 St.)
6:45 PM Evening Prayer - Church (106 St.)

FRIDAY, August 16, 2024

6:45 PM Evening Prayer and Chaplet of Divine Mercy - Church (106 St.)

SATURDAY, August 17, 2024

7:00 AM Men's Scripture Study - BH (116 St.)
4 9:30-11:30 AM MPH Food Pantry - BH (116 St.)

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HUMAN CONCERNS/OUTREACH

Director: Kathy Smith 414-453-5192 ext. 125
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AUGUST REVERSE COLLECTION

For the MPH Food Pantry

Manwich Cereal Soda Crackers

We will collect all of August

FRESH GARDEN PRODUCE OR BAGS OF APPLES, ORANGES, POTATOES are also welcome if delivered to the pantry on Wed.

8:30-11AM or Sat. 8:30-11:30 AM

Thank you for all the donations in July!!

MQSCA SCHOOL



Principal: Nick Lee 414-476-0751
leen@mqscateacher.org

2024-2025 Enrollment for MQSCA is OPEN!

Back to School Night & Picture Day:

Tuesday, August 20th

First Day of School:

Monday, August 26th

FREE ENTRY

JOIN US FOR OUR 2024

FAMILY FUN FEST

EVERYONE IS WELCOME!

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 7TH
NOON TO 6:00PM

FEATURING:

- Food Trucks
- Beer, Soda and Water
- Bounce Houses
- Kids Crafts
- DJ

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THIS WEEKEND

Simply give

benefit our MPH Food Pantry
helping to eliminate hunger in our community

CASH accepted (\$10 increments)
After All masses Aug. 10, 11 and at the
Parish Office up to Aug. 14 (we turn \$ in on
Double Match Day, Aug. 17)

Is it possible that angels, saints, and even our departed ancestors support and inspire us during our lives? How can we connect with them? In her book *The Love of Thousands: How Angels, Saints, and Ancestors Walk with Us toward Holiness*, Christine Valters Paintner guides us to see the ways these beings support us - from the care of our guardian angels, to the wisdom of the saints, to the witness of loved ones who have crossed the threshold to eternal Light. She describes them as watching over us and offering us guidance throughout our lives.

You are invited to join a women's discussion of her book facilitated by Sr. Rosie Bonk, on **six consecutive Wednesdays** starting **September 4th** from **1:00-2:15 pm** at Bethany Outreach Center. If interested, contact Kathy Smith at Kathy@mphwa.org or 414-453-5192

CHRISTINE VALTERS PAINTNER

**MPH Fall, 2024
Book Discussion**

THE LOVE OF THOUSANDS

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