



MATER CHRISTI HOLY NAME SOCIETY INAUGURAL EASTER BASKET RAFFLE



Friends,

The Mater Christi Holy Name Society hopes this letter finds you well. The Coronavirus is still having an affect on many of our lives. Hopefully, many of you have received the vaccine. If not, we hope you do soon. We hope to operate in a normal manner within months, if not, weeks. Things seem to be heading in the right direction.

In November of '20, the Holy Name Society was unable to hold our annual Turkey Shoot. We thought about Mater Christi's "can-do" spirit and improvised by holding a Turkey Shoot Basket Raffle. **WOW!** The participation by all was so appreciated by the Holy Name Society and the parish. We raffled off 25 baskets as expected, but our Split-The-Pot produced 3 prizes of \$2,000, \$1,000, and \$300. Totally unexpected! The Holy Name Society appreciates your generosity greatly.

Now, here we are in March, as we said, things seem to be getting better. But again, the Holy Name Society Annual Smoker in February did not take place and the Cub Scouts are losing out on their 2nd Pancake Breakfast taking place. The Limited Raffle scheduled for May is uncertain and unlikely, as we are still unable to gather at this time. As for the Golf Outing, we are still waiting and wondering.

So, here we go, the Holy Name Society thought that an Easter Basket Raffle would be a natural thing to do at this time and under these conditions. **25 baskets full of Easter goodies will be raffled off along with a Split-the-Pot with some large payouts, fingers crossed.** This is a chance to raise funds for the Holy Name Society and the parish. We still cannot gather, but we can still attempt to bring some fun to your Easter holiday experience.

The physical selling of tickets cannot take place, either, so all entries must be purchased in advance by using the entry form on the other side of this letter. All entries must be received by March 27th at 12:00 noon.

We hope that you will consider participating in the Inaugural Easter Basket Raffle. Once again, the Holy Name Society and Mater Christi greatly appreciate your generosity. On behalf of the Mater Christi Holy Name Society, we thank you very much and wish you and yours a blessed and Happy Easter!

ENTER...WIN...ENJOY...SHARE

For the children there will be a downloadable coloring sheet of an Easter Basket on the Mater Christi website. Print it, color it, return or mail it, and two participants will receive a Target Gift Card. We always appreciate the talented children's participation.

The Inaugural Easter Basket Raffle and Split-the-Pot will be streamed on Sunday, March 28th at 3:00pm. A link will be provided on the Mater Christi website, www.materchristichurch.org, to allow everyone to witness the winning moments!

QUESTIONS...COMMENTS?

CALL STEPHEN PISZCZOR AT (708) 602-1927

(TURN PAGE OVER FOR RAFFLE ENTRY FORM)

25 BASKETS TO BE RAFFLED!!!

Each Basket Contains:

- Spiral Cut Ham
- Smoked Sausage
- 1 dozen Eggs
- PAAS Egg Coloring Kit
- Rye Bread
- Jelly Beans
- Fannie May Easter Eggs (4 pack)
- Butter Lamb
- Houska
- Easter Lamb Cake
- Wine
- Solid Milk Chocolate Bunny
- Peeps
- Easter Lily

The cost is \$5.00 per 1 entry. You will receive 2 FREE ENTRIES for each \$20.00 purchase!

For example...

\$ 5.00 = 1 entry	\$25.00 = 7 entries	\$45.00 = 13 entries
\$10.00 = 2 entries	\$30.00 = 8 entries	\$50.00 = 14 entries
\$15.00 = 3 entries	\$35.00 = 9 entries	\$55.00 = 15 entries
\$20.00 = <u>6 entries</u>	\$40.00 = <u>12 entries</u>	\$60.00 = <u>18 entries</u>

And so on...

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Mail or Drop-Off your entry to:

**Mater Christi Rectory
C/O Easter Basket
2431 S. 10th Ave.
North Riverside, IL 60546**



PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Name_____

of entries_____

Address_____

Amount_____

Check #_____

Please make checks payable to:

Phone Number_____

Mater Christi Holy Name Society