

Our Lady Queen of Peace Catholic Church  
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**Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**



He is Risen!

*Alleluia*

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## Easter Sunday

### Mass Intentions

<b>Sat., April 19</b> 7:30 pm	<b>Holy Saturday Easter Vigil</b> Noah Rogers (L)
<b>Sun., April 20</b> 8:30 am 10:30 am	<b>Easter Sunday</b> For the Parishioners Jeff Ray
<b>Mon., April 21</b> 8:30 am	<b>Monday within the Octave of Easter</b> Audrey Wolff
<b>Tues., April 22</b> 8:30 am	<b>Tuesday within the Octave of Easter</b> Paul Gehrs
<b>Wed., April 23</b> 6:30 pm	<b>Wednesday within Octave of Easter</b> Ken Weber
<b>Thur., April 24</b> 8:30 am	<b>Thursday within the Octave of Easter</b> Brian Gulash (L)
<b>Fri., April 25</b> 8:30 am	<b>Friday within the Octave of Easter</b> Loretta Masulla
<b>Sat. April 26</b> 4:30 pm	<b>Saturday within the Octave of Easter</b> Vi Perkhiser
<b>Sun., April 27</b> 8:30 am 10:30 am	<b>Second Sunday of Easter</b> For the Parishioners Mary Powell

### Prayer Requests



**The sick:** Conor Vogel, Keita Salantai, Charlie Mattingly, Noah Rogers, Becky Gray, Marguerite Hufker, Brooke Randolph Carden, Brittany Witt, Greg Weber, Pat Friedel, Kristin Brunstein, Jim Begnel, Mike Toner, Lucie Hale, Liz Stutz, Rob Helmkamp, Don Laird, Bill Johnson, Jim Johnson, Leslie Rider, Garrett Hardin, Patty Eichen, Rita Smith, Marvin Bonner, Joseph Batson, Cherie Buell, Nancy Horman, Lynn Bertels, Patty Hall, Norm Frisch, Thelma Kochan, Carla Klaustermeier, Tim Barton, Bonnie Wirth, Susan Hilker, Emilee Baalman, Bob Randolph, Ron Harshbarger, William Richter, Jean Walker, Brenda Gibbons, Bill Timpe, Patti Dhue, Neil Friedel. **For prayer requests in the bulletin, call parish office, 377-6519. Prayer requests email prayer chain, Marie at re-joy128@gmail.**

### Attention Ladies of the Parish

Join other ladies of our parish on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of each month for Bible Study. **We will meet again on April 23.** Join us anytime! Questions, please call Cindy Stutz, 618-741-4452 or Linda Zacha, 618-377-5725.

### Please Note

The **parish office** will be closed **Monday, April 21.** Our **parish school** will resume classes **Wednesday, April 23.**

## Dear Parishioners,

I would like to wish all of you a blessed Easter celebration. We have just finished the forty days of Lent, which emphasized the suffering and death of our Lord, Jesus. Now, we celebrate the joy of His resurrection and once more sing out **"Alleluia to our Risen Lord"**. I hope that the forty days of Lent have been a blessing for all of you and that you can point to a real growth in your spiritual life. I also hope that this Easter time will allow you to continue in that growth and that you will grow closer to our Risen Savior. May God bless you and your families, and may God bless our parish family.

**Ft. Tom**



### Vendor Fair

St. Elizabeth's Catholic Church Altar Society is having a Spring Vendor Fair on Saturday, April 26, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. The Vendor Fair will be held in the parish hall located at 120 N. Windmill, Marine, IL. Free entry; food will be available.

### OLQP Mother/Son Night

**Sat., 4/26, 5:30 pm, school gym.** Theme: The Wild West. Tickets: \$40/couple, \$5.00 for each extra son. Ticket includes: catered meal by moonlight, souvenir photo, cowboy gear, pan for gold activity and more. Call (618-377-6701) or email ([cwoodiel@olqpbethalto.org](mailto:cwoodiel@olqpbethalto.org)) to make reservation. This is open to all parish and school families.

### NEXT PRAYER GROUP

April 22, 6 pm, in church. Everyone welcome!!!

### Sunday Offerings

Week 41	4/12/25 & 4/13/25	Total to Date
Loose	\$7,413.00	\$29,228.74
Envelopes	\$5,893.00	\$404,775.02
On Line Giving	\$3,197.39	\$142,618.30
Young People	\$1.00	\$64.09
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$16,504.39</b>	<b>\$576,686.15</b>
Operating Budget	\$15,391.25	\$631,041.25
Tithe to Diocese	\$1,500.00	\$61,500.00
<b>Difference</b>	<b>(\$386.86)</b>	<b>(\$115,855.10)</b>

Total Envelopes Received: 109  
Online Donations: 52  
Centennial Campaign Donations: \$570.00  
Other Charitable Donations: \$1,576.06

**April 20, 2025**

## Liturgical Ministers

**April 26 & 27**

**4:30 pm**

Rosary Jim Albarado  
Lector JoEllyn Patterson  
E. Ministers Tim & Linda Zacha  
Ushers Stacy Dooling, Dee Oller  
Joe & Cathy Gulash  
Servers Reid Bouillon, Ryder Bouillon  
Music Craig/Kathy/Tami/Bob

**8:30 am**

Rosary Jim Stephens  
Lector Ann Payne  
E. Ministers Jay McCurdy, Mike Early  
Ushers Loren & Raeann Summers  
Paul & Cindy Stutz

Servers Logan Stutz, Conner Stutz  
Music Praise Team

**10:30 am**

Lector Barb/Kris/Becky  
E. Ministers Noah Crump  
Ushers Brad Fulk, Carey Price  
Don & Teri Militello  
Kathy Murphy, Deana McDonough  
Servers Kinsley Mitchell, Layne Frisch  
Music Praise Team

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### SCRIP Sellers, April 26 & 27

4:30 Debbie Zacha  
8:30 Judy Griffith  
10:30 Brenda Zacha

### The Coming Week...

Prayer Group.....April 22  
RCIA Potluck & PSR Class.....April 23  
Ladies Bible Study.....April 23  
Mother/Son Night .....April 26  
KC Chili Cookoff.....April 28  
Spring Fling.....May 3

### Online Contributions Conversion

If you have not already done so, please close your givecentral account and create a new account in Pushpay. Questions, call the parish office, 618-377-6519.

### Unplanned pregnancy?

Contact Thrive Metro East! Their services are no cost and kept confidential. No insurance needed. Call 618-466-1690 or text: FREETEST4U to (618) 280-2040.

### Parishioner Information

(New Members & Changes)

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

TELEPHONE \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL \_\_\_\_\_

Please check the appropriate item(s):

\_\_\_\_ New Parishioner      \_\_\_\_ Send Envelopes

\_\_\_\_ New Phone—Email      \_\_\_\_ New Baby

\_\_\_\_ Change of Address      \_\_\_\_ Leaving Parish

## SPRING FLING

We are excited to start planning our annual family fun carnival day. We are needing the parishioners' help in several areas to make this a successful event. This fundraiser directly benefits the school and helps with upgrades for the 25/26 school year. We need help to cover 1 hour shifts working the day of the event. Please scan the QR code to sign up or call the school office to claim a shift.

We will also be having the famous envelope, "Give a Little" fundraiser with the winner being drawn at 4:00 pm during the Spring Fling. Pay the amount shown on the numbered envelope. For every \$10 you spend, you will receive 1 raffle ticket. Example: Ticket #47 pays \$47, Ticket #121 pays \$121. Tickets need to be present at 4:00 pm to claim the prize.

-1st Place: \$3,000 OR 1 Free 25/26 Student Tuition

-2nd Place: \$1,750 OR 1/2 off 25/26 Student Tuition

-3rd Place: \$875 or 1/4 off 25/26 Student Tuition

Tickets are for sale in the school office, online following the QR Code, or after Masses during the upcoming weekends. Envelopes purchased online will receive their raffle tickets at the registration table the day of Spring Fling.

### DONATIONS NEEDED!

Drop them off in the school or church office.

—**Dessert for Silent Dessert Auction**—scan QR Code to sign up to donate or call the office to let them know you plan on donating an auction dessert.

—**Small Kids game prizes**

—**Beer, any type**

—**Cayman Jack**

—**Small denomination gift cards for I Dood It prizes**

—**Candy** (that will not melt if hot)

Call the school office to sign up for the Bags or Washers Tournament. Price, \$40 ahead of time to reserve a spot for your team or \$50 to sign up during the spring fling. Winning Teams from each event will receive a \$100 prize.



Scan Me To Help Work  
Spring Fling



Scan Me to Purchase  
An Envelope # Online



Scan Me To Sign Up For  
Dessert Auction  
Donation

### Easter Lilly Memorials

**Arthur Acheson, Bob Kobleski,  
Paul and Betty Kobleski**  
By Kathy, Somona and Paulina Acheson  
**William & Josephine Drew, Lucinda Wolff,  
Thomas Rexing**  
**Henry & Florence Rexing**  
**Genie Collins and Louis Rexing**  
By Norman and Rosemary Rexing



### Please Note

**Due to a schedule conflict,  
Saints and Suds is cancelled for April.**