

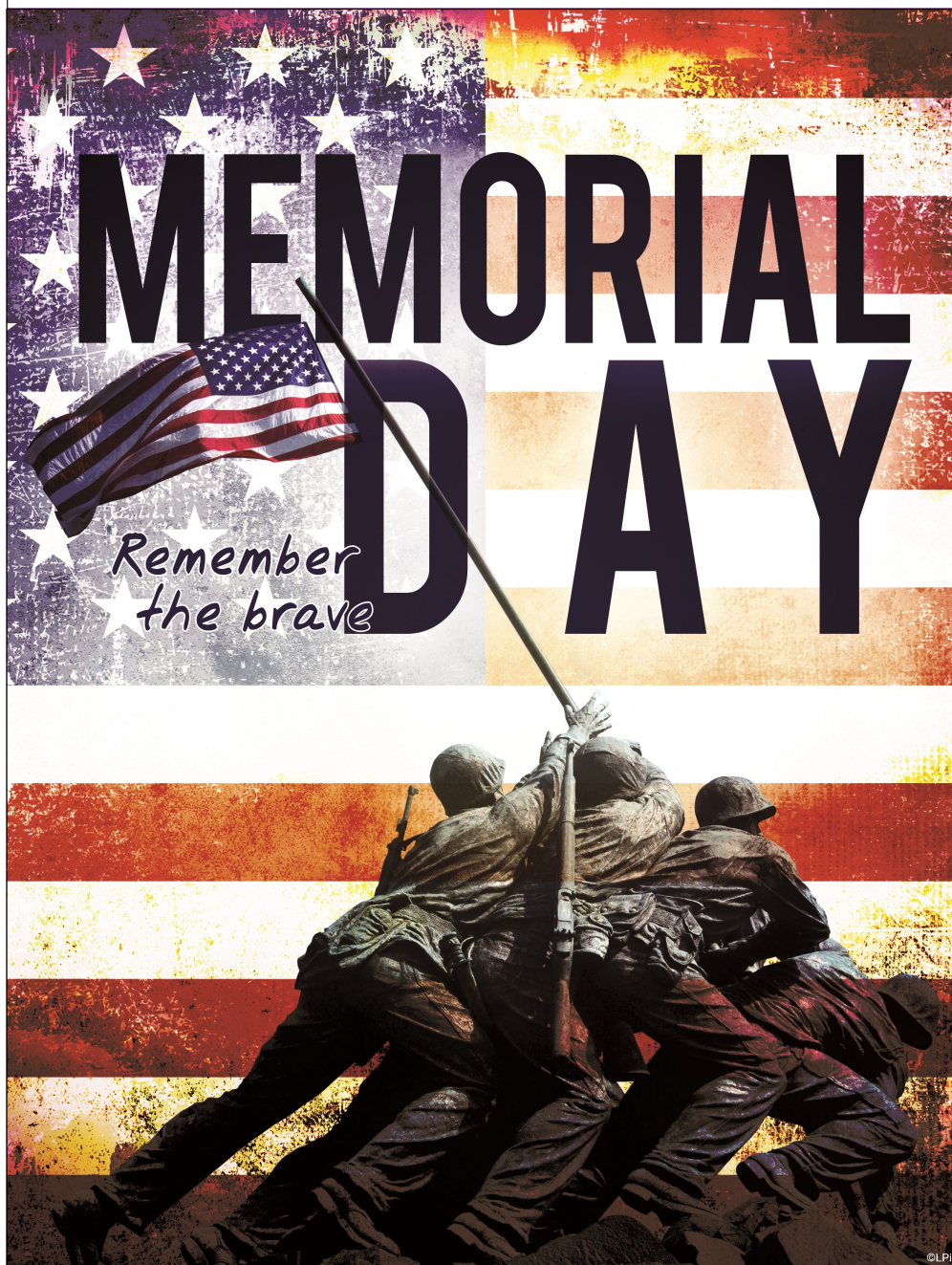
OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Website: <https://www.olqpbethalto.org/parish/>

Fr. Tom Liebler, Pastor

Rectory: 618-377-6519; **Cell:** 618-409-7444; **Email:** tliebler@aol.com



Mass Schedule

-Mondays, Tuesdays,
Thursdays, Fridays: 8:30 am;
-Wednesdays: 6:30 pm;
-Saturdays: 4:30 pm;
Sundays: 8:30 & 10:30 am

Parish office

Hours: Monday—Thursday,
8:30—4:00 pm (Lunch 12-1)
Email: church@olqpbethalto.org
618-377-6519 Fax: 618-377-9550
Office Manager: Terri Zykan
Secretary/SCRIP Coordinator:
Bea Albarado

Parish School

Mrs. Kim Knight, Principal,
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618-377-6401 Fax: 618-377-6146
Chrissy Woodiel, Secretary:
cwoodiel@olqpbethalto.org
School website:
<https://www.olqpbethalto.org>

Knights of Columbus

Bethalto Council #4688,
4th Degree #203
Grand Knight: Luke Kistner
bethaltoknight@gmail.com
www.bethaltoknights.org

Communion to the Homebound

1st Friday of each month. Call the
parish office to request .

COMING OUR WAY..

Ladies Sewing Group.....	May 29
Soul Core Exercise Class.....	May 29
Parish Rummage Sale.....	May 31-June 1
Ladies Meeting.....	June 6
Men's Steak, Scotch & Cigar Night.....	June 9
Vacation Bible School.....	June 10-14
OLQP Prayer Group.....	June 11
Community 55 Luncheon.....	June 13
Baby Bottles Returned for Thrive.....	June 15-16
Men's Gathering.....	June 17

The Most Holy Trinity

Mass Intentions

Sat., May 25 4:30 pm	Weekday in Ordinary Time Earleen "Dutch" Stutz & Julie Stutz
Sun., May 26 8:30 am 10:30 am	The Most Holy Trinity Beste & Waeltz Families For the Parishioners
Mon., May 27 8:30 am	Weekday in Ordinary Time Heidi Calhoon
Tues., May 28 8:30 am	Weekday in Ordinary Time George Wilson
Wed., May 29 6:30 pm	Weekday in Ordinary Time Jacob Gaudreault
Thur., May 30 8:30 am	Weekday in Ordinary Time Jacob & Myrtle Gaudreault & Family
Fri., May 31 8:30 am	Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary Elli Wiemers
Sat., June 1 4:30 pm	St. Justin Earlene "Dutch" Stutz
Sun., June 2 8:30 am 10:30 am	The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ Janet Dickey For the Parishioners



Prayer Requests

The sick: Conor Vogel, Keita Salantai, Mary Wagner, Charlie Mattingly, Noah Rogers, Becky Gray, Marguerite Hufker, Maxine Calhoon, Peggy Ruhmann, Audrey Wolff, Lisa Curtis, Brooke Randolph Carden, Brittany Witt, Greg Weber, Pat Friedel, Kristin Brunstein, Jim Begnel, Mike Toner, Susan Hilker, Lucie Hale, Clyde Dickman, Liz Stutz, Rita Dana Smith, Carla Klaustermeier, Bob Helmkamp, Stella Schultz, Don Laird, Bill Johnson, Jim Johnson, Mike McKeever, Leslie Rider, Debbie Walker, Kayla Kuehn, Jim Albarado, Garrett Hardin, Steve Rood. **For prayer requests in the bulletin, call parish office, 377-6519. Prayer requests email prayer chain, Marie at rejoy128@gmail.**

VBS—Can You Help?

Join us for an exciting week of **Vacation Bible School, June 10th through June 15th, 9:00 a.m. to noon!** This program is open to students entering Pre-K 3 through those entering 5th grade. For more information or to sign up, contact the school office 618-377-6401. If you'd like to help out, contact Angie Waldo awaldo@olqpbethalto.org. We look forward to seeing you there!

OLQP Prayer Group

June 11, 6:00 pm, Church, Everyone welcome.



**John & Jennifer McCarthy and
children, John and Tessa**

Do You Know Your Faith? (True or False)

1. A Catholic priest can be married?
2. Chewing gum or taking a breath mint breaks your fast for communion?
3. Bishops and priests must submit their resignation at the age of 70.
4. Sisters and Nuns are part of the Laity.
5. A priest takes his promise of celibacy when he is ordained a priest.

Fr. Tom

Soul Core

Bring a mat and **join us Wednesdays in May at 7 PM** in the Enrichment Room as we honor and get to know Our Blessed Mother while nourishing body & soul during this month dedicated to Our Lady. Questions? Kim Brunstein 618-980-0492.

Attention Ladies of the Parish

Our next gathering will be **Thursday, June 6, 6 pm.**
More information to follow!

Baby Bottle Campaign

Since 2012, these Baby Bottle Campaigns have raised \$533,390—that's 444 lives saved! Together we can save even more lives in 2024! Bottles will be picked up the weekend of June 15-16.

Parish Rummage Sale

Friday, May 31 and Saturday, June 1

We have **only two weeks to bring donations** to the school gym. Stop by the office for the key to the back door of the gym. Questions, call Carrie Albarado, 618-223-3787.



Sunday Offerings

Week 47	5/18/24-5/19/24	Total to Date
Loose Envelopes	\$358.73	\$25,250.45
On Line Giving	\$9,026.00	\$451,258.80
Young People	\$2,590.00	\$147,631.00
Total	\$1.00	\$63.60
	\$11,975.73	\$624,203.85
Operating Budget	\$15,430.52	\$725,234.44
Tithe to Diocese	\$1,500.00	\$70,500.00
Difference	(\$4,954.79)	(\$171,530.59)

Total Envelopes Received: 95
Total Online Donations: 39
Building Maintenance Fund Donations: \$75.00
Other Charitable Donations: \$1,236.00

May 26, 2024

Liturgical Ministers

June 1-2

4:30 pm

Rosary Tim Zacha
Lector Teresa Toner
E. Ministers Jim & Bea Albarado
Ushers Dee Oller, Stacy Dooling
Joe & Cathy Gulash
Servers Ellie & Lucy Colley
Music Folk Group

8:30 am

Rosary Sharon Pritchett
Lector Joe Grabowski
E. Ministers Kim Brunstein, Susie Davis
Ushers Tim & Kathy Phillips
Jim & Theresa Stephens
Servers Adult Servers
Music Craig/Brenda

10:30 am

Lector Lee Gonterman
E. Ministers Marge Kirby, Brenda Zacha
Ushers Brad & Teri Fulk
Alyssa Smith, Shirley Barton
Servers Jace Certa, Ben Cripps
Music Praise Team

SCRIP Sellers, June 1-2

4:30 Maryjo Flaherty
8:30 Mary Cain
10:30 Amy Frisch

Rhine River Cruise

Amsterdam to Basel, June 17-27, 2025. From \$3898 pp (double occupancy). More info, **Amy Frisch 618-444-7715** or **Jack Baumann, Guidester, 314-503-7979** Email: jack@guidester.com

Attention Men of the Parish-

June 9, 6 pm: **Father Tom's steak, scotch and cigar night.** \$100/person donation requested, home of Rich & Sue Hayes, 668 Monaco Drive, Holiday Shores. Reserve your place: E-mail Rich @ richardhayesLLC@gmail.com or text @ 618-407-5400.

Are you or is someone you know facing an unplanned pregnancy?

Thrive Metro East can help! They have a team of medical staff and advocates that can walk with you step by step. Their services are no cost and kept confidential. No insurance needed. Call 618-466-1690 or text: **FREETEST4U to (618) 280-2040.**

Baptisms

Hank Jacob Cobb, Hazel June Cobb,
Lila Mae Cobb
Children of Jacob & Lacey Cobb,
Baptized May 12, 2024

Congratulations and Welcome!!

Community 55

Please join us at **Bakers & Hale** for the next Community 55 event. It will take place on **Thursday, June 13**, at 11:30 a.m. Please text or call Kris Magee (377-2782) to **RSVP** or sign up on the OLQP Church Facebook page by **Monday, June 10**. If you would like to carpool, please mention it when you RSVP. All interested in sharing rides will meet in the church parking lot by the rectory.

Ladies Sewing Group

We will meet **Wednesday, May 29**, 9:30 am, church basement. ALL ladies of the parish welcome!! Bring your supplies and projects. Questions, call Fran at 618-401-0046.



Rest in Peace

Please pray for the repose of the soul of **Patrick Unachukwu Madu**, Father of Fr. Ben Unachukwu, OMV, St. Mary's Alton.

Job Openings at OLQP

Full Time Custodian: Hours, 7:00 am—3 pm, Monday through Friday. Duties include scheduling maintenance, ordering supplies, maintaining the church and school buildings and grounds, helping to supervise lunch, and maintaining maintenance and safety inspection records. To apply, contact Fr. Tom, 618-377-6519 or Kim Knight (school principal) at 618-377-6401.

4th Grade Teacher: OLQP is looking for a 4th grade teacher who has a passion for Catholic education. Applicants must have a current Illinois teaching license. Send resumes to kknight@olqpbethalto.org.

Relevant Radio

Tune in to: 1260 AM and 95.1 FM and worldwide on free mobile app. Download the free app and listen: podcasts, audio/text prayers, confession helper, and more. More info, call **Mary Haynes, 618-910-7598.**

SCRIP News

Last Weeks Sales: \$1,525.00
SCRIP Featured this week: Bath & Body Works
(Rebate—12%). \$10.00 cards in stock.

Please Note

Parish office closed **Monday, May 27, Memorial Day.**

Do You Know Your Faith Answers

1. **True.** A priest of the Eastern Rite Catholic Church can be married if he does so before being ordained a deacon. A convert to Catholicism who is married and is given permission to enter the seminary can become a priest.
2. **True.** The only permissible items to have are water and medicine.
3. **False.** The age for mandatory retirement is 75. A priest can ask for an earlier time than 75 if the Bishop grants permission. A priest can request to continue past 75, again with the bishops permission.
4. **True.** They are part of a religious order but considered to be part of the Laity.
5. **False.** He takes it at his ordination to the Diaconate.