

OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE CATHOLIC CHURCH

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OCCUPY
YOUR MINDS
WITH GOOD
THOUGHTS,
OR THE ENEMY
WILL FILL
THEM WITH
BAD ONES.”

- ST. THOMAS MORE

LAWYER, CHANCELLOR, MARTYR



PARISH OFFICE

Hours: Monday—Thursday,

8:30—4:00 pm (Lunch 12-1)

Email: church@olqpbethalto.org

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cwoodiel@olqpbethalto.org

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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Bethalto Council #4688,

4th Degree #203

Grand Knight: Blake Marth

bethaltoknight@gmail.com

www.bethaltoknights.org

COMMUNION TO HOMEBOUND

1st Friday of each month.

Call the parish office to request .

SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION

Saturday: 3:30-4:15pm,

And by appointment.

MASS SCHEDULE

-Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, Fridays:

8:30 am;

-Wednesdays: 6:30 pm;

-Saturdays: 4:30 pm; Sundays: 8:30 & 10:30 am

COMING OUR WAY....

KC Spaghetti Dinner.....	July 19
Men's Bible Study.....	July 21
Morning Bible Study Group.....	July 22
OLQP/St. Ambrose Men's Group.....	July 22
Parish Rummage Sale.....	July 23-25
Panera School Fundraiser.....	July 27
Ladies Sewing Group.....	July 29
Grizzlies Game for Altar Servers.....	August 4
OLQP Dinner Dance.....	August 8
Annual Parish Pig Roast.....	September 26

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Intentions

Sat., July 18 4:30 pm	Weekday in Ordinary Time Earleen "Dutch" Stutz
Sun., July 19 8:30 am 10:30 am	16th Sunday in Ordinary Time For the Parishioners Fred Queen
Mon., July 20 8:30 am	Weekday in Ordinary Time Loretta Masulla
Tues., July 21 8:30 am	Weekday in Ordinary Time Roy Logan
Wed., July 22 6:30 pm	St. Mary Magdalene Jill Lefringhouse
Thur., July 23 8:30 am	Weekday in Ordinary Time Joy Lamar
Fri., July 24 8:30 am	Weekday in Ordinary Time Jim Allgire
Sat., July 25 4:30 pm	St. James For the Parishioners
Sun., July 26 8:30 am 10:30 am	17th Sunday in Ordinary Time Joy Lamar Jerry Barton

Prayer Requests

The sick: . Conor Vogel, Keita Salantai, Noah Rogers, Becky Gray, Brooke Randolph Carden, Greg Weber, Kristin Brunstein, Jim Begnel, Mike Toner, Liz Stutz, Rob Helmkamp, Lynn Bertels, Norm Frisch, Tim Barton, Emilee Baalman, Bob Randolph, William Richter, Daryl Walker, Bill Timpe, Neil Friedel, Jim Laurent, Fr. Tom Liebler, Jim Johnson, Bill Johnson, Lucie Hale, Ray Meyer, Cindy Jacobs, Peggy Jo Batson, Tom Bandy, Theo McAfoos, Debbie Woll, Carol O'Toole, Marsha Culp, Davis Nelson, Susan Hilker, Jo Ann Laird, Eric Garner. **For prayer requests in the bulletin, call parish office, 377-6519. Prayer requests email prayer chain, Marie at rejoy128@gmail.com**



Rest In Peace

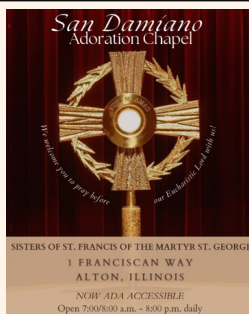


Please pray for the repose of the souls of **Diane Barron**, sister in law of Marie DeClue and **Ruth Schmidt**, sister in law of Rosemary Dorsey. May God grant them eternal rest.



Can You Help?

Would you like to spend an hour before our Lord? The Sisters of St. Francis of the Martyr St. George will be renovating and as a result fewer sisters are available to cover hours for Fall 2026-Fall 2027. Our hours of operation are presently at 6:30am to 8pm every day of the week so we need your help to keep the adoration chapel open to the public for the usual schedule. If you are interested or want to find out more information, please email sacristan@altonfranciscans.org or call Sister M. Benedicta at 618-463-2759 (Sacristan Office). If you leave a message, please give your name, phone number, email and parish. We welcome you to make a visit now to receive the indulgence for the Year of St. Francis. Thank you and God bless you!



Do You Know Your Faith?

(Answers begin with 'D')

1. What is a traditional symbol of the Holy Spirit?
2. What Holy object is used to begin a Jubilee Year?
A. Drapes B. Door C. Dispenser
3. What is the common name used for the Order of Preachers?
4. What is a truth revealed by God for the faithful to give full belief?
A. Demand B. Dogma C. Doctrine
5. What are the praises that are said after Benediction?

Fr. Tom

OLQP DINNER DANCE

Starring: Back in the Day STL



Saturday, Aug 8th

Doors open: 5:30

Cost: \$30.00

Dinner by Linny's

Roast Beef w/au jus
Chili Glazed Chicken
Mash Potatoes w/Gravy
Cheddar Cream Potatoes
Beverages provided: Ice Tea, Coke, Diet Coke, Sprite

Tricolor Tortellini w/Alfredo Sauce
Vegetable Medley
Greek Salad
Rolls/Butter

BYOB

Back by popular demand!

Tickets available in the church office; after masses July 25/26 and Aug 1/2 or contact Amy Frisch @ 618-444-7715, amykfrisch@gmail.com

Grizzlies Game for Altar Servers

Annual Night at the Grizzlies for ALL of our altar servers and their families (free), August 4th. Tailgate party starts 5 pm, game entry opens 6 pm. Evening includes tailgate -food and drinks, admission to game, hot tub/swim, and more food at the park. So, bring your swimsuits! Must call Norm in advance to RSVP by 7/25, 618-363-3020.

Attention Men of the Parish

All men, 18 y/o and up, St. Ambrose along with OLQP Parish , 7 pm-8:15 pm. Questions, contact Rick Eveans: wewesley@yahoo.com, 618-246-6746. **Next: 7/22**

Sunday Offerings

Weeks 1 & 2	7/4-7/5 and 7/11-7/12	Total to Date
Loose Envelopes	\$1,179.40	\$1,179.40
On Line Giving	\$20,041.48	\$20,041.48
Total	\$6,944.94	\$6,944.94
	\$28,165.82	\$28,165.82
Operating Budget	\$35,048.00	\$35,048.00
Tithe to Diocese	\$3,350.00	\$3,350.00
Difference	(\$10,232.18)	(\$10,232.18)

Total Envelopes Received: 209

Online Donations: 94

Centennial Campaign Donations: \$1,685.44

Other Charitable Donations: \$1,185.22

July 19, 2026

Liturgical Ministers

July 25-26, 2026

4:30 pm

Rosary	Bill Stutz
Lector	Liz Laurent
E. Ministers	Jim & Bea Albarado
Ushers	Dale Osborne, Dan Rogers
	Mary Gulash, Carmen Graham
Servers	Mya Bequette, Hudson Hall
Music	Craig/Kathy

8:30 am

Rosary	Jim Stephens
Lector	Ann Payne
E. Ministers	Debbie Hay, Rick Rose
Ushers	Susie Davis, Carol Beste
	Jim & Theresa Stephens
Servers	Reid & Ryder Bouillion
Music	Barb/Kris

10:30 am

Lector	Jeremy Crump
E. Ministers	Carey Price, Lee Gonterman
Ushers	Rick Eveans, Greg Budde
	Brad & Teri Fulk
Servers	Lucy & Lilly Colley
Music	Praise Team

SCRIP Sellers, July 25-26

4:30 Bea Albarado
8:30 Cindy Stutz
10:30 Amy Frisch

KC Spaghetti Dinner—TODAY

Sunday, July 19, 11:30 am—2:00 pm—This will be Carry Out ONLY—NO Dine in. Menu includes spaghetti and meatballs, side salad, bread, dessert, cash or credit card accepted. Public Welcome!



Do You Know Your Faith Answers

1. Dove
2. Door—The Holy Doors that are sealed at St. Peter, the Lateran, St. Mary Major, and St. Paul Outside the Walls are opened to begin a Jubilee Year.
3. Dominicans
4. Dogma
5. Divine

'I DOOD IT'

Our popular 'I Dood It' stand will be back at the Bethalto Homecoming this year and we need your help! Please consider volunteering as chairperson covering one of the Labor Day weekend game days. You can chair on your own, with a partner, or even with a group! No experience is required - experienced chair people will teach you.

We also need gift cards/other items as prizes and need volunteers to go to local business for card donations in denominations of \$5 or \$10 and/or merchandise donations.

Please contact Tammy Sasek (618-792-7041) or Sam and Angie Waldo (618-580-8725) to volunteer in one of those capacities or if you have questions. Signup sheets to workShifts at the stand will be coming out in August.



Parish Rummage Sale

Thursday, July 23: 4-7 pm, \$3.00 Early Bird Shopping; Friday, July 24: 8 am-4 pm; Saturday, July 25: 8am—12 Noon. **WE NEED HELP Wednesday, July 22, 8 am, putting all of the items out and Saturday, July 25, at 12 Noon, to box up remaining items. ANY AND ALL HELP IS GREATLY APPRECIATED!** Questions, call Bea Albarado, 618-799-9215. Lastly, if anyone has extra paper bags, we could really use them. Leave in church or office. THANK YOU!!!

Save the Date

Annual Parish Pig Roast:
September 26

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**.

RAISE SOME DOUGH
Help support us!

30% of sales will benefit
OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE CATHOLIC CHURCH

July 27, 2026
4:00 pm to 8:00 pm
1837 Homer Adams Parkway
Alton, IL

In Cafe Drive-Thru
Pick-Up Delivery

Enter promo code **FUND4U** at online checkout.

Panera FUNDRAISING



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