



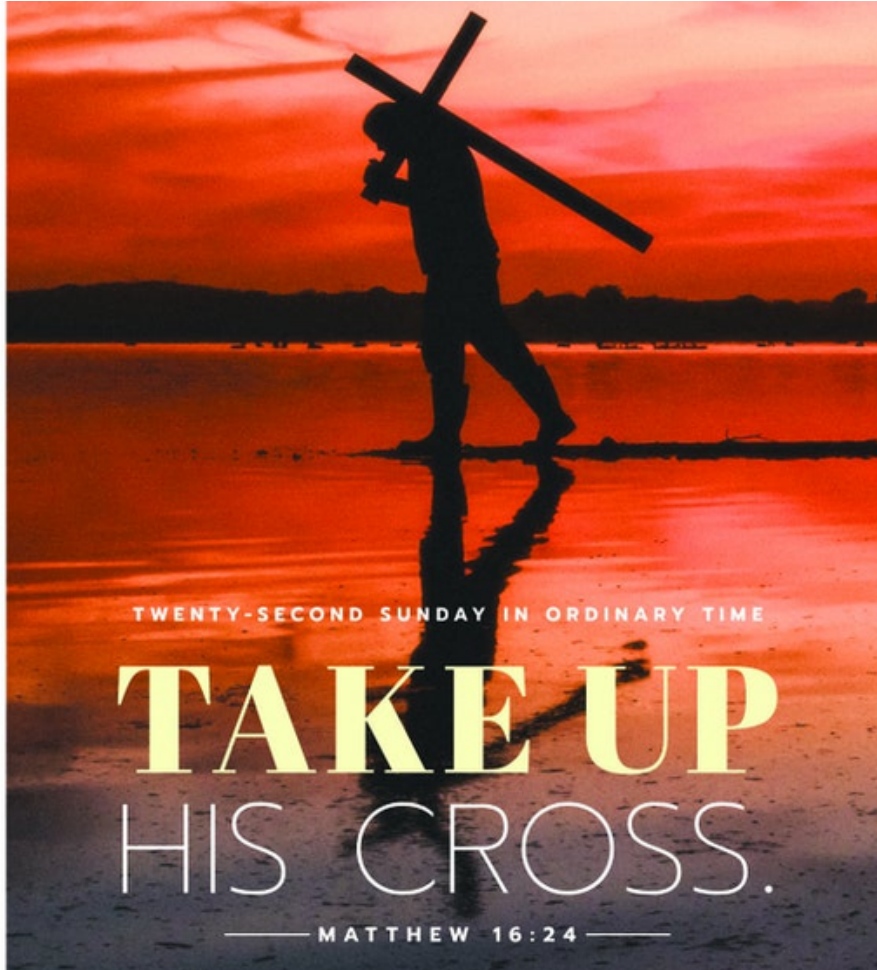
Our Lady Queen of Peace

CATHOLIC CHURCH

AUG 30

22nd SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME

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Comming Our Way

Pavilion Night.....	August 30
Men's Bible Study.....	September 1
OLQP/St. Ambrose Men's Group.....	September 2
Ladies Sewing Group.....	September 2
I DOOD IT - Bethalto Homecoming.....	September 4-7
Morning Womens Bible Study Group.....	September 9
OCIA Classes Begin.....	September 9
Community 55.....	September 10
PSA Family Fun night.....	September 11
Annual Parish Pig Roast.....	September 26

PARISH OFFICE

Hours: Monday—Thursday,
8:30—4:00 pm (Lunch 12-1)

Office Manager: Theresa Stephens
Secretary/SCRIP Coordinator: Bea Albarado

PARISH SCHOOL

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School website:
<https://www.olqpbethalto.org>

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

Contact Us!

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Mass Intentions

Saturday, August 29

The Passion of St John the Baptist
04:30pm † Jody Batson

Sunday, August 30

22nd Sunday in Ordinary time
08:30am † For the Parishioners
10:30am † Bev & Meredith Wilson

Monday, August 31

Weekday in Ordinary Time
08:30am † Gilbert Hay

Tuesday, September 1

Weekday in Ordinary Time
08:30am † Pamela Bechtold

Wednesday, September 2

Weekday in Ordinary Time
06:30am † Cindy Arensman

Thursday, September 3

St Gregory the Great
08:30am † George (brother of Jeanie V)

Friday, September 4

Weekday in Ordinary Time
08:30am † Jean Walker

Saturday, September 5

St Teresa of Calcutta
04:30pm † Ed & Jean Pilgrim

Sunday, September 6

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
08:30am † For the Parishioners
10:30am † Jerry Barton

Pray For Our Members

To add or delete bulletin prayer requests call the parish office. To add prayer requests to the email prayer chain, contact Marie at rejoy128@gmail.com

For the Sick

Emilee Baalman, Tom Bandy, Tim Barton, Peggy Jo Batson, Jim Begnel, Lynn Bertels, Kristin Brunstein, Brooke Randolph Carden, Marsha Culp, Susie Davis, Neil Friedel, Norm Frisch, Eric Garner, Becky Gray, Lucie Hale, Mary Harshbarger, Rob Helmkamp, Susan Hilker, Bill Johnson, Jim Johnson, Jo Ann Laird, Jim Laurent, Fr. Tom Liebler, Theo McAfoos, Ray Meyer, Davis Nelson, Carol O'Toole, Bob Randolph, William Richter, Noah Rogers, Keita Salantai, Liz Stutz, Bill Timpe, Mike Toner, Conor Vogel, Daryl Walker, Greg Weber, Debbie Woll

Rest in Peace



For the Repose of the Soul, Roger Schmidt,
brother of Rosemary Dorsey



Community 55



Come join us for a sandwich luncheon on Thursday, Sept 10, at 11:30 am. It will take place at the OLQP Pavilion (or in the church basement in case of inclement weather). The cost will be approximately \$10. RSVP to Kris Magee 618-377-2782 or sign up on the OLQP Church Facebook page by Sunday, Sept 6.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE



You are invited to stand and peacefully pray during a 40 day vigil in the public right of way outside the Hope Clinic, Granite City. Our parish has adopted Wednesday, Sept 23, 7am-7pm for 2 people an hour to stand at the clinic in Peaceful Prayer. To be a part of this spiritual exercise, contact Jim Albarado 618-623-9325. Thank you in advance. For more info visit www.40daysgc.com.

OLQP/St Ambrose Men's group

Come join us! All men, age 18 and up, St. Ambrose along with OLQP Parish, 7:00-8:15pm in the OLQP basement. Questions, contact Rick Eveans wewesley@yahoo.com or 618-246-6746. **Next: 9/2**

Do You Know Your Faith?

(Answers begin with 'F')

- What is the common name for the Friars Preachers?
A) Franciscans B) Dominicans C) Benedictines
- What is the term for the fact that God will not coerce anyone to do something against their will?
A) Freedom of Decision B) Free Will C) Freedom of Faith
- What is another term for the stigmata?
A) Five Holes of Christ B) Five Moments of Christ C) Five Wounds of Christ
- What is the Latin word for Faith?
A) Fidei B) Fobiscum C) Fable
- What is something we are never supposed to do at Mass?

Fr. Tom

STEWARDSHIP		Sunday Collections
Week 8	8/22/26-8/23/26	Total to Date
Loose Envelopes	\$577.75	\$4,704.15
On Line Giving	\$14,932.00	\$86,143.48
Total	\$3,168.05	\$28,636.78
	\$18,677.80	\$119,484.41
Operating Budget	\$17,524.00	\$140,192.00
Tithe to Diocese	\$1,675.00	\$13,400.00
Difference	(\$521.20)	(\$34,107.59)
Total Envelopes Received: 113		
Online Dpnations: 43		
Centennial Campaign Donations: \$345.00		
Other Charitable Donations: \$80.00		

LET'S CELEBRATE!

Congratulations!

We want to wish Terri Zyan well on her New Adventure, **Retirement!** Thank you, Terri, for the 34 years of love, dedication and care you have given to Our Lady Queen of Peace! Terri's last day was Aug 27th and we wish her many New Exciting Adventures!

Pavilion Night! Join Us!

Aug 30 | 6:00-8:00pm

Join us this Sunday! Food, drinks and music provided at the parish pavilion, but feel free to bring your own cooler or side dish. The night is free for the entire parish and their families. Also a great opportunity to bring someone from the parish that you haven't seen for a while, or perhaps someone who just needs to get out. Music by Drew and Audrey.

IDoodIt

IDoodIt is just two weeks away! We are still in need of the following, so please prayerfully consider them:



IDoodIt Signup

Coordinators for the stand for Sunday, September 6 - please contact Tammy Sasek at 618-732-7041 or Sam & Angie Waldo at 618-580-8725 with questions or to volunteer (no experience required).

Shift workers - sign up sheets will be available after Masses this weekend and online using the QR code.

Stand set up and disassembly workers on the evenings of Thursday, Sept 3 and/or Monday, Sept 7 - please contact Sam Waldo at 618-7580-8725

Knights of Columbus help

For anyone interested in helping the Knights of Columbus trailer during the Bethalto Homecoming, please scan the QR code.



Homecoming Stand

PSA Family Fun Night

Sept 11 | 6:00-7:30pm

Open to all School and Church Families. Bring the whole family for an evening of patriotic fun, including red, white, and blue family relay races, faith inspired sidewalk chalk art, bubbles, a lemonade stand, and a festival photo backdrop to capture the memories. Please RSVP to the school office email: cwoodiel@olqpbethalto.org or 618-377-6401

Glow in the Dark Bingo

Sept 25 | 6:00pm

Support our students' trip to Space Camp in Alabama. Join us in the school gym (618 N Prairie St, Bethalto). Bingo begins at 6:30. Tickets are **\$25 in advance** or **\$30 at the door** - includes 6 cards for 10 bingo games, a glow hat, and a dauber. Guests must be 18 or older to attend. Enjoy 50/50 drawings and prizes. For reservations, email kknights@olqpbethalto.org or call the school office at 618-377-6401.

PSR News

2026-2027 PSR begins Wednesday, Sept 30th with Mass at 6:30pm.

Please arrive by 6:20.

We are still in need of a 3rd & 4th grade teacher along with a sub.

Registration will be set up outside masses on **Sat & Sun, Sept 5th, 6th, 12th & 13th.**

Fees remain the same- \$35 for 1st child and \$50 for 2 or more from one family. For those not baptized at OLQP and making their First Communion, please provide a copy of their baptismal certificate with your registration form.

The Mission of Our Lady Queen of Peace PSR Program is to provide a quality Catholic message of Jesus Christ. We, as the Catholic Church, teach and assist families to help children become followers of Christ. Questions. Contact Ruth Baugh, PSR coordinator at 618-973-6786.

Liturgical Ministers

September 5-6, 2026

4:30 pm

Rosary	Liz Laurent
Lector	Pat Beiermann
E. Ministers	Jim & Bea Albarado
Ushers	Dee Oller, Stacy Dooling Joe & Cathy Gulash
Servers	Vi Vi Lord, William Wolff
Music	Craig/ Brenda/ Marie

8:30 am

Rosary	Jim Stephens
Lector	Paula Mattix-Wand
E. Ministers	Debbie Hay, Rick Rose
Ushers	Jim & Theresa Stephens Tim & Kathy Phillips
Servers	Adult Servers
Music	Barb/ Cantors

10:30 am

Lector	Luke Kistner
E. Ministers	Brenda Zacha
Ushers	Don & Terri Militello Kathy Murphy, Deanna McDonough
Servers	Hadley & Nora Militello
Music	Praise Team

SCRIP Sellers

4:30 Bea Albarado

8:30 Mary Cain

10:30 Sharon Gonterman

What is OCIA?

The Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA) is the process established for the universal Church for individuals to become Catholic and receive the sacraments of initiation - Baptism, Confirmation, and the Eucharist. This initiation process also involves a parish community experiencing a renewal in faith as it prepares and welcomes new members into the Church.

Classes begin: September 9, 2026

If you know someone who might be interested, please contact one of our OCIA Coordinators for more information:

-Tim Zacha 618-567-4468, tzac54@sbcglobal.net
-Jay McCurdy 217-827-1406, jay@allied.construction
-Or the church office 618-377-6519

Do you know your Faith Answers

1.Dominicans 2.Free Will 3.Five Wounds of Christ 4.Fidei 5.Fall asleep