

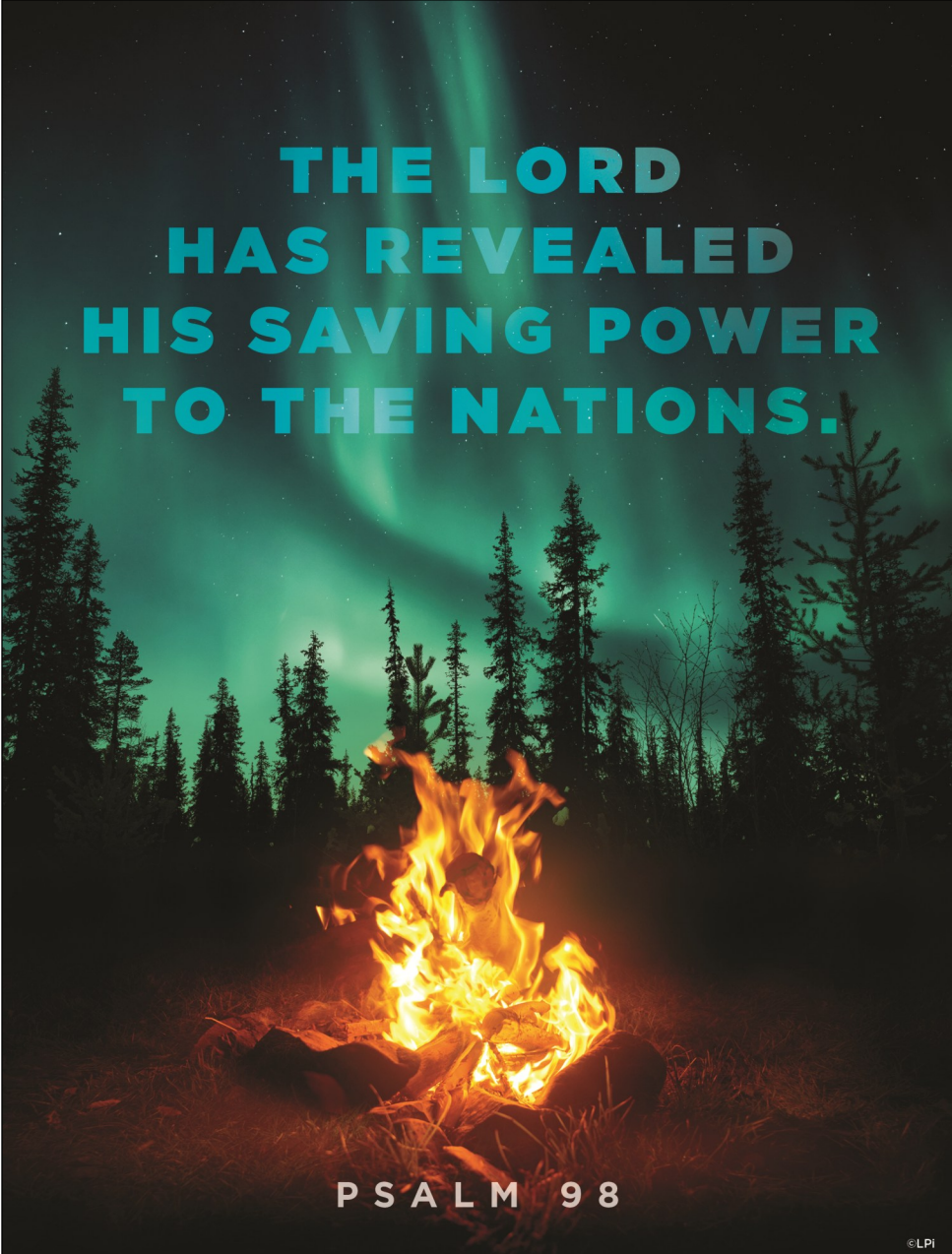
OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE CATHOLIC CHURCH

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**THE LORD
HAS REVEALED
HIS SAVING POWER
TO THE NATIONS.**

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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
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PARISH SCHOOL

Mrs. Kim Knight, Principal,
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cwoodiel@olqpbethalto.org
School website:
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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

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

COMMUNION TO HOMEBOUND

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

SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION

Saturday: 3:30-4:15 pm,
And by appointment.

COMING OUR WAY..

School & Parish Office Closed for Columbus Day.....	October 13
Ladies Sewing Group.....	October 15
PSR Classes.....	October 15
OCIA Classes.....	October 15
KC Chicken Dinner.....	October 19
Fr. Tom's Scotch & Cigar Night.....	October 19
OLQP Dine To Donate at Panera.....	October 20
Bible Study Group.....	October 22
OLQP Trunk or Treat.....	October 24
OLQP Dine to Donate at Panda Express.....	October 25
Harvest Knights Chicken and Beer Dance.....	November 8
Annual Smorgasbord & Bazaar.....	December 7

Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Intentions

Sat., Oct. 11 4:30 pm	Weekday in Ordinary Time Jim Menke
Sun., Oct. 12 8:30 am 10:30 am	28th Sunday in Ordinary Time For the Parishioners Mary Lou Burns & Charlie Burns
Mon., Oct. 13 8:30 am	Weekday in Ordinary Time George Wilson
Tues., Oct. 14 8:30 am	Weekday in Ordinary Time William & Jewell Stutz
Wed., Oct. 15 6:30 pm	St. Teresa of Jesus Jack McCurdy
Thur., Oct. 16 8:30 am	Weekday in Ordinary Time Al Kaufman
Fri., Oct. 17 8:30 am	St. Ignatius of Antioch Joy Lamar
Sat. Oct. 18 4:30 pm	St. Luke Ed & Jean Pilgrim
Sun., Oct. 19 8:30 am 10:30 am	29th Sunday in Ordinary Time For the Parishioners Jeffrey Gonterman



Prayer Requests

The sick: Conor Vogel, Keita Salantai, Charlie Mattingly, Noah Rogers, Becky Gray, Marguerite Hufker, Brooke Randolph Carden, Brittany Witt, Greg Weber, Kristin Brunstein, Jim Begnel, Mike Toner, Liz Stutz, Rob Helmkamp, Don Laird, Marvin Bonner, Lynn Bertels, Norm Frisch, Thelma Kochan, Carla Klaustermeier, Tim Barton, Bonnie Wirth, Susan Hilker, Emilee Baalman, Bob Randolph, Ron Harshbarger, William Richter, Daryl Walker, Bill Timpe, Neil Friedel, Dale Werner, Chris Schmidt, Jim Laurent, Lindy Camardella, Father Tom Liebler, Dan Smith. **For prayer requests in the bulletin, call parish office, 377-6519. Prayer requests email prayer chain, Marie at rejoy128@gmail.**

Scotch and Cigar Night

Sunday, October 19— ALL proceeds from this evening go to Fr. Tom to assist members of our church with financial hardships. Please donate \$100 to Fr. Tom's fundraiser! This dinner includes steak, Castelli's salad bread and pasta! Please bring your favorite bottle of scotch (or whatever you prefer to drink) to share. The event is held at **Sue and Rich Hayes' home, 668 Monaco Drive, Edwardsville (Holiday Shores) beginning at 4 pm.** To sign up, e-mail Rich @ Richardhayesllc@gmail.com or text 618-407-5400. If unable to attend, please consider putting a check into the collection basket in an envelope with Fr. Tom's name on it.

Knights of Columbus Chicken Dinner

Sunday, October 19, 11:30 am—2:00 pm

Dine in, all you can eat: \$14/adults, \$6/children (5-10); drive thru or carry out: \$14/half chicken or five (5) chicken strips, and choice of three sides. No custom orders available for drive thru. Side options: mac & cheese, green beans, mashed potatoes/gravy. Cash or credit, public welcome. For carry out or drive thru: please enter from Prairie Street into the school parking lot for pickup. Proceeds go to Bethalto KC Charities and OLQP Parish.

Harvest Knights Chicken and Beer Dance

Nov. 8, 2025

PRETTIEST PIE CONTEST

winner, winner pie with dinner

ENTERING YOUR PIE?

YOU HAVE A CHANCE TO BE NAMED
OLQP'S PRETTIEST PIE BAKER!
WINNER WILL RECEIVE BRAGGING
RIGHTS FOR THE 2025-2026 SCHOOL
YEAR

RULES

- PIES WILL BE ON DISPLAY FOR ALL TO VOTE ON
- ONE RAFFLE TICKET IS ONE VOTE
- RAFFLE TICKETS ARE \$1 EACH
- PLACE TICKETS INTO THE JAR OF YOUR FAVORITE PIE
- THE PIE WITH THE MOST RAFFLE TICKETS WINS
- EACH PIE WILL BE GIVEN TO THE RAFFLE TICKET
PULLED FROM THE JAR

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO ENTER, PLEASE
CONTACT CAITLIN STUTZ AT 618-444-6198

Please join us for this fun evening to raise money for OLQP School! Tickets are \$50/person and include Moonlight chicken, beer, wine, seltzers and soda. Everyone bring your own sides for your table. Doors will open at 5 pm. **Gusta Band** will play from 6-11 pm, with a break from 8-9 pm for a live auction. Also, enter the 'Prettiest Pie' Contest (details here) To make a reservation: scan this QR code or go to:



harvestknights.givesmart.com

Fundraiser Card for OLQP School

'Dominos Slice Your Price': Call the school office (618-377-6401) to purchase your card before Wednesday, 10/15/25. Our students are selling **Dominos' Slice the Price Cards** for just \$20—buy a large pizza, get a large FREE, every single time you use it! ☒ Unlimited use through 6/30/26; ☒ Pays for itself after the first use; ☒ Buy 10, get 10 FREE! Buy 20, get 20 FREE! Not a pizza fan? You can still support us—purchase a card to donate, and we'll use it as a prize or resell it! Thank you for helping our school!

Dine To Donate Days

For OLQP School New Roof Fund:

Monday, 10/20/25 Panera Dine To Donate Day. OLQP School will receive 25% back on sales at the Alton Panera from 4pm-8PM - Use Code **FUND4U** on the app or online for OLQP to receive credit. In person orders must show flyer.

Saturday, 10/25/25 Panda Express 10AM-10PM
20% of sales will be given back to OLQP - In person sales must present a paper flyer or picture on phone to receive credit. Online or app orders use code 3841054.

Sunday Offerings

Week 14	10/4/25—10/5/25	Total to Date
Loose Envelopes	\$572.00	\$7,155.18
On Line Giving	\$10,463.70	\$138,787.28
Total	\$3,741.89	\$46,295.53
	\$14,777.59	\$192,237.99
Operating Budget	\$15,937.15	\$223,120.10
Tithe to Diocese	\$1,500.00	\$21,000.00
Difference	(\$2,659.56)	(\$51,882.11)

Total Envelopes Received: 104
Online Donations: 45
Centennial Campaign Donation: \$920.00
Other Charitable Donations: \$3,485.22

Liturgical Ministers

October 18-19, 2025

4:30 pm

Rosary	Teresa Toner
Lector	Teresa Toner
E. Ministers	Dick Rogers, Judy Osborne
Ushers	Dee Oller, Stacy Dooling
	Joe & Cathy Gulash
Servers	Mya Bequette, Addison Villalobos
Music	Barb/Kathy/Tami/Bob

8:30 am

Rosary	Andy Kerkemeyer
Lector	Theresa Stephens
E. Ministers	Tim & Jana Pruitt
Ushers	John & Danny Stutz
	Paul & Cindy Stutz
Servers	Connor & Logan Stutz
Music	Craig/Kris/Becky

10:30 am

Lector	Jeremy Crump
E. Ministers	Shelia Smith, Jean Johnson
Ushers	Dave & Carrie Price
	Shirley Barton, Allyssa Smith
Servers	Ellowyn & Everly Olmstead
Music	Praise Team

SCRIP Sellers, Oct. 18-19

4:30 Debbie Zacha

8:30 Judy Griffith

10:30 Amy Frisch

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.

A Saintly Quote

"The important thing is to do charity, not to talk about charity. We must understand that work with very poor people is a God's chosen mission."

Irmã Dulce Lopes Pontes

PSR Classes

Classes are now in session. To register, contact the parish office asap. \$35/child or \$50/2 or more. More info, contact Ruth Baugh, PSR Coordinator. Email: ruth-baugh57@gmail.com or call 618-973-6786.



TRUNK OR TREAT

Friday, Oct. 24, 6:30 pm—7:45 pm, OLQP parking lot (enter off of Butcher Street) \$5/family to park and pass out candy/collect candy; \$5/family to reserve a table to pass out collect candy (table provided); \$5/family to walk-in and collect candy; extra \$5 for a spot with electric. This is a fundraiser for our upper grade students to earn money towards Space Camp in Huntsville, AL next school year. Email or call the school office to reserve your spot: kknight@olqpbethalto.org, 618-377-6401.

Please Note

The parish office & school will be closed Monday, October 13, for Columbus Day.

Community Hope Center

Christmas Toy Drive

It's almost that time of the year again! Beginning the weekend of October 18/19, the donation barrels will be in our church and school vestibules. They will remain there until December 8. If you are able, please donate new, unwrapped toys for children. *Thank you!*

Ladies Sewing Group

Wednesday, October 15, 9:30 am, church basement. ALL ladies of the parish welcome! Questions, call Fran, 401-0046.

United in Prayer with the Missions

As World Mission Month continues, we are invited not only to give but to pray for the Church in mission territories. One powerful way to do this is by praying the **World Mission Rosary**, introduced by Venerable Archbishop Fulton Sheen in 1951. Each decade is a different color, representing a region of the world. Through our prayers, we unite ourselves with missionaries ringing the Gospel to the ends of the earth. Let us offer our rosaries and Masses this week for those who bring Christ's love to the margins, often at great personal cost. And, let us ask the Holy Spirit to rekindle the fire of hope in our own hearts, that we may also be missionaries, wherever we are.

St. Mary's, Alton

Annual Oktoberfest—This Weekend

Through October 12. Join us as we celebrate the German heritage of our founding families with live music, German and American themed food, a wine and beer garden, children's and teens' games and inflatables, basket raffles, silent auction, the exciting \$10,000 Super Sweepstakes Raffle, Bingo and Oktoberfest Games for all to enjoy. Please come!!

Bible Study

Join us! **Next date: Wed., Oct. 22, 9:30 am—10:30 am.** Start anytime—we would love to have you! Questions, call Cindy Stutz, 618-741-4452, Linda Zacha, 618-377-5725.

OCIA (Formerly RCIA)

Classes now in session. Contact one of our Coordinators for more info: Tim Zacha @ 618-567-4468, Tzac54@sbcglobal.net or Jay McCurdy @ 217-827-1406, jay@allied.constuction or church office @ 618-377-6519.

Men's Leadership Summit

Sat., Oct. 18, St. Boniface Church, (110 N. Buchanan Street, Edwardsville). **John Edwards from Just a Guy in the Pew**, will be keynote speaker. Register at: dio.org/events/mens-leadership-summit. Cost, \$30, includes materials, food and drink. This retreat is open to single and married men. To register, contact Gracie Ortiz: gortiz@dio.org or call 217-321-1124 for questions.