

Our Lady Queen of Peace Catholic Church

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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
(closed 12-1 lunch)

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Bea Albarado

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SHOW
US THE
PATH OF
LIFE.

PSALM 16



OLQP SPRING GATHERING

Celebrating our Parish and School
Sunday, April 30, 12 Noon—6 pm

Join us as we bless and dedicate our new Pavilion.

Food

Music

Carnival
Games

Envelope Fundraiser & Raffle

Bingo



Beer
Tent

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Bethalto Council #4688,

4th Degree #203

Grand Knight: Ryan Frazier

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bethaltoknight@gmail.com

Website:

[Www.bethaltoknights.org](http://www.bethaltoknights.org)

Third Sunday of Easter

Mass Intentions

Sat., April 22	Easter Weekday
4:30 pm	Paul Gehrs
Sun., April 23	Third Sunday of Easter
8:30 am	For the Parishioners
10:30 am	Ray Curtner, Sr.
Mon., April 24	Easter Weekday
8:30 am	Barb Davis
Tues., April 25	St. Mark
8:30 am	Loretta Masulla
Wed., April 26	Easter Weekday
6:30 pm	Laraine Pohlman
Thur., April 27	Easter Weekday
8:30 am	Bob Kallal
Fri., April 28	Easter Weekday
8:30 am	Wilbert Saul
Sat., April 29	St. Catherine of Siena
4:30 pm	Jill Lefrighthouse
Sun., April 30	Fourth Sunday of Easter
8:30 am	For the Parishioners
10:30 am	Baby Long



Prayer Requests

The sick: Conor Vogel, Keita Salantai, Mary Wagner, Charlie Mattingly, Noah Rogers, Becky Gray, Marguerite Hufker, Maxine Calhoun, Vi Perkhiser, Elli Wiemers, Toni Stanford, Peggy Ruhmann, Audrey Wolff, Lisa Curtis, Brooke Randolph Carden, Brittany Witt, Greg Weber, Ken Mauro, Pat Friedel, Nancy Tiek, Kristin Brunstein, Mark Jordan, Deborah Walker, Joyce Ventimiglia, Babe Eschbah, Jim Begnel, Rita Dana Smith, Bill Johnson, Janet Gross, Christine Carlison, Mike Toner, Susan Hilaer. **For prayer requests in the bulletin, call the parish office, 377-6519. For prayer requests to the email prayer chain, send to Marie at rejoy128@gmail.com.**

1st Annual OLQP School & Parish Spring Gathering

Sunday, April 30, 12 Noon—6:00 pm.

COME—let's celebrate our parish & school and ensure their ongoing success for years to come! There will be **food, games, and much more!**

We are also holding an **Envelope/Raffle** with prizes of cash and/or tuition reimbursement. For each \$10 donation you make, you will receive a raffle ticket to for 3 prize drawings: (must be present to win)

- 1st Place: \$3,000** cash or **\$4,500** towards OLQP tuition
- 2nd Place: \$1,500** cash or **\$2,250** towards OLQP tuition
- 3rd Place: \$750** cash or **\$1,125** towards OLQP tuition

To sign up to help out with games, go to the following link:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0944A5AC2EA5F49-spring1>



Welcome Our Newest Members (2023 RCIA Class)



Susan Davis (Father Tom Liebler) Kamryn Roland

In Appreciation

*On behalf of our RCIA Family, we would like to **thank everyone** who helped in making this year in RCIA and the Easter Vigil very special for us!*

- **Father Tom Liebler**

For celebrating the beautiful Easter Vigil Mass, and for teaching us about the Catholic Faith.

- **Carol Beste & Sara Aiello**

For the time and commitment you gave as sponsors

- **Thanks to our prayer partners: **Jeremy Crump; Emma & Ella Toner****—For your prayerful support this year.

- **Fr. Tom; Paula Mattix-Wand, & the RCIA Team**

For your presentations and teachings and for sharing your faith with us this year.

- **Joe Grabowski**

For your wonderful talk that inspired all of us during the RCIA retreat.

- **Art & Environment Committee:**

for transforming our church into a beautiful Garden of the Resurrection.

- **Music Team: **Craig Stark; Tami Stoneburner; Roger Wilson; Kathy Weber; Kris Magee; & Becky Sulsberger****

For making the Easter Vigil even more special with your beautiful music.

- **Brenda Tebbe**

For serving as our prayer partner coordinator

-Thanks **Bea Albarado** for all that you do behind the scenes to help us this year

- **For the RCIA team**

You are truly **special** people and you are greatly appreciated for your support, commitment of time & talents and the faith that you share. **Fr Tom, Jimmy Albarado, Jay McCurdy, Marce & Brenda Tebbe, Tami Stoneburner and Joe Grabowski**

God Bless all of you!!

***Tim Zacha & Jay McCurdy**
RCIA Coordinators*

April 23, 2023

Liturgical Roles

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4:30 pm

Rosary
Lector
E. Ministers
Ushers

April 29

Rosemary Dorsey
Teresa Toner
Liz Laurent, Mary Stewart
JoEllyn Patterson, Fran Nappier
Brian & Mary Stacks

Servers

Music

Text Kristin to sign up, 618-978-2371

8:30 am

Rosary
Lector
E. Ministers
Ushers

April 30

Andy Kerkemeyer
Brenda Tebbe
Jay McCurdy, Debbie Hay
Susan Davis, Carol Beste
Joe Grabowski, Ray Meyer

Servers

Music

Text Kristin to sign up, 618-978-2371

10:30 am

Lector
E. Ministers
Ushers

April 30

Lee Gonterman
Sheila Smith, Dee Oller
Kathy Wilson, Diane Waldo
Tim & Tammy Sasek

Servers

Music

Text Kristin to sign up, 618-978-2371

Praise Team

SCRIP Sellers, April 29-30

4:30 Maryjo Flaherty, Debbie Zacha
8:30 Terri Zykan
10:30 Sharon Gonterman

Save the Date—Ladies!

Our next Parish Ladies **ACTS Retreat: June 15-18.**
Registration forms in back of church.

SCRIP News

Last Week's Sales: \$1,680.70

SCRIP Featured this week:

Laux Brickhouse, A Local Favorite

We have \$10 cards in stock

Sunday Offerings

Week 42	4/15/23—4/16/23	Total to Date
Loose	\$325.00	\$22,600.78
Envelopes	\$7,647.72	\$393,699.15
On Line Giving	\$675.00	\$133,561.00
Young People	\$.50	\$90.43
Total	\$8,648.22	\$549,951.36
Operating Budget	\$14,545.47	\$610,909.74
Tithe to Diocese	\$1,384.62	\$58,154.04
Difference	(\$7,281.87)	(\$119,112.42)

Total Envelopes Received: 111
Building Maintenance Fund Donations: \$200.00
Other Charitable Donations: \$720.00

Before/After School Coordinator Needed

We are looking for someone to fill our Before & After School Coordinator position for the 2023-2024 school year. Hours would be 7 am—8:15 am and 2:50—6:00 pm, Monday through Friday (school days). Call the school office, 618-377-6401, for more info/how to apply.

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 can be kept confidential. No insurance needed. Great care and support fast. Call 618-466-1690 or text: **FREETEST4U** to (618) **280-2040**

Can You Help?

A Beacon of Light (ABL) Pregnancy Help Center is searching for a deeply compassionate **Illinois licensed registered nurse** to join our mission 15-20 hours/week. If you are interested, send your resume to ABL or share this with someone interested and qualified. Send resume to: resume@ablpregnancyresource.org

Parish Prayer Group

Please join us! We meet the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of each month at **6:30 pm in the church.**

Next gathering, April 25.

'Dinner for 6'

You are invited to participate in 'Dinner for 6'! This is a monthly fellowship event to meet new people and develop a stronger community within our parish. Participants will meet for dinner once a month in groups of 6. You will have different dinner mates each month. The purpose is to have fun and get to know one another. For more information or to sign up, please contact Teri or Brad Fulk, 618-979-0184.

Family Life "Painting Event"

This event has been cancelled.

Attention All Ladies of the Parish

Please join other ladies of our parish for an evening of fun, food, fellowship and faith. **Thursday, May 4**, 6 pm, church basement. Please bring a snack. (If this is your first time coming, don't bring anything. Come as you are. We will treat you. Don't forget to bring a friend. If you have any questions, call Linda Zacha, 618-377-5725.

We Need Desserts

Desserts are needed for our upcoming **Spring Gathering** on **April 30**. To donate, call **Bea Albarado**, 618-799-9215. Thank you!

Daughters of Isabella

Spring Potluck, **Monday, May 15**, 6:30 pm, Edwardsville KC Hall. We are excited to welcome a shortened, encore performance of the St. Boniface Choir and Friends' Irish Night. Please join us!