

Our Lady Queen of Peace Catholic Church

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part and it will not be
taken from her*

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SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING

Call parish office to request a hospital visit or the Sacrament of Anointing.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Bethalto Council #4688, 4th Degree #203
Grand Knight: Ryan Frazier
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ADORATION OF BLESSED SACRAMENT

Currently suspended.

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Saturdays: 3:30 pm—4:15 pm & by appointment.

COMMUNION TO THE HOMEBOUND

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

MASS SCHEDULE

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

PARISH SCHOOL

Mr. Steve Menke, Principal, 618-377-6401
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PARISH OFFICE

Hours: Monday—Thursday, 8:30—4:00 pm
(closed 12-1 for lunch)
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Phone: 618-377-6519; Fax: 618-377-9550
Office Manager: Terri Zykan
Secretary/SCRIP Coordinator: Bea Albarado

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Intentions



Sat., July 16	Weekday in Ordinary Time
4:30 pm	Joe & Cathy Gulash (L)
Sun., July 17	16th Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:30 am	For the Parishioners
10:30 am	Jim & Joan Friedrich
Mon., July 18	Weekday in Ordinary Time
8:30 am	Jeff Ray
Tues., July 19	Weekday in Ordinary Time
8:30 am	Charlie Votruba
Wed., July 20	Weekday in Ordinary Time
6:30 pm	Helen Nagy
Thur., July 21	Weekday in Ordinary Time
8:30 am	Jim Landolt
Fri., July 22	St. Mary Magdalene
8:30 am	Jill Lefringhouse
Sat., July 23	Weekday in Ordinary Time
4:30 pm	John Perkhiser
Sun., July 24	17th Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:30 am	For the Parishioners
10:30 am	Kenny & Mike Karlas

Prayer Requests



The sick: Conor Vogel, Keita Salantai, Mary Wagner, Charlie Mattingly, Noah Rogers, Becky Gray, Marguerite Hufker, Dan McRae, Mary Overton, Maxine Calhoon, Gloria Matthews, Vi Perkhiser, Robert and Pauline Lange, Elli Wiemers, Toni Stanford, Kennedy Stalcup, William Henderson, Peggy Ruhmann, Bea Albarado, Lyla Ross, Debra Walker, Audrey Wolff, Lisa Curtis, Brooke Randolph Carden, Pam Kaizer, Karen Simpson, Tina Fleigle Evan, Laura Littelejohn, Jenniffer Stout, Brittany Witt, Ron Harshbarger. **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.**

‘Theology on Tap

Thursday, July 21st @ 7:00 pm, Laux Brickhouse, Bethalto. Come join us for our 1st monthly event of “Theology on Tap” led by Father Tom. Open mainly for 21-35 year old, but all generations are welcome to attend. Bring your questions, concerns, topics of interest, etc to build on this monthly event. Questions? Contact Norm Frisch 618-363-3020.

Attention Men of the Parish

You are invited to a weekend of spiritual growth and renewal. The **Men’s ACTS Retreat weekend will be August 25-28**, at *Pallottine Retreat Center in Florissant, MO*. This parish based retreat offers the opportunity to renew your spirituality and prayer life, to strengthen your faith and its application in your daily life. Transportation to Pallottine Renewal Center is provided for all retreatants. The cost of the retreat is \$260. (Financial assistance is available.) For questions or further information, feel free to contact Jay McCurdy, 217-827-1406 or email: jay@allied.construction. Registration forms can be found at the church entrances.

Do You Know Your Faith?

(Match the lines below from popular hymns to their title)

1. “...I have heard you calling in the night...I will go Lord...if you lead me...”
 2. “...How sweet the sound, that saved a wretch like me...”
 3. “...Let us build the city of God, may our tears be turned into dancing.”
 4. “...Sometimes it causes me to tremble, tremble, tremble...”
 5. “...O Lord my God! When I in awesome wonder consider all...”
- a. Amazing Grace
 - b. How Great Thou Art
 - c. Here I am Lord
 - d. City of God
 - e. We Remember

WHAT IS RCIA?

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) 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. The Rite speaks of conversion as a “spiritual journey.” Centered on fostering a deep relationship with Jesus and the Church he founded, this journey takes place through distinct stages over a period of time suitable to bring about a thorough catechesis, significant experience of the parish community, and commitment to the liturgical and moral life of the Catholic faithful. The RCIA process is a restoration of the ancient catechumenate, arising within the first three centuries following the era of the apostles. It was the early Church’s way of Christianizing the pagan Roman Empire. The Second Vatican Council called for the restoration and use of this venerable and powerful method of initiation for the worldwide Church. **Please contact one of our RCIA Coordinators for more information:** Tim Zacha @ 618-567-4468, Tzac54@sbcglobal.net or Jay McCurdy @ 217-827-1406, jay@allied.construction Or the church office @ 618-377-6519

Sunday Offerings

Week 2	July 9-10, 2022	Total to Date
Loose Envelopes	\$376.00	\$676.00
On Line Giving	\$9,545.65	\$19,626.51
Young People	\$2,223.00	\$7,286.00
Total	\$1.00	\$4.00
Operating Budget	\$12,145.65	\$27,592.51
Tithe to Diocese	\$14,545.47	\$29,090.94
	\$1,384.62	\$2,769.24
Difference	(\$3,784.44)	(\$4,267.67)
Total Envelopes received: 139 Building Maintenance Fund Donations: \$16.00 Other Charitable Donations: \$425.00		

July 17, 2022

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Liturgical Roles

4:30 pm	July 23
Rosary	Teresa Toner
Lector	Liz Laurent
E. Ministers	Dan Perkhiser, Mary Stewart
Ushers	Dale Osborne, Dan Rogers
	Carmen Graham, Mary Gulash
Music	Craig/Kathy /Tami
8:30 am	July 24
Rosary	Brenda Tebbe
Lector	Marce Tebbe
E. Ministers	Joe Grabowski, Brenda Zacha
Ushers	Loren Summers, Steve Stutz
	Marla Baker, Raeann Summers
Music	Craig/Brenda Woelfel
10:30 am	July 24
Lector	Alyssa Smith
E. Ministers	Marci Stein, Dee Oller
Ushers	Don & Terri Militello
	Kathy Murphy, Deana McDonough
Music	Praise Team

Bethalto KC Chicken Dinner Today

Sunday, July 17, 11:30 A.M. – 2:00 P.M.

Dine In, All-You-Care-to-Eat: \$12 Adults,
\$6 Children (ages 5-10)

Drive Thru or Carry Out: \$12 for half chicken or five (5)
chicken strips, and choice of three (3) sides

Sides: Mac & Cheese, Green Beans, Potatoes & Gravy

Proceeds go to Bethalto K of C Charities & OLQP Parish

Congratulations

Brenda Tebbe for being selected as this years honoree for the Diocesan Council of Catholic Women Our Lady of Good Counsel Women of Distinction Award for 2022. The celebration will take place Saturday, July 23rd at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception in Springfield beginning with Mass followed by a luncheon. Brenda will represent all the women of OLQP that give service to God, Parish and Community! We thank Brenda for all that she does along with all the ladies of the parish that share their time talent and treasure with all of us!

A Very Big Thanks

To everyone who donated, worked or shopped at our recent Parish Rummage Sale! Because of everyone's generous donations and hard work, we made a profit of **\$2,678.00!** MANY THANKS TO ALL!!!!

29th Annual John Rogers Explorer Classic Golf Tournament

This tournament will be Friday, October 7th at 12pm at Spencer T. Olin Golf Course. Details coming soon for registration and sponsorship opportunities. All proceeds benefit Marquette Catholic High School athletics. Get your team together! For additional information on the above, please call Mary Hough at 618-463-0585 ext. 1.

A Meditation

The following reflection is from One Bread, One Body courtesy of Presentation Ministries © 2022.

PRAYER IS EVEN BETTER

"Mary has chosen the better portion and she shall not be deprived of it." —Luke 10:42

Hospitality was a responsibility and privilege highly valued by the Jewish people. In offering hospitality, we may be entertaining angels (Heb 13:2) or even God Himself (Gn 18:17ff). Abraham and Sarah, for example, offered hospitality to God and two angels. As a result, God promised them they would miraculously have a son, although both were almost a hundred years old (see Gn 18:10ff). Hospitality is the breeding ground of promise, blessing, and miracles.

As awesome as hospitality is, Jesus claimed that prayer is even better (Lk 10:42). This was a surprising revelation. Jesus even maintained the necessity of praying always (Lk 18:1; cf 1 Thes 5:17). He did this Himself, praying early in the morning and late at night (Mk 1:35; Lk 22:39ff). Jesus prayed in such a new way that people who had prayed for years asked Him to teach them to pray (Lk 11:1).

After Jesus ascended into heaven, His disciples caught onto Jesus' message on prayer and "devoted themselves to constant prayer" for nine days (Acts 1:14). The Church was born after this nine-day gestation period of prayer. From that point on, the Spirit has empowered the followers of Jesus to devote themselves to prayer (see Acts 2:42).

Prayer: Jesus, teach me to pray (Lk 11:1). Holy Spirit, help me overcome my weakness in prayer (Rm 8:26).

Promise: "Even now I find my joy in the suffering I endure for you. In my own flesh I fill up what is lacking in the sufferings of Christ for the sake of His body, the church." —Col 1:24

Praise: "As a proof that the One Whom He raised from the dead would never again see the decay of death, God declared, 'I will give You the benefits assured to David under the covenant'" (Acts 13:34). Alleluia!

VBS News

Begins Monday, July 18th, 5:30-8:30

Walk-Ins welcome.

Second Collection

Collection this weekend for expenses of the **Vacation Bible School Program**. Please assist if you can in supporting this wonderful program for our children.

Thank you!!

Save The Date

Saturday, October 1st, following 4:30 pm Mass will be our next **Annual Pig Roast**. Mark Your Calendar! More info to come!

Do You Know Your Faith Answers

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