

Our Lady Queen of Peace Catholic Church

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INDEPENDENCE DAY

We the People
insure domestic Tranquility, provide for the common defence
and our Posterity, do ordain and establish this Constitution

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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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Bethalto Council #4688,

4th Degree #203

Grand Knight: Ryan Frazier

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bethaltoknight@gmail.com

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www.bethaltoknights.org

COMMUNION TO THE HOMEBOUND

1st Friday of each month.

Call the parish office

To request a visit.

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Intentions



Sat., July 1 4:30 pm	Weekday in Ordinary Time M/M Jim Kannal
Sun., July 2 8:30 am 10:30 am	13th Sunday in Ordinary Time For the Parishioners Randall Holbrook
Mon., July 3 8:30 am	St. Thomas Charles Calhoon
Tues., July 4 8:30 am	Weekday in Ordinary Time Steve & Virginia Ostanik
Wed., July 5 6:30 pm	Weekday in Ordinary Time Michael Gulash
Thur., July 6 8:30 am	Weekday in Ordinary Time Dale Johnson
Fri., July 7 8:30 am	Weekday in Ordinary Time Becky Jacobs
Sat., July 8 4:30 pm	Weekday in Ordinary Time Mike Henkhaus
Sun., July 9 8:30 am 10:30 am	14th Sunday in Ordinary Time For the Parishioners Johnny Henkhaus

Rhine River Cruise

OLQP is planning a June 2025 8-day Rhine River Cruise along with an extended 3-day stay at Lake Maggiore in Italy. Approximate cost, \$5000 per person/double occupancy, and includes all meals, airfare and port excursions. For additional information and/or to be put on the communication list, contact Amy Frisch 618-444-7715/ amykfrisch@gmail.com. Cruise will begin in Amsterdam, with stops in Netherlands, Germany, France and Switzerland. Then bus to Lake Maggiore, Italy for 3 nights.

1st Communion & Confirmation Class 2023



Congratulations to these students who received their 1st Communion & Confirmation at the Cathedral in Springfield:
Reid Bouillon, Joselyn Buhs, Jace Certa, Julian Certa, Paige Friedrich, William Kannmacher, Hadley Militello, Nora Militello, Jack Miller, Everly Olmsted, Claire Schilling, Alice Wilson (not pictured), Reagan Lambie (not pictured)

Do You Know Your Faith?

1. What is the Church's divinely appointed authority to teach the truths of religion?
A. Mystery B. Magi C. Magisterium D. Might
2. What was the bread that the Israelites ate in the desert?
3. What is a reflection upon a verse of scripture called?
4. What is the vessel that is used during Benediction?
5. What is the head-dress of a bishop?

Fr. Tom

Prayer Requests

The sick: Conor Vogel, Keita Salantai, Mary Wagner, Charlie Mattingly, Noah Rogers, Becky Gray, Marguerite Hufker, Maxine Calhoon, 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, Mike Toner, Susan Hilker, Kenzie Dixon, Jim Johnson, Clay Brueggeman, Brandon Pritchett. **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.**



Rest in Peace

Please pray for the repose of the soul of **Rosemary Barron**, mother of Marie DeClue. May God grant her eternal rest.



Parish Office Hours

Closed: Monday, July 3 & Tuesday, July 4

I Dood It Stand—Help Is Needed

HELP is greatly needed in order for our parish to participate again this year with our **'I Dood It' Stand** at the Bethalto Homecoming. We are in need of 6 parishioners/3 couples to be responsible for 1 day each during the Homecoming weekend. If you can help or have questions, call Angie Waldo, 618-567-2937 or Tammy Sasek, 618-792-7041. Thank you!!!!

Charismatic Prayer Group

This group meets the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of the month. Next gathering will be July 11.

Everyone Welcome!!

(Questions or more information about this group, Email or call Liz Laurent: 618-978-9849 kirby735@charter.net)

Parish Rummage Sale

Annual Parish Rummage Sale: **Friday and Saturday, July 21 & 22.** Items may be brought to the gym, beginning Wednesday, July 5th. Questions/more information or to request items to be picked up, call Mary Kerkmeyer, 618-616-9287.

July 2, 2023

Liturgical Roles

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4:30 pm July 8
 Rosary Becky Gray
 Lector Pat Beiermann
 E. Ministers Tom Huebener, Jean Johnson
 Ushers Carmen Graham, Mary Gulash
 Brad & Teri Fulk
Servers Text Kristin to sign up, 618-978-2371
 Music Craig/Kris/Becky

8:30 am July 9
 Rosary Marie DeClue
 Lector Brenda Tebbe
 E. Ministers Joe Grabowski, Kathy Phillips
 Ushers John & Danny Stutz
 Paul & Cindy Stutz
Servers Text Kristin to sign up, 618-978-2371
 Music Craig/Kathy/Tami

10:30 am July 9
 Lector Carrie Albarado
 E. Ministers Sonya Hagaman, Kateri Dance
 Ushers Kathy Wilson, Diane Waldo
 Tim & Tammy Sasek
Servers Text Kristin to sign up, 618-978-2371
 Music Praise Team

***** SCRIP Sellers, July 8 & 9

4:30 Debbie Zacha
 8:30 Mary Cain
 10:30 Amy Frisch

Do You Know Your Faith Answers

1. C. Magisterium
2. Manna
3. Meditation
4. Monstrance
5. Mitre

SCRIP News

Last Week's Sales: \$2,360.00

SCRIP Featured this week: **I Tunes**

(Rebate—5%). We have \$15 & \$25 cards in stock.

Sunday Offerings

Week 52	6/24/23—6/25/23	Total to Date
Loose	\$320.00	\$27,473.62
Envelopes	\$5,291.00	\$471,318.22
On Line Giving	\$6,345.00	\$169,271.00
Young People	\$1.00	\$97.31
Total	\$11,957.00	\$668,160.15
Operating Budget	\$14,545.47	\$756,364.44
Tithe to Diocese	\$1,384.62	\$72,000.24
Difference	(\$3,973.09)	(\$160,204.53)

Total Envelopes Received: 181
 Building Maintenance Fund Donations: \$180.00
 Other Charitable Donations: \$945.00

Can You Help?

One of our church members is willing to buy laminate flooring for the rectory. The carpet in the rectory has been there for over 30 years. Plus with Father Tom's allergies he will be much better with laminate flooring. We need help to install the laminate. If you are willing to help with this project please contact Rich Hayes at 1-618-407-5400 TEXT or CALL. Or at richardhayesllc@gmail.com. Please consider volunteering your time for this project.

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

Calling all single Catholics!

August 25th-27th, 2023 - Join 400+ singles coming from all parts of the US (and beyond!) at the 22nd National Conference for Single Catholics at St. John's Resort, in Plymouth, MI *OR participate virtually and engage with others via the online socials and small group discussions.* This is your chance to connect with like-minded singles (of all ages). The weekend includes talks by dynamic speakers, music, social events, Mass, adoration, fellowship and more. (If joining us in-person, use the promo code **(PARISH23)** when you register to get \$50 off! *Discount for the first 50 sign ups nationwide to use this code.*) Visit NationalCatholicSingles.com for more information and to register. (Can't find your question answered on the website? Call 512-766-5798.)

RCIA

How does our parish attract inquirers each year who consider becoming Catholic? The short answer is you! When any parish has many inquirers year after year, it is the fruit of the Holy Spirit as parish members open their hearts to welcome others. Members of a welcoming and evangelizing community take seriously their call to share the Divine message of salvation. It happens in parish families, in the workplace, in gatherings with friends and neighbors, and in daily contacts. Give thanks to God as he continuously strengthens each of us who seek to do his will in offering a gentle, humble, and clear welcome to the Catholic faith. "Go out into the whole world and proclaim the Gospel to every creature." (Mark 16:15) **Please contact one of our RCIA Coordinators if you know of someone who might be interested in RCIA.** -- Tim Zacha @618-567-4468, TZac54@sbcglobal.net or Jay McCurdy @217-827-1406, jay@allied.construction Because of a new format required by Bishop RCIA classes begin in June.

Sign up for Diocesan Celebration

We now have the sign-up sheet in the parish office for the Eucharistic Congress and Mass to be held in Springfield on October 28, 2023. The deadline to sign up will be Thursday, July 27, 2023. If you cannot come in to the office to sign up, just give us a call, and we can take care of it over the telephone. Thank you!