



Our Lady Queen of Peace Catholic Church

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Jesus summoned the Twelve
and began to send them out two by two
and gave them authority over unclean spirits.

MARK 6:7



Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

JULY 11, 2021

Mass Schedule

Monday.....8:30 am
Tuesday.....8:30 am
Wednesday.....6:30 pm
Thursday.....8:30 am
Friday.....8:30 am
Saturday.....4:30 pm
Sunday...8:30/10:30 am

Confessions

Saturday.....3:30 pm
Also, by appointment

Baptism

Parents of infants to be bap-
tized, call parish office to
request a meeting with Fr.
Tom.



Parish Office

Hours:

Monday through
Thursday
8:30 am—4:00 pm
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Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Intentions

Sat., July 10 4:30 pm	Weekday in Ordinary Time Ray Matthews
Sun., July 11 8:30 am 10:30 am	Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Hilda Magac For the Parishioners
Mon., July 12 8:30 am	Weekday in Ordinary Time Bob Zakrzweski
Tues., July 13 8:30 am	Weekday in Ordinary Time Jerry Flowers
Wed., July 14 6:30 pm	St. Kateri Tekakwitha Anne Carrera
Thur., July 15 8:30 am	St. Bonaventure Jill Lefringhouse
Fri., July 16 8:30 am	Weekday in Ordinary Time Erwin Budde
Sat., July 17 4:30 pm	Weekday in Ordinary Time Kenneth & Loretta Weber
Sun., July 18 8:30 am 10:30 am	Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Don Beste For the Parishioners

Prayer Requests



The sick: Conor Vogel, Keita Salantai, Mary Wagner, Charlie Mattingly, Noah Rogers, Becky Gray, Marguerite Hufker, Dan McRae, Mary Overton, Don Laird, Maxine Calhoun, Gloria Matthews, Dianne Morin, Vi Perkhiser, Jane Rood, Bev Randolph, John Richter, Bob Maronie, Jennifer Price, Bob Graham, Kenneth Korsmeyer, Robert and Pauline Lange, Dorothy Dustman, Ricki Shutta, Debra Walker, Elli Wiemers, Christine Scheffel, Thomas Woelfel, Toni Stanford, Morgan Phillips, Tim Phillips. **For prayer requests in the bulletin, call the parish office, 377-6519. For prayer requests to be added to the email prayer chain, send requests to Marie at re-joy128@gmail.com**

Bethalto KC Chicken Dinner

Sunday, July 18, 11:15 am—2:00 pm

Menu includes:

Chicken strips with 1 side, \$10;

2-Piece white or dark fried chicken with 2 sides, \$10;

4-Piece Mixed Fried Chicken with 3 sides, \$15.

Sides: Mac & cheese, green beans, potatoes and gravy.

Public Welcome, dine in or carryout —Enter from Prairie

Street into school parking lot for pickup.

Proceeds go to Bethalto KC Charities and OLQP Parish

Guidebook/Directory

Advertising Opportunity

This Guidebook is provided to the parish each year at no cost to our church, and it is again being subsidized by local businesses that advertise. If you own or manage a business and would like to find out about advertising in our book, please call the parish office as soon as possible. Thank you!

Dear Parishioners,

Do You Know Your Faith?

(Catholic History)

1. Which Roman Emperor started the first persecution of the Church after the burning of Rome which he blamed on the Christians?
A. Julius Caesar B. Nero C. Napoleon
2. Pope Leo I convinced which leader of the Huns to not invade Rome?
A. Attila B. Genghis Khan C. Kublai Khan
3. Which order of monks helped preserve written history during the Dark Ages?
A. Franciscans B. Benedictines C. Lieblerites
4. Which American settlement/state was settled by Catholics? A. New York B. Virginia C. Maryland
5. What was the name of the Algonquin-Mohawk woman who became a saint?
A. Kateri Tekakwitha B. Pocahontas C. Sitting Bull

Father Tom

Welcome Dominican Fathers & Brothers Next Weekend

Dominicans in Africa are currently located in some 25 countries. Our Dominican Province of Nigeria & Ghana is the largest entity on the African continent. We are engaged in a diversity of ministries. Our efforts are very much concentrated in the areas of basic formation and training for the priesthood and religious life; primary evangelization in rural parts of Africa; on-going Christian formation in the faith through parish ministries; ministry among Muslims; social justice ministries, and health care delivery; chaplaincies and education ministries at all levels. We are committed to bringing Christ in a relevant way to all the people that we minister unto. We sincerely appreciate any support you are able to offer.

Rest In Peace



Please pray for the repose of the soul of **Robert Schmidt**, brother of Fr. Carl Schmidt, retired priest of our diocese. May God grant him eternal rest.



Sunday Offerings

Week 1	July 3-4, 2021	Total to Date
Loose Envelopes	\$375.00	\$375.00
On Line Giving	\$8,807.58	\$8,807.58
Young People	\$1,988.00	\$1,988.00
Total	\$1.00	\$1.00
Total	\$11,171.58	\$11,171.58
Operating Budget	\$14,477.83	\$14,477.83
ACSA Budget	\$1,384.62	\$1,384.62
Difference	(\$4,690.87)	(\$4,690.87)

Total Envelopes received: 140 of 772
Building Maintenance Fund Donations: \$100.00
Other Charitable Donations: \$200.00

July 11, 2021

Family Life Ministry News

-Family Rosary Night: Wed., July 14, immediately following 6:30 Mass. Our children will begin the prayers and everyone will join in to finish them, teaching our children the importance of praying as a family. The prayers will be followed by burgers, hot dogs and games for the kids!

-Men's Night: Friday, August 13, 7 pm, all men, young and old, adult and child. This will be a social night with some optional 'minute to win it' activities. A reflection on St. Joseph, the foster Father of Jesus and us all, will be offered, asking St. Joseph to intercede for us as men of faith.

-Hog Roast: Saturday, October 2. Proven to be a great night of fun, we will host our annual Hog Roast Dinner. Free to the entire parish family, with a smoked, pulled pork dinner with all the fixings and beer, margaritas and music following the Saturday night Mass.

Parish Guide Book Update

We are in the process of updating our **Parish Guide Book**. If we do not have your most up-to-date information (address, phone numbers, email address, etc.), we ask that you contact the parish office, 377-6519, at your earliest convenience to give us the current information. We really appreciate it!

Do You Know Your Faith Answers

1. Nero
2. Attila
3. Benedictines
4. MARYland
5. Kateri Tekakwitha

The following reflection is from One Bread, One Body courtesy of Presentation Ministries © 2021.

***"The Lord took me from following the flock."
—Amos 7:15***

Amos was a country boy, a shepherd, and a pruner of sycamore trees — a nobody chosen by God to prophesy to the nation of Israel (Am 7:14ff). Jesus likewise sent out His apostles as nobodies. He didn't let them have the possessions and money by which many people try to command respect (see Mk 6:8-9). He didn't even provide them with accommodations (see Mk 6:10). The apostles had about as much prestige as homeless people. Of course, without credentials, status, clout, or worldly power, they were almost certain to be rejected. So Jesus told them to be prepared to shake the dust from their feet if any place did not receive them (Mk 6:11). Jesus is the same today as yesterday (Heb 13:8). He continues to insist on choosing "the world's lowborn and despised, those who count for nothing, to reduce to nothing those who were something; so that mankind can do no boasting before God" (1 Cor 1:28-29). When Jesus sends us forth in weakness, His power reaches perfection (2 Cor 12:9). Jesus promised that the lowly will inherit the earth (Mt 5:5).

**Will you agree to become lowly?
Will you let the Lord work through you?**

Liturgical Ministries

4:30 pm -Saturday, July 17th

Lector JoEllyn Patterson
E.Ministers Tim Zacha, Dan Perkhiser, Mary Stewart
Ushers Dale Osborne, Dan Rogers, Pat Holbrook, Angie Reilley
Rosary Music Cathy Gulash
Craig, Kris/Becky

8:30 am -Sunday, July 18th

Lector Brenda Tebbe
E. Ministers Marie DeClue, Carol Beste, Marce Tebbe
Ushers Dan & Martha Smith, Joe Grabowski, Ray Meyer
Rosary Music Carol Beste
Craig/tba

10:30 am -Sunday, July 18th

Lector Alyssa Smith
E. Ministers Kateri Dance, Lee Friedel, Teresa Wilson
Ushers Kathy Wilson, Diane Waldo, Tim & Tammy Sasek
Rosary Music N/A
Praise Team

A Reflection

The following reflection is courtesy of Don Schwager © 2021. Don's website is located at Dailyscripture.net

What kind of authority and power does the Lord want you to exercise on his behalf? Jesus gave his apostles both the power and the authority to speak and to act in his name. He commanded them to do the works which he did - to heal the sick, to cast out evil spirits, and to speak the word of God - the good news of the gospel which they received from Jesus. When Jesus spoke of power and authority he did something unheard of. He wedded power and authority with self-sacrificing love and humility. The "world" and the "flesh" seek power for selfish gain. Jesus teaches us to use it for the good of our neighbor.

Why does Jesus tell the apostles to "travel light" with little or no provision? "Poverty of spirit" frees us from greed and preoccupation with our possessions and makes ample room for God's provision. The Lord wants his disciples to be dependent on him and not on themselves. He wills to work in and through each of us for his glory. Are you ready to use the spiritual authority and power which God wishes you to exercise on his behalf? The Lord entrusts us with his gifts and talents. Are you eager to place yourself at his service, to do whatever he bids you, and to witness his truth and saving power to whomever he sends you?

"Lord Jesus, make me a channel of your healing power and merciful love that others may find abundant life and freedom in you. Free me from all other attachments that I may joyfully pursue the treasure of your heavenly kingdom. May I witness the joy of the Gospel both in word and deed."



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