

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

AUGUST 18, 2019 • TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**JESUS ENDURED
THE CROSS,**

despising its shame, and has taken his seat
at the right of the throne of God.

HEBREWS 12:2



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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: Troy Lively
Email: bethaltoknight@gmail.com;
Website: www.bethaltoknights.org

ADORATION OF BLESSED SACRAMENT

Saturday....9:00 am-11:00 am

COMMUNION TO THE HOMEBOUND

Holy Communion is brought to homebound & residents of Villa Rose and Bethalto Care Center on Fridays for those unable to attend Mass. Call parish office to request.

PARISH SCHOOL

Mrs. Eve Remiszewski, Principal, 618-377-6401
Fax: 618-377-6146, Email: eremis@olqpbethalto.org
Elaine Withers, School Secretary: ewithers@olqpbethalto.org

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

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

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Schedule & Intentions

Sat., Aug. 17 4:30 pm	Weekday in Ordinary Time For the Parishioners
Sun, Aug. 18 8:30 am 10:30 am	20th Sunday in Ordinary Time Richard "Dick" Folsom Jeffrey Gonterman
Mon., Aug. 19 8:30 am	Weekday in Ordinary Time Laura Menke Ward
Tues., Aug. 20 8:30 am	St. Bernard Richard J. "Dick" Folsom
Wed., Aug. 21 6:30 pm	St. Pius X Jonah Matthews
Thur., Aug. 22 8:30 am	Queenship of Blessed Virgin Mary Deceased Members of Slecka & Herman Families
Fri., Aug. 23 8:30 am	Weekday in Ordinary Time George Wilson
Sat., Aug. 24 4:30 pm	St. Bartholomew Rudy Papa
Sun., Aug. 25 8:30 am 10:30 am	21st Sunday in Ordinary Time Jerry Durbin For the Parishioners

Prayer Requests

The sick: Conor Vogel, Jim Friedrich, Keita Salantai, Mary Wagner, Janet Yates, Bob Schley, Charlie Mattingly, Noah Rogers, Becky Gray, Marguerite Hufker, Darlene Huebener, Randall Oldham, Nelson Gregory, Bob Zakrzewski, Terry Tellefson, Dan McRae, Mary Overton, Don Laird, Lee Burnt, Maxine Calhoon, John and Jeanette Medlock, Gloria Matthews, Dorothy Wittig, Dave Gibbons, Dianne Morin, Brian Scheffel, Jim Rogers, Herb Boswell, Willie Wappelhorst, Mary Terry, John Terry, Rose Moore, Mary Friedel, Bob Randolph, Robert Cunningham, Bart Woods, Sharon Pritchett, Chris Schmidt. **Parish E-Mail Prayer Chain: Send requests to Marie at rejoy128@gmail.com**



PSR Registration

PSR is for all parish children grades K-8. Registration after all Masses, August 17-18, and August 31-Sept. 1. \$35 registration fee, 1st child, \$15 for additional children in the same family. Questions, call Cindy Stutz: psr@bethalto.org or (618) 741-4452 or the parish office.

Rest In Peace

Please pray for the repose of the souls of **Catherine Carrow**, former parishioner; **Frank Visser**, husband of Dorothy, father of Tony, Chrissy and Suzanne; **Ruth Nappier**, mother of Jodi Carpenter. May God grant them eternal rest.

PSR Volunteers Needed

We are looking for individuals who love their faith and want to pass on that faith to the youth of our parish as a PSR instructor. Substitute instructors to fill in occasionally for our catechists are also needed. For additional formation please contact Cindy Stutz, PSR Coordinator at psr@olqpbethalto.org or (618)741-4452. You may also contact the parish office 377-6519

Do You Know Your Faith?

1. Who was the first pastor of OLQP?
2. When was the church dedicated?
3. What order of Nuns staffed our school?
4. Who was the pastor when the east wing was built?
5. What was the name of the first church established in Bethalto?

R.C.I.A.

In celebrating this month of Our Lady's final journey to God in her glorious Assumption, let us ask her motherly intercession to draw souls to the Sacred Heart of her Son. The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a journey too – of conversion to - and what He intends for us. RCIA is the process by which persons who were never baptized, or were baptized in another Christian tradition, become members of the Church, a people on pilgrimage to our Heavenly Father. Classes begin: September 4, 2019. If you know someone who might be interested please contact: Church office @ 377- 6519; Tim @ 377-5725, Tzac54@sbcglobal.net, Marie @ 377-5593, rejoy128@gmail.com

I DOOD IT!

Time to get the ball bouncing on the "I Dood It" stand for the 100th Annual Bethalto Homecoming, Labor Day weekend, Aug. 30 - Sep. 2. Sign-up available online through the church/school websites and will also be available after masses. We ask each parish family to donate 1-2 gift cards to be used as prizes. Drop off in parish office. Questions, contact Tammy Sasek, 377-7041. Thanks for you support!

K.C. Chicken Dinner Today

Sunday, August 18, 11:30 am—2 pm, church basement. Adults \$10; Children \$5 (5-10 years). Adult carryouts available. All you can eat menu includes fried chicken, chicken strips, mashed potatoes & gravy, mac-cheese, vegetable, applesauce, dessert and drink. Proceeds to KC Charities and OLQP Parish.

PARISH OFFERINGS

Week 6	August 10-11, 2019	Total to Date
Loose	\$2,275.00	\$3,815.67
Envelopes	\$11,441.00	\$61,860.94
On Line Giving	\$1,818.00	\$12,593.00
Young People	\$19.00	\$74.40
Total	\$15,553.00	\$78,344.01
Operating Budget	\$13,910.25	\$83,461.50
ACSA Budget	\$1,516.98	\$9,101.88
Difference	\$125.77	(\$14,219.37)

Total Envelopes received: 194 of 811
Building Maintenance Fund Donations: \$125.00
Other Charitable Donations: \$240.00

August 18, 2019

Help Needed -

Protecting God's Children Facilitator

If you are interested in becoming a facilitator of Protecting God's Children trainings at our school or parish, contact: Diocese of Springfield Office for Safe Environment; Alison Smith, Director; 217-698-8500, ext. 162; asmith@dio.org.

Adult Choir Practice

Begins **Thursday, October 22**, 6:30 pm, in church.
New members welcome!

Attention Ladies

All women of the parish are invited to attend the Ladies Retreat at King's House Retreat & Renewal Center, 700 N. 66th Street, Belleville, on **Friday, September 13 through Sunday, September 15**. For more information, go to kingsretreatcenter.org or call Ange McVey, 618-402-0609.

August Military Mass

Wednesday, August 21, 6:00 PM, St. Peter & Paul Catholic Church, Alton. Please join us to pray for our active Military, Veterans, living and deceased, and their families. All are welcome!

Marriage on Tap—St. Louis

Married couples are invited to a fun date night! Be with other couples who care about a good marriage growing better, and want to enrich themselves. Tuesday, Sept. 17, 2019, at the Pasta House Company (Party Room) 8213 Delmar Blvd, University City, 63130 (just East of I-170), 6:00 PM dinner, \$25 per person (includes tax & tip) for buffet dinner; 7:00 PM is a dynamic talk: Living Our Faith as a Family by Vince & Marianne Burkemper. Vince & Marianne have been married for 33 years and have three grown children. They are parishioners at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Manchester, MO. Their son, Fr. Andrew Burkemper was ordained to the Priesthood in 2014, their daughter, Madeline teaches 3rd grade in Raytown, Missouri and their youngest, Claire recently returned from Pohnpei, Micronesia after serving 2 years with the Jesuit Volunteer Corps. Vince and Marianne's love for each other, their family and their faith shine through in all that they do. RSVP required before 13-Sept2019 : marriageontapstl@gmail.com Visit our Facebook page: Marriage On Tap STL.

Do You Know Your Faith Answers

1. Fr. Thomas Manning
2. October 7, 1947
3. Dominicans
4. Fr. Kekeisen
5. St. Martin

Tee Off For Belize

Golf Tournament will be held on Sunday, September 22, 2019 at Belk Park Golf Course. Tee off at 12:00 pm. Cost: \$360 per team, includes entry fee, cart, hot dogs, beverages and dinner. Please contact Tim Zacha at 618-567-4468 to register. Donations and sponsorships also needed, please contact Norm or Amy Frisch 618-444-7715.

LITURGICAL ROLES

Weekend of August 24-25, 2019

USHERS/GREETERS:

4:30 pm Rich & Sue Hayes
Linda Heinz, Carmen Graham
8:30 am Loren & Raeann Summers
Barb Cenatiempo, Janet Gross
10:30am Don & Terri Militello
John & Peggy Dugger

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

4:30 pm Mindy DeClue, Tami Stoneburner, Jean Johnson
David & Susan Marth, John Harshbarger
Jay & Denise McCurdy
8:30 am Joe Grabowski, Tim Zacha, Paula Mattix-Wand
Sharon Pritchett, Darlene Rowe, Ray Meyer
Andy & Mary Kerkemeyer
10:30 am Dan & Ange Shemwell, Tim Mayfield
Kateri Frisch, Adam Sims, Teresa Wilson
Dee Oller, Marci Stein

SERVERS:

4:30 pm Jackson Garman
Dawson Jarman
Delaney Jarman
8:30 am Lauren Maher
Allison Maher
Ava Cherry
10:30 am Jackson Collman
Travis Kramer
Michael Wilson

MUSIC:

4:30 pm Adult Choir
8:30 am Folk Group
10:30 am Praise Team
LECTORS:
4:30 pm Rebecca Gray
8:30 am Brenda Tebbe
10:30 am Mike Inman

SCRIP Sales—Weekend of August 24-25, 2019

4:30 Stephanie Gvillo, Tammie Harshbarger
8:30 Judy Griffith
10:30 Amy Frisch, Marge Kirby

'Loving Others in the Race'

"Let us rid ourselves of every burden and sin that clings to us and persevere in running the race that lies before us while keeping our eyes fixed on Jesus..." Hebrews 12:1-2

In discerning how to persevere in this important "race," we can be distracted by selfish motivations, false comforts and judgmental thoughts. Sin, as Paul says, weighs us down as we make daily decisions, big and small, interfering with the mission that God has given us. How easily sin creeps in when I fool myself into thinking I know what I need or, worse, what will solve someone else's problems. Self-absorption becomes the only reality, a burden that blinds me to the needs of others. Jesus has shown us that our relationship with God and loving others must be the primary focus of life. Free from the burden of our selfish desires, we can more easily follow Jesus, our constant companion in the race. We become, then, examples for others who will see Jesus clearly in our loving words and actions. Deborah A. Meister, *Living Faith, Volume 35, No. 2*

Marquette Catholic H.S. News

Mega Raffle: Tickets on sale for MCHS annual \$50,000 Mega Raffle! Purchase tickets online by going to www.marquettecatholic.org/megaraffle or contact the Development office at 463-0585 ext. 1. Six Early Bird winners will be drawn for \$1000/each. Grand prize drawing for \$50,000 will take place at Homecoming Block Party on 9/21 at the Alton KC.
Annual Explorer Classic Golf Tournament: Registration available now by going to www.marquettecatholic.org/golfclassic. The tournament will be held at Spencer T. Olin Golf Course, October 11th with 12pm shotgun start. Register today!

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