

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

JANUARY 19, 2020



John the Baptist
saw Jesus coming
toward him and said,
“Behold, the Lamb of God,
who takes away
the sins of the world.”

John 1:29

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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
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Elaine Withers, School Secretary: ewithers@olqpbethalto.org

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

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

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Schedule & Intentions

Sat., Jan. 18 4:30 pm	Weekday in Ordinary Time Noah & Jim Rogers (L)
Sun., Jan. 19 8:30 am 10:30 am	Second Sunday in Ordinary Time For the Parishioners Debbie Walter
Mon., Jan. 20 8:30 am	Weekday in Ordinary Time Communion Service
Tues., Jan. 21 8:30 am	St. Agnes Communion Service
Wed., Jan. 22 6:30 pm	Weekday in Ordinary Time Communion Service
Thur., Jan. 23 8:30 am	Weekday in Ordinary Time Communion Service
Fri., Jan. 24 8:30 am	St. Francis de Sales Communion Service
Sat., Jan. 25 4:30 pm	Conversion of St. Paul Rudy Papa
Sun., Jan. 26 8:30 am 10:30 am	Third Sunday in Ordinary time Edwin Mattix For the Parishioners

Prayer Requests

The sick: Conor Vogel, Jim Friedrich, Keita Sallantai, Mary Wagner, Bob Schley, Charlie Mattingly, Noah Rogers, Becky Gray, Marguerite Hufker, Darlene Huebener, Nelson Gregory, Dan McRae, Mary Overton, Don Laird, Maxine Calhoon, Gloria Matthews, Dianne Morin, Mary Friedel, Vi Perkhiser, Suprina Schmidt, Derek Trent, Jane Rood, Bev Randolph, Linda Leverich, Bernice Watsek, Richard Swift, Virginia Forehand, Lee Bernt, Bob Lucker. **Send requests to Marie at rejoy128@gmail.com**



OLQP Dinner Auction Info

Sat., Feb. 15

Tickets: Available in church and school offices and sold after every weekend Mass until the end of January. \$25/each, or \$250/table of 10. Only an entire table of 10 will be reserved. **Diane Waldo** is the winner of the early bird ticket sales for the auction. Seats are limited - get your tickets soon. **Deadline Feb 2nd.** Questions, contact Sonya, 618-514-1263.

Donations Needed: Any type of donations appreciated. We are also seeking wine (\$15 value) for the wine pull booth. Donations can be dropped off at school or parish offices or contact Amy Frisch for pick up 444-7715. Donation deadline: 1/31. Thank you.

Decoration Committee Seeks Donations: Toy revolvers, holsters (think cowboy costumes) cowboy boots, old clothes line, old lanterns, large galvanized buckets, spittoons. If you want items returned, please indicate that on a note on the donation with you name/number/address. Please note: the revolvers and clothes lines will NOT be returned. If you have any questions please text April 618.410.8356

Dear Parishioners,

With the end of the Christmas season, we begin the liturgical season of Ordinary Time. This is the season that we concentrate on the life of Christ as he goes about the Holy Land proclaiming the Gospel message of faith, truth, and love. Jesus wanted to reveal to the people the message of salvation and that he was the way to that salvation. Let us spend the next few weeks before Lent in embracing the Gospel message and dedicating our own lives to the life of Christ.

(What More Can We Do For Jesus)

Father Tom

Bethalto KC Blood Drive

Wed., Jan. 22, 4-8 pm, Bethalto Senior Citizens Center. Please make an appointment and to save time, use the Rail Pass registration system. Extra blood is needed. One hour of your time could save three lives.

Attention Ladies

COME ENJOY A MORNING OF SPIRITUAL
ENLIGHTENMENT TO PREPARE FOR LENT

The Catholic Women's Prayer Breakfast, **Saturday, February 22, 2020**, will be hosted by Our Lady Queen of Peace, Bethalto. We will celebrate Mass at 8:00 am followed by a catered breakfast in the gymnasium. We will feature a talk by nationally known inspirational speaker Kendra Von Esh - **I Don't Need God ... And Certainly NOT Catholicism!** Registration forms may be downloaded at www.church.olqpbethalto.org. Pre-registration is required. The cost is \$15.00 per person. Please mail registration forms by February 10th. Questions, please call Marie DeClue at 618/377-5593 or Denise McCurdy at 618/463-0747.

Overcoming Spiritual Discouragement

Feb. 15, 8 am—3:30 pm, St. Mary's, Alton. Fr. Timothy Gallagher, OMV, will present this day to include spiritual teaching of Venerable Bruno Lanteri, founder of the Oblates of the Blessed Virgin Mary. \$25/person—registration forms in church entrances.

PARISH OFFERINGS

Week 28	Jan. 11-12, 2020	Total to Date
Loose	\$2,250.25	\$18,611.77
Envelopes	\$12,873.33	\$298,447.42
On Line Giving	\$1,573.00	\$53,756.00
Young People	\$29.25	\$372.37
Total	\$16,725.83	\$371,187.56
Operating Budget	\$13,910.25	\$389,487.00
ACSA Budget	\$1,516.98	\$42,475.44
Difference	\$1,298.60	(\$60,774.88)

Envelopes received: 168 of 798
Building Maintenance Fund Donations: 120.00
Other Charitable Donations: \$720.00

January 19, 2020

A Message From Our Principal

We are just beginning the second semester of the school year, and already there is so much going on at OLQP School! The students enjoyed a nice, long Christmas break and everyone seems to be excited and looking forward to the second half of the year and the upcoming **Catholic School's Week!** This will take place from **Sunday, January 26th through Friday, Jan. 31st.** We look so forward to celebrating the greatness of our Catholic School during this week! The following activities will take place during CSW, and we invite all of our parishioners to join us for any of these: **Sunday, January 26th**- our students will participate in the **8:30 AM Mass**. There will be an **open house** in the school after all Masses on that day. Doughnuts, coffee, juice will be served, the students' **Educational Fair Projects** will be on display, and the book fair will be in the lobby. In addition, you can see how our 7/8th graders have already planned for their futures. They did a project where they picked out their job, home, and car, according to what their job will be and what they could afford on their budget. They, then used green screen technology to get pictures of themselves in front of their homes and in their cars, in addition to planning other areas of their futures. On **Monday, Jan. 27th**, we will have an afternoon **pep rally**. On **Tuesday, 28th**, the 6-8th will celebrate **Mass at Marquette with the Bishop**. **Wednesday, the 29th**, is **Special Person's Day**. Students will invite one special person to be with them for one class and lunch. On **Thursday, 30th**, all students will go **bowling** at Airport Bowl. Then, on **Friday, 31st**, we will wrap up this week with an 8:30 AM **special Liturgy**. Again, we hope to see our parishioners, especially at the open house on Sunday, Jan. 26th! We would love for you to see what amazing things the students at your parish school are doing every day.. and we would like to thank you for your support!!! **PLEASE TELL ANYONE YOU KNOW TO COME TO OUR OPEN HOUSE ON THAT SUNDAY TO SEE WHAT OUR SCHOOL IS ALL ABOUT.** We truly need our parents and parishioners, along with all of us at the school, involved in our marketing efforts so we can continue spreading the good word about our success in graduating students not only with the Catholic values, beliefs, and morals that are our primary purpose, but also with the highest quality academics around!!! Thank you for all you do to help promote Catholic education and your parish school, and thank you for the support we feel from you every day!!! God bless and Go Knights!!!

Eve Remiszewski

K.C. Chicken Dinner Today

Sunday, Jan. 19, 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 Office & School Closed
Monday, Jan. 20, Martin Luther King Day



LITURGICAL ROLES

Weekend of January 25-26, 2020

USHERS/GREETERS:

4:30 pm Dale Osborne, Dan Rogers
Dave Berkenbile, Brad Fulk
8:30 am Dan & Martha Smith
Jim & Judy Griffith
10:30 am Ron & Renee Harshbarger
Brad & Brenda Goodman

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

4:30 pm Joe Gulash, Carmen Graham, Bob Sulsberger
JoEllyn Patterson, Rick Rose, Judy Osborne
Maryjo Flaherty, Marcella Dipaolo
8:30 am Jim Menke, Michelle Lilly, Joe Grabowski
Darlene Rowe, Tim Zacha, Sharon Pritchett
Paula Matiw-Wand, Jeanne Trent
10:30 am Dee Oller, Ashleigh Dooling, Lee Friedel
Loren & Raeann Summers, Emily Berkenbile
Tim Mayfield, Marci Stein

SERVERS:

4:30 pm Paige Winship
Elouise Bargiel
Joe Bargiel
8:30 am Nicholas Werts
Ben Werts
Josephine Werts
10:30 am Jake Newton
Joe Newton
Leah Newton

MUSIC:

4:30 pm Craig/Kris
8:30 am Folk Group
10:30 am Praise Team

LECTORS:

4:30 pm Liz Laurent
8:30 am Marce Tebbe
10:30 am Mike Inman

SCRIP Sales—Weekend of January 25-26

4:30 Marilee Webb
8:30 Cindy Stutz
10:30 Mike & Jayne Poulsen

Friends & Family CPR & AED Class

The church and school recently acquired 2 new AED devices through a generous donation. Jeff Zacha, parishioner and RN, is offering a class for all ushers AND any other parishioners who would like to attend. In event of a medical emergency, this training could potentially save someone's life. This **FREE** class will be **Sun., Feb. 16, Noon—4 pm**, here at the church. Please call the parish office, 377-6519, to register no later than **Monday, February 3**. Questions about the class can be directed to Jeff at 741-4822.

Catholic Times Info

Our annual subscription to the *Catholic Times* is now due. All parish households are asked to contribute \$15 towards this cost. **Also**, to make changes to your address, you can go directly to the following website: <https://ct.dio.org/update>. If you do not have internet access, just call the parish office 377-6519. Thank you!

Our Sincere Thanks

The volunteers and staff of Community Hope Center thanks you for your generous gifts for our toy drive. We helped provide a wonderful Christmas for 430+ children in 2019. This would not be possible without your support.

Paul Militzer,
Executive Director, Community Hope Center

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