

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
26 2020

THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

*They left
their nets and
followed
him.*

MATTHEW 4:20



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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.

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Schedule & Intentions

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
Mon., Jan. 27 8:30 am	Weekday in Ordinary Time Richard Schroeder
Tues., Jan. 28 8:30 am	St. Thomas Aquinas Helen Friedel
Wed., Jan. 29 6:30 pm	Weekday in Ordinary Time Jonah Killlem Matthews
Thur., Jan. 30 8:30 am	Weekday in Ordinary Time Laura Menke Ward
Fri., Jan. 31 8:30 am	St. John Bosco Helen Friedel
Sat., Feb. 1 4:30 pm	Weekday in Ordinary Time Frank Visser
Sun., Feb. 2 8:30 am 10:30 am	Fourth Sunday in Ordinary time For the Parishioners Catherine Carrow

Prayer Requests

The sick: Conor Vogel, Jim Friedrich, Keita Santai, 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, Derek Trent, Jane Rood, Bev Randolph, Linda Leverich, Bernice Watek, Richard Swift, Virginia Forehand, Lee Bernt, Bob Lucker. **Send requests to Marie at re-joy128@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

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. Registration forms can also be picked up in the church vestibules and the church office. 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.

Our Sincere Thanks

*Many thanks to Father Jeremy, the funeral choir, all who prepared and served food at the luncheon after the funeral and all the parishioners who offered their condolences during the recent passing of **William 'Earnie' Walker**. Your kindness and generosity are greatly appreciated.*
-The Family of William E. Walker

Rest In Peace

Please pray for the repose of the souls of **Judy Price**, mother of **David & Carey Price**, grandmother of **Alyssa Spa** and **William E. Walker**, father of **Debbie Walker**. May God grant them eternal rest.

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.

PARISH OFFERINGS

Week 29	Jan. 18-19, 2020	Total to Date
Loose	\$365.51	\$18,977.28
Envelopes	\$7,996.00	\$306,443.42
On Line Giving	\$1,783.00	\$55,539.00
Young People	\$6.00	\$378.37
Total	\$10,150.51	\$381,338.07
Operating Budget	\$13,910.25	\$403,397.25
ACSA Budget	\$1,516.98	\$43,992.42
Difference	(\$5,276.72)	(\$66,051.60)

Envelopes received: 185 of 798
 Building Maintenance Fund Donations: 170.00
 Other Charitable Donations: \$235.00

Italy Pilgrimage

Fall 2020 or Spring 2021 Italy pilgrimage - Seeking possible interest in a 12-14 day Italy pilgrimage. It would be a balanced combination of religious, cultural and historical sites and activities. Please contact Amy Frisch via email (amykfrisch@gmail.com), text or call (618-444-7715) if interested. We are still in very early planning stages so cost and itinerary unknown at this time - input accepted. Pilgrimage will start or end in Rome. We are hoping for 30+ to make this happen. Trust me, will be a trip of a lifetime!

Catholic Times Info

Our annual subscription to the *Catholic Times* is now due. All parish households are asked to pay \$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, you can also call the parish office to request changes, 377-6519.

KG Spaghetti Dinner Sunday, February 2

OLQP Church Basement, 11:30 AM to 2:00 PM

Adults \$8 – Children (6-10) \$4

Carry-outs Available

Public Welcome – Handicap Accessible

Proceeds go to Bethalto K of C Charities and OLQP Parish

Knights of Columbus Exemplification

The Knights will hold its initiation at St. Mary's Church on today, January 26th at 2:00pm. Candidates' families are encouraged to attend. If you are interested in joining the Knights of Columbus or are already a Knight and would like to advance in the Order, this is your chance. The new ceremony last less than an hour. For more information, please contact Mark Droste at 660-9890 or Gerry Mattix-Wand at 791-6111.

Parishioner Information

(New Members & Changes)

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

TELEPHONE _____

E-MAIL _____

Please check the appropriate item(s):

New Parishioner Send Envelopes

New Phone—Email New Baby

Change of Address Leaving Parish

Wish Father to call Illness in Family

LITURGICAL ROLES

Weekend of February 1-2, 2020

USHERS/GREETERS:

4:30 pm Dee Oller, Stacey Dooling
Pat Holbrook, Angela Reilley
8:30 am Loren & Raeann Summers
Janet Gross
10:30 am Tim & Tammy Sasek
Kathy Wilson, Diane Waldo

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

4:30 pm Dan Perkhiser, Pat Beiermann, Jean Johnson
Dave & Susan Marth, John Harshbarger
Jim & Bea Albarado
8:30 am Marie DeClue, Linda Zacha, Ray Meyer
Blake Marth, Andy & Mary Kerkemeyer
Justin & Renea Wilhite
10:30 am Carol O'Toole, Matt Newton, Deana McDonough
Marge Kirby, Brad Fulk, Jackie Braatz
Don & Ange Shemwell

SERVERS:

4:30 pm Elouise Bargiel
Patrick Bargiel
Joy Bargiel
8:30 am Andrew Zacha
Nathan Viehweg
Ava Cherry
10:30 am Josie Hagaman
Mary Wiegand
Patrick Wiegand

MUSIC:

4:30 pm Adult Choir
8:30 am Barb/Kathy
10:30 am Praise Team

LECTORS:

4:30 pm Lynne Rose
8:30 am Joe Grabowski
10:30 am Lee Gonterman

SCRIP Sales—Weekend of February 1-2

4:30 Debbie Zacha
8:30 Brenda Zacha
10:30 Sharon & Lee Gonterman

'Following Jesus More Closely'

Jesus said to them, "Come after me, and I will make you fishers of men." Matthew 4:19

As Jesus strolls along the shore of the Sea of Galilee, he spots several individuals going about their ordinary business. He says to Peter and Andrew, "Come after me," and the two brothers walk away from their fishing nets. Then Jesus invites James and John. They, too, leave their boat as well as their father.

Jesus calls us every day in small but significant ways, inviting us to follow him more closely. He whispers to us things such as these: *give him a hand . . . Give her a call...pay attention to him...be more patient with them ... offer to help with that project . . . Listen . . . Pray.*

In each instance, we will have to let go of something in order to follow Jesus' invitation: our personal agenda, some precious free time, control, our self-interests, our fear of getting involved, a pat excuse.

Jesus, when you show up in my life each day, help me to let go of whatever I must in order to follow you more closely as your disciple.

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