

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



VBS, 2019

Thank you to all our parishioners who supported our VBS this year. We appreciated all the supplies, monetary donations, time and most importantly prayers. We had a faith filled week for the youth of our parish. We would also like to give a special thanks to the incredible volunteers we had this year. Although our numbers were much, much lower than years past, the volunteers we had did an amazing job and made VBS the success that it was. Thank you to all the participants/parents for spending your evenings with us and hearing how great our God is and that no matter what happens in our lives, God is good! The participants again had a canned food drive competition and they brought in stacks of canned goods/nonperishables that will benefit our community. We thank them for their continued generosity to support the pantry.

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Schedule & Intentions

Sat., July 6 4:30 pm	Weekday in Ordinary Time Taylor Pile & Don Lexow
Sun, July 7 8:30 am 10:30 am	Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time For the Parishioners Michael Daniel
Mon., July 8 8:30 am	Weekday in Ordinary Time Geri Krueffel
Tues., July 9 8:30 am	Weekday in Ordinary Time Johnny Henkhaus
Wed., July 10 6:30 pm	Weekday in Ordinary Time Jeffrey Gonterman
Thurs., July 11 8:30 am	St. Benedick Dale Johnson
Fri., July 12 8:30 am	Weekday in Ordinary Time George Wilson
Sat., July 13 4:30 pm	Weekday in Ordinary Time Rudy Papa
Sun., July 14 8:30 am 10:30 am	Fifteenth 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, Kayden Spurgeon, Bob Zakrzewski, Terry Tellefson, Dan McRae, Mary Overton, Don Laird, Dan Kitzmann, Linda Anderson, Lee Burnt, Maxine Calhoun, 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, Ruth Nappier, Mary Friedel, Bob Randolph, Robert Cunningham. **Parish E-Mail Prayer Chain: Send requests to Marie at rejoy128@gmail.com**

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PARISH SCHOOL

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SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

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

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Bethalto Council #4688, 4th Degree #203
Grand Knight: Troy Lively
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ADORATION OF BLESSED SACRAMENT

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

COMMUNION TO THE HOMEBOUND

Holy Communion is brought to homebound & residents of local assisted living/nursing homes on Fridays for those unable to attend Mass. Call office.

Do You Know Your Faith? This week's Topic: Confession

1. What is the correct name of the sacrament?
2. What is the term for the actual forgiveness of sin?
3. Is a Deacon allowed to administer this sacrament?
4. A priest is never to repeat anything he hears in the Confessional. What is the term for this?
5. Can a person refuse the penance given to him/her?

We Need Your Help!

“Hello OLQP! We are in need of chairpeople to help make our *I Dood It* stand a success at the Bethalto Homecoming this year. Don't worry if this would be your first time! Each chairperson/chair team will only need to cover a day of play, and the chairs help one another plan, set up, and close down - so you won't be alone! For those who are school parents or guardians, chairing this event completes your service requirement for a whole year! Please contact Tim and Tammy Sasek at 618-792-7041 or Sam and Angie Waldo at 618-567-2937 for more information or to sign up!”

What is RCIA?

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is the process established for the universal Church for individuals to become Catholic and receive the sacraments of initiation — Baptism, Confirmation, and the Eucharist. This initiation process also involves a parish community experiencing a renewal in faith as it prepares and welcomes new members into the Church. The Rite speaks of conversion as a “spiritual journey.” Centered on fostering a deep relationship with Jesus and the Church he founded, this journey takes place through distinct stages over a period of time suitable to bring about a thorough catechesis, significant experience of the parish community, and commitment to the liturgical and moral life of the Catholic faithful. The RCIA process is a restoration of the ancient catechumenate, arising within the first three centuries following the era of the apostles. It was the early Church's way of Christianizing the pagan Roman Empire. The Second Vatican Council called for the restoration and use of this venerable and powerful method of initiation for the worldwide Church. **Please contact one of our RCIA Coordinators for more information: Tim Zacha @377-5725, Tzac54@sbcglobal.net or Marie DeClue @377-5593, rejoy128@gmail.com**

You Are Invited

Dan and Violet Perkhiser will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary on July 19, 2019. Their children will be hosting an Open House Reception in their honor on Saturday, July 20, 2019 from 2 – 4 p.m. in the church basement. We hope to see you there. (Please No Gifts)



July 7, 2019

SCRIP

Don't forget to buy SCRIP during the summer months! There are SCRIP available for everything from your home improvement projects, to your vacation plan purchases. Go to: shopwithscrip.com to see a list of retailers. Questions, call the parish office, 377-6519.

Do You Know Your Faith Answers

1. Sacrament of Penance
2. Absolution
3. No
4. The seal of confession
5. Yes, if they are not able to perform the penance, they can ask for a different penance.

Guidebook Update

Do we have your family membership record correct in our Guidebook? Now is your chance to make changes. Have you changed your phone number, address, email address, or have you discontinued using a land line or have family members moved out? If you have had any changes and have not notified the parish office, please let us know as soon as possible. Thanks!

Job Opening

Ss. Peter and Paul Catholic School has an opening for a full-time administrative assistant. The ideal candidate should have proven administrative work experience and familiarity with office organization. Position requires a high degree of multi-tasking and time management, excellent written and verbal communication skills, integrity and professionalism, and proficiency in MS Office a must. Qualified candidates should contact Patricia Kirk at 618-344-5450 or send resume and three references to pkirk@sspeter-paulschool.org.

Totus Tuus Catholic Summer Youth Camp

July 14-19, St. Cecilia Church, Glen Carbon. For more information, please contact St. Cecilia, 618-288-3200 or email: office@stcparish.org

Marriage Encounter

Are you thinking about your summer vacation? A Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend, away from all the distractions and pressures in your life right now, would be the BEST vacation of your life. You and your spouse will always remember this WWME Weekend away as a great time together that strengthened your marriage. The next weekends are Aug. 9-11 or Sep. 27-29, 2019 at the Courtyard Marriot in St. Peters, MO. If you would like to apply or get more information, go to <https://stl-wwme.org/schedule.php> or call 314.649.7317.

Please Come!

To Flood Relief Benefit Concert, Thursday July 11 presented by the Encounter Youth Choir, 7:30-9:00pm, Calvary Baptist Church, Alton. Encounter will be joined by the Ignite Youth Choir and singers Mark and Marqueta Goins from Morning Star Missionary Baptist Church, and others! No cost to attend, but free-will offering will be taken up to benefit local groups and charities helping in local flood relief effort! Please join us!

LITURGICAL ROLES

Weekend of July 13-14, 2019

USHERS/GREETERS:

4:30 pm Rich & Sue Hayes
Pat Holbrook, Angela Reilly
8:30 am Fred & Teresa Stutz
Chris & Chris Stutz
10:30am Chip & Jackie Braatz
John Wagner, Emily Forrester

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

4:30 pm Jay & Denise McCurdy, Rick Rose
Maryjo Flaherty, Dan Perkhiser, Judy Osborne
Pat Beierman, Mary Stewart
8:30 am Don & Carol Beste, Joe Grabowski
James & Kelli Stutz, Tim Zacha
Michelle Lilly, Ray Meyer
10:30 am Carol O'Toole, Kateri Frisch, Brad Fulk
Dave Berkenbile, Marci Stein, Adam Sims
Sharon Forrester, Teresa Wilson

SERVERS:

4:30 pm Grace Ray
Lilli Ray
Sofie Lamere
8:30 am Sam Maher
Shane Maher
Ava Cherry
10:30 am Josie Kuykendall
Isabella Tite
Michael Wilson

MUSIC:

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

LECTORS:

4:30 pm Rebecca Gray
8:30 am Brenda Tebbe
10:30 am Alyssa Smith

SCRIP Sales—Weekend of July 13-14, 2019

4:30 Marilee Webb
8:30 Dan & Martha Smith
10:30 Kathy Murphy, Carrie Albarado

Suffering, Yet Strong

From now on, let no one make troubles for me; for I bear the marks of Jesus on my body. Galations 6:17

What makes us strong? Natural aspects of personality, undoubtedly, but circumstances do have something to do with it as well. After my husband died suddenly at the age of 50, over ten years ago, I found myself looking at life differently in many ways. Over time, one of those ways, it was clear, was a position of greater strength. After all I'd been through, what else could hurt me? Paul is speaking of something different here, but perhaps we can still see a connection. In communion with Jesus, we are in communion with his wounds and suffering. But it doesn't end there, does it? For his wounds are rooted in love and point to eternal life. By holding on to him and accepting that suffering, love and hope in a healthy way, I'm changed. I'm strong.

Jesus, I look to you for strength in the face of today's challenges.

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