

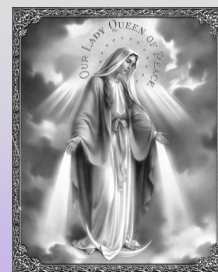
Our Lady Queen of Peace Catholic Church

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Third Sunday of **LENT**

March 24, 2019



“Sir, leave the fig tree for another year;
perhaps it will bear fruit.”

Luke 13:8-9

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Sacrament of Penance

Saturday.....3:30 pm-4:15 pm and by appointment

Weekly Adoration of The Blessed Sacrament

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

Communion to the Homebound

Holy Communion is brought to homebound, residents of Villa Rose Retirement Living, Cedarhurst Living, Hollybrook and Bethalto Care Center on Fridays for those unable to attend Mass. Call office to request.

Hospital Visits/ Sacrament of Anointing

Call parish office to request a hospital visit or the Sacrament of Anointing by Fr. Tom.

Sacrament of Baptism

Parents of infants to be baptized should call the parish office to request a meeting with Fr. Tom.

Mass Times

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday:

8:30 am

Wednesday: 6:30 pm

Saturday: 4:30 pm

Sunday: 8:30 am, 10:30 am

Knights of Columbus

Bethalto Council #4688, 4th Degree #203

Grand Knight: Troy Lively

Email: bethaltoknight@gmail.com

Website: www.bethaltoknights.org

Stations of the Cross

Every Friday during Lent at 2:15 pm
(with the school children) and at 6:30 pm.



HAPPENING EVERY FRIDAY!!

OLQP school along with the Knights of Columbus are excited to offer the Lenten Fish Frys. They are held every Friday, with the exception of Good Friday, in the school gym. Dinner is served from 4-7. This is an all you can eat meal. The cost is \$11.00 for adults dining in and \$5.00 for children. This includes your choice of fish, sides, dessert, and drink. We do not offer a la carte options for those dining in. There are carry out options available as well.

Third Sunday of Lent

Mass Schedule & Intentions

Sat., March 23	Lenten Weekday
4:30 pm	Jerry Flowers
Sun., March 24	Third Sunday of Lent
8:30 am	For the Parishioners
10:30 am	Nancy Zini
Mon., March 25	Annunciation of the Lord
8:30 am	Marge Erzen
Tues., March 26	Lenten Weekday
8:30 am	Jerry Flowers
Wed., March 27	Lenten Weekday
6:30 pm	Larry Paul
Thurs., March 28	Lenten Weekday
8:30 am	Roger Watters
Fri., March 29	Lenten Weekday
8:30 am	Ed Pilgrim
Sat., March 30	Lenten weekday
4:30 pm	Rudy Papa
Sun., March 31	Fourth Sunday in Lent
8:30 am	Jerry Durbin
10:30 am	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, Mike Byers, Lee Burnt, Maxine Calhoon, John and Jeanette Medlock, Dan Connoyer, Gloria Matthews, Dorothy Wittig, Dave Gibbons, Bill Jones, Dianne Morin, Brian Scheffel, Jim Rogers, Herb Boswell, Willie Wappelhorst, Mary Terry, John Terry, Helen Orban. **Parish E-Mail Prayer Chain:** Send requests to Marie at re-joy128@gmail.com



Fish Fry Every Friday

Don't miss our weekly Fish Fries in the school gym during Lent. More info on cover of this bulletin!!

POST Class

POST class will meet **March 27** at 3 PM in the Enrichment Center/music room. All confirmed youth are welcome to come for great conversations about our Catholic faith and great snacks. For more info. call Paula 618-972-1522.

Attention Incoming College Students

There will be a gathering of new students who will be attending SIUE this fall on Sunday, April 7, at 6:30 pm. This will be held in the Religious Dome behind the Student Union Building. It will be an opportunity to meet the campus ministers and current students. Mass will follow at 8:00 pm.

Dioc. Victim Assistance Coordinator

And liaison between the Diocese and anyone with an allegation of sexual abuse of a minor, Debbie Maynerich, 217-321-1155.



We Welcome You!

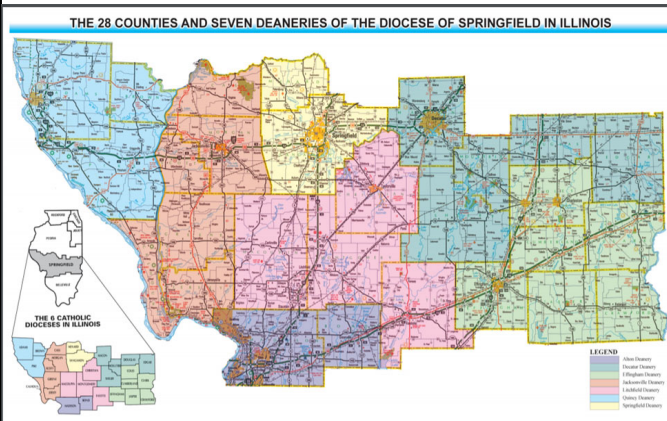
Jacob, Mary, Eleanor & Emmett Brown



We would like to continue sharing information on *Divine Mercy Senior Living Community* through our **Who, What,**

Where, When, Why, and How series. This week, we will focus on **"Where is Divine Mercy Senior Living Community?"**

1) Divine Mercy Senior Living Community is the first Catholic senior living community of this kind in the diocese.



2) Located in **Glen Carbon, IL**, this community will be easily accessible from the interstate and will have nearby restaurants and retail, making it convenient for residents to enjoy the neighborhood outside of Divine Mercy Senior Living Community.

3) Divine Mercy Senior Living Community will be in the center of Madison County, allowing parishioners from North, East, South, and West to travel to the community in 25 minutes or less.

If you would like to visit with Fr. Tom and the campaign committee to discuss your pledge to this effort, please call the Parish Office at (618) 377-6519. Thank you in advance for your support of this important effort in our community!

Prayer for Healing

God of my soul and of my earthly body, see me today exactly as I am. Find me where I stand waiting for you. See my illness and renew me, I pray. See my weaknesses and bring me strength. See the empty places in my life and fill them with your presence. Heal me, O Lord, in the way that only you know I most need. Amen.

PARISH OFFERINGS

Week—39	03/16/19—03/17/19	Total to Date
Loose	\$436.00	\$27,043.80
Envelopes	\$16,543.00	\$396,453.37
On Line Giving	\$1,903.00	\$72,536.00
Young People	\$13.00	\$454.45
Total	\$18,895.00	\$496,487.62
Operating Budget	\$13,233.55	\$502,874.90
ACSA Budget	\$788.15	\$29,949.70
Difference	\$4,873.30	(\$36,336.98)

Weekly envelopes received: 190 of 829
Building Maintenance Fund Donations: \$65.00
Other Charitable Donations: \$1,414.00

March 24, 2019

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Father Tom is available for Confession 45 minutes before Mass begins each day. These times for Confession are: **Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, Fridays, Sundays:** 7:45 am; **Wednesdays:** 5:45 pm; **Saturdays:** 3:30 pm or by appointment. However, if this does not work with your schedule, these are other opportunities for area Penance Services: March 24, 1:00 pm, St. Ambrose (Godfrey); March 24, 2:00 pm, St. Boniface (Edwardsville); March 31, 7:00 pm, St. Jerome (Troy).

Pre School Registration

Preschool Registration continues for the 2019/2020 school year. Call the school office at 377-6401 if you have not already done so to add your child's name to the list.

Ladies Retreat Last Call!!

Our Ladies ACTS Retreat is a few days away—**March 28—31!!** It's not too late to sign up! Registration forms in church entrances or the parish office. Questions/further information, contact retreat director: Monica Milholland, 314-229-2116.

OLQP Germany Pilgrimage

9/22/2020-10/1/2020—Cost: \$4198 - \$300 deposit due w/ registration (payment plan available) We will spend 10 days visiting monasteries, churches, visit a Eucharistic miracle site, castles, concentration camp, the black forest and the Oktoberfest. Contact Amy Frisch 618-444-7715 for details. Brochures/registration forms in back of church, church and school offices.

Do You Have A Schnucks E-Scrip Card?

If you shop at Schnucks (even just occasionally) and do not have one of these cards, we encourage you to use one. Unlike the SCRIP gift cards we sell, you do not have to purchase any cards before you shop. You simply have the cashier scan the card before your order has been completed. You pay for your groceries in any way you choose—cash, debit, credit, etc. Each month we receive a check from Schnucks for a portion of your purchases. It's a win—win!! To get a card, just call the parish office, 377-6519, and we can either mail it to you or have it available for you to pick up at the SCRIP table after weekend Mass. (If you choose to participate in the Schnucks Rewards Program, you cannot use this e-scrip card at the same time.)

'Breakfast For Life'

Please join us **Sunday, April 14, 8 am—12 Noon**, in the church basement. Our Knights are hoping to raise enough funds to purchase and replace a broken ultrasound machine for 'Thrive-Options Now'. Just in our local area, the ultrasound machines currently being used have saved 278 babies from being aborted. This is a project that has been taken on by many other Knights of Columbus councils across the US., and it's estimated there have been 1 million babies saved nationwide since they began this service. Please come hungry to this breakfast! This is your opportunity to help save lives! Donations will be accepted, checks to be made out to Bethalto K of C Ultrasound Fund (tax deductible).

Marquette CHS Job Openings

Boys' head soccer coach, Girls' assistant volleyball coach. For more information, please contact the Athletic Office (618) 463-0583 x226 or email Jack Holmes at jholmes@mymchs.org

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Lent is a good time to decide to deepen your faith, and your relationship with your spouse. Marriage Encounter Weekends offer you new tools to improve your communication, and open a whole new world of closeness. Attend a Marriage Encounter Weekend on April 12-14 in St. Peters, MO; or June 21-23, at the Chiara Center in Springfield, IL. To apply/get more info, go to: <https://stl-wwme.org/schedule.php> or call 314-649-7317.

LITURGICAL ROLES

Weekend of March 30-31, 2019

USHERS/GREETERS:

4:30 pm Dee Oller, Stacey Dooling
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 Dan Perkhiser, Liz Laurent, John Harshbarger
Pat Beierman, Marce & Brenda Tebbe
Bob Sulsberger, Rosemary Dorsey
8:30 am Joe Grabowski, Sharon Pritchett, Blake Marth
Paula Mattix-Wand, Jim Menke, Brenda Zacha
Tim Zacha, Patricia Johnson
10:30 am ACTS Ladies

SERVERS:

4:30 pm Dawson Jarman
Delaney Jarman
Alyssa Postlewait
8:30 am Eloise Bargiel
Patrick Bargiel
Nathan Viehweg
10:30 am Josie Kuykendall
Michael Wilson
Gabby Krieb

MUSIC:

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

LECTORS:

4:30 pm Pat Beiermann
8:30 am Ann Payne
10:30 am Brenda Tebbe

SCRIP Sales—Weekend of March 30-31, 2019

4:30 Debbie Zacha
8:30 Cindy Stutz
10:30 Darlene Rowe

DCCW Retreat for Women

All women of the parish are invited to this annual event to be held **Tuesday, April 2, 9:00 am** until **Wednesday, April 3**, concluding after lunch, at the Villa Maria Catholic Life Center, Springfield. To sign up, forms in the church entrances or call the parish office.

#TeamTerry Fundraiser

Order Pampered Chef products through the Fundraiser Catalog Show and up to 15 percent of total sales will go towards their cause. Plus, an extra \$3 is contributed from every Show booked from the event. This fundraiser is for John and Mary Terry, some wonderful individuals from Our Lady Queen of Peace in Bethalto, IL. They have both been struck with some serious medical issues - Please help support their needs. Your kindness is greatly appreciated during these difficult times.

<https://pamperedchef.com/party/fundterry>

Tuition Assistance—2019-2020

Parish families who wish to apply for financial assistance for the upcoming school year are asked to do so as soon as possible, on line at: online.factsmtg.com/signin/3glyj Please note that all applications are kept in the strictest of confidence. If you have questions/need assistance, call parish office, 377-6519. (Tuition assistance is offered to active, contributing members of the parish.)

Women's Prayer Breakfast

This event, scheduled for March 30 at St. Mary's Church in Alton, is full to capacity. However, if you are already registered and would like to ride with other ladies from our parish, contact Sharon Pritchett, 692-6810.

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