

Our Lady Queen of Peace Catholic Church

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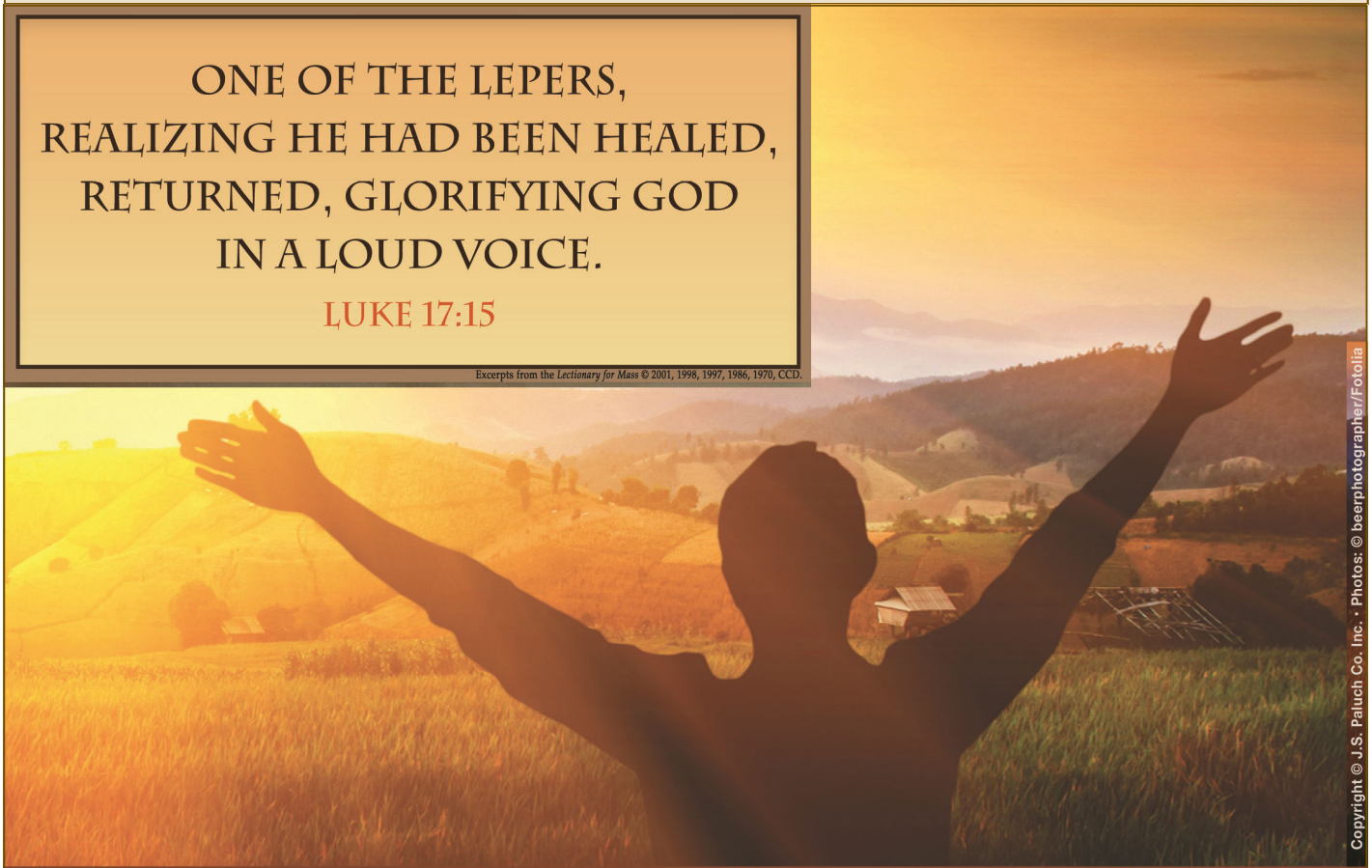
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MASS SCHEDULE: Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, Fridays: 8:30 am;
Wednesdays: 6:30 pm; Saturdays: 4:30 pm; Sundays: 8:30 & 10:30 am

ONE OF THE LEPERS,
REALIZING HE HAD BEEN HEALED,
RETURNED, GLORIFYING GOD
IN A LOUD VOICE.

LUKE 17:15

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October 13, 2019 • Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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.

Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Schedule & Intentions

Sat., Oct. 12 4:30 pm	Weekday in Ordinary Time For the Parishioners
Sun, Oct. 13 8:30 am 10:30 am	28th Sunday in Ordinary Time Jerry Durbin Jeffrey Gonterman
Mon., Oct. 14 8:30 am	Weekday in Ordinary Time David Gregory
Tues., Oct. 15 8:30 am	St. Teresa of Jesus Catherine Carrow
Wed., Oct. 16 6:30 pm	Weekday in Ordinary Time Jill Lefringhouse
Thur., Oct. 17 8:30 am	St. Ignatius of Antioch Anthony & Jennie Ventimiglia
Fri., Oct. 18 8:30 am	St. Luke Kody Osborne
Sat., Oct. 19 4:30 pm	Sts. John de Brebeuf & Issac Jogues Ed Pilgrim
Sun., Oct. 20 8:30 am 10:30 am	29th Sunday in Ordinary Time For the Parishioners Catherine Carrow

Prayer Requests

The sick: Conor Vogel, Jim Friedrich, Keita Salantai, Mary Wagner, Bob Schley, Charlie Mattingly, Noah Rogers, Becky Gray, Marguerite Hufker, Darlene Huebener, Randall Oldham, Nelson Gregory, Bob Zakrzewski, Dan McRae, Mary Overton, Don Laird, Maxine Calhoon, Gloria Matthews, Dianne Morin, Brian Scheffel, Jim Rogers, Mary Friedel, Bob Randolph, Dan Kitzmann, Anne Hullett, Vi Perkhiser, Herb Boswell, Suprina Schmidt.



Parish E-Mail Prayer Chain: Send requests to Marie at rejoy128@gmail.com

Military Mass

Pray for our nation, our Veterans, and active Military and their families at October Military Mass on **Wednesday, Oct. 16th**, at 6:00 PM at St. Peter & Paul Catholic Church in Alton. All are welcome!!!

POST—Attention All Confirmed Youth

We will meet **Today, October 13** and **Sunday, October 27**, 6:30-7:30 PM in the church basement. Topic for the 13th: God, Creation, Evolution, & Dinosaurs. Awesome snacks will be served!

Can You Help?

We are in need of extra hands to assist as Smorgasbord Co-Chairs this year. New volunteers will work along side others who have co-chaired in the past. To help/questions, call the parish office, 377-6519.

Rest In Peace

Please pray for the repose of the souls of **Lori Samples**, mother of **Zachary Samples**, *Seminarian of our Diocese* and **Vi Yaeger**, *former parishioner*. *May they rest in peace.*

Dear Parishioners,

It is Monday morning as I am writing this bulletin article and I have just finished offering the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass for the feast day of Our Lady of the Rosary. It is a feast day to commemorate the victory of a naval engagement in which a Christian fleet was victorious in battle over the Ottoman Empire fleet after praying the rosary. As we are now in the month of October, which is Respect Life Month, let us remember that we are also in a battle with the evil of abortion. Perhaps using the same "weapon" of the rosary to combat this present day evil may have the same result as it did back in 1571. Let us never give up on the power of prayer.

(What More Can We Do For Jesus)

Father Tom

Welcome Reverend John Quinn

Reverend Canon John L. Quinn will be visiting our parish next weekend to speak at all the Masses on behalf of Cross Catholic Outreach which was founded to create a meaningful link between parishes in America and the priests and nuns working in the Church overseas in the Caribbean, Africa, Asia, Central and South America.

2020 March for Life

OLQP will once again plan on attending the **March for Life in Washington DC Jan 22 - Jan 26**. Itinerary - leaving OLQP Wed, Jan 22 at 5:30 pm, returning early morning on Sun Jan 26. Visits will include Mary of the Woods Shrine, St. Ann Seaton Shrine, tour of Gettysburg, Shrine of St. John Paul II, evening vigil at Basilica of the Immaculate Conception, March for Life, Arlington Cemetery, tour of Arlington, Tomb of Unknown Soldier, home of Robert E. Lee, Holocaust or Smithsonian museums, night tour of DC, Baltimore Basilica, Ft. McHenry. Cost: \$350 if registered by 11/30/2019, \$400 after based on space availability. \$100 deposit due with registration. Please contact Norm or Amy Frisch for forms, details 618-444-7715 or amykfrisch@gmail.com.



PARISH OFFERINGS

Week 14	October 5-6	Total to Date
Loose	\$2,195.00	\$8,525.17
Envelopes	\$12,573.75	\$142,260.51
On Line Giving	\$2,023.00	\$27,872.00
Young People	\$6.00	\$151.41
Total	\$16,797.75	\$178,809.09
Operating Budget	\$13,910.25	\$194,743.50
ACSA Budget	\$1,516.98	\$21,237.72
Difference	\$1,370.52	(\$37,172.13)

Total Envelopes received: 191 of 811
 Building Maintenance Fund Donations: \$205.00
 Other Charitable Donations: \$530.00

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Community 55 (55+)

WHAT: Social gatherings, established some 20 years ago, hosted by volunteers

WHO: For Senior Adult parishioners

WHY: To share faith, friendship, food & fun

WHEN: The 3rd Wednesday of each month, September through May at 11:30 am.

WHERE: Hosts' choice—May be held in the parish hall (catered) or at an area restaurant (order from menu). Please join us **Wednesday, October 16, 11:30 am**, at Eagles Nest Restaurant (back room). There will be 50/50 drawing and attendance prizes.

HOW: Reservations due by **Sunday, October 13** to Peggy Ruhmann, 407-8083, or Helen Nagy, 377-0793.

KCK Memorial Mass

November 10, 10:30 am, Holy Angels Parish, Wood River. This mass is for all deceased members of **Knights of Columbus—Alton, Bethalto, Wood River councils**. All Knights and widows are invited. We will have a 4th Degree Honor Guard. All color corps should be at church by 10:00 am. Spread the word!!

Bishop Paprocki Wants Your Feedback!

The Diocese of Springfield is conducting a campaign planning study, and Bishop Paprocki would like to hear from you. The study will gather feedback on a potential diocesan-wide capital campaign to support the education of our seminarians. The study will provide everyone with an opportunity to share their thoughts through a combination of personal interviews, mail/online surveys, and town halls to be held at various locations. There will be regular updates in our bulletin in the weeks to come.

Mark Your Calendar!

Saturday, November 9, 1-4 pm, Open house for **Virginia Forehand's 90th birthday** celebration, at the Bethalto Senior Citizens Building. *No gifts please! We ask that you bring a written or typed favorite memory of Virginia.*

Attention School Families

In the past, we were able to offer credit for SCRIP purchases made by anyone on behalf of a school family. However, now that we are crediting school families with 80% of the profit for all purchases, and keeping only 20% to assist with expenses, we are limiting purchases to be given for credit, made by immediate family members only. If you have any questions, please call the parish office, 377-6519.

Day of Renewal

Friday, October 25, 9:30 am—1:30 pm., St. Anthony's Health Center, in the Chapel. This Day of Renewal is a time of introspection and recollection for all—regardless of church affiliation. Members are invited to join in seeking spiritual renewal in their lives. Cost—\$10, which includes lunch, checks payable to OSF St. Anthony's Auxiliary. Send reservation to: Cherie Schmidt, Volunteer Services, OSF St. Anthony's Health Center, 1 St. Anthony's Way, P.O. Box 340, Alton, 62002.

LITURGICAL ROLES

Weekend of Oct. 19-20, 2019

USHERS/GREETERS:

4:30 pm Dan Perkhiser, Mike Magee
Pat Holbrook, Angela Reilley

8:30 am Loren & Raeann Summers
Janet Gross

10:30am Chip & Jackie Braatz
John Wagner, Emily Forrester

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

4:30 pm Bob Sulsberger, Marcella Dipaolo, Dick Rogers
Rich & Sue Hayes, Linda Bugg
Liz Laurent, Rex Petersen

8:30 am Jim Menke, Brenda Zacha, Patricia Johnson
Michelle Lilly, Don & Carol Beste,
James & Kelli Stutz

10:30 am Lee Gonterman, Carol O'Toole, Lee Friedel
Cindy Helmkamp, Mike Inman, Tammy Sasek
Brad Fulk, Kateri Frisch

SERVERS:

4:30 pm Nick Newton
Jake Newton
Joseph Newton

8:30 am Grace Ray
Aubrie Smith
Lilly Ray

10:30 am Gabby Krieb
Carlie Pritchett
Josie Kuykendall

MUSIC:

4:30 pm Adult Choir
8:30 am Folk
10:30 am Praise Team

LECTORS:

4:30 pm Pat Beiermann
8:30 am Brenda Tebbe
10:30 am Allyssa Smith

SCRIP Sales—Weekend of Oct. 19-20, 2019

4:30 Stephanie Gvillo, Tammie Harshbarger
8:30 Cindy Stutz
10:30 Amy Frisch, Marge Kirby

The Least of My Brothers and Sisters

"Whatever you did for one of the least of these my brothers, you did for me." Matthew 25:40

Who are "the least" in our world today? One can put forward many worthy candidates: fatherless children, the elderly, the infirm, the immigrant and the poor. Of course we should help all of these people. **But** it's hard to be "less" than a child so young he is unable even to cry. The unborn have no ability to plead their own case. No leverage with which to protect themselves. If their natural parents choose to abort them, they have no recourse, and nowhere to run. They are literally voiceless and defenseless. **So** the pro-life movement seeks to befriend these friendless people. Whether or not one takes the Bible to be the Word of God, I think all pro-lifers are moved by this insight: that we have the responsibility to protect those who are most singularly incapable of protecting themselves. That's why we go on marching, year after year and decade after decade. That's why we chisel away at the network of laws designed to protect adult lifestyles and convenience at the expense of innocent lives. That's why young people today are more pro-life than their parents were 20 years ago.

-www.Pro-LifeArticles.org

Our Knights Need Your Support

Annual Vocations Raffle: Pick up tickets at church exits. And, you can drop your tickets/money in the collection basket, marked KC raffle. You may also drop off in the parish office. Thanks so much for your support!

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