

# Our Lady Queen of Peace

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## The Triduum

The most sacred and the last three days of Holy Week are known as the Triduum.

On **Holy Thursday** we will have the Mass of the Lord's Supper at 7:30 pm, with the "Washing of the Feet". Following that service we will have Adoration of the Lord in the Blessed Sacrament until 12:00 a.m. Please consider spending an hour with our Lord according to the first letter of your last name:

8:30—9:30 pm	T-Z
9:30—10:30 pm	H-M
10:30—11:15 pm	A-G
11:15—12:00 am	N-S



**Good Friday** we will celebrate the Liturgy of the Lord's Passion at 7:30 pm.

**Holy Saturday** we will welcome our Elect into the Church and proclaim the miracle of the Risen Christ with Mass at 8:00 pm.

**Easter Sunday** we proclaim the miracle of the Risen Christ with Masses at 8:30 am and 10:30.

## Sacrament of Confession This Week

There are 3 opportunities for the Sacrament of Confession this week. They are:

**Wednesday:** 5:30 pm—6:15 pm  
**Thursday:** Immediately after 7:30 Mass  
**Friday:** Immediately after 7:30 Service

If it's been a while since you've received this Sacrament, feel free to use the following guide to assist you:

### Before Confession

Make an examination of conscience by recalling your sins. Calmly ask yourself what you have done with full knowledge and full consent against God's Commandments.

### During Confession

Make the sign of the cross and say "Bless me, Father, for I have sinned. It has been (period of time) since my last confession. These are my sins: \_\_\_\_\_"



After you confess your sins, the priest will assign you a penance and give you advice to help you in the future.

### Recite the Act of Contrition

"O my God, I am heartily sorry for having offended you, and I detest all my sins, because I dread the loss of heaven and the pains of hell; but most of all because they offend you, my God, who are all good and deserving of all my love. I firmly resolve, with the help of your grace, to confess my sins, to do penance and to amend my life. Amen."

The priest will then bless you.

### After Confession

Give thanks to God for having forgiven you. Promptly and devoutly fulfill the penance given by the priest. If you recall some serious sin that you forgot to tell, rest assured that it has been forgiven with the others, but be sure to include it in your next Confession.

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***"If we acknowledge our sins,  
he is faithful and just and will forgive our  
sins and cleanse us from every wrongdoing."***

**1 John 1:9**

## Palm Sunday

### Mass Schedule & Intentions

<b>Sat., April 12</b> 4:30 pm	<b>Lenten Weekday</b> Jo Ann Stoneburner
<b>Sun, April 13</b> 8:30 am 10:30 am	<b>Palm Sunday</b> For the parishioners Helen Law
<b>Mon., April 14</b> 8:30 am	<b>Monday of Holy Week</b> Charles Calhoon
<b>Tues., April 15</b> 8:30 am	<b>Tuesday of Holy Week</b> Audrey Friedel
<b>Wed., April 16</b> 6:30 pm	<b>Wednesday of Holy Week</b> Jo Ann Harmon
<b>Thurs., April 17</b> 7:30 pm	<b>Holy Thursday</b> Daniel Pohlman
<b>Fri., April 18</b> 7:30 pm	<b>Good Friday</b> No Intention
<b>Sat., April 19</b> 8:00 pm	<b>Easter Vigil</b> Kurt & Grace Boerner
<b>Sun., April 20</b> 8:30 am 10:30 am	<b>Easter Sunday</b> Kim Rhodes For the Parishioners

### Prayer Requests

**The sick:** Darlene Fox, Conor Vogel, Cathy Berghoff, Mary Oldham, Karl Dubbelde, Carol Alcorn, Jim Budde, Julie Stutz-Weindel, Jim Friedrich, Keita Salantai, Mary Wagner, Joan Friedrich, Millie Breden, Sharon McGraw, Joe McGraw, Ben Cenatiempo, David Woods, Melvin Luebbers, Betty Graham, Randall Oldham, Stephen Burrows, Joe Tardino, Charlotte Simms, Ella Curry, Whitey Hamilton, Jack Waeltz.



**Our military parishioners and friends:** Gabe Swift, Kyle Graham, Dustin Boner, Eric Garner, Ryan Eaker, Jeremy Stanford, David Burns, Tim Friedel, Clay Bush, Kyle Boeser, Doug St. Peters.

### Feast of the Divine Mercy

**Sun., April 13,** 7:00 pm, St. Elizabeth Church, Granite City, invites everyone to a live drama of 'Faustina Messenger of Divine Mercy', performed by Maria Vargo. Admission is free will offering and is suited for ages 12 & up. More info, call 877-3300 or ccomerford@stelizabethparish.net

### Buy A Brick

Make your mark in history. Buy a commemorative brick to add to our walkway in the Mary garden. A 4"x 8" brick is \$100. Order forms available on the school's website olqp-bethalto.org under current parent information, in the school office or in the church office. All proceeds benefit Our Lady Queen of Peace PSA. We must have at least 20 bricks to place an order. Call Julie Collman, 377-0720 with any questions.

### Ursuline Convent Luncheon/Card Party

Tuesday, April 22, Ursuline Convent, 845 Danforth Street, Alton, 10 am—3 pm. Questions, call Virginia, 465-1362.

### Dear Parishioners,

Holy Week is an opportunity for all of us to stop the usual things that occupy our time and to put our faith first. There are so many things that occupy our minds and time that are truly important, but not as important as what we celebrate during this special week. Those important things will still be there after Holy Week, so let us put Holy Thursday, Good Friday, and Easter first on our calendars. Why? It is as simple as remembering all that Jesus did for us. Jesus suffered for us. He died for us. He rose from the dead for us. Everything that Jesus did was for us. Let us do something for Him.

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*Fr. Tom*

### Easter Basket Donations

This coming Friday, our parish Youth Group will assemble and deliver Easter baskets to the elderly, infirmed and home-bound of the parish. To have someone added to the list, please call the parish office, 377-6519. Also, donations of plastic eggs, baskets or grass, candy, stuffed animals gladly accepted. We ask that you bring these donations to the parish office before next Friday. Thank you!!

### Easter Egg Hunt

Following 10:30 Mass on Easter Sunday and open to all children of the parish up to age 10. Youth Group members needed to help hide eggs during Mass.

### Women's Day

**Sat., April 26,** 8 am—3 pm, Collinsville KC Hall. EXPERIENCE THE MIRACLE OF FATIMA. Continental breakfast, luncheon, speakers, singers, shopping at vendor booths, relic display, outdoor procession and Rosary, Eucharistic Adoration, and Reconciliation. \$15/person.

### Parish Food Pantry

We are still in need of items to replenish our Food Pantry. Especially: peanut butter, jelly, mac/cheese and canned fruit. Bags can be picked up by the doors of the church. If you can, please take one home to fill and return to church. Thanks!

### Attention Ushers

Please check the box of Usher Name Tags in vestibule of the church for your Name Tag. There are 2 sets that you will need to look through. If you do not find your name tag in either set, please write your name on the sheet by the box. We are attempting to get name tags for all Ushers.

### Attention Youth

#### (7th Grade & Older) & Young Adults

24 Hour Fast for world hunger: We begin our fast at 8:30 am on Good Friday and go until 8:30 am Easter Saturday. During that day, there will be lots of activities, including clean up yards, take baskets and do home visits and lots of reflection time on those less fortunate. We have a lock in through the night so bring your sleeping bag and pillow and appropriate lounge clothes. \$20/person—all proceeds goes to efforts to feed children in third world countries. If you can't make the entire day or even any part of the day, you may join us in prayer and fasting.

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### Can Our Youth Assist You?

On Good Friday, April 18th, members of our parish Youth Group will participate in a day of fasting. During this day, they offer their services, free of charge, for yard work, window cleaning or other types of assistance needed by elderly or homebound of the parish. If you are in need or you know of someone who is in need of their services, please call the parish office, 377-6519 or Norm Frisch, 377-9373.

### Please Note

The parish office will be closed from 12 noon on Holy Thursday, April 17, until 8:30 am on Tuesday, April 22. In addition, SCRIP will not be sold at the Masses on Easter weekend.

### PSR Announcement

Please note there will be no PSR Classes next weekend due to Easter. We will resume the following weekend, April 27.

### KC Gun Raffle - OLQP Scholarships

Tickets for this Raffle Scholarship will be sold after all Masses outside the main entrance of the church. This scholarship is for the continuing CATHOLIC education for OLQP 8th graders. Please support this. Thank you!

### OLQP Spring Sprint 5K Run/1 Mile Run/Walk

Come join us on April 26<sup>th</sup>! This is for walkers and runners at any level. There is a 5k run and a 1Mile Fun Run/Walk. Register soon to ensure you get a tee-shirt. Registration forms available in Church office, and both the church and school web sites: olqpbethalto.org and church.olqpbethalto.org. Questions/to volunteer during the run contact April Tinsley: 372-3721 or 410-8356.

### Flower Memorials

Anyone wishing to make a donation (\$10) to purchase an Easter lily in memory of your loved one for our church altar on Easter, place your donation in an envelope marked 'Flowers'.

### OLQP School Registration

K-8 registration for next year will be April 28-May 2. All parishioners with children entering Kindergarten, as well as NEW students in grades 1-8 are asked to call the school office asap (377-6401). We will have a registration packet ready for you to pick up during registration week.

### Summer Sizzler Raffle

Per last week's bulletin we are now \$70,000.00 below budget. We have 16 guns, \$250.00 pledges from various parish groups and parishioners. We have ONLY 5 spots left if you want to donate. Suggestions: Service – window cleaning, carpet cleaning, painting, Sports – Rams tickets, Cardinal tickets, Blues tickets – Business – food certificates, merchandise certificates, liquor certificates – Groups in our Parish like the Youth and Men's organizations - Just about anything of value can be donated.

### Volunteer Opportunities

Community Hope Center in Cottage Hills is looking for volunteers. There are many ways you can help. Call Kay Barlow or Barb Stumpf at 259-0959 or apply online at: www.Hopecenters.com

## LITURGICAL ROLES

### Holy Thursday, April 17, 7:30 pm

**USHERS/GREETERS:** John Platter  
Casher Catlett  
Mike Miller



**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:** Dick Rogers, Maryjo Flaherty  
Marce & Brenda Tebbe  
Tim & Jana Pruitt,  
Sam & Angie Waldo

**SERVERS:** Nora Kohlberg  
Chris DeClue  
Cassandra Reed

**MUSIC:** Combined Choirs  
**LECTOR:** Rebecca Gray

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### Good Friday, April 18, 7:30 pm



**USHERS/GREETERS:** Lee & Janet Friedel  
Paul Bates

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:** Marge Kirby  
Liz Laurent

**SERVERS:** Ethan Booker  
Ethan Durbin  
Gabe Pelot

**MUSIC:** Combined Choirs  
**LECTORS:** Gerry Mattix-Wand—Marc Tebbe  
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### Easter Vigil, April 19: 8:00 pm

### Easter Sunday, April 20:

8:30 am, 10:30 am

#### USHERS/GREETERS:

**8:00 pm** Dan Perkhiser, Mike Magee  
Cathy Gulash

**8:30 am** Ray Meyer, Jim Menke  
Chris & Chris Stutz

**10:30 am** Don & Terri Militello  
Casher Catlett, Dan Merli

#### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

**8:00 pm** RCIA Team

**8:30 am** Jim Menke, Michelle Lilly, Joe Grabowski  
Lee Friedel, Connie Naylor, Brenda Zacha  
James & Kelli Stutz

**10:30 am** John & Sandy Platter, Rob Kaufmann  
Stephanie Dale, Teresa Dubblede, Tim Mayfield  
John Forrester, Pam Satterfield

#### SERVERS:

**8:00 pm** Nora Kohlberg  
Chris DeClue  
Cassandra Reed

#### MUSIC:

**8:00 pm** Combined Choirs  
**8:30 am** Barb/Connie  
**10:30am** Combined Choirs

**8:30 am** Rachel Gvillo  
Johnna Harshbarger  
Samantha Harshbarger

#### LECTORS:

**8:00pm** Gabe Brenner  
Carrie Albarado  
**8:30 am** Ann Payne

**10:30 am** Josie Alcorn  
Cody Albarado  
Andrew Wilson

**10:30am** Theresa Hagans

# He Is Risen!

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