

# Our Lady Queen of Peace

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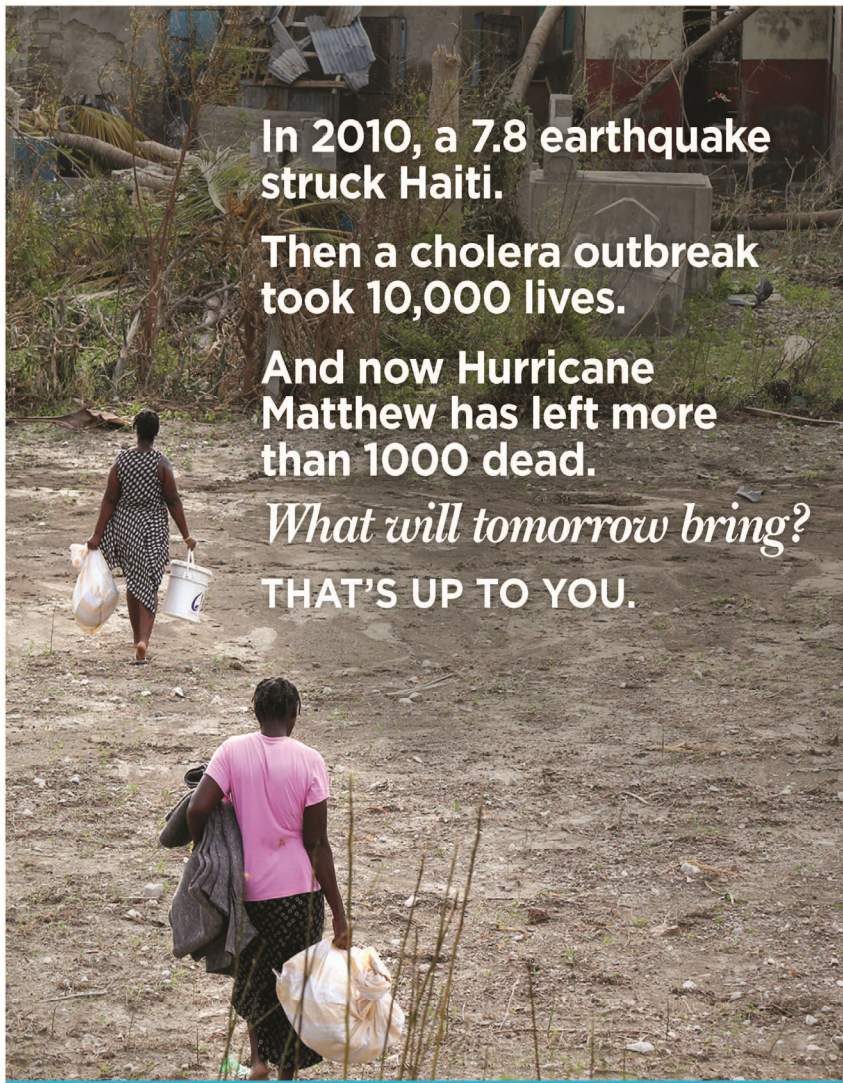
Fr. Tom Liebler, Pastor

## Mass Schedule

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday—8:30 am; Wednesday—6:30 pm.

Saturday—4:30 pm Sunday—8:30 & 10:30 am

To contact Fr. Tom cell: 409-7444 or email: [tliebler@aol.com](mailto:tliebler@aol.com)



In 2010, a 7.8 earthquake struck Haiti.

Then a cholera outbreak took 10,000 lives.

And now Hurricane Matthew has left more than 1000 dead.

*What will tomorrow bring?*  
**THAT'S UP TO YOU.**



Help us provide lifesaving assistance and hope for a better tomorrow.

To donate, call 877-547-7662 or visit [crs.org/helphaiti](http://crs.org/helphaiti).

## Sacrament of Penance

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

## Hospital Visits/ Sacrament of Anointing

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

## Knights of Columbus Contact Info

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4th Degree Assembly #203  
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## Communion to the Homebound

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

## Adoration of The Blessed Sacrament

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

## Sacrament of Baptism

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

## Parish Office Hours

Monday through Friday,  
8:30 am—4:30 pm  
Closed 12-1 for lunch

## Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

### Mass Schedule & Intentions



<b>Sat., Oct. 22</b>	<b>Weekday in Ordinary Time</b> 4:30 pm Ed Kerkemeyer
<b>Sun, Oct. 23</b>	<b>Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> 8:30 am Ronnie Eveans 10:30 am For the Parishioners
<b>Mon., Oct. 24</b>	<b>Weekday in Ordinary Time</b> 8:30 am Kristyn Irvin
<b>Tues., Oct. 25</b>	<b>Weekday in Ordinary Time</b> 8:30 am Kenny Kinder
<b>Wed., Oct. 26</b>	<b>Weekday in Ordinary Time</b> 6:30 pm Dale Johnson
<b>Thurs., Oct. 27</b>	<b>Weekday in Ordinary Time</b> 8:30 am Amy Bernhard (L)
<b>Fri., Oct. 28</b>	<b>Sts. Simon &amp; Jude</b> 8:30 am Freda Maher
<b>Sat., Oct. 29</b>	<b>Weekday in Ordinary Time</b> 4:30 pm Rudy Papa
<b>Sun., Oct. 30</b>	<b>Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> 8:30 am Freda Maher 10:30 am For the Parishioners

### Prayer Requests

**The sick:** Darlene Fox, Conor Vogel, Mary Oldham, Jim Budde, Julie Stutz-Weindel, Jim Friedrich, Keita Salantai, Mary Wagner, Janet Yates, Bob Schley, Pat Ricci, Jean Greer, Cathy Mattingly, Noah Rogers, Becky Gray, Baby Corbin, Mackenzie Robinson, Marguerite Hufker, Gary Trimm, Darlene Huebener, Vera Langenneckert, Becky Hunt, Betty Bast, Bobby & Jared Evans, Randall Oldham, Amy Bernhard, Bonnie Ritzheimer, Nelson Gregory, Bill Jones, Dorothy Wittig. **Parish E-Mail Prayer Chain: Send requests to Marie at [rejoy128@gmail.com](mailto:rejoy128@gmail.com)**



### Food Pantry Needs Donations

We are in dire need for food. Our shelves are almost bare. We are in need of the following: green beans, corn, spaghetti, spaghetti sauce, tomato sauce, hamburger helper, rice and pasta packets, mac and cheese, soups, chicken and dumplings, peanut butter, jelly, fruit, tuna and personal products such as toothbrushes and toothpaste. We are so thankful for all your past and future donations. If you'd rather give a donation of cash, please put it in an envelope for the collection basket marked for the Food Pantry. If by check, you can make it out to OLQP with Food pantry on the notation line. The food pantry is not covered by the monthly blue envelope for special needs.

### Our Thanks

**Cross Catholic Outreach** wishes to thank you for the welcome you extended to Father Joseph Westfall on our recent visit to your parish. On behalf of the poorest of the poor, we thank you for having shared in their lives. May our Lord continue to bless all of you for your love and support.

### RCIA Classes

RCIA Classes have begun. If interested, contact: Tim ([ipray2change@sbcglobal.net](mailto:ipray2change@sbcglobal.net)) or 377-5725 Marie ([rejoy128@gmail.com](mailto:rejoy128@gmail.com)), 377-5593 or Parish Office 377-6519.

### Dear Parishioners,

As Election Day is fast approaching it is vital that we spend some time on learning the moral positions that our Presidential candidates take on the moral issues that are central to our Catholic faith. Forming a moral conscience is one of the obligations we have as Catholics and as Americans. Going in and blindly pushing one button for one party is not forming one's conscience. We must take the time to know the positions of all candidates on vital issues to our Catholic faith. I hope that whoever is elected will humbly open their heart to the leading and guidance of the Holy Spirit.

**Fr. Tom**

### Loved & Not Forgotten Mass

This annual Mass will be held on **Wednesday, November 2, 7:00 pm**, where we remember our loved ones who have returned to God during this past year. If you have not received a letter and would like your loved one included in this memorial Mass, contact the parish office. A reception will be held in the parish hall, following this Mass. All are welcome!

### Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

We have resumed **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** on Saturday mornings from 9 am—11 am. Please consider coming and spending some quiet time with our Lord.

### Zombie Run—This Sunday

**Today, October 23, 6 pm**, (OLQP School). \$20 entry fee—register October 23 by 5:30 pm. Run starts at 6 pm and will finish at OLQP parking lot. Call Kateri Frisch, 618-530-5652.

### KC Vocation Raffle Tickets!

**Don't Forget to turn in your KC Vocation Raffle Tickets!** November 15 is the deadline. Thanks for your support!

### Turkey Dinner & Bazaar

Please join us at the St. Elizabeth Turkey Dinner and Bazaar on October 30, from 11 to 5, at 2300 Pontoon Road, Granite City, IL. We will have raffles for a quilt, an American Girl doll, a yard decoration, and cash. The dinner comes with all the fixings, eat in or carry out, adults \$10.00, children 4 to 10 \$5.00, children 3 and under free. Shop at our booths: the Country Store, religious booth, basket booth, wallet booth, and grab bag booth. See you there!

### PARISH OFFERINGS

Week 16	Oct. 15 & 16, 2016	Total to Date
<b>Loose</b>	<b>\$622.00</b>	<b>\$6,516.25</b>
<b>Envelopes</b>	<b>\$7,031.00</b>	<b>\$141,298.00</b>
<b>On Line Giving</b>	<b>\$2,400.00</b>	<b>\$29,315.00</b>
<b>Young People</b>	<b>\$15.00</b>	<b>\$219.77</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$10,068.00</b>	<b>\$177,349.02</b>
<b>Operating Budget</b>	<b>\$13,114.77</b>	<b>\$209,836.32</b>
<b>ACSA Budget</b>	<b>\$1,153.85</b>	<b>\$18,461.60</b>
<b>Difference</b>	<b>(\$4,200.62)</b>	<b>(\$50,948.90)</b>

**Total weekly envelopes received: 192 of 822**  
**Building Maintenance Fund Donations: \$30.00**  
**Other Charitable Donations: \$225.00**

**October 23, 2016**

## **A Message from the Principal**

We've been in school now for eight weeks! It's hard to believe that the first quarter is soon coming to an end! Our 8<sup>th</sup> graders have celebrated a **Mass with the residents of the Villa Rose Retirement Community**. They will continue to do this monthly throughout the year.

All of our students are beginning to **write letters/cards to those men and women who are serving in the military**. We are happy to add your family member or loved one to the card/letter list if you send in the name and address!

Our **STREAM team ( Science, Technology, Religion, Engineering, Art, Mathematics)** is in full swing, and all of our students, PreK-8, will experience hands-on projects and activities to help them succeed in our ever changing world! Our 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> graders are presently busy constructing a complex robot that will be able to maneuver objects with a robotic arm.

In other news, our 2<sup>nd</sup> grade class attended the **Mission Mass** at the Cathedral in Springfield in early October. This is an experience the 2<sup>nd</sup> graders enjoy each year.

The 4<sup>th</sup> grade class, on their personal school laptops, researched **the presidents** and invited all the students in the school to hear them deliver their **president speeches**. This year all 4-8<sup>th</sup> grade students have their own personal laptop or Chromebook to use at school.

The 7<sup>th</sup> grade class just returned last week from the annual **Space Camp trip** to Huntsville, Alabama. What a fun, educational experience this is each year for our 7<sup>th</sup> grade class!

This week begins **Red Ribbon Week**. At Our Lady Queen of Peace we have always taken this opportunity to do a different activity each day during the week to teach our students about the drug problem facing America today. Monday, the students will receive Red Ribbons to be worn all week. Tuesday, we will dress in blue to **honor our police men and women** who put their lives on the line each day to keep us safe, we especially remember fallen police officer, Blake Snyder. Students make a donation to be able to wear blue with all the money going to the **Backstoppers Organization** which helps and supports the families of fallen police officers. On Wednesday, the students will gather in the gym at 2:15 for a **Living Rosary**, to pray for those addicted to harmful substances. Thursday will be a wear red day, and Friday we will have a special 8:30 AM Red Ribbon Week Mass. We also will have our **Mission Carnival** on the playground from 1:00-2:30.

If this isn't enough activity for a day, that evening we will have **Trunk or Treat** on the parking lot from 6:30-7:45. If any of our parishioners would like to take part in these activities, don't hesitate to call the school office for more information. We would love to have you join us!

Finally, please make sure to mark your calendars for Saturday, November 5<sup>th</sup>. This is the day of our **Fall play, Willy Wonka, Jr.** The 5-8<sup>th</sup> grade Drama Club has been working so hard since the beginning of school in preparing for this wonderful presentation. Tickets are on sale now in the school office for \$6.00 each. We look forward to this, and to seeing all of our parents/parishioners at the play!

**Thank you** for your support in all we do at school! We couldn't be here without all of you!!

**Eve Remiszewski, Principal**

## **Memorial Mass**

There will be a Memorial Mass for **Eleanor Killian**, sister of **Father Kevin Sullivan** at Sacred Heart of Mary Church, New Berlin, Illinois, on Saturday, November 19, 2016.

## **LITURGICAL ROLES**

**Weekend of October 29-30, 2016**

### **USHERS/GREETERS:**

4:30 pm Joe & Cathy Gulash  
Peggy Jo Batson, Linda Heinz  
8:30 am Mike Miller, Joan Kerkemeyer  
Andy & Keith Kerkemeyer  
10:30am Chip & Jackie Braatz  
Lee & Janet Friedel

### **EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:**

4:30 pm Stan Schillinger, Jim & Bea Albarado  
Rosemary Dorsey, Judy Osborne,  
Dan Perkhiser, Linda Bugg  
8:30 am Ray Meyer, JoEllyn Patterson, Lee Friedel  
Theresa Miller, Don & Carol Beste  
Andy & Mary Kerkemeyer  
10:30 am Mike Inman, Dee Oller, Brad Fulk  
Deana McDonough, Jackie Braatz, Tim Mayfield  
Sharon Pritchett, Theresa Debblede

### **SERVERS:**

4:30 pm Cecelia Visser  
Shelby Jones  
Claire Dorsey  
8:30 am Katelyn Maher  
Lauren Maher  
Will Talbot  
10:30 am Sam Poulsen  
Sam Maher  
Andrew Wilson

### **MUSIC:**

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

### **LECTORS:**

4:30 pm Dale Osborne  
8:30 am Joe Grabowski  
10:30 am Carrie Albarado

### **SCRIP Sellers— October 29-30, 2016**

4:30 Debbie Zacha, Barb Trost  
8:30 Cindy Stutz  
10:30 Carrie Albarado, Sharon Gonterman

## **College Student Babysitter Available**

Clare Marth is available on week nights and weekends to babysit. Contact (618) 670-2906 or [clmarth@siue.edu](mailto:clmarth@siue.edu).

## **Marquette Catholic Open House Today**

**Sun., Oct. 23** from 1-3 pm. There will be short presentations at 1:15 and 2:15 in the commons by the gym. Come and see why Marquette students score so well on the ACT and AP Exams. Come and meet the students and their teachers. Bring the whole family. Any questions? Please call Meg Miller at 618-463-0585 x 2 for more information.

## **Important Note**

The Wednesday evening Mass on November 2 will be at 7:00 pm, instead of the usual 6:30 pm schedule. This will be the annual Loved and Not Forgotten Mass.

## **Marquette Catholic HS: Volley for the Cure**

The Marquette Breast Cancer Awareness Club will host their annual Volley for the Cure on Thursday November 10 at 6pm in the Marquette gymnasium. The BCA is asking for your support by attending the match to help raise cancer awareness and to support cancer research. There is no entry fee but donations are welcome. All proceeds go to the American Cancer Society. The Marquette volleyball teams will play against the boys and there will also be a match between the Marquette faculty and the students brave enough to take them on. Many of us have been touched by cancer in some way. Please join us for this fun event on November 10 to support a great cause and honor those who have bravely fought this disease. For additional information on the above, please contact Becky Schulz at [bschulz@marquettecatholic.org](mailto:bschulz@marquettecatholic.org).

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