



# 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**

## SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Saturdays: 3:30-4:15 pm & by appointment

## COMMUNION TO THE HOMEBOUND

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

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Bethalto Council #4688, 4th Degree #203

Grand Knight: Troy Lively

Email: [bethaltoknight@gmail.com](mailto:bethaltoknight@gmail.com)

Website: [www.bethaltoknights.org](http://www.bethaltoknights.org)

## ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

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

## HOSPITAL VISITS/ SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING

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

Did not God  
choose those who  
are poor in the world  
to be rich in faith  
and heirs of the  
kingdom that he  
promised to those  
who love him?  
*James 2:5*

September 9  
2018

TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY  
IN ORDINARY TIME

## PARISH OFFICE

618-377-6519, Fax: 618-377-9550

Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30 am—4:30 pm (Sept.—May)

Closed Friday (June—August) Closed 12-1 for lunch

Email: [church@olqpbethalto.org](mailto:church@olqpbethalto.org)

Website: [www.church@olqpbethalto.org](http://www.church@olqpbethalto.org)

Office Manager: Terri Zykan

Secretary & SCRIP Coordinator: Bea Albarado

## PARISH SCHOOL

Mrs. Eve Remiszewski, Principal

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## Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

### Mass Schedule & Intentions

<b>Sat., Sept. 8</b> 4:30 pm	<b>Weekday in Ordinary Time</b> Joseph Perrine
<b>Sun., Sept. 9</b> 8:30 am 10:30 am	<b>Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> Jacob Rose For the Parishioners
<b>Mon., Sept. 10</b> 8:30 am	<b>Weekday in Ordinary Time</b> Dick Folsom
<b>Tues., Sept. 11</b> 8:30 am	<b>Weekday in Ordinary Time</b> Kathryn Militello
<b>Wed., Sept. 12</b> 6:30 pm	<b>Weekday in Ordinary Time</b> Pat Ricci
<b>Thurs., Sept. 13</b> 8:30 am	<b>St. John Chrysostom</b> Communion Service
<b>Fri., Sept. 14</b> 8:30 am	<b>The Exaltation of the Holy Cross</b> Communion Service
<b>Sat., Sept. 15</b> 4:30 pm	<b>Our Lady of Sorrows</b> Anthony & Jennie Ventimiglia
<b>Sun., Sept. 16</b> 8:30 am 10:30 am	<b>Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> For the Parishioners Jeff Newton

### Prayer Requests

**The sick:** Conor Vogel, Jim Friedrich, Keita Salantai, Mary Wagner, Janet Yates, Bob Schley, Jean Greer, Charlie Mattingly, Noah Rogers, Becky Gray, Marguerite Hufker, Darlene Huebener, Betty Bast, Randall Oldham, Nelson Gregory, Kayden Spurgeon, Bob Zakrzewski, Terry Tellefson, Dan McRae, Mary Overton, Don Laird, Dorothy Visser, Dan Kitzmann, Delores Rider, Mike Byers, Lee Burnt, Maxine Calhoon. **Parish E-Mail Prayer Chain:** **Send requests to Marie at [rejoy128@gmail.com](mailto:rejoy128@gmail.com)**



### PSR Classes

PSR has begun. Classes are Wednesdays, 6:15 p.m. in the parish school. To register, contact Cindy Stutz or the church office. Questions contact Cindy Stutz, PSR Coordinator. [psr@olqpbethalto.org](mailto:psr@olqpbethalto.org) or (618)741-4452

### RCIA News

A special invitation to all our friends who worship with us at Mass, who join us in our parish and school activities and fundraisers, but who are not full members of the Church. The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) sessions will soon be starting. This is your personal invitation to join us to discuss and learn more about the Catholic Faith. Sessions are every Wed. evening from 7:00 to 8:30 pm. Call the Parish office @ 377-6519 for more information or simply join us at 7:00 pm in the Parish Hall (downstairs) Wed, Sept. 12. Or, contact: Tim, 377-5725 or [lpray2change@sbcglobal.net](mailto:lpray2change@sbcglobal.net) Marie, 377-5593 or [rejoy128@gmail.com](mailto:rejoy128@gmail.com)

### Tuesday Morning Bible Study

Begins on September 11 after 8:30 Mass in the Church Basement. If you are interested in joining, just come that day or call Sharon Pritchett at 692-6810 or e-mail [sjp6810@madisonelco.com](mailto:sjp6810@madisonelco.com). We are studying the Book of Matthew using the Ignatius Catholic Study Bible New Testament with questions by Scott Hahn. Please join us that day!

### Shirts For Sale

The 2018 Prize (not worker crew) I Dood It t-shirts are for sale in the parish office for \$5 each. Sizes M, L and a limited number of S available. Questions, call Tammy Sasek, 377-7041.

### Dear Parishioners,

Recently we have been reminded of the necessity of volunteers to help out on parish events or projects. Without so many parishioners stepping forward to volunteer their time and talent to help out at a parish event, that parish event would not have happened or that parish project would not have been accomplished. I am so appreciative of all of you who have given so much of yourself to support the parish. Inspired by this, I am declaring September to be Parish Volunteer Discernment Month. I am asking all of you who have not yet stepped forward to volunteer your time and talent to pray about what you want to do for the parish. It may be as a Lector, or Extraordinary Minister of the Eucharist, or usher, or member of the Parish Council, or helping out with the Building and Grounds committee, or one of the many other programs or committees that we have in the parish. Then on a weekend in October you will have the opportunity to take that step forward to volunteer your time and talent. Please give this serious thought and prayer.

*Father Tom*

### Rummage & Bake Sale

Our next parish Rummage Sale will be Friday & Saturday, **Sept. 21-22**. Items may be brought to the school gym stage anytime during office hours, Mon.-Fri., 8:30-4:30. **Thanks!!**

### Community 55

**Wed., Sept. 19**, 11:30 am Luncheon, \$5/person, Foxes Den at Foxes Grove Senior Living Community, 395 E. Edwardsville Road, Wood River (next to the Fire Station). Hostess—Becky Gray. Reservations due **Friday, Sept. 14** to Helen Nagy, 656-5334 or Mary Powell, 259-1540.

### Get A Flu Shot and Give Back!

On **Sat., Sept. 22**, 10 am—2 pm, the Shop n Save in Wood River will give our Food Pantry a donation for every person who gets a flu shot at this designated time. Pick up a flyer to take with you. They are in the church entrances.

### Roma's Fundraiser

**Tuesday, September 11** from 11:00 am-10:00 pm. Dine in or carry out. You do need to mention OLQP for our school to get 10% of your order. Thanks for supporting OLQP!!

### PARISH OFFERINGS

Week 10	September 2-3, 2018	Total to Date
<b>Loose</b>	<b>\$381.46</b>	<b>\$5,464.11</b>
<b>Envelopes</b>	<b>\$9,783.00</b>	<b>\$97,652.00</b>
<b>On Line Giving</b>	<b>\$3,095.00</b>	<b>\$19,900.00</b>
<b>Young People</b>	<b>\$15.45</b>	<b>\$114.70</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$13,274.91</b>	<b>\$123,130.81</b>
<b>Operating Budget</b>	<b>\$13,233.55</b>	<b>\$132,335.50</b>
<b>ACSA Budget</b>	<b>\$788.15</b>	<b>\$7,881.50</b>
<b>Difference</b>	<b>(\$746.79)</b>	<b>(\$17,086.19)</b>

**Weekly envelopes received: 199 of 830**  
**Building Maintenance Fund Donations: \$161.00**  
**Other Charitable Donations: \$503.00**

*A generous person will prosper;  
whoever refreshes others will be refreshed.*  
**Proverbs 11:25**

September 9, 2018

### Calling All Confirmed Youth at OLQP

A new group is forming just for you! It's so new, it doesn't even have a name yet! This group will be learning more about the Catholic faith & how to live as a disciple. This group does not replace OLQP Youth Group (aka TAWGs), but adds to the great work the Youth Group does. This group is open to confirmed youth from PSR and OLQP school--8th grade through high school. We will gather on Wednesday nights when PSR is in session following 6:30 PM Mass. Paula Mattix-Wand will be leading the sessions which will include prayer, learning about faith topics that YOU want to learn about, & helping our parish. The calendar will include youth group events such as XLT and Luke 18 as those events are scheduled. All we need are youth who are open to the Holy Spirit and wanting to continue to learn. For more info, call Paula Mattix-Wand at 618-972-1522.

### KC Chicken Dinner

Sunday, September 16, 11:30 am—2:00 pm, buffet style chicken dinner, served in the OLQP Church basement. Adults—\$10, children \$5 (5-10 years old). Menu includes fried chicken, chicken strips, mashed potatoes & gravy, mac-cheese, vegetable, applesauce, dessert and drink. Proceeds go to Bethalto KC Charities and OLQP Parish.

### OLQP Mouse Races Fundraiser

Saturday, Oct. 27, 6:30 pm, Wood River VFW, 231 E. Edwardsville Road. \$20/person now or \$25/person at the door. Ticket price includes admission and beer. There will also be: a Roulette Wheel, Basket Raffle, 50/50 Drawing, Silent Auction and Costume Contest. Purchase tickets in parish or school offices. Question, call Brandy, 580-8570 or brandy-green2008@yahoo.com.

### Fall Harvest Golf Tournament



Sunday, Sept, 23, Belk Park Golf Course, Wood River, sponsored by OLQP Youth Group. Registration at 10:30 am and tee off at 12 Noon. \$280/team. Fee includes 18 holes with cart, dinner and beverages and an entry into a \$100 drawing. Dinner includes pork steaks and all the fixins, with hot dogs and beverages on the course. Registration forms available in church entrances or parish office. Question, call: Tim Zacha, 377-5725, Norm Frisch, 363-3020 or Amy Frisch, 444-7715.

### Ladies Annual DCCW Convention

Wednesday, September 26, Sts. Mary and Joseph, 2020 East First South Street, Carlinville. "Love and Peace" will be our theme. Come and enjoy a day of fun, fellowship and food as you are inspired and entertained by the following: **Patty Schneier**, will speak about how to "Unlock The Treasure", experiencing God's boundless mercy, Grace and the joy of being Catholic! **Vickie Quade**, creator and author of *Late Night Catechism*, "Mrs. O'Brien's Guide to the Gold Rule Back in the Classroom!!! Registration forms in church entrances and parish office.

### Bingo Is Back!

Please join us Monday, September 10, for St. Mary's Bingo! Doors open at 5:00 p.m. Early Bird Game is at 6:40 p.m. Regular Bingo is at 7:00 p.m. Bingo held at **The Spaulding Club**, Located at the K of C Hall, 405 E. 4th Street, Alton. Color Ball Progressive Jackpot: \$3,000.00.

### Choir Shirts

Choir shirts are available for all parishioners at a modest cost. The shirts are excellent quality and buying one helps support our choir for future needed shirts. They are available in white, green and purple. Just drop your order off at the church office. Delivery, late September. THANKS for your support.

## LITURGICAL ROLES

Weekend of September 15-16, 2018

#### USHERS/GREETERS:

- 4:30 pm Jim & Jackie Page  
Angela Reilley, Pat Holbrook
- 8:30 am Loren & Raeanne Summers  
Barb Cenatiempo, Janet Gross
- 10:30am Ron & Renee Harshbarger  
Dave & Emily Berkenbile

#### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

- 4:30 pm Dick Rogers, Tami Stoneburner, Joe Gulash  
Dan Perkhiser, John Harshbarger, Judy Osborne  
Liz Laurent, Marcella DiPaolo
- 8:30 am Joe Grabowski, Michelle Lilly, Lee Friedel  
Linda Zacha, Jim Menke, JoEllyn Patterson  
Justin & Renea Wilhite
- 10:30 am Marge Kirby, Cindy Helmkamp, Dee Oller  
Dave Berkenbile, Brad Fulk, Jackie Braatz  
Loren & Raeann Summers

#### SERVERS:

- 4:30 pm Dawson Jarman  
Delaney Jarman  
Elizabeth Bequette
- 8:30 am Katelyn Maher  
Lauren Maher  
Allison Maher
- 10:30 am Gabby Krieb  
Lorelie Summers  
Rebekah Summers

#### MUSIC:

- 4:30 pm Adult Choir
  - 8:30 am Barb/Jeanie
  - 10:30 am Praise Team
- LECTORS:**
- 4:30 pm Liz Laurent
  - 8:30 am Mary Ann Klunk
  - 10:30 am Mike Inman

#### SCRIP Sales—Weekend of September 15-16, 2018

- 4:30 Stephanie Gvillo, Tammie Harshbarger
- 8:30 Cindy Stutz
- 10:30 Sharon & Lee Gonterman

### Hospice Volunteers Needed

Have you ever thought about volunteering for a worthy cause? There is such a great need for caring and compassionate people to visit with those in their final days. I'm certain Our Lady Queen of Peace has many such parishioners. Why not learn about becoming a volunteer for hospice? Well ..... Here's your chance. We will be having someone from OSF Saint Anthony's Hospice speak to all the Masses on September 22-23. Please consider learning more.

### Attention Ladies of the Parish

"Called By Name to Belong" is the theme of the upcoming Women's Retreat for our parish at the King's House Retreat & Renewal Center. The retreat will be **September 14, 15 & 16**. This retreat is a mix of quiet and conversation, rest and activity. To register, go to: [www.KingsRetreatCenter.org](http://www.KingsRetreatCenter.org) or call 397-0584 or 800-779-7909. If you are able, the retreat fee is \$175.00. These fees are paid as an anonymous donation by envelope, making it affordable for everyone.

### Help Wanted

Marquette Catholic High School has an opening for an assistant girls' soccer coach, assistant boys' soccer coach, and an assistant baseball coach. Please inquire at the Athletic Office, call 618-463-0583 x226 or email Jack Holmes at [jholmes@mymchs.org](mailto:jholmes@mymchs.org).

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*Treat everyone as equal before the Lord, rich and poor alike.  
Did not God choose the poor to inherit the kingdom?  
James 2:1-5*

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