

# Our Lady Queen of Peace Catholic Church

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## TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SEPTEMBER 23, 2018

Whoever receives  
one child such as  
this in my name,  
receives me;  
and whoever  
receives me,  
receives not me  
but the One  
who sent me.

Mark 9:37



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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.

### 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  
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Secretary & SCRIP Coordinator: Bea Albarado

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## Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

### Mass Schedule & Intentions

<b>Sat., Sept. 22</b> 4:30 pm	<b>Weekday in Ordinary Time</b> Charles Calhoun
<b>Sun, Sept. 23</b> 8:30 am 10:30 am	<b>Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> Jerry Durbin Joe Panapinto
<b>Mon., Sept. 24</b> 8:30 am	<b>Weekday in Ordinary Time</b> For the Parishioners
<b>Tues., Sept. 25</b> 8:30 am	<b>Weekday in Ordinary Time</b> Donald Davis
<b>Wed., Sept. 26</b> 6:30 pm	<b>Weekday in Ordinary Time</b> James Zimmermann
<b>Thurs., Sept. 27</b> 8:30 am	<b>St. Vincent de Paul</b> Nina Henkhaus
<b>Fri., Sept. 28</b> 8:30 am	<b>Weekday in Ordinary Time</b> Lyle Zimmerman
<b>Sat., Sept. 29</b> 4:30 pm	<b>Sts. Michael &amp; Raphael</b> For the Parishioners
<b>Sun., Sept. 30</b> 8:30 am 10:30 am	<b>Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> Paul Gehrs Jeffrey Gonterman

### 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 Calhoun. **Parish E-Mail Prayer Chain:** Send requests to Marie at [rejoy128@gmail.com](mailto:rejoy128@gmail.com)



### PSR Classes

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

### This Week In RCIA . . .

Our Wednesday evening Inquiring sessions have started and we are missing some people! Those "missing" include your loved ones, co-workers, relatives and friends, or someone who you see frequently, perhaps that significant other waiting to pop the question. It may even be someone you have been holding in prayer, many if not all who are waiting to be invited by you or by me to learn more about the Catholic faith. There is still time to join the journey with us. If you have questions or need more information please call the church office at 377-6519 or call or e-mail, Tim Zacha @377-5725, [lpray2change@sbcglobal.net](mailto:lpray2change@sbcglobal.net), or Marie DeClue at 377-5593, [rejoy128@gmail.com](mailto:rejoy128@gmail.com). Or check out our website at <http://www.church.olqpbethalto.org/>

### Tuesday Morning Bible Study

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



### OLQP Annual Nut Sale

The 5th through 8th grade students at Our Lady Queen of Peace School are sponsoring their annual Nut Sale. One pound packages of pecan halves or pecan pieces are on sale for \$14, and one pound packages of walnuts are on sale for \$13. Money raised from this sale will go to Space Camp and Civic Club activities. Please contact any of the upper grade students for nuts or call the school at 377-6401.

### A Very Big Thanks

The I Dood It committee would like to thank everyone who helped make the IDI stand a success again this year! From the set-up and tear down crews, to all those who worked shifts, to all the generous donations of gift cards and money, and all those who prayed for good weather and played a few games, we are truly thankful and blessed to have you! The total profit made for the church was \$6,714.46.

*Tammy & Tim Sasek, Angie & Sam Waldo*

### Military Mass

Please join us for our Military Mass to pray for our nation, active Military, and all our Veterans and Military families on Wednesday, Sept. 26th, at St. Peter & Paul Catholic Church in Alton at 6:00PM.

### "Tunes & Tires"

St. John the Baptist Chapel Foundation is hosting its sixth annual country and bluegrass music festival with an accompanying classic car cruise. It will be held on Saturday, October 6 from 1:00 to 5:00 p.m. at 8729 Lebanon Rd., Troy (on the Knights of Columbus property). Free admission - donations welcome. Food and drinks available for purchase. All proceeds go to the maintenance and restoration of St. John the Baptist Chapel. For questions - call 618-667-6868.

### Attention Business Owners/Parishioners

Mary Ottenberg from JS Paluch will be working on setting up the advertising sponsorships for our bulletin. Advertisements can be purchased for a business, family or a sponsor ad. Please support our sponsors! Their generosity helps us to enjoy our FREE bulletin publication every week throughout the year! If you would like to have your business card handed out on a weekly basis and can help this effort, please call Mary Ottenberg at 314-757-7598, or email @ [ottenbergm@jspaluch.com](mailto:ottenbergm@jspaluch.com)

### PARISH OFFERINGS

Week 12	September 16-17, 2018	Total to Date
<b>Loose</b>	<b>\$1,375.62</b>	<b>\$9,769.81</b>
<b>Envelopes</b>	<b>\$8,081.00</b>	<b>\$115,562.00</b>
<b>On Line Giving</b>	<b>\$2,310.00</b>	<b>\$24,165.00</b>
<b>Young People</b>	<b>\$10.50</b>	<b>\$146.20</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$11,777.12</b>	<b>\$149,643.01</b>
<b>Operating Budget</b>	<b>\$13,233.55</b>	<b>\$158,802.60</b>
<b>ACSA Budget</b>	<b>\$788.15</b>	<b>\$9,457.80</b>
<b>Difference</b>	<b>(\$2,244.58)</b>	<b>(\$18,617.39)</b>

Weekly envelopes received: 188 of 830  
Building Maintenance Fund Donations: \$15.00  
Other Charitable Donations: \$2,857.75

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

September 23, 2018

### Calling All Confirmed Youth at OLQP

It's not too late to join the Wednesday evening group! We meet from 6:30-7:30 PM in the gym kitchen (because that's where the snack is!). Each week we discuss a different topic proposed by one of the youth. This past week we discussed: "Who are the Poor Souls in Purgatory and why do we pray for them?" No registration needed, just come! For more information or to suggest a topic, contact Paula Mattix-Wand at 618-972-1522.

### Memorial Mass - Deceased KC Members

Nov., 11, 2018, 10:30 am Mass at Holy Angels Parish. We invite all Knights and widows to attend. For more information, call Randy Bauser, 462-4266 or 920-6762.

### From Chaos to Peace

*Beloved: Where jealousy and selfish ambition exist, there is disorder . . . James 3:16*

Chaos and disease are companions of disorder. These are not the gifts we seek, yet each of us has probably experienced their detrimental power in our lives. In your prayer today, take a long, honest look at your enemies of peace. What kind of chaos exists in your life that you would like to replace with the gifts that wisdom brings? Wisdom comes from above, James says. It is peaceable and gentle—filled with mercy and all sorts of good fruits. What are the good fruits that wisdom brings? Wars within and without do not come from wisdom. The conflicts among us and within us often come from making wrong choices. Perhaps if we would prayerfully listen to our conflicts, trying to discern what they need, we would know how to pray and what to ask for in our prayer. *O Prince of Peace, may all wars and conflicts cease!*

*Sr. Macrina Wiederkehr, O.S.B.  
Living Faith  
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### A Perfect Gift

*Read the full version at  
[usccb.org/perfect-gift](http://usccb.org/perfect-gift).*

Soon after the birth of my son Charlie,\* was has Down syndrome, a visitor asked whether he was "mild, moderate, or severe" - referring to his level of cognitive impairment. I was shocked. In my arms I held my beautiful baby boy, who defied easy categorization.

*Clinical labels  
don't tell the  
whole story.*

It's like looking at stained glass from the outside: the colors look dark, and you can't see the figures. But inside, with the sun shining through, the effect can be brilliant.

From inside our family, love illuminates our life with Charlie. What may seem dreary to others, perhaps even unbearable, is actually filled with beauty and color. Our love has nothing to do with his abilities. We love him simply because of who he is, and understanding this teaches us a fundamental truth: every life is a good and perfect gift.

\*Name changed for privacy. This is a summary of a USCCB Respect Life Program article by the same name and is reprinted with permission. @2018, USCCB, Washington, D.C. All rights reserved.

### LITURGICAL ROLES

Weekend of September 29-30, 2018

#### USHERS/GREETERS:

- 4:30 pm Dan Perkhiser, Mike Magee  
Joe & Cathy Gulash
- 8:30 am Ray Meyer, Jim Menke  
Joe Grabowski, JoEllyn Patterson
- 10:30am Tim & Tammy Sasek  
Diane Waldo, Kathy Wilson

#### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

- 4:30 pm Linda Bugg, Mary Stewart, Rick Rose  
Rich & Sue Hayes, Rosemary Dorsey  
Dave & Susan Marth
- 8:30 am Don & Carol Beste, Ray Meyer  
Paula Mattix-Wand, Tim Zacha, Sharon Pritchett  
James & Kelli Stutz
- 10:30 am Jackie Braatz, Sharon Forrester, Brad Fulk  
Marci Stein, Theresa Hagans, Dee Oller  
Dave Berkenbile, Marge Kirby

#### SERVERS:

- 4:30 pm Claire Dorsey  
Olivia Tinsley  
Gavin Tinsley
- 8:30 am Katelyn Maher  
Lauren Maher  
Alison Maher
- 10:30 am Jacob Newton  
Nick Newton  
Joe Newton

#### MUSIC:

- 4:30 pm Barb/Jeanie
  - 8:30 am Barb/Kris
  - 10:30 am Praise Team
- #### LECTORS:
- 4:30 pm Lynn Rose
  - 8:30 am Joe Grabowski
  - 10:30 am Alyssa Smith

#### SCRIP Sales—Weekend of September 29-30, 2018

- 4:30 Debbie Zacha
- 8:30 Brenda Zacha
- 10:30 Audrey Wolff

### 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. Questions, call Brandy, 580-8570 or [brandygreen2008@yahoo.com](mailto:brandygreen2008@yahoo.com).



### Ladies Annual DCCW Convention

Wednesday, September 26, Sts. Mary and Joseph, 2020 East First South Street, Carlinville. Come and enjoy a day of fun, fellowship and food!! Registration forms in church entrances and parish office.

### Girls Night Out – Quarter Auction

The Daughters of Isabella, O'Reilly Circle 218, along with Busy Bee Quarter Auctions, invites everyone 21 and older to attend the [October 5th](#), Ladies Night Out, Quarter Auction to be held at St. Boniface Church, 110 N Buchanan, Edwardsville in the Lower Level, Oak Room [from 7:00 to 9:00 pm](#). Doors Open [at 6:00 pm](#) for the opportunity to shop at the many Vendor Booths and to view the Prizes for Auction. Bidding Paddles will be \$5 each. Drinks & Baked Goods will available for Purchase and you can BYO Beverages and Snacks. There will be a 50/50 Drawing, along with chances to win several Gift Baskets. The proceeds will benefit various Charities.

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