



# Our Lady of Peace



## The Fifth Week of Lent

My loving Lord,  
It's so hard to love the world  
sometimes  
and to love it the way Jesus did  
seems impossible.  
Help me to be inspired by his  
love and  
guided by his example.  
Most of all, I want to accept  
that I can't do it alone,  
and that trying is an arrogance  
of self-centeredness.  
I need you, dear God, to give  
me support in this journey.

Show me how to unlock my  
heart  
so that I am less selfish.  
Let me be less fearful of the  
pain and darkness  
that will be transformed by you  
into Easter joy.

### Healing Mass    All are Welcome!

A Healing Mass will take place at Our Lady of Peace on  
**Wednesday, April 5th, at 7:30PM.**



After Mass, Father will pray with anyone who is in  
need of physical, emotional, or spiritual healing.

For more info call Jeanne at 838-7873.

### OLP Seniors Group

The OLP Seniors Group will meet on

→ **Thursday, April 6th 1:00PM**

Hoss's      3302 West 26th Street

**Speaker: Fr. Rich Toohey**  
Pastor of Our Lady of Peace  
Join us & meet your new pastor

Call Nancy, 833-6294, for more information.

**Members are invited to bring a friend.**  
Come, enjoy good food, and good friends!

### First Friday Adoration

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will take place  
on **Friday, April 7**, from 7:30AM to 3:00PM, in  
Mary's Chapel. Our Lord Jesus welcomes you to  
spend time with Him, meditating on the final events  
of His earthly life.



**Please sign up, in the vestibule, for 1/2 hour shifts.**



**The Knights of Columbus Council  
of Our Lady of Peace  
will hold their monthly  
Pancake Breakfast**

**April 2, 2017** in the  
OLP Cafeteria from 8:00 to 11:00AM

#### Menu:

Pancakes, French Toast, Scrambled Eggs, Hash  
Browns, Sausage, Juice, Coffee or Tea

**Adults \$6.75, Children \$3.00, Under 5 Free**  
Join us for the "Best Breakfast Deal" in town, and  
support your KofC organization. Proceeds from these  
breakfasts are used to support worthwhile parish,  
diocesan, and community projects.

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814-838-3548

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814-838-3886

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814-838-9983

**Office Hours:** 8:00AM - 8:00PM

**Business Hours:** 8:00AM - 4:00PM

**Parish Pastoral Team**

*Pastor*

Rev. Rich Toohey

*Parochial Vicar*

Rev. David Renne

*Permanent Deacons*

Rev. Mr. John Mang

*School Principal*

Miss Mary Beth Ek

*Advancement Director*

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Mr. Paul Wojtek

**The Sacrament of Baptism** is celebrated on the First & Third Sunday of each month, 11:00AM Mass & 12:30PM respectively. A mandatory preparation class for parents is available on these dates: **2017:** May 22, July 24. Call the Parish office to register.

**Sacrament of Matrimony** An appointment with a parish priest needs to be made at least six months prior to the wedding date.

**Sacrament of Reconciliation** Saturday 3:45 - 4:45PM or by app.

**New Parishioners** Welcome! Registration forms are available in the Parish Office or register online.

**RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation)** Anyone seeking information on becoming Catholic or completing one's initiation into the Catholic faith should call the Parish Office.

**Prayer Request Line:**

Doris 864-5423

Chris 814-833-8017

**Our Mission Statement:**

**Our Lady of Peace is a Catholic Community of Faith called to proclaim the greatness of the Lord through Worship, Service, Education and Ministry.**

**Church Cleaners for the Week of April 2**

**Team 6:**

Barb S., Mary E., Margie P.

Thank you to all those who are willing to help with this important ministry of keeping our church clean and beautiful.

Those interested in joining this ministry please call the Church Office.

**Save the Date:**

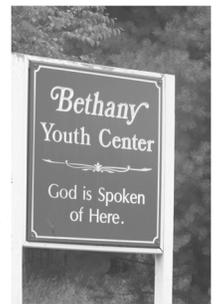
**2017 Frenchville Mission Trip**

**June 25th through July 1st**

For more information please contact Darrell Meyers

at [darrell.meyers@olp.org](mailto:darrell.meyers@olp.org)

Watch the bulletin for more info...



**Sunday's Readings:**

**First Reading** - Thus says the LORD GOD: I will open your graves, have you rise from them, and settle you on your land. (Ezekiel 37:12-14).

**Psalm** - With the Lord there is mercy and fullness of redemption (Psalm 130).

**Second Reading** - If Christ is in you, the spirit is alive even if the body is dead because of sin (Romans 8:8-11).

**Gospel** - Lazarus, dead for four days, came out of his tomb when Jesus called his name. Many of those who had seen what had happened began to believe in Jesus (John 11:1-45 [3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45]).

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**JESUS' MINISTRY SUMMARIZED**

The story of the raising of Lazarus from the dead is the single longest story (apart from the Passion) in the Gospel of John. In it we find a summary of most of Jesus' ministry. We see his very human nature as he is moved by Martha and Mary's sorrows and as he himself weeps at the tomb of Lazarus. He is the wisdom of God's Word made flesh as he explains to his followers that the death of Lazarus will serve as a sign of the glory of God. He crowns the miracles he works in John's Gospel (which began with the most "human" miracle of making new wine at Cana's wedding) by raising Lazarus from the dead—a "preview," if you will, of his own death and resurrection to come. This portrait of Jesus reminds us, as we near the end of our Lenten journey, that he is with us, knows us, understands us in every moment of our lives. He knows the joy of our human feasting, he knows the sorrow of our weeping. As we prepare to walk with him through the days of Holy Week, we are filled with faith that—through Christ—God's glory will be with us in every moment of our lives and—with Christ—in our life everlasting.

**MASS INTENTIONS****MONDAY, APRIL 3, 2017**

7:00AM Deceased Members of Osiecki Family -  
Stebell Family

12:10PM Allison Bosner - Mom & Dad

7:00PM Penance Service

**TUESDAY, APRIL 4, 2017**

7:00AM Helen Bruno - Haythorn & Swonger Families

12:10PM Jean DoNofrio - Don & Sandy Naughton

7:00PM Journey Through Scripture:  
The Bible & the Virgin Mary

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 5, 2017**

7:00AM Johnny Sapper - Jack & Theresa Prassack

12:10PM Frank Santangelo - Joe & Dianne

2:00PM Stations of the Cross with OLP School

7:30PM Healing Mass

**THURSDAY, APRIL 6, 2017**

7:00AM JoAnne Starr - Mary Lou Miller

9:00AM School Mass - Marisa Del Beato -  
Ehrman Family

12:10PM Joan Emling - Jean & Tom Peterson

**FRIDAY, APRIL 7, 2017**

7:00AM Chester & Anna Kwiatkowski -  
Grutkowski Family

12:10PM Don Young - Don & Rinda Pulice

6:00PM Confessions

7:00PM Stations of the Cross

**SATURDAY, APRIL 8, 2017**

8:00AM Anita Evans - Joe Pomorski & Family

5:00PM Antoinette Berarducci - Ed & Rina Hoffman

**SUNDAY, APRIL 9, 2017****Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord**

7:30AM Rosemary Jaskiewicz - Delphine Robaskiewicz

9:00AM Parishioners

11:00AM Bill Dann - Keith & Cynthia Berarducci

4:30PM Rosemary Jaskiewicz - Agnes Federowicz

**SANCTUARY LAMP** - The lamp is burning this week in memory of Priscilla Passarelli - Friends of Erie Insurance.

**CHAPEL LAMP** - The lamp is burning this week in memory of Bill Dann - Friends & Family.

We will STOP selling  
the 6-day candles on  
Thursday, April 6th  
as they must be burned out by  
Holy Thursday, April 13th.

*Readings for the Week of April 2nd*

Monday: Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 [41c-62];  
Ps 23:1-6; Jn 8:1-11

Tuesday: Nm 21:4-9; Ps 102:2-3, 16-21; Jn 8:21-30

Wednesday: Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95; Dn 3:52-56;  
Jn 8:31-42

Thursday: Gn 17:3-9; Ps 105:4-9; Jn 8:51-59

Friday: Jer 20:10-13; Ps 18:2-7; Jn 10:31-42

Saturday: Ez 37:21-28; Jer 31:10, 11-13; Jn 11:45-56

Sunday: Mt 21:1-11 (procession);

Is 50:4-7; Ps 22:8-9, 17-20, 23-24;

Phil 2:6-11; Mt 26:14 — 27:66 [27:11-54]

**PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED** - Please pray for Louis Presta; and for Gordon Toland. May their families find hope and consolation through their faith in the resurrected Lord.

**OLP 31 Club****Praying for vocations every day of the year!**

Members of the 31 Club agree to go to daily Mass on a particular day every month and offer that Mass for an increase of vocations to the Church. There is a great need for vocations in the Church today. One of the best ways to increase vocations is through prayer, and the greatest prayer we have is the holy sacrifice of the Mass.

**Upcoming Mass commitments:**

Apr. 2: Kathy W., Deacon Dennis K.

Apr. 3: Sister Peggy, Linda D., Wilma M., Virginia S.

Apr. 4: Arlene B.

Apr. 5: Ed B., Joyce K., Chuck & Linda R.

Apr. 6: Maxine B., Denise & Michael G., Bernie H., Susan F.

Apr. 7: Margaret K.

Apr. 8: Peggy C., Tim G., Pat H., Catilda M., Patricia P., Diane & Bill S., Jean V., Ann S.

*If you would like to join the OLP 31 Club, please call Dave or Kathy Wayman at 454-8974. There are no dues and no meetings, only opportunities for grace and the satisfaction that comes from helping to fulfill a great need in the Church.*

**When at Mass offer the Mass for Vocations by praying the prayer below...**

Serra Prayer for Vocations

O God, who wills not the death of a sinner \* but rather that he be converted and live \* grant we beseech you \* through the intercession of the Blessed Mary, ever Virgin \* Saint Joseph, her spouse \* St. Junipero Serra \* and all the saints \* an increase of laborers for your Church \* fellow laborers with Christ to spend and consume themselves for souls \* through the same Jesus Christ \* Your Son \* Who lives and reigns with You \* In the unity of the Holy Spirit \* God forever \* and ever. Amen.

## From the Pastor's Desk...

To My Spiritual Family of Our Lady of Peace,

As we continue in this season of fasting and spiritual discipline, we are implementing another tradition here at OLP this year. We are covering the main cross and statues in the church from the 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent through Easter. Part of this is to increase our Lenten fast for our eyes and encourage us to intensify our spiritual Lenten preparations for Easter as we are only two weeks away. Also, we cover the main crucifix in the church because over the next two weeks the sacrificial love of Jesus will be presented to us in the reading of the Passion twice- once on Palm Sunday [Matthew's version] and once on Good Friday [John's version]. It also helps us anticipate the veneration of the cross on Good Friday when another cross will be used. These are great acts of devotion to show our appreciation for what Christ has done for us on that cross which is the instrument of our salvation.

One concrete way that we receive this great gift of the cross is by participating in the Sacrament of Reconciliation. In this sacrament, we recognize that we are broken and in fact in need of salvation. To recognize this need for forgiveness and ultimately salvation communally can be an even more powerful way to experience Reconciliation. With this purpose in mind, we will celebrate our Lenten Penance Service this Monday, April 3<sup>rd</sup> at 7pm. There will be eight confessors so please take advantage of this opportunity and make their effort to be here worthwhile. If you cannot make this service, remember that private confessions are Fridays from 6-7pm, Saturdays from 3:45-4:45pm and after Sunday morning Masses throughout the rest of Lent.

May God bless our Fifth week of Lent ahead!

Yours in Christ,

Fr. Rich

Our Lady of Peace.... pray for us!

St. Joseph, universal patron of the church.... pray for us!

St. Patrick, patron of the Diocese of Erie.... pray for us!

Other notes from the pastor....

**\*\*Palm Sunday/Holy Week** Next weekend is the beginning of Holy Week with Palm Sunday. We will have our blessing of palms at the beginning of Mass and the reading of Matthew's version of the Passion at the Gospel. So plan on spending a few extra minutes at church as a way to begin our most sacred week of the year.

**\*\*40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Dedication of Our Lady of Peace Church**

On **Monday, May 15<sup>th</sup>** we will be celebrating the 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the dedication of our church building with a **Mass at 6:30pm and a reception afterward**. Bishop Persico will be the main celebrant and Msgr. Charles Kaza, who was the parochial vicar when the church was dedicated in 1977, will be the homilist. Please mark your calendars now and plan on being a part of this special celebration for our parish.

**\*\*Athletic Director Needed for Our Lady of Peace School** This spring Craig Moffatt is stepping down as our Athletic Director at OLP School. I am grateful for Craig's generous service to our school community over the last five years. If you or anyone you know may be interested in taking on this important position in our school, please contact me at the parish office.

## \*\*Catholic Services Appeal 2017

Diocesan Assessment	\$ 172,175
Parish Projects- Office Roof	\$ 23,475
<u>Automated church entrance (est)</u>	<u>\$ 14,350</u>
<b>TOTAL Parish Goal for CSA 2017</b>	<b>\$210,000</b>

If you have not already sent your pledge in, there are pledge envelopes in the pews. Please fill out the pledge card and send it forward with the Offertory at Mass. If you are not ready to make your pledge, feel free to take the envelope home with you and get it back to us in the next few weeks. If you are not able to financially support the CSA this year, please still consider a spiritual sacrifice of prayer and fasting. We all need to do our part and the spiritual "coverage" is essential as well. Please send in or drop off your pledge card whether or not you are making a financial pledge to let me know you received it and are invested in our spiritual family one way or the other. Please know that I truly appreciate all the sacrifices you and your family make for our parish and Diocese. Be assured of my constant prayers.

**\*\*Communion to Residences and Nursing Homes** Deacon John Mang is working on organizing our Communion Outreach here at OLP. If you take communion regularly to the homebound, hospitals, or nursing homes, please contact him at ext. 204 (833-7701) or email at [deacon.john@olp.org](mailto:deacon.john@olp.org) or leave a note at the office. Also, if you or someone you know are homebound and would like to have someone bring Holy Communion to you/them, please contact him.

**\*\*Hearing Enhancement Devices Available** There are hearing enhancement units available to anyone in the congregation. Please see one of the ushers if you would like to try one.

**\*\*Sacred Triduum** This weekend we will show a video at all Masses that was created by OLP parishioner Josh Rohrbach which highlights last year's Triduum at OLP. Josh did this for his Eagle Scout Project. The Sacred Triduum consists of Holy Thursday, Good Friday and Easter Saturday/Sunday and falls on April 13-16. I hope you have already saved those dates and plan on being with your spiritual family for these most sacred days of our whole year... you will not regret it!

Use this QR Code if you missed viewing the video or are able to share it with family and friends...



**\*\*Penitential Rite during Lent** During Lent we have been using Penitential Act A at the beginning of Mass. Recall that about six years ago we implemented a new English translation of the Mass which is more faithful to the original Latin texts. Some of the words of the confiteur were changed or added. Particularly when we say "through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault" we are asked to strike our breast three times as a physical gesture of our repentance. Also, we have been using the *Kyrie Eleison* and *Christe Eleison*, which are the original Greek words for the "Lord have mercy, Christ have mercy," as a way to keep us in touch with the ancient languages our Catholic Church was founded on.

**\*\*Extra Lenten Prayer Opportunities**

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament- First Friday Adoration on April 6<sup>th</sup> from 7:30am-3pm; Stations of the Cross- Fridays at 7pm; and daily Mass-7am and 12:10pm.

**FAITH FORMATION NEWS**

**Elementary (Grades K-5)** - Religious Ed classes this Sunday, April 2, 2017 from 10:30 to 12:15 in the school. Dismissal is from the cafeteria. Next week, **April 9**, is the last class of the school year for Elementary students.

**Secondary (Grades 6-10)** - Religious Ed classes meet this Sunday, April 2, 2017 from 5:30 to 7:30 in the school. This is the last class for Secondary Students.

Registration forms for Elementary and Secondary students will be emailed this week. To get the early registration discount, forms must be turned in by May 31, 2017. You can send the forms with your students or mail them to:

Our Lady of Peace  
Attn: Faith Formation Office  
2401 W. 38th Street  
Erie, PA 16506

Confirmation registration forms for current 10th graders will be sent out in May and due August 1.

**Confirmation (Grade 11)** - formation classes meet next Sunday, April 9, 2017, from 6-8 PM in the school.

The complete calendar and all forms can be found on our website at [www.olg.org](http://www.olg.org). For more info please contact Tammie Mang, Faith Formation Director, at 838-9983 or [Tammie.mang@olg.org](mailto:Tammie.mang@olg.org)



Our Lady of Peace Bible Study Lenten Program  
Journey Through Scripture: The Bible and the Virgin Mary  
Tuesday Nights: March 7 to April 11, 2017  
7:00 PM – 9:00 PM  
Our Lady of Peace Church

All are welcome, no registration required, no materials or fees.  
Any questions, contact Mary Beth Whitman, Parish Office: 833-7701 ext. 202

**Rosary Society  
Confraternity of Christian Mothers**

**Evening Reflection:**

**Thursday, April 20, 2017**

**7:00PM OLP School Cafeteria**

The April "Evening Reflection" is titled *Once Upon An Apron*.

The OLP Rosary Society would like to invite everyone the opportunity to come and visit us for one of our meetings if they have never been to one. We



Evening of Reflection  
OLP Rosary Society  
When- April 20 2017  
Where- OLP Cafeteria  
Time- 7:00PM  
What to Bring- Your Favorite APRON and your favorite apron memory.

are always looking for new members and are inviting all women of the parish for an evening of reflection and some light refreshments.

It is scheduled for

**Thursday evening April 20th at 7:00PM in the OLP School Cafeteria.** If you like, you can bring your favorite apron memory. We all have memories of our grandmothers or mothers wearing aprons. This night we will reflect on those memories plus some helpful hints on those things we put in our mental pockets just as our grandmothers collected things from the day and put them in their apron pockets.

**A Family Perspective**

Our families can become wrapped up chasing things we perceive will make us happy. Jesus' words to Lazarus, He says to us: "Come out" from what entombs you. In this fifth week of Lent "untie" yourself and be free from unnecessary possessions.

**A Stewardship of Sharing  
Week of March 19, 2017**

**Fiscal Year July 2016 - June 2017**

Weekly Envelope.....	\$ 20,074
Loose .....	\$ 1,199
Other Income.....	\$.....135
<b>Total Weekly Income.....</b>	<b>\$ 21,407</b>

***Ushers Society***

The Ushers Society meeting  
**Monday, April 3rd, at 7:00PM**  
in the Church Social Room  
**All ushers are to attend.**

## Our Lady of Peace Parish Membership Form

CHECK ONE:

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

- New Registration
- Change of Address
- Moving out of Parish
- Want envelopes

*Please drop Membership Form into the offertory basket or mail to rectory.*

### Schedule for the Sacrament of Penance For the Season of Lent

Parish	Weekdays	Weekends		Penance Celebrations	
		Saturday	Sunday	Date	Time
All Saints, Waterford		4:30 pm		Tue (4/4)	7:00 pm
Blessed Sacrament		4:00-5:00 pm		Tue(4/11)	7:00 pm
Holy Cross, Fairview		4:00-4:30 pm		Sun (4/2)	3:00 pm
Our Lady of the Lake, Edinboro		4:00-5:00 pm		Confession at St. John the Evangelist in Girard Mon (4/3)	7:00 pm
Our Lady of Peace	Fri (During Lent) 6:00-7:00 pm	3:45-4:45 pm	After morning Masses	Mon (4/3)	7:00 pm
Sacred Heart		3:30-4:00 pm		Sun (4/9)	3:00 pm
St. Andrew				Sun (4/9) at Sacred Heart	3:00 pm
St. Anthony of Padua, Cambridge Springs		4:00 pm	After Mass	Sun (3/26)	3:00 pm
St. Francis Xavier, McKean		4:00 pm		Sun (4/2)	3:00 pm
St. George		8:30 am 3:00-4:00 pm		Sun (4/9)	7:00 pm
St. John the Evangelist, Girard		3:30 pm		Sun (4/2)	3:00 pm
St. Joseph/Bread of Life		3:00-4:00 pm		Confession at St. John the Evangelist in Girard Wed (4/12)	8:45 pm
St. Jude the Apostle		3:30-4:00 pm		Sun (4/9)	7:00 pm
				Tues (3/14)	4:00-5:00 pm
				Tues (3/21)	7:00-8:00 pm
				Wed (3/29)	9:00-10 am
				Wed (4/5)	5:00-6:00 pm
St. Julia		5:00-5:20 pm		Tues (4/11)	5:30-6:30 pm
St. Lawrence, Albion		4:45-5:15 pm		Sun (3/19)	3:00 pm
St. Paul		3:30-4:00 pm		Sun(4/9) at Sacred Heart	3:00 pm
St. Peter Cathedral	4:30-5:00 pm	7:30-7:50 am; 3:00-3:50 pm	After Masses	Tues thru Thur (Holy Week) Good Fri	4:30 – 5:00pm
				Holy Sat.	Following 3 pm Service 3:00-4:00 pm
				Easter Sun	After Masses
St. Stephen	Wed (7pm)				

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**Casino Night** will be held on  
**Saturday, April 29, 2017** at Rainbow Gardens.  
 Tickets are on sale now.

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR CASINO NIGHT**

Please consider volunteering your time even if only for one hour. The proceeds of this event fund the Parish, School and Athletics programming. Several stations are in need of Volunteers! If you are able to volunteer for **Casino Night** please contact: Denise Kuehl at: 490-7230 or email her at: [d.kuehl@roadrunner.com](mailto:d.kuehl@roadrunner.com)

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**Casino Night  
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April 29, 2017  
Rainbow Gardens  
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Purchase of this Ticket entitles You to *Free Admission* for Two to  
 Our Lady of Peace Parish Athletic Association Casino Nite to be held at  
 Rainbow Gardens, 3100 West Lake Road, inside Waldameer Park.  
 7:00PM to Midnight → Doors open at 6:00PM

**Cash Prizes:**

1 Prize .....	\$10,000.00	1 Prize .....	\$ 2,500.00
1 Prize .....	\$ 1,000.00	4 Prizes .....	\$ 500.00
3 Prizes .....	\$ 300.00	3 Prizes .....	\$ 200.00

- An Evening of Fun with free Refreshments -

**April 29, 2017**      **№ 08365**

Donation: \$20.00



**Encounter Lent**

**This Week:** Pray for Dita in Ethiopia, and all families affected by drought.

**Reflect:** Read Dita's Story of Hope. How do you care for God's creation?

Visit: [crsricebowl.org](http://crsricebowl.org)

**Mark Your Calendar...**

**Divine Mercy**

**Sunday**

**April 23, 2017**

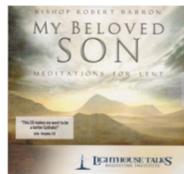
**Our Lady of  
Peace Church**



Watch the bulletin for more info...

**Deepen Your Lenten Experience...**

Our Augustine Institute/Lighthouse kiosk has several CDs and booklets that will deepen your Lenten experience and help you grow spiritually. For instance, Bishop Robert Barron offers five sermons on the spiritual discipline we must cultivate in the Lenten season — a discipline centered in Christ. *Please browse our kiosk where you will find CDs, books and pamphlets that will enrich your understanding of our faith.*



**#ThinkingPriesthood?**

Come to the St. Andrew Dinner

**When:** Wednesday, April 26, 6:00-8:00pm

**Where:** Our Lady of Peace Church  
 2401 W. 38th St.  
 Erie, PA 16506

**For whom?** Young men striving to follow Jesus' call in their lives and open to the possibility of the seminary and priesthood

**Age:** Any mature young man

**Cost:** Free

**Attire:** Casual, but respectable

**RSVP:** Our Lady of Peace Office — 814.833.7701

**Info:** Contact Fr. Mike Polinek at [mpolinek@eriercd.org](mailto:mpolinek@eriercd.org)  
 814.824.1200 / [ErieVocations.org](http://ErieVocations.org)



**Join Bishop Lawrence Persico,**

Fr. Rich Toohey, Fr. David Renne, Fr. Mike Polinek, and other guest priests, as they share their vocations stories with you.



**Schedule**

- 6:00** ..... Arrive
- 6:05** ..... Light dinner
- 6:30** ..... Vocation stories (bishop, priests)
- 7:15** ..... Q&A
- 7:30** ..... Prayer before Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament
- 8:00** ..... Depart



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## Lent 2017 Our Lady of Peace Parish, Erie, PA

Monday	April	3	7:00pm	OLP Penance Service	Church	
Tuesday	April	4	7:00-9:00pm	Journey Through Scripture: The Bible & the Virgin Mary	Church	
Wednesday	April	5	2:00pm	Stations of the Cross w/School	Church	
Friday	April	7	6:00pm	Confessions	Church	
Friday	April	7	7:00pm	Stations of the Cross	Church	
Sunday	April	9	Regular Mass Schedule	Palm Sunday	Church	
Monday	April	10	4:00pm	Chrism Mass	St. Peter Cathedral	
Tuesday	April	11	7:00-9:00pm	Journey Through Scripture: The Bible & the Virgin Mary	Church	
Wednesday	April	12	10:00am	Jesus Christ Superstar by OLP 8th Grade	Church	
Thursday	April	13	7:00am	Morning Prayer	Chapel	
Thursday	April	13	7:00PM	Holy Thursday Mass with washing of the feet - Adoration until 11:00PM	Church/Cafeteria	
Friday	April	14	7:00am	Morning Prayer	Chapel	
Friday	April	14	1:30pm	Passion, Veneration of the Cross, Distribution of Communion	Church	
Saturday	April	15	8:00am	Morning Prayer	Chapel	
Saturday	April	15	Noon	Blessing of Easter Baskets of Food	Church	
Saturday	April	15	8:30pm	Easter Vigil Mass	Church	
Sunday	April	16	<b>Easter Sunday</b>			
			<b>Masses:</b>	<b>7:30am, 9:00am, 11:00am, 12:30pm</b>	<b>NO 4:30 Mass</b>	
Sunday	April	23	1:00 - 3:00pm	Divine Mercy Sunday Services	Church	

### Our Lady of Peace Summer Program



We will be *walking* on sunshine!

June 12th to August 11th

Monday-Friday 7:00AM to 5:30 PM

*Camp is available for children entering Kindergarten through 8th grade.*

Lunch and snacks will be provided every day.

Fun and educational field trips are held every Wednesday.

Registration is going on now! Registration fee is \$40 per child

or \$60 per family. **Registration includes a t-shirt. Call the school office or email Liz Swantek at**

**olpsummercamp@hotmail.com for more information.**

All the necessary forms can be downloaded from the OLP website. Go to [olpcrusaders.org](http://olpcrusaders.org) and click on **ABOUT** at the top. Click on **OLP Summer Program** on the left hand side to find the forms.

### Online Safety Tips for Parents & Kids

**Child Abuse Prevention Month:** April is designed as *Child Abuse Prevention Month*. Parents, guardians and adults who care for children face constant challenges when trying to help keep them safe in today's fast-paced world.

*The National Center for Missing and Exploited Children (NCMEC)* offers easy-to-use safety resources to help address these challenges. Visit the NCMEC Web site at [www.missingkids.com](http://www.missingkids.com) and check out the helpful topics. Watch this space in the coming weeks for tips on how to create safe environments for children and youth. To see what the Diocese of Erie is doing to help create safe environments, check out: <http://www.eriecld.org/protectyouth.html>



### St. Mark Seminary Auxiliary Annual Card Party

Thursday, April 20 6:00PM

Doors open at 5:00PM

Admission \$7.00

St. Mark's Gym, 429 E. Grandview Blvd.

A light meal will be served. The evening will include Grand Prizes, a Gift Auction, a Money & Lottery Tree and more. We hope you will be able to join us as this is our only major fundraiser to provide support for our seminarians. We are blessed to have 12 seminarians studying in our diocese. We ask that you pray for the vocations of these young men as they continue on their journeys of discernment and commitment.

**For reservations, please call Betsy 814-504-2720 by Wednesday, April 13th. Tickets WILL NOT be available at the door. Auxiliary members will be **selling their Grand Raffle tickets the weekend of April 8 & 9**. If you unable to attend the card party, this is a great way to lend support to our seminarians.**