



Our Lady of Peace



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The people said: “Where did this man get all this? Is he not the carpenter, the son of Mary?” (Mark 6:1-6)

July 8, 2018

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Parish Pastoral Team

Pastor

Rev. Rich Toohey

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Rev. Mr. John Mang

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Faith Formation Director

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Mr. Greg Bosner

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Mr. Paul Vojtek

The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated the 1st & 3rd Sunday of each month, 11:00AM Mass & 12:30PM respectively. A mandatory preparation class for parents is available:

2018: July 23, Sept. 23, Nov. 19. Call the Parish office to register.

Sacrament of Matrimony An appointment with a parish priest six months prior to the wedding date.

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

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:

Marge Ward 833-8837

Christine Beaver 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 July 8

Team 1:

Kathy W., Cheryl R., Linda D.

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.

Peter's Pence Second Collection Last Weekend

Thank you for your generous support in last week's Peter's Pence Collection!

Your contributions will be combined with those from our brothers and sisters around the world to help Pope Francis provide essential relief to people in need.

If you missed the collection, it is not too late to give, visit www.usccb.org/nationalcollections, and click on the "How to Give" link.

SWIM AND JV CHEERLEADING COACHES NEEDED:

The OLP Swim and JV Cheerleading Teams are looking for coaches this season. If you can volunteer your time and talents to coach any of these teams, please contact Denise Kuehl for more information at 814-490-7230 or d.kuehl@roadrunner.com.

Sunday's Readings:

First Reading - They shall know that a prophet has been among them (Ezekiel 2:2-5).

Psalms - Our eyes are fixed on the Lord, pleading for his mercy (Psalm 123).

Second Reading - I am content with weaknesses and hardships for the sake of Christ (2 Corinthians 12:7-10).

Gospel - The people said: "Where did this man get all this? Is he not the carpenter, the son of Mary?" (Mark 6:1-6).

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OBSTACLES

The prophet Ezekiel, Saint Paul, and the Lord Jesus share something in common in today's scripture readings. They all experience obstacles to their ministry. Ezekiel is summoned to prophesy to the Israelites, who are "[h]ard of face and obstinate of heart" (Ezekiel 2:4). Saint Paul recounts how he has been given a "thorn in the flesh" (2 Corinthians 12:7). The Lord Jesus is unable to perform many signs in his native place. The Gospel tells us that "[he] was amazed at their lack of faith" (Mark 6:6). We too sometimes encounter obstacles as we travel along the journey of faith. So often we experience weakness on this journey. Let the words of the Lord to Saint Paul encourage us today: "My grace is sufficient for you, for power is made perfect in weakness" (2 Corinthians 12:9).

MASS INTENTIONS**MONDAY, JULY 9, 2018**

7:00AM Jeanne Weiner - Bill & Pat Cunningham
 12:10PM Marilyn Ferraro - Jay, Corey & Julie Ferraro

TUESDAY, JULY 10, 2018

7:00AM Dorson Hamilton - Joan Koppes
 12:10PM James Popeski - Lynn & Dennis Kudlak

WEDNESDAY, JULY 11, 2018

7:00AM Mary Polinsky - Sandra Ambro
 12:10PM Charles Szymanowski - Family

THURSDAY, JULY 12, 2018

7:00AM Special Intension for the City of Erie
 12:10PM Stephen Eller - M/M Michael Gaines

FRIDAY, JULY 13, 2018

7:00AM Theresa Dzikowski - Family
 12:10PM Carol and Greg Galdon -
 Special Intention 44th Wedding Anniversary

SATURDAY, JULY 14, 2018

8:00AM Donald Blenner Wife
 5:00PM Emil Hardner - Patricia

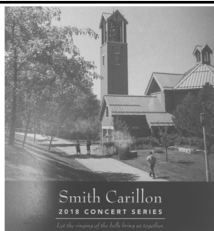
SUNDAY, JULY 15, 2018**Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

7:30AM Bill Meterko - Nancy Kaminski
 9:00AM Edward F. Dombrowski - Dombrowski Family
 11:00AM Thomas Hauck - Wife & Family
 4:30PM Parishioners

SANCTUARY LAMP - The lamp is burning this week in memory of Leroy Platz - Wife, Barbara.

CHAPEL LAMP - The lamp is burning this week in memory of Frances Tallerico - Pettinato Family.

**Smith Carillon
 2018 Concert Series
 held at Penn State
 Behrend**



Thursday, July 12
 Tatiana Lukyanova

- Concerts begin at 7:00PM
- Parking at Junker Center
- Outside seating; bring a blanket or chair
- Free hot dogs & snacks

Thursday, July 19
 Jim Fackenthal

Thursday, July 12
 Gordon Slater

Thursday, July 12
 Carlo van Ulft

For more info contact the
 Smith Chapel at 814-898-6609

Readings for the Week of July 8th

Monday: Hos 2:16, 17b-18, 21-22; Ps 145:2-9;
 Mt 9:18-26
 Tuesday: Hos 8:4-7, 11-13; Ps 115:3-10; Mt 9:32-38
 Wednesday: Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12; Ps 105:2-7; Mt 10:1-7
 Thursday: Hos 11:1-4, 8c-9; Ps 80:2ac, 3b, 15-16;
 Mt 10:7-15
 Friday: Hos 14:2-10; Ps 51:3-4, 8-9, 12-14, 17;
 Mt 10:16-23
 Saturday: Is 6:1-8; Ps 93:1-2, 5; Mt 10:24-33
 Sunday: Am 7:12-15; Ps 85:9-14;
 Eph 1:3-14 [3-10]; Mk 6:7-13

“Trust God that you are exactly where you are meant to be.”

~St. Teresa of Avila

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:

July 8: Peggy C., Tim G., Pat H., Catilda M., Patricia P., Diane & Bill S., Jean V., Ann S.
 July 9: Ellie A., Elaine S., Jane D., Bill C.
 July 10: Ann T., Veronica W., Peg Z., Pat C., Pat M., Mary S.
 July 11: Dave D., Paul M., Connie S.
 July 12: Rose B., Madeline H., Alice O., Chris P.
 July 13: Sylvia B., Phyllis D., Joanie M., Charlie R., Phil T., Sarah F., Glenn B., Donna R.
 July 14: Nancy A., Mary Fran P., Peggy R., Alice 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...**

○ 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. Serra Prayer for Vocations

From the Pastor's Desk...

To my Spiritual Family of Our Lady of Peace-

This Friday, July 13th is Our OLP Golf Outing at 10am at Whispering Woods Golf Course. All proceeds go towards our tuition angels assistance program for OLP School which allows us to help families afford Catholic Education for their children. As I mentioned before, last year we had a nice sized group but we were not at full capacity and a parish and school of our size is capable of more. Please consider joining us (golfer \$100) or helping sponsor a hole (\$100) or volunteer for the event. See the back page of this bulletin for more details or call the office.

I thought this would be a good opportunity to update you on the school as well. First I stress that all grades at OLP School are still enrolling students so I encourage you to consider this option for the children in your life. Currently, we have 533 students registered for the 2018-2019 school year which is comparable to last year. We are pleased that Mrs. Lisa Panighetti will continue to be our principal. The administration, faculty and staff continue to work through the transition to the new Erie Catholic School System with a positive attitude.

During Catholic Schools Week in January, the students of the six schools in the system voted for St. Nicholas to be their patron saint of ECSS (he was one of 10 nominations on the final ballot). We join St. Nicholas in interceding for Erie Catholic and for Catholic Education in our Diocese and world, that it be strengthened and inspired by the Holy Spirit in its mission to form the youth of our church in the truth and love of Jesus Christ so they can bring that truth and love to our world.

May God bless our school and our week ahead!

Yours in Christ,
Fr. Rich

Our Lady of Peace, patroness of our parish and school..pray for us!
St. Nicholas, patron of the Erie Catholic School System..pray for us!
Our Lady of the Immaculate Conception, patroness of the Catholic Church of the USA... 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....

**We thank and commend our 11 parishioners from OLP, including Fr. Kyle, who participated in the Young People Who Care Mission Trip in Frenchville, PA several weeks ago. They were:

Front row: Michele Pulice, Melissa Carlson, Jenna Filipski, Katelyn Nee;

Back row: Darrell Meyers, Keegan Welka, Matt Whitman, Greg Pocij.

Missing from photo: Fr. Kyle, Joe Bello.

They did work for the rural poor in Appalachia and brought the face of Christ to those they served. Well done!



****Holy Land Pilgrimage** I finally completed the itinerary and other details for the pilgrimage to Israel that I have been referring to the last six months. The dates are **October 26- November 5, 2019** and the cost is \$4,299 for double room occupancy. This includes airfare, accommodations, all meals and admission fees (the only costs not included are travel insurance, cancellation protection, tips to the guide and driver, private room supplement, personal expenditures and some drinks). This is a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity and I promise you if you go that you will never read the Scriptures the same and your faith will be renewed.



****Vacation Bible School at OLP** I am very excited that we are offering Vacation Bible School this summer at our parish (August 6-10, see elsewhere for more details). This can be a very life giving experience for our community during the summer days that usually have little youth formation activity. I hope you will consider registering your children, grandchildren, nieces, nephews, friends, neighbors and other children in your life that are in grades K-5. This is a fun way for them to learn about our Catholic faith and grow in their relationship with God. So give them this gift this summer!

****Youth and Family Ministry Support** We are seeking adults and young adults who are interesting in working with the young people of our parish in helping them grow in relationship with God and the church. You can be involved in one of two ways- either to be on the core planning team or as a volunteer. I would like to see us build up the community of individuals committed to working with our youth. Please contact Mandy Kelly, Fr. Kyle or the parish office if you are interested or would like more information.

****OLP Welcome Committee** A new Welcome Committee is being established here at OLP at the initiative of the Pastoral Council. This committee will oversee all activity in this area which will include (but is not limited to) reaching out to new parishioners, new parishioner welcome events, new parishioner mentoring, outreach at baptisms, and identifying potential new parish members. Please contact me at the office if you are interested in being a part of this committee or if you have any questions.

****Ushers Still Needed** We only had 4 or 5 people step forward to help as ushers and we were hoping for 10-15. Please consider helping with this important ministry of hospitality at our Masses. Call the office if you are called to this ministry.

A Family Perspective

Today's gospel is so familiar, it hurts! The home town folks couldn't accept the presence of God in Jesus.

After all, they had watched him grow up. We can easily make the same mistake if we don't see God present in the ordinary members of our family. "The Lord be with you" is a statement of fact. Believe it.

FAITH FORMATION NEWS

Elementary (Grades K-5) - Classes are finished for this school year. Have a great summer.

Secondary (Grades 6-10) - Classes are finished for this school year. Use the summer to complete Salt & Light hours for next school year.

Confirmation (Grade 11) - Classes are finished for this school year. Check our website, olp.org, for Emmaus service dates available. Contact Darrell Meyers at nmeyers@roadrunner.com or text 814-450-3697 to sign up for Emmaus dates.

All forms can be found on our website under the Faith Formation tab at www.olp.org

For more info please contact Tammie Mang, Faith Formation Director, at 838-9983 or Tammie.mang@olp.org

**Religious Education
Registration Information
For the 2018-19 School Year**

Registration information and forms have been emailed to all current Rel Ed families with students entering grades 1-10 in the fall. If you are a current Rel Ed family and did not receive this email OR you are a new family who wants to register for the fall, please go to our website, olp.org, under the Faith Formation tab and under either Elementary or Secondary for all registration information and forms.

ALL registration forms and payments are due by August 1, 2018.

Registration forms and informational letters for Confirmation students who will be in grade 11 in the fall were emailed May 3, 2018. Remember that in order to be confirmed in eleventh grade students must have been in a Catholic high school OR must have attended religious education in grades 9 & 10.

Confirmation Registration Forms and payments are due by August 1, 2018.

If you have any questions please contact Tammie Mang, Faith Formation Director, at 838-9983 or tammie.mang@olp.org



**City Mission Service
Summer Dates Available!**

- When:** 10AM – 1PM
Saturday, July 21st
- Where:** 11th & French Street
- What:** Prepare & Serve the Lunch Meal
- Who:** Any Parishioner 15 yrs or older!
- Contact:** Scott Barnes 814-881-8889
- Qualifies for school & faith formation service hours!**

Last Chance to Register...
Vacation Bible School
Theme: “The Mass Comes Alive”

is the theme of a one week summer **Vacation Bible School** that will be taking place at Our Lady of Peace Church
August 6-10, 2018.

- Students currently in grades Kindergarten through 5th are invited to attend.
- Camp will run from 9:00AM to 12:30PM each day. On Friday we will end camp with 12:10 Mass. Families are encouraged to attend Mass with us.
- The cost is \$35.00 per child and includes a t-shirt, snack each day, and supplies. Please complete one registration form per student. **The deadline to register is July 13th.** Make checks payable to “OLP.”
- Forms can be dropped off at the church office or mailed to:
Attention: Faith Formation
Our Lady of Peace Church
2401 West 38th Street
Erie, PA 16505
- Late registrants not guaranteed a t-shirt.
- Registration forms can be obtained at www.olp.org.



Your devoted Carmelites invite you!

Under Mary’s Mantle

61ST ANNUAL

Days of Prayer
July 11-16, 2018



In honor of Our Lady of Mount Carmel
CARMELITE MONASTERY OF THE HOLY FAMILY

510 East Gore Road, Erie

7:15 AM Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet
8:00 AM Mass

6:45 PM Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet
7:30 PM Benediction and Exposition (not on July 16)

GUEST SPEAKER Father Ronan Murphy
Internationally known

Our Lady of Peace Parish Membership Form

Name _____ Phone _____
Address _____
City _____ Zip _____

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

CHECK ONE:

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

Youth and Family Ministry—All are Welcome!

Every Person in Christ



Ministry for Youth in Grades 5-8

THIS WEEK'S MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUTH NIGHT:

Thurs, July 5, 6-7:30pm
Social Room & Chapel

Prayer Squared:

What can help me pray?

Bring your thinking caps—they'll be some riddles for you to solve and a scavenger hunt!

NEXT WEEK:

The Time is Now!—When do I pray?



THIS WEEK'S HIGH SCHOOL & BEYOND NIGHT:

Thurs, July 5, 7-9:30pm
Chapel & Social Room

Film Screening!!!

Paul, Apostle of Christ

Please note we will end this week at 9:30 so that we can view the entire movie.

NEXT WEEK:

Fire and Food! With discussion on the Early Church Experience

Text **OLPYFM** to **84576** to receive text updates for youth and family programming.
Questions? Contact Mandy Kelly at 814-882-6204 or MagicalMainStreet@hotmail.com

OLP IgNights

Summer Family Bonfire

Saturday, July 14
6:00pm to 9:00pm

Fellowship, Games, and Fun around
the Bonfire!

All are welcome—Bring your family,
friends, camp chairs, and join us
behind the school!

Hot dogs are provide, please bring a
dish to share:

A-R — Side Dishes

S-Z — Desserts

Advertiser of the Week...

Our bulletin is supported through the generosity of the advertisers - many of whom are our parishioners. Most are members of our local community. Please support our advertisers with your patronage. Tell the business owner that you appreciate their support of our parish through their ad in the bulletin.

**EDWARD JONES
INVESTMENTS
OPEN HOUSE**

**When: Tuesday July 17th
from 4pm - 7pm**

**Where: 2710 Evanston Ave.
Suite 101, Erie, PA**

RSVP: 814.838.3031

*I look forward
to meeting you.*

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Edward Jones
MAKING SENSE OF INVESTING

Group Travel Spots Available...

The music of "ABBA" by the "Arrival" from Sweden at the Mentor Fine Arts Theatre, Mentor, Ohio

Saturday, July 14, 2018 (7 seats left)
\$95.00 Due ASAP

Includes: Dinner, show, driver's tip
 Depart: 3:30PM Asbury U.M. Church W. 26th & Asbury
 Return: Approx. 11:30 - 12:00 a.m.



Amishlands, Pennsylvania

Featuring: Sight & Sounds "Jesus" & the American Music Theatre's "Songs of the Silver Screen"

3 Day - 2 Nights
July 16 - 18, 2018

\$387 per person, double occupancy
\$473 per person, single occupancy



Mystery Trip

August 21, 2018
\$97.00 per person

Maybe there will be Retail Therapy.
 Maybe blood will be shed or murder.
 Maybe you will laugh or cry. As always - there will be food.



Depart: 7:00AM Asbury U.M. Church W. 26th & Asbury
 Return: approximately 8:00 pm

Experience Cleveland, Ohio

Wednesday, September 19, 2018
\$81.00 per person

We will stop at: West Side Market (bring a small cooler), Mitchell's Homemade Ice Cream, Trader Joe's, and Sokolowski's Inn for dinner at 1:45.



Depart: 7:30AM Asbury U.M. Church W. 26th & Asbury
 Return: approximately 7:30 - 8:00 pm

For more information on any of these trips and what they include or to sign-up please contact:
Maxine Reinsel, 814-833-7389

West Millcreek Food Pantry

The following are suggested items to purchase; all non-perishables are acceptable. Bring your items to church and place them in the baskets at the exits. Buy what is on sale. CEREAL is needed.

July 2018



8th Tuna / Canned Spaghetti
 15th Toilet Tissue / Bar Soap
 22nd Spaghetti Sauce / Spaghetti
 29th Cereal / Baked Beans

Pantry is OPEN July 10th & 24th (every 2nd & 4th Tuesday) 9-11AM for those living in Millcreek.

Faith, Light and JOY Ministries

Present



Music on the Hill

ST. MARK CATHOLIC CENTER

J U L Y 2 1 2 0 1 8

6:00 P.M. – 9:00 P.M.

429 E. Grandview Blvd, Erie PA

Bring your family, lawn chairs and blankets!

Enjoy the music of

Selah Praise Band

Flight Path Praise Band

Friendship Ministry Bell Choir

A Stewardship of Sharing

Week of May 20, 2018

Fiscal Year July 2017 - June 2018

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| Weekly Envelope | \$ 15,686 |
| Loose | \$ 1,167 |
| Other Income..... | \$ <u>421</u> |
| Total Weekly Income | \$ 17,274 |

2018 CSA

February 2018 to January 2019

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| Goal | \$ 220,000 |
| Pledge Payments Received to Date | \$ 169,733 |
| Total Pledges | \$ 218,280 |

637 Families - Goal is 700 Families

Every dollar raised to make our goal supports important Diocesan services and every dollar raised over our goal will be kept in the parish.

2017 Our Lady of Peace / Hank Starr Memorial Golf Outing

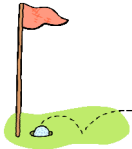
Friday, July 13th, 2018

Whispering Woods Golf Course
7214 Grubb Road, Erie, PA 16506

Four Person Scramble @ \$100 per player. On Course Refreshments/Lunch Ticket for the turn, Steak Dinner, Skill Prizes and 50/50 raffle immediately following golf.

Shotgun Start: 10:00 a.m.

The Tournament Features a:



Team Skins Game / Mulligans
Longest Drive Contest
Closest to the Pin – Par 3's
Putting Contest
Awards, 50/50
and more



Instructions for completing Registration Form:

Fill out the information below. Check appropriate Box.

Return registration form with your check made out to **Our Lady of Peace** no later than Friday, June 30, 2017 to:

**Our Lady of Peace
Attn: Golf Committee
2401 West 38th Street
Erie, PA 16506**

Questions can be directed to Paul Vojtek: pvojtek@eriewaterworks.org, or 814-836-0951

Registration Form:

Name of contact _____ Company _____

Email Address _____

Phone _____

Name's of Players 1 _____ 2 _____

3 _____ 4 _____

Please check appropriate box.

- Individual Player(s) - \$100.00 per player
- Hole + Team Sponsor - \$500.00 = 4 Players and a Tee Box sign
Team Only Sponsor - \$400.00 per 4-Person Team
- Hole Sponsor - \$100.00 per Tee Box Signs requested

Total Enclosed \$ _____

**So come out and have a FUN day on the course and support
Our Lady of Peace!!
Proceeds will benefit the parish and the school!**