



Our Lady of Peace

PARISH CENSUS

We are grateful for your time in updating your family information which reinforces your commitment to our ongoing parish mission and your investment in our community.

*Phone calls are being made this month to those who did not return their Census form.
Please be courteous to the caller as they are your fellow OLP parishioners.*

CALLING ALL CRUSADERS!

Our Lady of Peace All-School Reunion

WHO: All OLP graduates, faculty, staff & parents

WHEN: Friday, July 3, 2020

TIME: 7:00-11:00PM

WHERE: Shrine Club, West 38th & Zuck Rd

COST: \$10.00 per person

Cash Bar/Light Hors d'oeuvres included

Children under 18 must be accompanied by a parent!

Money/reservations are due by March 30, 2020 to:

Maria Ehrman

Our Lady of Peace School

2401 West 38th Street, Erie, PA 16506



This weekend...



The Pennsylvania Junior Academy of Science (PJAS) is a statewide organization of junior and senior high school students designed to stimulate and promote interest in science among its members through the development of research projects and investigations.

Our Lady of Peace School will have 13 participants and 3 chaperones traveling for the PJAS State Competition on May 17th through the 19th. The cost per participant and chaperone is \$190.00. This includes bus transportation, housing and meals.

The OLP 7th Grade participants will be at the exits after all the Masses this weekend asking for donations to help defray the cost of attending the competition.

*Giving is not just a donation,
it is about making a difference.
Thank you for your support and kindness!*

The Pennsylvania Junior Academy of Science sponsored by the Pennsylvania Academy of Science, as an Affiliate of the American Association for the Advancement of Science is organized with the following objectives:

- To promote greater participation in science and mathematics activities among the youth of Pennsylvania.
- To improve the quality of achievement in mathematics and science by encouraging students to participate in research and develop original ideas.
- To develop an understanding of the scientific community through close association with leaders in the sciences.
- To seek the improvement of science clubs activities through the cooperative regional and state meetings.
- To include among its members true scientific attitudes and humanistic ideals that shall lead to the greater development of service to man.

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Office Hours: 8:00AM - 8:00PM**Business Hours:** 8:00AM - 4:00PM**Parish Pastoral Team****Pastor**

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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 (6-7PM):

2020: Mar. 23.

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

Wednesdays 11:30-12:00 or by appt. Saturdays 8:30-9AM; 3:45-4:45PM

New Parishioners Welcome!

Registration forms are available in the Parish Office or 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:

Day: Kandace, 453-6515

Night: Donna, 866-0792

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 February 9

Team 6: Barb S., Mary E., Joanie B.

The heart of this Ministry is the focus on service to the community through the maintenance of the Worship space. This Ministry offers the members the opportunity to spend quiet time in prayer while they serve in this ministry.

Thank you everyone who serves on this important ministry of keeping our church clean and beautiful.



Prayerfully consider joining this ministry and please call the Church Office.

West Millcreek Food Pantry

The following are suggested items to purchase for each week; you may buy what is on sale; all non-perishables are acceptable. CEREAL is needed.

March 2020

- 9th Toilet Tissue / Bar Soap
- 16th Mac & Cheese / Peanut Butter
- 23rd Cereal / Baked Beans

Pantry is OPEN February 11th & 25th

(every 2nd & 4th Tuesday) 9-11AM for those living in Millcreek, held at the Westminster Presbyterian Church, 3642 West 26th Street.

SANCTUARY LAMP -

The lamp is burning this week in memory of Peggy Pulice - Family.

CHAPEL LAMP -

The lamp is burning this week in memory of Anthony Patsy - Daughter.

Sunday's Readings:

First Reading - If you share your food with the hungry, provide housing for the homeless, then light shall break forth upon you (Isaiah 58:7-10).

Psalm - The just man is a light in the darkness to the upright (Psalm 112).

Second Reading - My message to you, says Paul, was the proclamation of Christ crucified (1 Corinthians 2:1-5).

Gospel - You are the salt of the earth, the light of the world. In your good deeds your light shines before others, leading them to glorify God (Matthew 5:13-16).

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GOD'S CALL

The person who has been "saved," who has "heard the good news of salvation," still lives in an unsaved world, a world sadly oblivious to the presence of God. Today's readings outline how the disciple is present in the world.

The outline begins with Isaiah: "Share your bread . . . shelter the oppressed . . . clothe the naked" (Isaiah 58:7). Those who hear the word of salvation are not insensitive to the urgent needs of others. Then Paul reminds his flock that he brought Christ to them not in eloquence or wisdom, but by being with them in the "weakness and fear" of their daily lives (1 Corinthians 2:3). Finally, Jesus tells his disciples to go out into the gloom and darkness of the streets of the world and let God's light shine through their good deeds.

We disciples don't save the world. To the extent, however, that we have heard the word of God and been awakened to God's presence, we may spread that word and bring that presence to others.

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MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 2020

7:00AM Mary Ann Toohey - 7AM Mass Group
12:10PM Janet Sheldon - Lori & Tim Alward
7:00PM Holy Hour for the Intentions of those on the OLP Parish Prayer Line

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 2020

Our Lady of Lourdes

World Day of the Sick

7:00AM M/M F. D. Daugherty - Jane
12:10PM Lana Emerick - Harry & Jackie Chereson
2:00PM School Mass - Gerald "Jerry" Hagerty - Ehrman Family

Anointing of the Sick provided to all in attendance at the conclusion of each Mass

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 2020

7:00AM Phil Trejchel - Polakowski Family
11:30AM-12:00PM Confessions
12:10PM George Kaufman - Family

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 2020

7:00AM Mass of Thanksgiving for 7AM Mass Group - Heidi Arnold
12:10PM Nello Fiorenzo - Wife, Betty

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 2020

7:00AM Darlene Kerner - Mom, Dad & Family
12:10PM Peggy Pulice - Family

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 2020

8:00AM Peggy Pulice - Family
8:30-9:00AM Confessions
3:45-4:45PM Confessions
5:00PM Ed Wagner - Corky young

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 2020

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30AM Gerald Sargent - Sargent Family
9:00AM Frances Piatkowski - Family
11:00AM Jackie Halas - Husband, Dave
4:30PM Parishioners

Daily at 11:40AM

The Rosary of the Most Blessed Virgin Mary is prayed daily at 11:40AM, just before the 12:10 Mass. Mary invites all her children to come and pray her Rosary. Many blessings will be yours! God bless you! **All are welcome!**



Readings for the Week of February 9th

Monday:	1 Kgs 8:1-7, 9-13; Ps 132:6-7, 8-10; Mk 6:53-56
Tuesday:	1 Kgs 8:22-23, 27-30; Ps 84:3-5, 10-11; Mk 7:1-13
Wednesday:	1 Kgs 10:1-10; Ps 37:5-6, 30-31, 39-40; Mk 7:14-23
Thursday:	1 Kgs 11:4-13; Ps 106:3-4, 35-37, 40; Mk 7:24-30
Friday:	1 Kgs 11:29-32; 12:19; Ps 81:10-11ab, 12-15; Mk 7:31-37
Saturday:	1 Kgs 12:26-32; 13:33-34; Ps 106:6-7ab, 19-22; Mk 8:1-10
Sunday:	Sir 15:15-20; Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 17-18, 33-34; 1 Cor 2:6-10; Mt 5:17-37 [20-22a, 27-28, 33-34a, 37]

PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED - Please pray for Connie Ratajczak; Ralph Hedderick; and for John Tedesco, father of Joanie Salchli. 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:

Feb. 16: Dee Dee B., Kathi K., Laura D., Kevin D.
 Feb. 17: Len & Cathy K, Helen W, Barbra W., Nancy D.
 Feb. 18: Frank G, Carlee Y., Rachel O.
 Feb. 19: Amber D, Chris L.

Feb. 20: Debi C., Kim D., James T., Roseann G., Donna G.
 Feb. 21: George O., Maureen T., Rami S.
 Feb. 22: John G., Sally R., Dianne Y., Gloria M.

If you would like to join the OLP 31 Club, please call Dave or Kathy Wayman at 397-6443. 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...

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. Serra Prayer for Vocations

From the Desk of the Parochial VicarFather Mark Hoffman

Dear Friends,

As a little boy attending Our Lady of Peace, I remember the Sisters and teachers providing us with the best education they could, given the limited (and by today's standards, primitive) technology. Those were the days of over-head projectors and slide shows on a blank wall, and a black and white TV in the "Activities Room" in the basement.

I recall that in the 5th grade (1969), the Sister teaching our class gave us a reward. After lunch, we were going to watch a TV program, a movie, which would be airing at precisely 12:30PM. (You may recall, we didn't have VHS tapes, or DVD discs, nor DVR digital recordings yet. Those arrived on the local scene years later.)

The move was entitled "**The Song of Bernadette.**" (Winner of the very first Golden Globe award for best motion picture, by the way!) I wouldn't say that watching this movie was the thing that led to my deciding to become a priest...but it sure didn't hurt!

A variety of authors wrote about St. Bernadette and the apparitions at Lourdes. But 20th century cultural popularity of St. Bernadette owes much to *The Song of Bernadette* and the efforts of its author. Franz Werfel, a Jewish German writer found himself in Lourdes while trying to escape to Portugal after France fell to the Nazis. Families who took in Werfel and his wife told them the story of Bernadette and her visions of Our Lady. Werfel vowed that if they should be able to escape, he would write the story of St. Bernadette. True to his promise, his first task when arriving in the United States was to write the beautiful work of historical fiction (which is more historical than fictional), *The Song of Bernadette*. An interesting bit of trivia: the structure of this bestseller is itself a reference to the holy rosary – five sections of ten chapters each.

I remember being really amazed at the hundreds of the poor and sick who visited the grotto where the Blessed Mother would appear, and how the sick were cured. Saint John Paul II, also touched by the amazing miracles of Lourdes, declared that February 11th (the Memorial of Our Lady of Lourdes) would be from that time on, the World Day of the Sick.

I am still touched by how simple it was—students before an old TV in a dark basement, and how God was able to connect with us through an old movie.

With that—I would like to invite you to two special events happening here at Our Lady of Peace Church:

MONDAY, FEB. 10 – 7:00PM -- A Holy Hour for the intentions of those on our Parish Prayer Chain.

TUESDAY, FEB. 11 – 7AM & 12:10PM Mass of the Memorial of Our Lady of Lourdes, with Anointing of the Sick provided to all in attendance at the conclusion of each Mass.

Watch *The Song of Bernadette* this week on your smart TV or computer by downloading **FORMED**. Have a good week. Hope you may consider praying with us on Monday or Tuesday. God Bless you!

NOTE: See Page 6 for instructions to register for FORMED. It's FREE for the OLP Parish Community.

OLP Casserole Club

"You have not lived today until you have done something for someone who can never repay you."

John Bunyan

Everyone at Maria House Project recognizes and appreciates all that you do for us. In the prayer before the meal the resident leading says, "Thanks to God for the food and thanks to all who prepared it."



The February casseroles can be delivered to the OLP Church Social Room (downstairs) on Saturday, February 15th, from 3:30 to 4:30PM. If you need a **casserole** to be picked up, or if the date and time for collection is not convenient, or if you have any questions about Maria House Project, contact Skip or Dottie Glover at 814-440-3496, scottiedip@yahoo.com. **Casseroles** should be pre-cooked, frozen in a disposable container, with re-heating directions attached. Names or addresses should NOT be included.

Erie City Mission Volunteers Needed

We need your help in preparing and cooking food for our brothers and sisters in need.

Dates are Saturday's:

February 15th; March 21; April 18; May 16

Time: 10:00AM to 1:30PM

Where: 11th & French St.

What: Prepare & Serve the Lunch Meal

Time: Any parishioner 15 yrs or older

Contact: Scott Barnes, 881-8889

Qualifies for service hours!



Download Our Parish App!



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Our OLP app is available to download for iPhone and Android smartphones. Stay connected with our parish throughout the week with instant notifications, an easy-to-access event calendar, and the ability to quickly reply to or share messages via Facebook or Twitter. **Download the myParish app by texting APP to phone number 88202.** You will receive a reply with the app link to download. Once downloaded, select Our Lady of Peace, Erie, PA.

FAITH FORMATION NEWS

Grades K-8 - Classes meet 9:15AM to 10:45AM in the school and church.

Feb. 9 Regular Classes

Feb. 9 1st Communion Parent Session 10AM in the cafeteria

Feb. 15 1st Reconciliation Retreat 9:30AM to Noon in the Church. Parents need not attend.

Feb. 16 NO RELIGIOUS CLASS

Feb. 23 Regular Classes/Parent Day for Grades K & 1/Mass after class

Confirmation (Grades 9-11) - Classes meet 5:30-7:30PM in the school church.

Feb. 9 Regular Classes

Feb. 23 Regular Classes

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

Child Protection & Creating Safe Environments

February is Teen Dating Violence Awareness Month: Teen dating violence is a serious problem in the United States. One in three high school students experience either physical or sexual violence, or both, that is perpetrated by someone they are dating or going out with. One in 10 high school students has been purposefully hit, slapped or physically hurt by a boyfriend or girlfriend. Teen dating violence can be physical, emotional or sexual. Teen dating violence can be prevented through empowering teens to lead healthy lives and establish healthy relationships. Healthy relationships consist of trust, honesty, respect, equality and compromise. Visit: <https://www.eriercd.org/childprotection/> to see what the diocese is doing to help maintain safe environments for children and youth.

Mark Your Calendar for Various Area Events

Monday, February 10, 2020

Holy Hour for intentions of the Prayer Line & for the Sick

7:00PM OLP Church

Wednesday, February 12, 2020

Surviving Divorce Ministry

6:30PM St. Mark Catholic Center, 429 East Grandview Blvd
12-week group begins February 12th, cost \$15

For more info contact the Family Life Office, 814-824-1261, or email: familylife@eriercd.org

Sunday, February 16, 2020

Dining to Donate

U Pick 6 Public House, 4575 W. Ridge Rd, Erie

Dine all day, 15% of the food portion of the bill will be donated back to Our Lady of Peace School.

Must have flyer prior to going, flyers available at church exits

Friday, February 21 through Saturday, February 22

Pre-Lenten Retreat

St. Thomas More House of Prayer (Cranberry Twp.)
Retreat Master, **Fr. Dan Hoffman**, will guide you through opportunities for community, quiet time, talks, Mass and Confession. Visit: www.eriercd.org/chastity, click on retreat tile. Questions, call Kate, 824-1261, kwilson@eriercd.org

Sunday, February 23, 2020

OLP School Open House

12-2PM

The Erie Catholic School System invites you to the Open House. See how our school community combines Gospel values and great learning experiences to help each child realize their true potential - in the classroom and beyond. Visit www.eriecatholic.org for more info.

Tuesday, February 25, 2020

Mardi Gras Celebration

6:00-9:00PM OLP School Cafeteria

OLP's Families Together Ministries will host the annual Mardi Gras Party. Gumbo, Hot dogs, Dessert will be provided. Please bring a dish to share.

Wednesday, February 26, 2020

Ash Wednesday

Distribution of Ashes at all times listed:

Masses: 7:00AM, 9:00AM, 12:10PM, 7:00PM

Liturgy of the Word with Ashes: 5:30PM

Confessions/Stations of the Cross

Friday's During Lent:

February 28; March 6, 13, 20, 27; March 3

March 10: Confessions 3:00-4:00PM, Stations 7:00PM

Saturday, May 2, 2020

OLP Crusader Derby

7:00-11:00PM

Rainbow Gardens, 3100 West Lake Rd (inside Waldameer)

Tickets available to be picked up in Church this weekend:

February 8/9

Wednesday, May 13, 2020

REBOOT! With Chris Stefanick

7:00PM St. Jude the Apostle, Erie

Co-Sponsored by Our Lady of Peace and St. Jude, presenting the internationally renowned author, speaker and TV host. Rediscover God and rediscover the life you were made for.

REBOOT! is the fun, inspiring and practical experience for all (ages 12 & up), of applying the beauty and genius of the Gospel to every aspect of your life, from prayer and spirituality, to work, dating, marriage, parenting, health and more... Cost \$25, contact Co-Chairperson Darrell Meyers, darrell.meyers@olp.org or the church office.

Sunday, June 21 - Thursday, June 25, 2020

Young People Who Care Summer Mission Trip

Young People Who Care offers a service program for teens, 16 & older, college students and adults. You will be involved in different ministries throughout the week: painting, yardwork, minor home repairs, nursing home visits, homeless shelter for women and children and much more based on the needs of the people in the area. For more info contact Darrell Meyers, darrell.meyers@olp.org

Sunday, November 29, 2020

New York Times Bestselling Author: Matthew Kelly

7:00PM St. George Church, Erie

Tickets are available for Matthew Kelly's new event, Amazing Possibilities, hosted by St. George and co-hosted by Our Lady of Peace. This is a life-changing event that you will not want to miss! Incredible things happen when you collaborate with God. **Visit: DynamicCatholic.com for more info and to purchase tickets.** Recently we received the books written by Matthew Kelly: *Rediscover Catholicism, Rediscover Jesus & Rediscover the Saints.*

Our Lady of Peace Parish Membership Form

Name _____ Phone _____
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First Friday Adoration

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will takes place on the **First Friday** from 7:30AM to 3:00PM, in Mary's Chapel.



We could use a third person for First Friday

Adoration in the following time-slots:

8AM, 8:30AM, 9AM, 12:30PM; and lots of people to join us for Benediction at 3PM.

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.

Year End Giving Statements

To request your giving statement please contact Cynthia in the church office by:

Calling: 833.7701 x 201 or E-mailing:

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A Family Perspective

Today's gospel challenges us to be a "light" to our community. Parents shine their own guiding light by their actions, inviting their children to follow the light of their "good deeds."

2020 Men's & Women's Conferences held here at Our Lady of Peace

22:32 Men's Conference

Saturday, February 29, 2020

Visit: www.2232men.com for more info and to register

1:38 Women's Conference

Saturday, March 28, 2020

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9:00 AM to 3:30 PM / Doors open at 8:00 AM

Adoration, Confession and Mass / Master of Ceremonies: Fr. Larry Richards

THE SPEAKERS



CARALYN COLLAR
Writer and speaker for
BeautyBeyondBones blog



ALYSSA BORMES
Catholic educator, author, speaker
and radio host on *Catholic Kaleidoscope*



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"Sew What?" is a group of volunteers who make pillowcases, blankets, quilts and stuffed animals for the less fortunate. They have delivered over 2,500 pillowcases, 200+ quilts and more than 150 animals to community service agencies in the Erie area.

"Sew What?" relies on donations to perform its work. Cotton, flannel and fleece material is needed. If you would like to donate fabric or would like to join the group or have any questions, contact Kathy at jdoeqswa@outlook.com or 814-882-6641. pickup for donations is available. sewing sessions are held the first and third Thursday of each month at 1:00PM.

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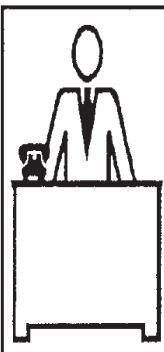
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The 2020 Catholic Services Appeal will be conducted throughout



our diocese on February 23. The CSA is the main source of support for projects and services of the diocese which serve parishes and the wider community in northwestern

Pennsylvania. Our diocese does the work of Christ and needs your help to continue this important work.

Bishop Lawrence Persico assures us that donations to the 2020 CSA will not be used to fund the legal expenses of the diocese related to the Pennsylvania grand jury investigation on clergy sex abuse or to provide settlements for sexual abuse victims.

The CSA is essential to helping the Diocese of Erie fulfill its mission to evangelize, educate, serve, proclaim the Word and celebrate the sacraments. Your participation ensures the success of the CSA and is important to the health of our parish. Please join other Catholics from across the 13 counties of our diocese in supporting this important appeal.

****OLD Palms** Remember to return your old palms this month so we can burn them for our ashes for Ash Wednesday which is February 26th. There is a designated box in the vestibule of the church for their return.

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When: 11AM Mass on these Sunday's: Feb. 23, March 15, April 19

Rehearsals: Right before Mass! We ask the youth to gather in the chapel by 10:15AM to rehearse before Mass begins. Faith Formation students who are in class - arrangements will be made so they can participate.

How to Join: We prefer to know in advance who is participating, but also welcome walk-ins! To save a seat in the choir for your child, please provide your child's name, age and which Sunday they will participate in and email it to: debbyholmes75@gmail.com

For more info:

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