



Our Lady of Peace

**2021 Erie Night to Shine
will be held**

Friday, February 12, 2021

“Shine-Thru” Celebration held at:

Our Lady of Peace

2401 West 38th Street

3:00 - 6:00PM

If you would like to be part of this movement of acceptance and love for people with special needs and have your life changed while changing the lives of others, please contact us to find ways that you can support this incredible cause!

Contact:

Linda Hennigan, Phone - 814-504-0581

Erie Night to Shine, Chair

Email - NTSErie@gmail.com

Website: www.NTSErie.org

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A Family Perspective

In today’s gospel Jesus went to the “house of Andrew and Simon” to relax but discovered that Simon’s mother-in-law was very ill. Like Jesus we come home to relax but are often confronted with problems. Take a tip from Andrew and Simon and tell Jesus about it “immediately.”

Special Masses This Week:

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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 2,50 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.



Knight of Columbus

The Knights of Columbus is an international Order of Catholic men who are called to lead with faith, protect our families, serve others and defend our Catholic values in a changing world. Our Lady of Peace Council is seeking new members. You will find that membership in the Knights of Columbus brings many fraternal benefits. If you are a man over the age of 18 and would like to join, simply go to KofC.org/join and enter our council #11454. Join today through June 30th and receive FREE membership for a year (\$30 value) by using discount code MCGIVNEY2020 (all caps) due to the Beatification of our Founder, Blessed Father Michael J. McGivney!

Please prayerfully consider joining the Knights.

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Office Hours: 8:00AM - 8:00PM
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School Principal

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Parish Pastoral Team

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Rev. Rich Toohey
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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):

2021: Call the office for info. 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

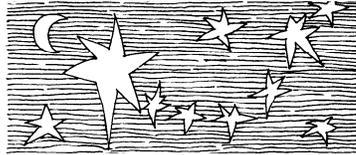
New Parishioners Welcome! Registration forms are available in the Parish Office or online.

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.



Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
February 7, 2021
[The LORD] tells the number of the stars and calls them by name.
— Psalm 147:4

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 always needed.

February 2021



7th Toilet Tissue / Bar Soap
14th Spaghetti Sauce / Spaghetti
21st Toiletries / Peanut Butter
28th Cereal / Oatmeal

Pantry is OPEN February 9th & 23rd (every 2nd & 4th Tuesday) 9-11AM for those living in Millcreek & for OLP Parishioners, at the Westminster Presbyterian Church, 3642 West 26th Street.

The West Millcreek Food Pantry is asking for **extra food donations:**

- Canned Soup
- Canned Vegetables
- Whole Grain Cereal
- Any non-perishable food/item that you are able to donate
- Plastic Grocery Bags
- Granola Bars

The Food Pantry is so thankful to those who have continued to make donations.

Sunday's Readings:

Entrance Antiphon - O come, let us worship God / and bow low before the God who made us, / for he is the Lord our God.

First Reading - Job finds life on earth to be drudgery; he is filled with restlessness (Job 7:1-4, 6-7).

Psalm - Praise the Lord, who heals the brokenhearted (Psalm 147).

Second Reading - Woe to me if I do not preach the gospel. I have become all things to all, to save at least some (1 Corinthians 9:16-19, 22-23).

Gospel - Jesus cured many who were sick with various diseases (Mark 1:29-39).

The English translation of the Psalm Responses from the Lectionary for Mass © 1969, 1981, 1997, International Commission on English in the Liturgy Corporation. All rights reserved.

Family Discussion of the Week: Comfort for the Sorrowful

That evening, at sundown, they brought to him all who were sick or possessed with demons. And the whole city was gathered around the door. And he cured many who were sick with various diseases, and cast out many demons. (Mark 1:32-34a)

Adults: When have you felt the sadness of Job? When have you felt the joy of those who witnessed the healing works of Jesus?

Kids: What could you do this week to comfort someone who is sad?

THE GOOD NEWS

Today's readings begin with a few verses from the book of Job. First, Job complains that his nights drag on endlessly. Then, worse yet, "My days are swifter than a weaver's shuttle; / they come to an end without hope" (Job 7:6). Not exactly encouraging, these lamentations, not when taken alone.

Most of us have been there, though, and the antidote is the "good news" that Paul found so compelling that "an obligation has been imposed on me, and woe to me if I do not preach it!" (1 Corinthians 9:16). Paul felt driven to announce the gospel to as many people as possible, "to save at least some" (9:22).

This good news is the mystery of the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus Christ, who lifted Simon Peter's mother-in-law from her sickbed with a mere touch of his hand. "The whole town was gathered at the door. He cured many who were sick with various diseases, and he drove out many demons" (Mark 1:33-34)). Our woes and demons are as real as Job's, and Jesus is our savior.

MASS INTENTIONS

Readings for the Week of February 7th

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 2021

7:00AM Tony Rusnak - 7AM Mass Group
12:10PM William Eichenlaub - Nuber Family

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 2021

7:00AM Ann Novak - Family
12:10PM Steve & Ann Babik - Stan & Delores Nowak
1:30PM **School Mass** - Deceased Members of the Caserta Family - Ehrman Family

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 2021

7:00AM Special Intention for Sara Estrella - Family
11:30-Noon **Confessions**
12:10PM Joann Jackson - Bill & Diane Stumpf

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 2021

World Day of the Sick

7:00AM Mamerta Javier - Family
12:10PM Marian Mong - Sister, Lorraine Trampenau & Family
6:30-7:30PM **Holy Hour for the Sick**

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 2021

7:00AM Marie Tavani - Friends
12:10PM George Kaufman - Wife & Family

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 2021

8:00AM Carm Morabito - Family
8:30-9AM **Confessions**
3:45-4:45PM **Confessions**
5:00PM Edward Wagner - Daughter, Corky

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 2021

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30AM Gerald Sargent - Sargent Family
9:00AM Helen Finnucan - Daughter, Helen
11:00AM Peggy Pulice - Family
4:30PM Parishioners

The church will remain open for private prayer daily from 7:00AM - 8:00PM.

The church office staff is available by phone or email: 833-7701 / olp@olp.org

Confessions available (in the Chapel):
Wednesdays 11:30-Noon
Saturday 8:30-9AM and 3:45-4:45PM
or by appointment - call the Church Office

Monday: Gn 1:1-19; Ps 104:1-2a, 5-6, 10, 12, 24, 35c; Mk 6:53-56
Tuesday: Gn 1:20 — 2:4a; Ps 8:4-9; Mk 7:1-13
Wednesday: Gn 2:4b-9, 15-17; Ps 104:1-2a, 27-28, 29bc-30; Mk 7:14-23
Thursday: Gn 2:18-25; Ps 128:1-5; Mk 7:24-30
Friday: Gn 3:1-8; Ps 32:1-2, 5-7; Mk 7:31-37
Saturday: Gn 3:9-24; Ps 90:2-6, 12-13; Mk 8:1-10
Sunday: Lv 13:1-2, 44-46; Ps 32:1-2, 5, 11; 1 Cor 10:31 — 11:1; Mk 1:40-45

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:
cynthia.berarducci@olp.org

OLP 31 Club

Praying for vocations every day of the year!

Members 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. 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. 7: Margaret K.
- Feb. 8: Peggy C., Tim G., Pat H., Catilda M., Patricia P., Diane & Bill S., Jean V., Ann S.
- Feb. 9: Ellie A., Elaine S., Jane D., Bill C.
- Feb. 10: Ann T., Veronica W., Pat C., Pat M.
- Feb. 11: Dave D., Paul M., Connie S.
- Feb. 12: Rose B., Madeline H., Chris P.
- Feb. 13: Sylvia B., Phyllis D., Joanie M., Charlie R., Sarah F., Glenn B., Donna R.
- Feb. 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 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.

SANCTUARY LAMP - The lamp is burning this week in memory of Theresa Waldinger Shamp - Friends.

CHAPEL LAMP - The lamp is burning this week in memory of Theresa Prassack - Husband, Jack.

PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED - Please pray for: Dennis Horwath; for James Feronti, Sr.; and for Eileen Fulton. May their families find hope and consolation through their faith in the resurrected Lord.

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 Pastor's Desk...

It is Promotion Sunday for the Catholic Services Appeal (CSA) 2021. Due to your generosity during last year's CSA we were able to refinish our tabernacle, the crown over the tabernacle and many of our sacred vessels for Mass. We also purchased a new gold processional cross and replaced the altar server albs and cinctures.

Now we prepare for CSA 2021, with the theme of "Forward Together." The work of our church takes more than the efforts of any one parish, school or ministry. Each diocesan office and ministry, supported by the CSA, serves our sprawling diocese. Some of these offices oversee Catholic schools, faith formation, charitable agencies, and, quite importantly, the Office for the Protection of Children and Youth. I strongly encourage you to read the Faith Magazine that you recently received which outlines all that the Diocese does and how our money is used. Please be assured that funding from the annual CSA is strictly designated for spending on the ministries and services coordinated through diocesan offices. No funds donated to the CSA have been or will be used to defray expenses related to the sexual abuse scandal.

Our assessment from the Diocese is \$137,524; and I remind you that every dollar raised over our assessment stays in our parish to fund different projects. This year the project identified by our parish Properties Committee in conjunction with our Finance Council is the upgrading of our interior church lighting to LED. This will not only decrease our lighting expenses and improve our energy efficiency, it will also provide brighter worship space. In order to fund this project our overall parish financial goal for CSA 2021 is \$195,000, and I am glad to report that we have already raised \$16,000 towards this goal through last year's "Erie Gives" effort. This leaves a remainder of \$179,000 to reach our overall goal. Below is a summary of the numbers for CSA 2021:

Diocesan Assessment	\$137,524
+Parish Project- Upgrade of Church Lights to LED	<u>57,476</u>
PARISH GOAL for CSA 2021	\$195,000
-Erie Gives 2020 money raised	<u>\$16,000</u>
Total needed to meet goal for CSA 2021	\$179,000

Please prayerfully consider your response this year. Pledges can be made as a one time payment, twice a year or over a ten month period. **Commitment Sunday is next weekend (February 13th/14th).** You received a pledge envelope with our CSA mailing last week but there will be extra envelopes available next weekend. You can respond now or wait to make your pledge on Commitment Sunday.

Please return 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. I truly appreciate all the sacrifices you and your family make for our parish and Diocesan Church.



May God bless our Diocesan and Parish family through CSA 2021... and our week ahead!

Fr. Rich

Our Lady of Peace, patroness of our parish & 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...

****Scout Sunday** This weekend (February 7) we will celebrate **Scout Sunday at the 9am Mass.** I am extremely impressed with our scouting program here at OLP and want to thank all our scouts and their leaders for all that they do in their program as well as all they do for our parish. This weekend let us thank God for the presence of the scouts in our parish and ask God's inspiration to guide them in the year ahead. I encourage our families with children to seriously consider getting them involved with scouting program here at OLP. It is the best youth ministry we have going outside of our Catholic School!

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****World Day of Prayer for the Sick/ Holy Hour for the Sick/ Anointing of the Sick** February 11th (Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes) was designated by St. John Paul II as World Day of Prayer for the Sick during his pontificate. THIS Thursday I encourage you to focus your intercessory prayers for all the sick and consider joining your parish at either daily Mass (7am and 12:10pm) or at a **special Holy Hour for the Sick from 6:30-7:30pm.** The **Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick will be offered at both daily Masses as well as at the Holy Hour.** The Holy Hour will be livestreamed on our YouTube channel for those wanting to participate virtually.

****Night to Shine (an initiative of the Tim Tebow Foundation)**

OLP will again be the church sponsor for this prom night event for those with disabilities in our community of Erie. **This year it will be a virtual event combined with a "Shrine Thru" experience that we will host right here at OLP on Friday, February 12th.** If you would like to help financially support the event or volunteer to help, please call the parish office.

****Our Parish Annual Mardi Gras Gathering is cancelled this year due to COVID-19.** Thank you for your understanding and I look forward to the time when we can gather again socially as a parish family.



****Men's Conference** The Annual Diocesan Men's Conference will be different this year. It will be held on **Saturday, February 27th from 9am-1pm**. Several parishes, including OLP, will host smaller groups of men who will participate virtually together and have an opportunity for Confession and Adoration as well. More information on registration can be found in the bulletin and website. Paper registration forms are available on the bulletin boards.

****Women's Conference** OLP will host the Annual Women's Conference on **Saturday, March 20th**. There is limited seating so make your reservation now to ensure a seat. More information on registration can be found in the bulletin and website. Paper registration forms are available on the bulletin boards.

****Ethical reception of the Vaccine** Recently we included an insert of a news release from the Diocese of Erie regarding the ethical reception of the COVID-19 Vaccines. Below is a link to the release but the conclusion of the release is "Given all of this, the reasons to accept the COVID-19 vaccines from Pfizer, Moderna and Novavax AB are sufficiently serious to justify their use. What about individuals who do not have the opportunity to choose between these and other vaccines? Considering the gravity of the pandemic, and if no other options exist, individuals may choose to receive even other vaccines beyond these three, provided that one does so as an act of charity seeking to limit the spread of the virus and to protect the most vulnerable members of the community." If you have any questions on this, do not hesitate to contact Fr. Mark or I at any time. <https://www.eriercd.org/images/sections/news/pdf/Statement%20on%20the%20ethical%20reception%20of%20COVID-19%20vaccines2.pdf>

****Happy 65th Anniversary** Our Lady of Peace Parish once again! Our anniversary was September 30th; however our celebration through the Rosary of Acts of Kindness and Formation Challenge concluded on January 1st and I am proud to announce that our parishioners logged **9,238 acts of kindness and formation between October 1st and January 1st. With that total we completed two rosaries and 34% of a third one.**

Here is the breakdown of those acts: **2,349 acts of community outreach** (helping others in need through our parish ministries) or participation in ministry/programs outside of the parish; **5,466 acts of liturgy and prayer** (at home, at OLP or other parishes); **1,076 acts of formation** (faith formation, bible studies, videos online, etc), **227 acts of community life** and **120 other acts**. Well done and thank you to all who participated!



Our Lady of Peace...

Pray for us.

FAITH FORMATION NEWS

Classes have begun for all Religious Education students. If you have not heard from your child's catechist or Confirmation facilitator please contact Tammie Mang.

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

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9:00AM Sundays



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St. Joe's Homeless Shelter Sign Up Info

This year, the St. Joseph/Bread of Life Overflow Shelter will be located on the second floor of the Mental Health Association (MHA), located at 1101 Peach St., Erie, PA 16501. **St. Joe's will be hosting the shelter beginning Wednesday, February 17th, at 7:00PM thru Wednesday, March 3rd, at 7:00AM.** You can sign up online with the Sign-Up Genius hyperlink below. You can also call, text, or email Shawn Tubbs (number below) if you have any questions. There are several time slots needing to be filled. All COVID-19 restrictions and information can be found on the Sign-Up Genius website.

Please note:

- We will only be providing dinners on these two Saturdays: February 20th and 27th. These will be cold meals (e.g. submarine sandwiches & chips) and must be bagged or boxed. We need volunteers who are willing to make the meals and deliver them to the MHA by 7PM. Please email, call or text Shawn Tubbs if you are interested.
- The Erie United Methodist Association will be providing paid volunteers for both the evening and early morning shifts. However, we need at least one volunteer for the 7-11PM evening shift, and two volunteers for the 11PM-3AM (late night) & 3-7AM (early morning shifts).
- Due to COVID-19, we are not permitted to have a standard clothing drive. We are accepting cash donations to be used for the 2 meals, and for necessities, such as underwear, socks, and winter clothes - all brand new. Please contact Diane in the office if you would be willing to make a cash donation, 452-2982.

Sign-Up Genius Link:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60b044eacae2fa0fe3-ourneighbors>

or text "Sign-Up" to 823-5520 to receive a Hyperlink to your phone

Email: pavecareserv@gmail.com

Shawn Tubbs cell: 814-823-5520

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

Ways to stay connected during this time:

As most of our communications will be by EMail please make sure the office has your current email.

We are sending weekly emails with updates and resources you can use to strengthen your Spiritual life. Also visit our website: **www.olp.org**.

Downloaded the **MyParishApp** as we will use the App as well to communicate during this time.

To the right are directions for the App and how to log into FORMED, which is one of our greatest resources.



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.

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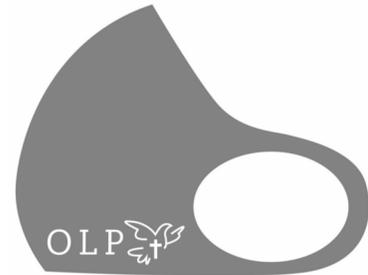


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Both Conference's will offer in-person & Zoom format. Flyers are available

22:32 Men's Conference

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Saturday, February 27, 2021

9:00AM to Noon

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1:38 Women's Conference

Our Lady of Peace Church, Erie

Saturday, March 20, 2021

9:00AM to Noon

Visit: www.138women.com for more info and to register

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2021 CONFERENCE

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 27TH

9:00 AM - 12:00 Noon Event

At a Parish near you

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"BUT I HAVE PRAYED FOR YOU
THAT YOUR FAITH MAY NOT FAIL,
AND WHEN YOU HAVE TURNED BACK,
STRENGTHEN YOUR BROTHERS."
LUKE 22:32



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We have decentralized our conference for this year to mitigate the potential for covid exposure. Our website has a list of parishes where small groups can gather for the conference.

\$15/Adult
\$10/Group of 8 or More
\$5/High School Student

www.2232Men.com
info@2232Men.com
for more details and to register.

The Sixth Annual 1:38 WOMEN'S CONFERENCE MARCH 20, 2021



THE HIVE

OUR LADY OF PEACE PARISH / 2401 W. 38th St., Erie
9:00 AM to 12:00 PM / Cost: Donation only

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

THE SPEAKERS



CARALYN COLLAR
Writer and speaker for
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ALYSSA BORMES
Catholic educator, author, speaker
and radio host on *Catholic Kaleidoscope*

THREE WAYS TO BEE WITH US

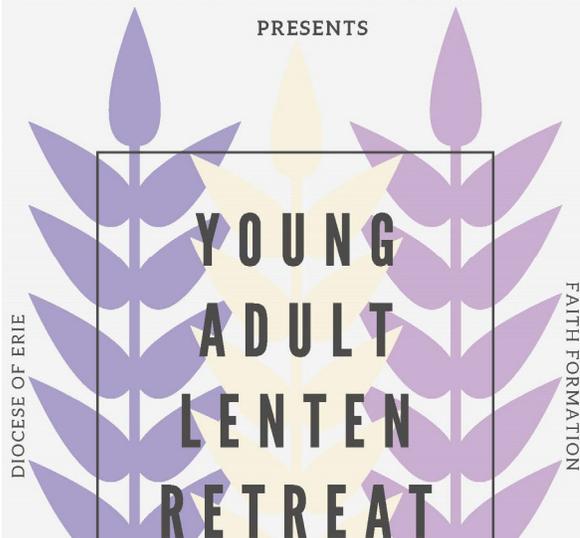
1. Live in-person at Our Lady of Peace Parish.
2. Virtually at satellite parishes via Zoom. Participating parishes to be announced on the website.
3. Virtually via Zoom at your own home.

Bee sure to watch the video on our website for more info about these options and check the website often for updates!

Buzz over here for more details and to register:
www.138women.com or 814/455-7364



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Outreach	1,226
Community	1,123
Liturgy	5,466
Formation	1,076
Community Life	227
Other	120
Totals	9,238

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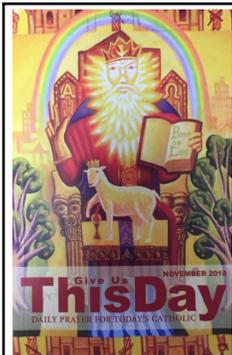
FEAST OF FAITH The Gloria (1)

The Gloria, or Glory to God, follows the penitential rite. Both are acts of praise. In the penitential rite, we sing of the mercy of Christ. In the Gloria we praise God's saving action in the universe.

The Gloria is a relatively late addition to the Mass. It first appeared in the Roman liturgy in the sixth century, and then it was sung only by the pope—and only on Christmas! With time, the hymn came to be sung by bishops on major feasts, and then by priests; finally, it became the song of the entire assembly. With the advent of more elaborate musical settings, the people gradually stopped singing the Gloria, until this song of the people became the exclusive domain of the priest and the choir. But the liturgical reforms have restored it to its place as primarily the song of the assembly.

The language of the Gloria echoes the New Testament canticles. It may be begun by the priest, the cantor, and the entire assembly in varied combinations. The Gloria is sometimes called the "greater doxology," and in some ways it is like an extended, ecstatic version of the familiar doxology ("Glory be to the Father") prayed in the Divine Office and the rosary.

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