



Our Lady of Peace

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is at hand



Luke 21:25-28, 34-36

November 28, 2021

First Sunday of Advent

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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.

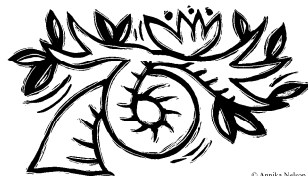
Sacrament of Matrimony An appointment with a parish priest six months prior to the wedding date.

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

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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.

First Sunday of Advent**November 28, 2021**

I will raise up for David a just shoot;
he shall do what is right and just in the land.

— Jeremiah 33:15

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.

November 2021

28th Cereal & Baked Beans



Pantry is OPEN November 23rd

(every 2nd & 4th Tuesday) 9-11AM for those living in

Millcreek & for OLP Parishioners, at

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
- Plastic Grocery Bags
- Powered Milk
- Nut Butters
- Toilet Tissue
- Paper Towels/Napkins

The Food Pantry is so thankful to those continuing to donate.

Sunday's Readings:

Entrance Antiphon - To you, I lift up my soul, O my God. / In you, I have trusted; let me not be put to shame. / Nor let my enemies exult over me; / and let none who hope in you be put to shame.

First Reading - The days are coming when the LORD will fulfill the promise made to Israel and Judah (Jeremiah 33:14-16).

Psalms - To you, O Lord, I lift my soul (Psalm 25).

Second Reading - May the Lord make you increase and abound in love that you may be blameless in holiness; conduct yourselves so as to please God (1 Thessalonians 3:12 - 4:2).

Gospel - There will be signs and you will see the Son of Man coming with power and great glory. Be vigilant (Luke 21:25-28, 34-36).

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Family Discussion of the Week: The Habit of Prayer

Be alert at all times, praying that you may have the strength to escape all these things that will take place, and to stand before the Son of Man. (Luke 21:36)

Adults: What have been the strengths of your prayer life? What habit of prayer could you strengthen during this Advent season?

Kids: What prayers will you say each day and each week during Advent?

WATCHFUL CONFIDENCE

We the Church enter into Advent and the new liturgical year with a call for a watchful confidence. Our readings were originally addressed to communities undergoing great loss and confusion. Jeremiah speaks confidently of God fulfilling the ancient promises to Israel, even during a time of foreign invasion. Paul speaks of God leading the Church into holiness, while the community longs for the coming of Jesus. In the Gospel passage from Luke, Jesus speaks of powerful signs and of great confusion to come, but emphasizes that we may look forward knowing that God brings not cause for despair, but hope. We celebrate Advent to remind each other of God's faithfulness. We are to be watchful, to see how God is stirring up our world. God disturbs both our pride and our complacency, and brings us healing and justice. We prepare ourselves to welcome Jesus, confident that God indeed fulfills all these divine promises.

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MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 2021

7:00AM Patty Ann Miklos - Family

12:10PM Nick Buto - Buto Family

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 2021

7:00AM Edmund Young - Jack & Chatzie Chapman

12:10PM Andrew Polakowski - Family

1:30PM School Mass - Peggy Zurawski - Friends

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 1, 2021

7:00AM Al Bossar - Bill & Pat Cunningham

11:15-Noon Confessions

12:10PM Frank Cardamone -
Kathy, Matt & Brian Williams**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 2, 2021**

7:00AM Bud Schlecht - OLP Ushers

12:10PM L. B. Jankowski - Fred & Evelyn Fried

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 3, 2021

7:00AM Margaret Zurawski - Dave & Andrea Price

12:10PM Brian Fried - Mom, Dad, Shawn & Chris

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 4, 20218:00AM Special Intention for Frank & Kathey Nemeth
(50th Wedding Anniversary)

8:30-9AM Confessions

5:00PM Robert Lapinsky - Darrell & Nancy Meyers

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2021**Second Sunday of Advent**

7:30AM Parishioners

9:00AM Amelia Pozzuti Patsy - Jill & Austin Brugger

11:00AM Elsie Cardamone -

Kathy, Matt & Brian Williams

4:30PM Stanley Mackowski - Steph & Bill Flanagan

The church will remain open for private prayer
daily from 7:00AM - 8:00PM.**Confessions available (in the Chapel):**

Wednesdays 11:15-Noon

Saturday 8:30-9AM and 3:45-4:45PM

or by appointment - call the Church Office

SANCTUARY LAMP - The lamp is burning this week in
memory Andrew Polakowski - Family.**CHAPEL LAMP** - The lamp is burning this week in memory
of Theresa Prassack - Husband, Jack.**BANNI**

Andy Bemis / Danielle Herbe

*Readings for the Week of November 28th*

Monday: Is 2:1-5; Ps 122:1-9; Mt 8:5-11

Tuesday: Rom 10:9-18; Ps 19:8-11; Mt 4:18-22

Wednesday: Is 25:6-10a; Ps 23:1-6; Mt 15:29-37

Thursday: Is 26:1-6; Ps 118:1, 8-9, 19-21, 25-27a;
Mt 7:21, 24-27

Friday: Is 29:17-24; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Mt 9:27-31

Saturday: Is 30:19-21, 23-26; Ps 147:1-6;

Mt 9:35 — 10:1, 5a, 6-8

Sunday: Bar 5:1-9; Ps 126:1-6; Phil 1:4-6, 8-11;
Lk 3:1-6

PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED - Please pray for
Robert Wlodarczyk, uncle of Doug Fleming; for Marie
McMaster, mother of Deborah Stankiewicz; Dolores
Owens, mother of James Owens, Jr.; and for Edward
Zurawski. May their families find hope and consolation
through their faith in the resurrected Lord.



Our Lady of Peace...

Pray for us.

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:

Nov. 28: Ann F., Michael M.

Nov. 29: Linda M., Janet A.

Nov. 30: Bethann D., Linda D., Julie M., James S.

Dec. 1: Maxine R., Mark S., Evelyn V., Pat B.

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

Dec. 3: Sister Peggy, Linda D., Virginia S.

Dec. 4: Arlene B.

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

*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 Pastor's Desk...

To my spiritual family of Our Lady of Peace-

Happy New Year (beginning of Advent) and Thanksgiving Weekend! I am most grateful for all of you, my parish family, along with my family and my faith and my God. Your friendship, your love, your support, and your generosity are a tremendous gift to me and I thank God and you for that! I also add a special prayer of Thanksgiving for our parish staff who are so committed to serving our parish and community and do so much to help me in serving you.

One amazing example of your generosity was last year's "iGiveCatholic" Campaign where we raised over \$45,000. We are in the midst of that campaign this year and have set a goal of \$35,000 and 150 donors. **The last day to give, the National Day of Giving, #iGiveCatholic Day, is THIS Tuesday, November 30, 2021.** Our finance council and staff plan to use all donations to the iGiveCatholic Campaign to address our offertory deficit of approximately \$35,000. Donations can be made until midnight on Tuesday at www.erie.igivecatholic.org or you can drop it off at the office on Tuesday until 8pm. Thank you for those who have already given on iGiveOLP Day last week or during the advanced giving time.

May God bless our new liturgical year 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...

****Adoration Opportunities this Week** There will be an **Advent Holy Hour of Eucharistic Adoration this Tuesday, November 30th at 7pm.** In the spirit of Advent which invites us to spend more time in silence to increase our waiting and longing for the Lord in our lives, much of the holy hour will have silence with some music, scripture and a short reflection. Also, First Friday Adoration is December 3rd from 7:30am until 7pm Benediction. Committed Adorers please remember to use the sign-in sheets in the vestibule. First Friday observance will include the Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3pm.

****Masses this Week** Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday of this week- Advent Weekday Masses; Tuesday, November 30th- St. Andrew, Apostle; Friday, December St. Francis Xavier, Priest (16th Century); Saturday, December 4th- St. John Damascene, Doctor of the Church (8th Century).

****Next weekend is the Scout Christmas Garage Sale and the Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast (Sunday, 8-11am).**

The last time to drop off donations is Monday, Nov 29th from 6-8pm. The sale runs Saturday from 8am-Noon & 4-7pm and Sunday from 8am-1pm. Please support our scouts and Knights who do so much for our parish community.

****The last Small Group Discussion Meeting for the Parish St. Joseph Consecration will be held this Thursday, December 2nd at 6:30pm in the school cafeteria.**

****OLP Parish St. Joseph Consecration** The consecration will conclude on **Friday, December 10th with Lessons and Carols at 6:30pm in the church.** OLP's Selah Praise Band will lead the music and will include the prayers for the last day of the Consecration to St. Joseph. **After Lessons and Carols there will be a social event in the school that will include refreshments, a cookie decorating station, a family activity station and a "packing for the Food Bank" station in addition to the opportunity to hang out and socialize.** I hope to see you there.

****New Guidelines for Posture After the Lamb of God at Mass**

This weekend starts the season of Advent and a new liturgical year. Bishop Persico in consultation with the Diocesan Office of Worship has decided to resume the practice of kneeling after the Agnus Dei (Lamb of God) until after the faithful receive communion. This will put the practice of the Diocese of Erie in line with most other dioceses in the United States and help to provide consistency of posture throughout the parishes of our own diocese. Here is the background which may assist us in better understanding this change:

- The latest edition (Latin) of the General Instruction of the Roman Missal (GIRM) was issued in 2000 and remains unchanged. The current English translation, including adaptations for the dioceses of the United States of America was published 2002 and was updated in 2010.

- In paragraph 42 of the GIRM for the US, we read: "In the Dioceses of the United States of America, they should kneel beginning after the singing or recitation of the Sanctus (Holy, Holy, Holy) until after the Amen of the Eucharistic Prayer, except when prevented on occasion by ill health, or for reasons of lack of space, of the large number of people present, or for another reasonable cause. However, those who do not kneel ought to make a profound bow when the Priest genuflects after the Consecration. The faithful kneel after the Agnus Dei (Lamb of God) unless the Diocesan Bishop determines otherwise."

- Thus, when the GIRM was first released in English in 2002, Diocesan Bishops in the US were authorized to have their respective dioceses follow some alternative custom.

- In an attempt to express in gesture the unity signified by the Eucharist itself, Bishop Trautman decided in 2003 that the congregation would stand from the Great Amen until the reception of Holy Communion was complete. Unfortunately, that unity in gesture was never fully realized and is increasingly absent.

Consistent with Bishop Trautman's intention, Bishop Persico also wishes to emphasize the unity that flows from the Eucharist. After nine years of episcopal ministry in the Diocese of Erie, observing parish customs and the practices of people, Bishop Persico has determined now is an appropriate time for all of us to return to the practice that most dioceses in the United States employ. After the Lamb of God, the people will kneel. Once the people return after receiving Holy

Communion, they may kneel or be seated. This restored practice is intended to help to unify posture throughout the Diocese of Erie, place us in greater harmony with the Church throughout the United States, lessen confusion, and assist those parishioners who are unable to stand for long periods of time. In situations where the people are unable to kneel, they may sit instead.

This directive goes into effect the First Sunday of Advent, 4:00pm on Saturday, November 27, 2021. I understand the goal of Bishop Trautman in his decision in 2003 but I also see Bishop Persico's point that it was never explained well in many parishes and that it appears to create more confusion and disunity in some cases so the change makes sense to me. Let me know if you have any questions about this.

****Pope Francis and President Biden** Several people have commented to me about their frustration with the lack of clarity about what Pope Francis actually said to President Biden when they met in late October. President Biden has stated that Pope Francis "was happy that I am a good Catholic and I should keep receiving Communion." The Vatican has not responded or made any clarifications to the President's statement citing that the conversations between the Pope and Heads of State are left private. I will offer my thoughts on this in the upcoming weeks and I would also like to have our next forum in our "Church in Dialogue" Series at Our Lady of Peace on this topic. As you know, I am a firm believer that we need to find a civil way to discuss these challenging issues and not just ignore them. Please pray for our dialogue on this issue and let me know if you have questions or comments on this issue at fr.rich@olp.org.

****Blessing of Hunters and St. Hubert Medals**

At the initiative of the Knights of Columbus and through their financial support, this weekend we will bless hunters and St. Hubert Medals (patron saint of hunters) at all Masses seeking protection as deer season opens. The medals will be available to take after Masses.

****Pilgrimages to England (2022) and the Holy Land (2023)** I am excited lead a pilgrimage to England next summer with Fr. Nick Rouch, the Vicar for Clergy in the Diocese of Erie and a Newman Scholar. The pilgrimage will be **July 18-28, 2022** and more information can be found at the pilgrimage website- <https://www.pilgrimages.com/frtoohey/england/>. The cost is \$4,799 which includes everything (transportation, accommodations, food) except personal expenditures.

I also will be leading another Holy Land Pilgrimage on **November 6-18, 2023**. The cost of this pilgrimage is \$4,899 and more information can be found at www.pilgrimages.com/frtoohey/holyland/.

Pamphlets for both pilgrimages are in the vestibule or the parish office. Any questions do not hesitate to contact me at the parish office or via email- fr.rich@olp.org.

FAITH FORMATION NEWS

Grades 1-8: Classes meet from 9:30 - 10:45AM in the school and church basement.

Nov. 28- No Religious Ed. Classes

Grades 9-11: Classes meet from 5:30-7:30PM in the school and church basement.

Nov. 28- No Religious Ed. Classes

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

For more info please contact Tammie Mang,
Faith Formation Director,
814-838-9983 or Tammie.mang@olp.org

PRAYER OF THE WEEK First Sunday of Advent

Grant your faithful, we pray, almighty God,
the resolve to run forth to meet your Christ
with righteous deeds at his coming,
so that, gathered at his right hand,
they may be worthy to possess the heavenly Kingdom.
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
who lives and reigns with you
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
God, for ever and ever.

OLP Boy Scout Troop 59 Christmas Decorations Sale

Now is the time to clean out your old Christmas decorations and then get new ones.

Troop 59 will be accepting all your new/used Christmas decorations.

Drop off your decorations:

OLP Scout House:

Monday, November 29th 6 – 8PM

Christmas Decoration Sale:

OLP School Cafeteria:

Saturday, December 4

8AM-12Noon and 4-7PM

Sunday, December 5th

8:00AM – 1PM



Donations from this sale benefits
Troop 59 activities.

Any questions please contact:
Howie Richards, 814-836-0084 or
howardrichards@yahoo.com.

Our Lady of Peace's

Youth Ministry Schedule

Nov. 30th

Holy hour at OLP, for the whole family. Adoration at 7 pm and fellowship to follow until 8:30 pm. Bring your whole family and a friend.

Dec. 2nd

MS Youth Night, 6:30-8 pm, OLP church social room. Join us for a night of challenging games and activities. Snacks will also be involved!

Dec. 4th

Come on a day trip to Steubenville, OH

Have you been looking for a way to go deeper in your faith? Are you wanting to experience something new and exciting? You're invited to join us in a trip to Franciscan University of Steubenville for a night of praise. It'll be a day trip, including time at the mall in Robinson, PA, dinner at Burgatory and adoration and prayer in Steubenville. You won't want to miss this exciting experience. Email Sarah to sign up!

Email Sarah Beaver with any questions at sarah.beaver@olp.org



Volunteers needed:

Advent Wreath Lighting

The Advent Wreath serves as a powerful visual reminder of the holiness of the season. The light of the candles invites us to quiet ourselves during this busy time and reflect on the true meaning of Christmas as we welcome the Light of Christ into our lives.

We continue our tradition here at OLP offering all parishioners the opportunity to assist with the wreath lighting during the weekend Masses throughout the four Sundays of Advent. We invite you to prayerfully consider volunteering.

Sign-up sheets are in the vestibule.

Thank You:

Catholic Campaign for Human Development

Thank you for your generous support last week for the collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development! The monies raised will support those on the margins who live in poverty in the United States.



The Knights of Columbus of OLP are having a raffle benefiting Our Lady of Peace parish & school projects called the "12 Knights of Christmas." A drawing will be held over a 12 day period before Christmas.

The first drawing on December 13, and a drawing would be held over each of the next eleven days, ending on Christmas Eve. The winner on each day receives the gift for that particular day PLUS all the gifts from the proceeding day's drawings. The final day winner would receive ALL the gifts plus the TV.

\$10.00 - 1 Ticket \$20.00 - 3 Tickets

The prizes for each day's drawings are:

- Day 1. Knights of Columbus Breakfast Tickets (2)
- Day 2. Pair of Lanterns/Lamps
- Day 3. Romolos Chocolate
- Day 4. Beer & Pop Warehouse Gift Cards
- Day 5. Wine Bottle Set (must be 21)
- Day 6. Cordless Drill Kit
- Day 7. Oakwood Restaurant Gift Card
- Day 8. 3-in-1 Stick Vacuum
- Day 9. Indoor Smokeless Grill
- Day 10. InstaPot Cooker
- Day 11. Philharmonic Tickets & Oakwood Restaurant Gift Card
- Day 12. Large Screen TV & Sound Bar

Tickets may be purchased in the Church Office



Prepare the way of love this *Advent*

Our Parish Service Project for Advent includes :

Millcreek Food Panty. . . As part of the Consecration to St. Joseph, the parish is hosting a *packing party* on December 10th. Items needed include:

laundry detergent
cleaning products
deodorant
body wash/soap

fabric softener
dish detergent
toothpaste & toothbrush
diapers/feminine products

There are 140 families that regularly rely on the Millcreek Food Pantry

St. Martin Center Shining Stars. . .

\$25-\$50 Gift cards from Target, Walmart and Five Below are needed. The Parish is sponsoring 120 children in need this year.

You can make a difference in the life of a child this Christmas.

Drop off donations in the church office



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:

Some of our communications will be by Email please make sure the office has your current email address.

We send a weekly email with updates and resources you can use to strengthen your Spiritual life. Also visit our website:
www.olp.org.

Downloaded the **MyParishApp** as we use the App as well.

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!



myParish App

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.

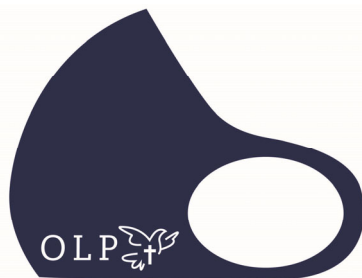


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OLP Items for Sale: Water Bottles / Face Masks

\$5.00 each

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:

Dec. 18

Time: 9:00AM to 1:00PM

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!**

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Mark Your Calendar for Various Area Events

Holy Trinity Annual Christmas Market

Orders Taken now thru December 6

Payment due with all orders (credit cards accepted)

Order: Cookies, Pierogi, Nut Roll, Sweet Bread, Oplatki and more... *Order forms available at www.holytrinityrc.org or call Edith, 814-456-5300.* Pick-Up Dec. 17th 4-7PM & the 18th 9AM-Noon at Holy Trinity Social Center, 23rd & Reed

Fri./Sat./Sun., November 26-28

2nd Annual Craft Show

Blessed Sacrament, 1626 W. 26th St (School Gym)

Friday, Nov. 26th: Noon - 5:00PM

Saturday, Nov. 27th: 10:00AM - 5:00PM

Sunday, Nov. 28th: Noon - 4:00PM

Admission \$3 per day ages 12 & up; 11 & Under Free;

Family 4-pass \$5 per day

Masks/Face shields are required

Thursday, December 2

Consecration to St. Joseph Small Group Discussions

OLP Cafeteria 6:30PM

Friday, December 3

Frist Friday Adoration

7:30AM - 3:00PM

OLP Church

Sunday, December 5

Pancake Breakfast

8:00AM - 12:30PM

OLP School Cafeteria, 2401 W. 38th St., Erie

Sponsored by the OLP Knights of Columbus

Adults \$8, Children \$4, 5 and Under Free

Next Date: Sunday, January 9, 2022

Friday, December 10

Conclude Consecration to St. Joseph

6:30PM Lessons & Carols in church

Following is a social event including these stations: refreshments, cookie decorating, family activity, and a "packing for those in need"

Items needed for the packing for those in need:

Laundry detergent, fabric softener sheets/liquid, cleaning products, dish detergent, personal hygiene products (deodorant, toothpaste, toothbrush, body wash/soap)



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

Pancake Breakfast

Sunday, December 5th

OLP Cafeteria from 8:00AM to 12:30PM

Menu:

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

Now Accepting Credit Cards

Adults \$8 Child \$4 5 & Under Free

Join us for the "Best Breakfast Deal" in town,
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Santa will be there to award:
a 26" Bike

to
one boy
&
one Girl
who attend
the
breakfast



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7:00AM Weekdays

8:00AM Saturdays

9:00AM Sundays



Go to www.olg.org, scroll down
to 'Find Us on Social Media,' click on YouTube and
you will be connected to our Channel. Once there
you can watch previous Masses and also Subscribe
by clicking the red Subscribe button.

#iGiveCatholic

What is #iGiveCatholic?

#iGiveCatholic is a one-day online giving event for the faithful in dioceses across the nation (and the world!) to come together and raise as many charitable dollars as possible for Catholic parishes, schools, and nonprofit ministries on **#GivingTuesday, November 30, 2021.**

Last year, **#iGiveCatholic** raised more than \$12.7 million for organizations in participating dioceses across the US.

Why #iGiveCatholic?

#GivingTuesday is a global day of giving fueled by the power of social media and collaboration. Celebrated on the Tuesday following Thanksgiving (in the U.S.) and the widely recognized shopping events Black Friday and Cyber Monday, **#GivingTuesday** kicks off the charitable season when many focus on their holiday and end-of-year giving.

When is #iGiveCatholic?

This year **#iGiveCatholic** is on **#GivingTuesday, November 30, 2021.** Visit iGiveCatholic.org, click on Give Back, enter Our Lady of Peace, Erie, click Search, then click on Our Lady of Peace Parish. Advanced giving has begun and **iGiveOLP** is **Monday, November 22nd.**

All donations made on the **#iGiveCatholic** Giving Day are tax deductible in the full amount.

Where will OLP use the Funds from #iGiveCatholic?

OLP will use donations received to offset the offertory deficit of \$30,000.

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6:05Light dinner
6:30Vocation stories (Bishop, priests)
7:15Q&A, Discussion on discernment, St. Mark Seminary info
7:30Holy Hour for Vocations
8:00Depart



Bulletin Deadlines for Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Years

The Holidays are fast approaching and with it comes some early deadlines for the bulletin. They are as follows:

For Sunday, December 12, 2021, articles are due by December 3, 2021

For Sunday, December 19, 2021, articles are due by December 6, 2021

For Sunday, December 26, 2021, articles are due by December 10, 2021

For Sunday, January 2, 2022, articles are due December 17, 2021

For Sunday, January 9, 2022, articles are due December 20, 2021

You may e-mail the info to: cynthia.berarducci@olp.org
or drop it off at the church office.

Thank you, in advance, for your cooperation with these early deadlines.