



Our Lady of Peace

John 21:1-19

Breakfast with Jesus

Jesus said to Simon Peter, "Simon, son of John, do you love me more than these?" Simon Peter answered him, "Yes, Lord, you know that I love you." Jesus said to him, "Feed my lambs." He then said to Simon Peter a second time, "Simon, son of John, do you love me?" Simon Peter answered him, "Yes, Lord, you know that I love you." Jesus said to him, "Tend my sheep."



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The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated the 1st & 3rd Sunday of each month at 12:30PM. A mandatory preparation class for parents is available. *Call the office for info.*

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.

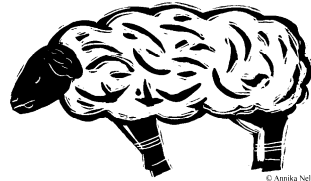
RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation)

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

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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.

Third Sunday of Easter May 1, 2022

"Worthy is the Lamb that was slain to receive power and riches, wisdom and strength, honor and glory and blessing."

— Revelation 5:12

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.

May 2022

1st Nut Butters

8th Canned Fish: Tuna / Salmon

15th Spaghetti Sauce / Pasta

22nd Mac & Cheese / Canned Stew

29th Baby Food / Baby Wipes

Pantry is OPEN May 10 & 24

(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
- Pet Food
- Powered Milk
- Toilet Tissue/Kleenex
- Paper Towels/Napkins
- Personal Hygiene Items
- Cloth Grocery Bags

Thank you!

Sunday's Readings:

Entrance Antiphon - Cry out with joy to God, all the earth; / O sing to the glory of his name. / O render him glorious praise, alleluia.

First Reading - Brought before the Sanhedrin, the apostles give witness to Jesus Christ. (Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41).

Psalm - I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me (Psalm 30).

Second Reading - In his vision John sees all in heaven and on earth give honor and glory to the one on the throne and to the Lamb (Revelation 5:11-14).

Gospel - Jesus appears to the disciples by the sea of Tiberias (John 21:1-19 [1-14]).

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Family Discussion of the Week: Feed My Sheep

When they had finished breakfast, Jesus said to Simon Peter, "Simon son of John, do you love me more than these?" He said to him, "Yes, Lord; you know that I love you."

Jesus said to him, "Feed my lambs." (John 21:15)

Adults: In what ways are you answering Jesus' command to Peter to "feed my sheep?"

Kids: What do you do to take care of others as Jesus asked Peter to do?

GOD'S OVERFLOWING KINDNESS

The superabundance of God's kindness ties all of today's readings together. Especially when life overwhelms us, the Lord provides all we need, and then some. In the Acts of the Apostles, Peter takes the lead when facing the Sanhedrin. We might expect the man who denied Jesus to crumble under the imposing glare of the high priest. Instead, the Holy Spirit helps him testify to his faith in Jesus Christ. What Peter had lacked before, courage and conviction, God provides in abundance. Similarly, today's Gospel shows Jesus providing a surplus of fish for the disciples. They have no luck fishing until the Lord intercedes. Jesus supplies an almost ridiculous number of fish, and he cooks it for them, too. As our reading from Revelation affirms, the overflowing riches of God require constant praise. Countless creatures—"everything in the universe"—cry out to honor the Lord, forever and ever.

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MASS INTENTIONS**MONDAY, MAY 2 2022**

7:00AM Jim MacKrell - Family

12:10PM Laura DiPanfilo - Kevin Helsley Family

TUESDAY, MAY 3, 2022

7:00AM Mary Ann DeFiore

12:10PM Edmond Young - Jack & Chatzie Chapman

7:00PM OLP Confirmation Mass

WEDNESDAY, MAY 4, 2022

7:00AM Joan F. Dombrowski -

Jerry Dombrowski & Family

11:15-Noon Confessions

12:10PM Urban Barrett - Wife, Sally

THURSDAY, MAY 5, 2022

7:00AM Leona Pettinato - Paul Vojtek Family

12:10PM Dennis Durkin - Family

FRIDAY, MAY 6, 2022

7:00AM Donald DiPlacido - Wife & Family

12:10PM Donald Pulice - Diane McCarthy

1:30PM School Mary's Day Mass -

Special Intention for OLP School Community

SATURDAY, MAY 7, 2022

8:00AM Carmelita Morabito - Family

8:30-9:00AM Confessions

1:00PM First Communion

3:45-4:45PM Confessions

5:00PM Mary E. Hoffman - Ed & Rina

SUNDAY, MAY 8, 2022**Fourth Sunday of Easter** **Mother's Day**

7:30AM Eva Dangelo - Sargent Family

9:00AM Amelia Pozzuti Patsy

11:00AM Living & Deceased Members of OLP

4:30PM Janie Abel - Family

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 of Mary Szocki - Husband.

CHAPEL LAMP - The lamp is burning this week in memory
of Stanley Mackowski - Friends.

Daily at 11:35AM

The Rosary of the Most Blessed Virgin Mary is
prayed daily prior to the 12:10 Mass. Mary invites
all her children to pray her Rosary. Also, the
Chaplet of Divine Mercy is prayed following the 12:10
Mass in the Chapel. **All are welcome!**

*Readings for the Week of May 1st*

Monday: Acts 6:8-15; Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30;
Jn 6:22-29

Tuesday: 1 Cor 15:1-8; Ps 19:2-5; Jn 14:6-14

Wednesday: Acts 8:1b-8; Ps 66:1-3a, 4-7a; Jn 6:35-40

Thursday: Acts 8:26-40; Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20;
Jn 6:44-51

Friday: Acts 9:1-20; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Jn 6:52-59

Saturday: Acts 9:31-42; Ps 116:12-17; Jn 6:60-69

Sunday: Acts 13:14, 43-52; Ps 100:1-3, 5;
Rv 7:9, 14b-17; Jn 10:27-30

**Our Lady of Peace...****Pray for us.**

PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED - Please pray for
David Konkol; and for Ron Paterniti. 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 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:

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

May 2: Kathy W., Deacon Dennis K.

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

May 4: Arlene B.

May 5: Joyce K., Chuck & Linda R.

May 6: Maxine B., Denise & Michael G., Susan F.

May 7: Margaret K.

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

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

Happy Month of Mary! It is part of our Catholic Tradition to honor our Blessed Mother Mary in a special way throughout this month so let's find special ways we can do that. One way we can honor Mary is listen to her advice at the wedding feast of Cana "to do whatever he (Jesus) tells you to do." And Jesus is calling some in our community to be a part of our parish leadership on the Pastoral Council. In June, we will have two openings on Pastoral Council, so please prayerfully consider nominating yourself or another parishioner (with their approval). See the bulletin insert for the nomination form and explanation of what is expected of the Pastoral Council member. Forms are also available at the church entrance and office. This is a process for selecting new members to allow for a broader representation of the parish which we started five years ago. The letters of nomination are to be turned into the parish office by Friday, May 20th.

Speaking of the Pastoral Council, they will be joining our staff and members of our Welcome Committee to call all parishioners of Our Lady of Peace to check in and see how you are doing. Because of a limited ability to call from the church office, they will be calling from their private phone lines between May 11-25 so please be open to receiving their call or calling them back when they leave a message, we want each family to know that they are a valued member of the community and in our prayers. Thank you for your receptiveness to this outreach and let me know if you have any questions.

May God bless our Easter 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...

****Congratulations to our parish children and youth receiving the Sacraments of Initiation this week!** Our 3rd grade children are receiving their First Communion this Sunday, May 1st at 1:00PM and next Saturday, May 7th at 1:00PM. Bishop Persico will be at OLP on Tuesday, May 3rd to celebrate Confirmation with our high school juniors. Please keep them all in your prayers, that they be open to the wonderful graces God sends upon them in these great "divine embraces" that the sacraments offer. Come Holy Spirit fill the hearts of your faithful and enkindle in them the fire of your love!

****World Day of Prayer for Vocations and Holy Hour**

Sunday, May 8th is the 4th Sunday of Easter and the World Day of Prayer for Vocations. Next weekend we will pray for all young people in our parish and diocesan church to be open to God's call for them... to priesthood, diaconate, religious life, devoted single life and the married life. There

will also be a **Holy Hour for vocations on Monday, May 9th at 7pm.**

****Masses this Week** Monday, May 2nd- St. Athanasius, Bishop and Doctor of the Church (4th Century bishop of Alexandria and known as the "doctor of the incarnation"); Tuesday, May 3rd- Sts. Phillip and James, Apostles; Wednesday, May 4th and Thursday, May 5th- Easter Weekdays; Friday, May 6th- Mass In Time of War or Civil Disturbance; Saturday, May 7th- Easter Weekday.

****Our next Anointing of the Sick Mass will be Saturday, May 14th at 5pm.** If you or anyone you know would benefit from this Sacrament please plan to attend and/or bring them with you to Mass. The anointing will take place after the homily. If you are suffering from any serious illness or condition (physical, mental, emotional), are frail due to older age, have recovered from a serious condition but relapsed, or are expecting major surgery, or are terminally ill or actively dying, you are eligible for this tangible source of grace and strength. Remember that you can receive the anointing more than once, especially if you are elderly, and that it is not just reserved for "Last Rites."

****The 45th Anniversary of the Dedication of Our Lady of Peace Church is Sunday, May 15th but since it falls on a Sunday, we will be celebrating the anniversary liturgically at our Masses on Monday, May 16th.** We will pray for all the living and deceased members of OLP Parish as well as the clergy, religious and benefactors who all helped build our church building in 1976-77.

****OLP Faithful to the Finish 5K and Parish Endowment**

Part of our mission at Our Lady of Peace is to ensure that the Christian way of life continues not just in our generation, but for generations to come. One new way we can do that is by supporting our Parish Endowment established with the Catholic Foundation of Northwest PA. This year, all the money raised by our annual Faithful to the Finish 5K will go toward the OLP Parish Endowment. The race date is May 14th, and like last year it will be virtual. See elsewhere in the bulletin for more information on the 5K and how you can help keep the faith community of OLP thriving for generations.

****OLP Appreciation Dinner** I am grateful to all those in our parish who volunteer in support of our various ministries that serve not only our parish but the greater Erie community. Back in January we postponed our annual Appreciation Dinner; but I am excited to announce that the dinner will be held on **Saturday, May 21st at 6:15pm in the school cafeteria.** It will take place after our first outdoor mass that same day at 5pm. All parishioners who volunteer on any level for parish ministries are invited, call or email the office to register (814-833-7701x0 or cynthia.berarducci@olp.org).

****Follow Up on the Synod** I thank Gina Adams and Joe Bell who were our parish facilitators for the Synod on Synodality. I also thank the 104 participants at OLP. We had great sessions and input; and I will be considering all of this in our parish planning with the staff and Pastoral Council over

the next several years. Visit our website, www.olp.org to see a copy of the summarized report submitted to the Diocese.

****Catholic Services Appeal (CSA) 2022 UPDATE: 458 pledges for \$210,474** We have reached our parish goal of \$200,000... Congratulations!! This allows us to complete our parish projects of replacing the chapel roof, replacing the HVAC in the rectory and the updating of the entrance doors of the church. I would still greatly appreciate your support if you have not yet made a pledge. Please place your pledge envelopes in the offertory at Mass or send/drop off at the parish office.

****OLP Trip to Sight and Sound Theatre in Lancaster, PA for Production of "David"** Our parish is taking a pilgrimage to see the production of David from June 14-16, 2022. Call the office to make a reservation ASAP; see elsewhere in the bulletin for more info.

****Video Series on "75 Masterpieces that Every Christian Should Know" by Terry Glaspey** I have started a new video series on this book that relays the fascinating stories behind great works of art (Examples: Rembrandt's "The Return of the Prodigal Son"- 1669, and "The Incredulity of Saint Thomas" by Caravaggio-1601), literature (Examples: "The Brothers Karamazov" by Fyodor Dostoyevsky-1879 and "The Lord of the Rings" by JRR Tolkien- 1954), music (Examples: "St. Matthew Passion" by Johann Sebastian Bach- 1727, and "The Joshua Tree Album" by U2) and film (Examples: "It's a Wonderful Life" by Frank Capra- 1946, and "The Tree of Life" by Terrence Malick- 2011). The series started this week with a goal of finishing around October. **They will be released on the parish YouTube Channel** (with a link on Facebook). **Please remember to subscribe to the OLP YouTube Channel and sign up for alerts to be notified when new videos are available.**

****Easter Season** Recall that the Easter Season continues until Pentecost Sunday (June 5th). The fifty days of the Easter Season (Pentecost is a word meaning fifty) is longer than the forty days of Lent. It reminds us that for those who are Christian the joy and hope of the resurrection trumps the suffering and struggle of the cross. We keep the decorations up in church and look forward to some great celebrations for our parish during this great season- **First Communion on May 1st and 7th, Confirmation on May 3rd, Ascension Thursday on May 26th, Deacon Chris' Ordination to Priesthood on Friday, May 27th at St. Patrick Church.** We have much to be grateful for at Our Lady of Peace so let us keep the Easter Momentum going.....now and forever.

****Pilgrimages: England July 18-28, 2022 and Holy Land November 6-18, 2023** I realize with COVID it's hard to commit to the England pilgrimage but wanted to remind you that you can purchase travel insurance. My hope is to stick with both trips regardless of whether we reach 40 pilgrims. 206 Tours, who is handling both pilgrimages, has said they hope to run both and will wait until spring to see where things stand for England. It would be very helpful if you could contact me at, fr.rich@olp.org, if you are considering going to either England or the Holy Land. Thank You!
Visit: www.pilgrimages.com/frtoohy

FAITH FORMATION NEWS

Many thanks to parents, students and catechists for a wonderful Faith Formation year!

Registration forms for the 2022-2023 Faith Formation year will be emailed in June.

May 1 – First Communion, 1:00PM

May 1 - Practice for Confirmation, 5:30PM in Church

May 3 - Confirmation Mass, 7:00PM

May 6 - Practice for First Communion, 6:30PM in Church

May 7 - First Communion, 1:00PM

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

Our Lady of Peace Parish Invites You on a Pilgrimage to Sights & Sound's "David" Amishlands Pennsylvania

3 Days - 2 Nights June 14-16, 2022



Fr. Rich Toohey, Spiritual Director

**Cost: \$435.00 per person (Double Occupancy)
\$575.00 per person (Single Occupancy)***

\$50 Deposit with Reservation due ASAP

Balance due April 25th

Make checks payable to: Our Lady of Peace

Package includes:

*Daily Mass

*2 Nights Lodging

*2 Breakfasts; 2 Dinners, including a Family-style Dinner & Shady Maple Smorgasbord

*Performance of "5 Guys Named Moe" at Fulton Theatre

*Performance of "David" at the Millennium Theatre

*Guided Tour of the Amish Countryside, including stops at an Amish Craft Farm & Bake Shop

*Kitchen Kettle Village

*Souvenir Gift

*Luggage Handling, Motorcoach Transportation

*Taxes & Meal Gratuities

For information and reservations contact:

Cynthia Berarducci in the OLP Church Office

814-833-7701 x201, cynthia.berarducci@olp.org

NEW EUCHARISTIC MINISTER TRAINING

RECRUITMENT WEEKEND

MAY 14-15

If you have ever considered serving our parish community as a Eucharistic Minister, now is the time! Confirmed High School students are welcome.

Current Eucharistic Ministers will be in the vestibule after all of the weekend Masses to answer questions and provide information about this very important ministry. This will also be your opportunity to sign up for the necessary training.

Commissioned Eucharistic Ministers are fully initiated, active members of our church community.

Contact ministry leader Charlie Rutkowski at olpeom@gmail.com or 835-3608 with any questions.

*Eucharistic Minister
Training Session
Saturday
May 21st
8:45AM to Noon
in the Church*



Jesus said to them, "I am the bread of life; he who comes to me shall not hunger, and he who believes in me shall never thirst." John 6:35

Please prayerfully consider joining this fulfilling ministry, bringing Christ's Body and Precious Blood to our church community!

A Family Perspective

Jesus invited the disciples to "Come and have breakfast." Like the Last Supper, Jesus teaches us at this beach breakfast that meals are more than about eating. They are opportunities to share prayer, listen to each other's stories, and support one another in love.



The Knights of Columbus Council of Our Lady of Peace

Pancake Breakfast Sunday, May 8th

OLP Cafeteria from 8:00 to 12:30AM

Bring Mom for Breakfast (Mom's eat for FREE)

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,
and support your KofC organization.



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Raffles:



1. Air Fryer
2. Grill

**No purchase necessary,
just sign-up at the
breakfast.**



Baby Bottle Fundraiser:

The **Our Lady of Peace Knights of Columbus** have joined all the Erie and Crawford County councils to conduct a **Baby Bottle** fundraising drive to benefit the **Women's Care Center of Erie** in their goal of purchasing a **mobile ultrasound van**. This medically equipped vehicle will visit rural areas, as well as our five local universities to provide valuable lifesaving services.

In 2021, the KofC provided an ultrasound machine to the Care Center, and in less than a year 63 previously abortion bound women chose life for their unborn children, after viewing them on this state of the art machine. While this is certainly an achievement, we are now focusing on helping to raise \$250,000 to purchase a **mobile ultrasound van**. If the KofC along with other entities are able to achieve this goal, the KofC Supreme council in Connecticut will pay the entire cost of the mobile ultrasound machine, (around \$45,000).

Baby bottles will be distributed as you leave church on Mother's Day. If you are able, we ask that you fill them with change, currency or checks (made out to OLP Knights of Columbus) and return them on Father's Day.

All Volunteers Welcome Sunday Supper Mission

Meal served at First Presbyterian Church

We need your help in preparing, cooking and feeding our brothers and sisters in need.

Planning Meeting: Wednesday May 11, 7:00pm

Where: OLP School Cafeteria Room B5

What: Select Menu and volunteer for tasks

Who: Any parishioner 15+ years

Date to Serve: Sunday May 22nd, 3:30-5:30pm

Contact: Pete or Debbie Piotrowski 814-812-0122

This Weekend Special Collection:

GOOD SHEPHERD COLLECTION

This weekend all parishes and missions in the Diocese of Erie are taking a special collection to support the needs of our retired Diocesan priests. This special collection will assist those dedicated priests who are elderly, seriously ill or incapacitated, and in need of supplementary assistance for expenses such as non-insured medical costs, nursing home and long-term care assistance. As the number of retired priests increases in the upcoming years the Priest Retirement Plan will need to be adequately funded to meet their future needs.



Diocesan Priest Retirement Collection

Your generosity will make a difference in the lives of priests who have served faithfully and serve now as a "thank you" for their many years of faithful service. Help provide them the same love and generosity they provided for us for generations.

OLP School Proudly Presents

Little Mermaid, Jr.

And you're invited!!

Friday, May 13th 7:00PM (doors open at 6:15PM)

Saturday, May 14th 7:00PM (doors open at 6:15PM)

Sunday, May 15th 2:00PM (doors open at 1:15PM)

Tickets available at the door
(please use the Gym Entrance)

Cost:

\$5.00 15 & Older

\$3.00 14 & Under



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.

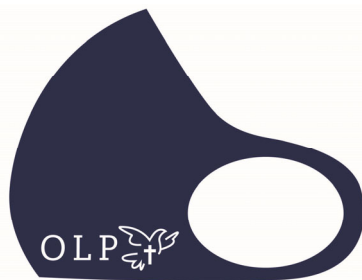


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OLP Items for Sale: Water Bottles / Face Masks

\$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:

May 21, June 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!**

Advertiser of the Week:

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Chris Ehrman, Parishioner
www.allburnflorist.com

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May 2022

Youth Ministry Schedule

Weekly-Family Hour of Prayer

Every Monday, 6:30-7:30 pm in the OLP Mother's Chapel. The hour will include praise & worship and a reading from scripture. Everyone is welcome, this is a great family event to come to.

The following Monday's will have a Family Hour of Prayer:
May 2nd, 16th, 23rd

- May 4th** HS Game Night, 6:30-8pm, OLP Church Social Room.
- May 5th** Join us for a holy hour of adoration at St. Joseph's Bread of Life Church 7-8pm, families welcome.
- May 6th** Kid's Night Out, 5-9:30pm. Contact Sarah to volunteer!
- May 7th** Festival of Praise at Franciscan University of Steubenville, leave OLP at 2:30pm, spend the afternoon/evening on campus, ending with a night of praise & worship. Families welcome-contact Sarah if coming!
- May 11th** MS/HS Game Night, 6:30-8pm, OLP Gym.
- May 18th** HS Faith Night, 6:30-8pm, OLP Church Social Room.
- May 19th** MS Faith Night, 6:30-8pm, OLP Church Social Room.
- May 21st** Outdoor Mass 5pm, families encouraged to come!
- May 25th** HS Social Night, 6:30-8pm, OLP Church Social Room.
- May 26th** MS Social Night, 6:30-8pm, OLP Church Social Room.

EASTER AND CRS RICE BOWL

Happy Season of Easter! Our CRS Rice Bowl journey has ended, but our prayers, fasting and almsgiving continue as we seek a closer relationship with God and our global family.

Please remember to bring in your Rice Bowls. You may drop them off in the box located in the church vestibule.



PRAYER OF THE WEEK

Third Sunday of Easter


May your people exult for ever, O God, in renewed youthfulness of spirit, so that, rejoicing now in the restored glory of our adoption, we may look forward in confident hope to the rejoicing of the day of resurrection. 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.

Council Corner April 2022

Pastoral Council met in March for its annual meeting with Council members and OLP Staff to collaborate on pastoral planning goals for the next year. In addition, Council members participated in Synod meetings and are reviewing the parish report to discern topics Council may be able to address in the future. In the coming months Council members will continue to evaluate effective methods of outreach to parishioners, work on the development of a system to ensure all ministries in the parish have what they need and collaborate with ministries to promote welcoming and hospitality efforts in the parish.

Pastoral Council welcomes the opportunity hear your thoughts and input. Please feel free to contact any Council member individually, or by email at OLPpastoralcouncil@gmail.com.

Our Lady of Peace Pastoral Council members: Kathleen Fross, Stacy Congdon, Justin Miles, Sue Quinn, Cheryl DiPietro, Debbie Steiner, Dominick Sisinni, Herb Morrow, Nancy Sherwood, Ann Rutkowski, Thomas Sargent, Cathy Kuzma, and Jennifer Malue.



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