



Our Lady of Peace

BE HUMBLE

**FOR WHOEVER EXALTS HIMSELF WILL BE HUMBLED,
AND THE ONE WHO HUMBLER HIMSELF WILL BE EXALTED.**

LUKE 18:9-14

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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 11:15AM-12:00PM
Saturdays 8:30-9AM; 3:45-4:45PM
or by appointment.

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.

**Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 23, 2022**

The prayer of the lowly pierces the clouds;
it does not rest until it reaches its goal,
nor will it withdraw
till the Most High responds.

— Sirach 35:17-18a

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.

October 2022

23rd Canned Soup, Stew and Chili

30th Crackers / Nuts / Trail Mix

Pantry is OPEN October 25th

(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
- Laundry Supplies
- Toilet Tissue/Kleenex
- Paper Towels/Napkins
- Personal Hygiene Items
- Reusable Grocery Bags

Thank you!

Sunday's Readings:

Entrance Antiphon - Let the hearts that seek the Lord rejoice; / turn to the Lord and his strength; / constantly seek his face.

First Reading - The LORD is a God of justice who hears the cry of the oppressed, the orphan, the widow, the lowly (Sirach 35:12-14, 16-18).

Psalm - The Lord hears the cry of the poor (Psalm 34).

Second Reading - The crown of righteousness awaits me (2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18).

Gospel - The tax collector stood at a distance, beat his breast, and prayed, "O God, be merciful to me, a sinner" (Luke 18:9-14).

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Family Discussion of the Week: The Reward of Humility

"All who exalt themselves will be humbled, but all who humble themselves will be exalted." (Luke 18:14)

Adults: When have you felt self-satisfied in observing the mistakes of others? What should we remember at such times?

Kids: Have you ever thought you were better than someone else? What is the problem with such thoughts?

MADE RIGHT BEFORE GOD

Although the opening lines of today's first reading claim that the Lord "knows no favorites" (Sirach 35:15) and is "not unduly partial toward the weak" (35:16), the remainder of the passage makes it clear that the Lord does indeed pay special attention to the weak, the oppressed, and the orphans and widows. The psalmist reiterates: "The Lord hears the cry of the poor" (see Psalm 34:18). In the Gospel, Jesus claims that a tax collector is more justified in his prayer for mercy than the Pharisee, whose prayer was an account of his own righteous deeds. Jesus' point could not have been clearer: tax collectors in the Jewish society of Jesus' day were not just lowly; they were considered outcasts and cheaters. They collected taxes for the hated Romans and almost certainly collected enough to assure a generous income for themselves. Tax collectors were among society's outcasts; didn't this one just admit his own sinfulness? How could a tax collector be "justified" (that is, made right) before God, while the Pharisee was not? Why would God even listen to the prayer of a tax collector? This surely was a surprise, upsetting common assumptions about righteousness.

MASS INTENTIONS

Readings for the Week of October 23rd

Monday: Eph 4:32 — 5:8; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 13:10-17
 Tuesday: Eph 5:21-33 or 5:2a, 25-33; Ps 128:1-5; Lk 13:18-21
 Wednesday: Eph 6:1-9; Ps 145:10-14; Lk 13:22-30
 Thursday: Eph 6:10-20; Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10; Lk 13:31-35
 Friday: Eph 2:19-22; Ps 19:2-5; Lk 6:12-16
 Saturday: Phil 1:18b-26; Ps 42:2, 3, 5cdef; Lk 14:1, 7-11
 Sunday: Wis 11:22 — 12:2; Ps 145:1-2, 8-11, 13-14; 2 Thes 1:11 — 2:2; Lk 19:1-10

MONDAY, OCTOBER 24, 2022

7:00AM Marie Pears - Gina Adams
 12:10PM Ed Zurawski - Coppola Family
 7:00PM Holy Hour— Respect for ALL Life

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2022

7:00AM Ann Novak - Family
 12:10PM Judie Lamberton - Shirley Irish
 1:30PM School Mass - Linda Bucci - Ehrman Family

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2022

7:00AM Ryan Callahan - Carla & Bill Klinge
 12:10PM Jack Saeger - Family

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 27, 2022

7:00AM John Vojtek, Sr. - Paul Vojtek Family
 12:10PM Jacob Predis - Tom & Phyllis Burke

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2022

7:00AM Stan & Virginia Nowak - Stan & Delores Nowak
 12:10PM Chester Walkiewicz, III - Kevin Helsley Family

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29, 2022

8:00AM Loretta Nichols - Evelyn Visnoski & Donna Desser
 8:30-9:00AM Confessions
 3:45-4:45PM Confessions
 5:00PM Mary Elaine Hoffman Agnello - Ed & Rina Hoffman

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 30 2022

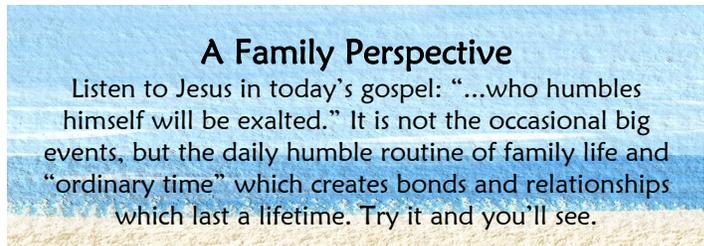
Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30AM Marie Dorko - Tom & June Carr
 9:00AM Hank & JoAnne Starr - Michael Cooney Family
 11:00AM Esther Mang - Sheri & Ed Parry
 4:30PM Living & Deceased Members of OLP

The church will remain open for private prayer Monday through Thursday from 7:00AM - 8:00PM and Friday 7:00AM - 4:00PM

Confessions available (in the Chapel):
 Wednesdays 11:15-Noon
 Saturday 8:30-9:00AM and 3:45-4:45PM

SANCTUARY LAMP - The lamp is burning this week in memory of Ernest Csakany - Brad & Sheila Dinger.
CHAPEL LAMP - The lamp is burning this week in memory of Special Intention - Edie Testa & Son, Adam.



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:
 Oct. 23: Heidi A.
 Oct. 24: Mary Ann A., Magherita H., Audrey & Robert H.
 Oct. 25: Christine O.
 Oct. 26: Cynthia B., Dave W., Joe S., Deb T., Corky Y.
 Oct. 27: Ann R.
 Oct. 28: Ann F., Michael M.
 Oct. 29: Linda M., Janet A.
 Oct. 30: Bethann D., Linda D., Julie M., James 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

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!**

From the Pastor's Desk...

A blessed World Mission Sunday (WMS) to you! WMS is a moment of grace to express solidarity with our brothers and sisters in Christ who are living in situations of poverty, violence and oppression. In 1926 Pope Pius XI instituted Mission Sunday for the whole Church with the first worldwide Mission Sunday collection taking place in October 1927. That day is celebrated in all the local Churches as the feast of catholicity and universal solidarity so Christians the world over will recognize their common responsibility with regard to the evangelization of the world. This year's theme is "You shall be my witness" (Acts 1:8). Every parishioner is a missionary, sharing our love for Christ's Gospel with one another, supporting the Church most in need. For more information or resources go to MISSIO.org/resources.

The recipient of today's collection is Missio. They ignite God's love by helping local missionaries to work alongside global communities that are poor or in need, regardless of their background or belief. Sometimes this need might be very specific: a motorbike for a Priest to celebrate Mass in remote villages; a simple community hall so people can gather together; vaccinations to protect vulnerable children. Whatever our missionaries need to help them share the joy of the Gospel, Missio strives to provide it. By supporting Missio, you play a vital part in creating a vibrant Catholic Church for the future. By volunteering, raising or donating funds, and by praying, YOU make our mission possible. Together we are enriching today's global Catholic community. Together we are training tomorrow's generation of Priests and Sisters. Together we are giving hope to the world's poorest children.

May God bless our World Mission Sunday, our evangelization as a church, our support of global missions... 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...

****Congratulations** to Tammie Mang, Director of Faith Formation here at Our Lady of Peace, who was recognized by Bishop Persico and the Diocese of Erie, for her 10 (and now 11) years of service to our parish at a dinner earlier this month. Tammie worked as a teacher at OLP School for 12 years before that so she has dedicated the last 23 years to our community children. I extend a huge thank you to Tammie on behalf of our parish family and hope you can congratulate and thank her in person when you see her next. Ad Multos Annos!

****Thank you** to parishioner Mike Anthony of A. Anthony and Sons, Inc. who donated the addition of concrete to the border of the pavilion to replace the landscaping stones. Mike has

consistently been very generous to OLP in the concrete work that he has done around the campus and I am extremely grateful to him for that.

****Respect Life Holy Hour of Eucharistic Adoration will be Monday, October 24th at 7pm.** October is Respect Life Month in the US Catholic Church and so we will pray for the recognition of the dignity of all human life from conception to natural death. Typically, in our Catholic Social Justice Teaching we have a particular concern for life that is the most vulnerable- the unborn, the elderly, the imprisoned, the poor, those with mental illness, those with special needs, immigrants, etc so let's keep them in our prayers in a special way this month.

****ServErie Saturday - November 5 from 8AM to 12PM.** The launch site will be at St Luke Church on 38th St near Mercyhurst College. Volunteers will be bussed to and from their worksites. OLP volunteers can meet here first (7:30am) then carpool over to St. Luke. Please contact Darrell Meyers at Darrell.meyers@olp.org to sign up or with any questions.

****Masses this Week** Monday, Oct. 24th- St. Anthony Mary Claret, Bishop (19th Century Spain and Cuba); Tuesday, Oct. 25th- Mass For Those Suffering from Hunger; Wednesday, Oct. 26th- Mass for Refugees and Exiles; Thursday, Oct. 27th- Mass for Those in Prison; Friday, Oct. 28th ; Sts. Simon and Jude, Apostles; Saturday, Oct. 29th- Mary, Seat of Wisdom.

****Parish Survey** Several weekends ago, our parish conducted a survey to measure the effectiveness of our programs and to assess the greatest needs of our parish community. This is an opportunity for all of those who come to this parish to make their needs and opinions known. The results will help us better serve all those who attend Mass here. The survey is being conducted by the Center for Applied Research in the Apostolate (CARA), a Catholic research center. We encourage you to participate by contacting the parish office or to take the survey online. The link is available on our website, www.olp.org. Our parish will receive a report summarizing our results within 12 weeks of the survey, and the findings will be used as we plan for the next five years.

****All Souls Day Memorial Service** Every year on November 2nd at 7pm we hold a memorial service for all those who have died and had funeral services through Our Lady of Peace over the past year. We always welcome as well, praying for and with our parish families who have lost loved ones in the last year whose funerals were not at OLP. So any parishioners of OLP can notify the office if your spouse, parent or child died since last November 2nd and we will include them by name in our service and make a candle for them. The deadline to let us know is Monday, October 24th.

****Liturgical Hospitality Ministry** All parishioners with a gift for hospitality are asked to consider being a part of a new liturgical ministry at OLP that will focus on greeting people at the beginning and end of weekend Masses. If you could like to sign up, contact the coordinators: Paul and Joyce Wickles, 814-8338-7038. This ministry is open to families, married couples and grandparents as well as individual members.

OLP Rosary/CCM Meeting

October 20, 2022

6:30PM OLP School Rm B-5
(off of the cafeteria)

If you are interested in joining or
have questions, please call:

Marilyn 814-833-4683 or Pat 814-838-7145

The Rosary Ladies are collecting the following
items for the Church of the Covenant:

New Men's Briefs	White Crew Socks
Toothpaste & Brushes	Shampoo/Bar Soap
Toilet Paper (individually wrapped)	
Travel Size Deodorant	Bring items to church office or to the meeting
Clean Used Sweat Shirts & Pants	

****Video Series on "75 Masterpieces that Every Christian Should Know" by Terry Glaspey** I am playing catch up from Cursillo last week ... **Masterpiece 66: Symphony np. 3, The Symphony of Sorrowful Songs** (classical music) by Henryk Gorecki c. 1976 AD; **Masterpiece 67: Dancing in the Dragon's Jaws** (recording) by Bruce Cockburn c. 1979 AD; **Masterpiece 68: The Second Coming** (novel) by Walker Percy c. 1980 AD. Don't forget to subscribe to the OLP YouTube Channel and sign up for notifications so you can be alerted when new content is on our channel.

****Eucharistic Adoration** FOR MORE INFORMATION ON WHAT EUCHARISTIC ADORATION IS AND A LIST OF OPPORTUNITIES FOR EUCHARISTIC ADORATION AT OUR LADY OF PEACE, PLEASE SEE THE PARISH WEBSITE (www.olp.org) AND LOOK UNDER THE FAITH FORMATION TAB, SPIRITUAL RESOURCES, ARTICLES.

****National Eucharistic Revival (NER)** is a three-year initiative sponsored by the Bishops of the United States to inspire and prepare the People of God to be formed, healed, converted, united, and sent out to a hurting and hungry world through a renewed encounter with Jesus in the Eucharist – the source and summit of our Catholic faith. The Revival officially launched in June 2022, and its milestone event will be a National Eucharistic Congress in Indianapolis, IN, from July 17-21, 2024. The National Eucharistic Revival and National Eucharistic Congress are a direct response to the Holy Father's call for a "pastoral and missionary conversion which cannot leave things as they presently are" so that the Church in the United States might be "permanently in a state of mission" (Evangelii Gaudium, n. 25).

This eucharistic movement seeks to bring together clergy, religious, laity, apostolates, movements, and parish and diocesan leaders to spur momentum, collaboration, and lasting



OUR LADY OF PEACE FSA IS EXCITED TO HOST
TRUNK -OR- TREAT

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2022

PARTICIPATING VEHICLES CAN ARRIVE @ 5PM

TRUNK -OR- TREATING BEGINS @ 6PM

****PARTICIPATING CARS PLEASE PARK ALONG THE FRONT OF THE SCHOOL &
ALL VISITORS CAN PARK ALONG THE WEST SIDE OF THE SCHOOL****

PRIZES AWARDED TO SPOOKIEST, MOST CREATIVE AND MOST INTERACTIVE CARS

QUESTIONS MESSAGE THE OLP FSA PAGE ON FACEBOOK OR EMAIL
NICOLE@ERIEHUMANESOCIETY.ORG

impact for the renewal of the Catholic Church in the U.S. over the next three years. Each year will have a strategic focus for formation and missionary discipleship.

Year One (2022-2023): Year of Diocesan Revival

During the first year, the U.S. bishops will be inviting their presbyterates, diocesan teams, and parish leaders to a renewed love for Jesus in the Eucharist by hosting and highlighting diocesan-wide events such as eucharistic congresses and days of formation centered on the mystery of the Eucharist in the life of the Church.

Year Two (2023-2024): Year of Parish Revival

During the Parish Year, pastors will invite their parishioners and staff to become even more truly and deeply eucharistic communities through small groups, increased exploration of the sacrifice of the Mass, eucharistic adoration, catechetical studies on the Real Presence of Christ, parish-sponsored processions, and other activities to enable deeper encounters with Our Lord in the Eucharist.

Year Three (2024-2025): Year of the National Eucharistic Congress and Missionary Sending

During the third year, the Church will gather for the first National Eucharistic Congress in almost fifty years, where approximately 80,000 Catholics are anticipated to draw close to Jesus in the Eucharist by way of a pilgrimage to Indianapolis from July 17-21, 2024. The intended fruit of the Congress is to prepare the faithful from around the country to go out to the peripheries of their communities as "eucharistic missionaries" filled with the flame of divine charity for those around them. Following the vote of the U.S. bishops at the November 2021 general assembly, a new corporation has been formed to plan and implement this milestone event.

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 October 26, 7PM

Where: OLP School Cafeteria Room B4

What: Select Menu and volunteer for tasks

Who: Any parishioner 15+ years

Date to Serve: Sunday Nov. 6th, 3:30-5:30pm

Contact: Pete Piotrowski, 814-600-5386 or
Debbie Piotrowski, 814-812-0122

Mark Your Calendar for Area Events

Sunday, October 23, 2022

Pasta Dinner featuring "Ginny's Sauce"

St. Jude the Apostle School Gym 606 Lowell Ave., Erie
11:00AM-6:00PM; \$12 Pasta Dinner (2 Meatballs) \$15
Chicken Parm Dinner; Live Music with Dean Martin! Basket
Drawings, Winavette Tickets, and more! Special Early bird
Takeout Option Saturday, October 22nd, 4-7PM

October 24-26, 2022

Encounter Jesus Christ

St. Francis Xavier Church 8880 Main St., McKean
6:30-8:00PM; **3-Day Parish Mission w/ Bp. William
Waltersheid**

Come discover how to listen to and experience Jesus in a
way that will transform your life and those around you!

Questions, call Irene: 814-476-7657

Wednesday, October 26, 2022

Dia De Los Muertos Young Adult Social

St. Jude Church 2801 West 6th St., Erie
6:00-9:00PM

Ages 21-40; RSVP: Nate Brown & Abby Quinn
abigailquinn17@gmail.com

Saturday, October 29, 2022

Music Trivia Night

Stadium Club - UPMC Park 831 French St., Erie
6:30-9:30PM; \$50pp (form a team of 4) Includes full buffet
dinner. Hosted by the Erie Seawolves with all proceeds
benefiting the French Creek Council National Jamboree
Contingent. Help send scouts to camp!
Register: <https://tinyurl.com/yt9t59ds>
Visit: FrenchCreekCouncilJamboree on Facebook for details.

Sunday, October 30, 2022

Tom Hoffman's Famous Salisbury Steak Dinner

St. Andrew Parish Gym, 1116 W. 7th St., Erie
11:45AM-4:00PM; Adults \$10; 7-12 \$7; 3-7 \$5; Family \$30
50/50 and Basket Raffle

Saturday, November 5, 2022

Women's Conference: Restore

North Catholic High School 1617 Rte 228, Cranberry Twp
Presented by Joan of Arc Ministries & Dry Bones
Join us for inspiring talks, Eucharistic Adoration, Confession,
a time of prayer devoted to Our Lady, and a 4:00PM Vigil
Mass with Bishop Mark Eckman
Register at: joanofarcministries.com

Saturday, November 5, 2022

"A Pro-Life Movie" Unplanned

St. Jude Church Founder's Room 2801 W. 6th St., Erie
2:00-4:15PM; questions: jimbettydale2@gmail.com

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FAITH FORMATION NEWS

Registration forms for the 2022-23 Faith Formation year
are now due. If you have not registered yet please do
so ASAP.

Oct. 23 - Grades 1-5 Faith Formation classes then Mass
at 11:00AM

Oct. 29 - Middle School NET Retreat

Oct. 30 - High School NET Retreat

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

Sunday, November 6, 2022

Fall Festival, Pork & Kraut Dinner

St. Boniface Church 9363 Wattsburg Rd., Erie
11:00AM-3:00PM; Main Award Raffle \$1,000, \$200, \$200,
\$100, \$50. For more info call St. Boniface 814- 825-4439

Sunday, November 6, 2022

Turkey Bingo

St. Anthony Parish Antonium Hall 804 Idaho St, Sharon PA
Doors open at Noon, bingo starts at 1:00PM

\$20 for one pack, \$25 for two packs, \$30 for three packs
Prizes include gift cards to D'Onofrio's & Walmart
50/50 raffle, basket raffle, food available

Thursday, Nov. 10th Noon to Friday, Nov. 11th

"Walking with Jesus" Overnight Retreat

Olmsted Conference Center, 17 E. Main St., Ludlow PA

On living a Eucharistic Spirituality

Come away to pray, reflect and celebrate with Sr. Tina
Geiger, RSM and Sr. Marian Wehler, OSB

RSVP by Oct. 27th; Cost \$60 (overnight and 4 meals)
814-677-2032 or srtinag@gmail.com **AND** send Name,
Address, Phone, email to: Catholic Rural Ministry, 7 Pulaski
St., Oil City, PA 16301 w/non-refundable deposit of \$30.00

Wednesday, November 16, 2022

Safeguarding the Sacred

**The Pastoral Challenge of Protecting Faith Communities
from External Violence**

St. Jude Church, 2801 W. 6th St., Erie

Inter-Faith Panel Discussion Participants:

- Rev. Britney Knight, Assoc. Pastor, First Presbyterian
Church of the Covenant
- Rev. Karen Kostur, Pastor, Immanuel Lutheran Church
- Rev. T. Shane Mathew, Assoc. Vice Pres./Mission &
Ministry, Gannon Univ.
- Rabbi S. Robert Morais, Temple Anshe Hessed

Moderator: Dr. Michael E. DeSanctis

#GiveCatholic

Tuesday, November 29, 2022

Last 1,653 donors supported over 95 catholic organizations
in northwest PA

OLP is grateful for your prayerful support

Watch for more info...

Friday, December 9, 2022

Comfort & Joy Concert featuring **Steve Angrisano &
Sarah Hart**

Our Lady of Peace Church 2401 West 38th St., Erie
7:00PM - tickets are required. General Admission seating -
doors open at 6:30PM. A Free Will Offering will be taken.
Reserve tickets at www.olp.org or by phone: 814-833-
7701x202

Funding provided by a grant from The Catholic Foundation of
NWPA

**A Stewardship of Sharing
Month of September 2022
Fiscal Year July 2022 - June 2023**

Weekly Envelope	\$ 62,255
Loose	\$ 3,450
Holy Days	\$ 68
Monthly School Support.....	\$ 1,558
Total Monthly Offertory.....	\$ 67,331
Budgeted Monthly Offertory	\$ 77,917
Monthly Deficit	\$10,586
Diocesan Designated Fund Support	\$ 2,922

**2021 CSA
February 2022 to January 2023**

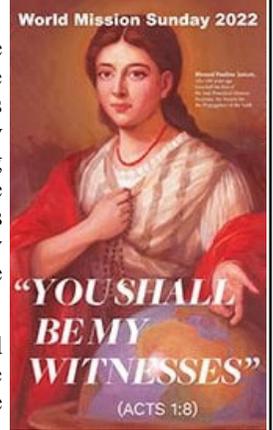
Goal	\$ 200,000
Pledge Payments Received to Date.....	\$ 197,479
Total Pledges	\$ 222,094
488 Families - Goal is 500 Families	

Every dollar raised supports important Diocesan services and every dollar raised over our assessment will be kept in the parish for parish improvements.
Our 2022-2023 Diocesan assessment is \$131,755.

**Special Collection This Weekend:
World Mission Sunday**

Be the Lord's 'Witnesses' in Prayer and Support This World Mission Sunday

Today, World Mission Sunday, Pope Francis reminds us that in Baptism we are all called by the Lord to be His missionaries: "You shall be my witnesses" (Acts 1:8). Joining Catholics worldwide this Sunday, we offer our prayers and generous financial support, through the Society for the Propagation of the Faith, to the Pope's missions.



When you contribute to the World Mission Sunday collection, you make it possible for the Pope to provide mission support to:

- 844,000 catechists teaching the faith
- 258,540 Religious Sisters caring for children and families
- 38,140 seminarians preparing for the priesthood
- 26 million children in primary schools
- 12,000 clinics caring for the sick and dying
- 8,750 homes for orphaned children and the elderly

Your prayers are most treasured, and they, along with financial help offered today, WORLD MISSION SUNDAY, answer Christ's call to be His witnesses. Thank you!

St. Martin Early Learning Center is Hiring: Full and Part-Time Positions

\$1,000 sign on bonus paid over 6 months!

Teachers: Bachelor Degree in Education or Human Services field preferred, minimum requirement Child Development Associate; must be able to lift 25lbs; must have valid driver's license; must be able to obtain required clearances.

Rate: \$12-\$17/HR, full benefits (for full-time positions), and paid time off

Apply:

- smcerie.org
- email resume to elcresumes@stmartincenter.org
- mail/drop off resume: 1727 State Street, Erie, PA 16501





OUR LADY OF PEACE CHURCH
December 9, 2022 - 7:00PM

**COMFORT & JOY
CONCERT**

FEATURING
STEVE ANGRISANO & SARAH HART

Funding provided by a grant from the Catholic Foundation of NWPA

7PM CONCERT- TICKETS ARE REQUIRED
GENERAL ADMISSION SEATING - DOORS OPEN AT 6:30PM
A FREE WILL OFFERING WILL BE TAKEN

RESERVE BY PHONE AT 814-833-7701 X202
RESERVE ONLINE AT WWW.OLP.ORG



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 are by Email; please make sure the office has your current email address.

In addition to the weekly emails, which contain updates and resources you can use to strengthen your Spiritual life, you may also visit our website: **www.olp.org**.

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

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Dates are Saturday's:

Nov. 19, Dec. 17

Time: 9:00AM to 1:00PM

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All are invited to attend the
All Souls Prayer Service

being celebrated on

Wednesday, November 2, 2022 7:00PM

This special service is offered as a time of peace and reflection for the parish community who honors family and friends that have passed away this year.

Come and celebrate our hope and promise of new life through Christ Jesus.

Livestream available on our YouTube channel.

Please contact the church office to include the name of a loved one whose funeral was celebrated this past year.

The OLP Prayer Ministry

This is a ministry for those individuals who are unable to attend usual parish functions perhaps due to an impairment, lack of transportation or illness. This active ministry can be done from home, a nursing home, the hospital, etc. Those who participate will be asked to voluntarily pray for a specific group, ministry or function as the meeting, ministry or function is occurring.

Prayer is vital to our lives and keeps us connected as members of the Body of Christ.

For more information, contact: Deacon John at deacon.john@olp.org or Tammie Mang, Faith Formation Office at 814-838-9983.

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Schedule Fall-Spring 2022

October

Oct. 26th-MS/HS YG 6:30-8:30pm OLP Social Room
 Oct. 29th-MS NET Retreat 10am-3:15pm-Link to register:
<https://www.eriecd.org/youth/net.html>
 Oct. 30th-MS NET Retreat 11am-6pm-Link to register:
<https://forms.gle/r6ViirbWPCcTPVYUA>

November

Nov. 1st-MS/HS YG 6:30-8:30 pm OLP Social Room
 Nov. 7th-Holy hour, OLP Church, families welcome, starting at 7pm
 Nov. 9th-MS YG-off campus 6:30-8:30pm
 Nov. 11-13th-DME Opportunity
 Nov. 16th-MS YG, OLP Social Room 6:30-8:30pm
 Nov. 17th-MS YG, OLP Social Room 6:30-8pm
 Nov. 30th-MS/HS Ripple Effect Event 6-8:30pm

December

Dec. 2nd-Kid's Night Out (limited spots-email to rsvp)
 Dec. 7th-MS YG-off campus-6:30-8:30pm
 Dec. 10th-MS/HS Sarah Hart & Steve Angrisano Event-8:30am-noon
 Dec. 14th-MS YG-OLP Social Room, 6:30-8pm
 Dec. 19th-Holy hour, OLP Church, families welcome, starting at 7pm
 Dec. 21st-MS YG Christmas Party, OLP Social Room 6:30-8:30pm
 Dec. 22nd-MS YG Christmas Party, OLP Social Room 6:30-8:30 pm
 Dec. 31st-11pm Holy hour at OLP

January

Jan. 4th-MS YG-off campus 6:30-8:30pm
 Jan. 6th-Kid's Night Out
 Jan. 9th-Holy hour, OLP Church, families welcome, starting at 7pm
 Jan. 11th-MS YG, OLP Social Room, 6:30-8pm
 Jan. 17th-MS/HS YG OLP Social Room, 6:30-8:30pm
 Jan. 19th-Holy hour for Life 9:30pm, OLP Church
 Jan. 20th-March for Life Event, info TBD
 Jan. 25th-MS/HS Ripple Effect Event 6-8:30pm

**Attention:
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 Save the Date
 50 Year Reunion**

*Saturday, November 25, 2023
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More details to follow...

Contact:

dherbe@scmco.com or
jan10uesue@yahoo.com



Book of Remembrance



Our parish Book of Remembrance is available in the vestibule throughout October. You may write the names of beloved family and friends who have gone home to be with our Lord, especially those who have died since last November 1. The Book of Remembrance will be placed near the altar on the Feast of All Souls, November 2, and we will continue to pray for these loved ones throughout November.

Cherub Choir Is BACK!!!

Do you know a little one ages K-5th grade who loves to sing and spread joy? If so, Cherub Choir is for them! Our rehearsals are about 30 min and we will sing for the 5:00 Christmas Eve mass at OLP! For more info and to sign up, please call/text Christina Murnock @ 814-882-1017, or email murnockfarm@yahoo.com

November 17 and 21 @ 6:00

December 1 and 8 @ 6:00

December 15 and 22 @ 6:15

December 24 @ 5:00 mass!