



Our Lady of Peace

Jesus,
remember me



Luke 23:35-43

November 20, 2022

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

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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.

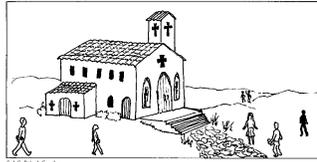
New Parishioners Welcome!
Registration forms are available in the Parish Office or online.

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:
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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.



Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe
November 20, 2022

I rejoiced because they said to me,
"We will go up to the house of the LORD."
— Psalm 122:1

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 2022

20th Condiments / Spices (Salt/Pepper)

27th Canned Soup / Crackers



Pantry is OPEN November 22nd
(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 - How worthy is the Lamb who was slain, / to receive power and divinity, / and wisdom and strength and honor. / To him belong glory and power for ever and ever.

First Reading - David is anointed king of Israel (2 Samuel 5:1-3).

Psalm - Let us go rejoicing to the house of the Lord (Psalm 122).

Second Reading - The Father delivered us to the kingdom of his beloved Son (Colossians 1:12-20).

Gospel - The repentant criminal receives Jesus' promise of Paradise (Luke 23:35-43).

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Family Discussion of the Week: A King Above All

Adults: In what ways is Jesus the ruler of your life?

Kids: How can you show that you honor Jesus as the king of your life?

THE TRUE KINGSHIP OF JESUS CHRIST

What kind of King is Jesus? How do you envision him? Remembering that they were promised a king from the line of David, the Israelites hoped for a Messiah who would set their political problems aright and bring about a worldly kingdom of Judaic power. Even Psalm 122 seems to describe this type of ruler. Luke's Gospel today shreds that image after the whip of the Roman soldiers tore at Jesus' flesh. Still, the Romans flaunted the traditional notion with their ironic inscription above King Jesus' crown of thorns. Soldiers and ordinary people jeered the royal title at him. Yet the throne of Jesus was the cross of Christ, from which he dispensed kingly mercy and justice toward the humble criminal who shared his execution. Writing to the Colossians, Saint Paul describes the truth about Jesus and his kingship, using words like fullness, peace, and forgiveness. So let us go rejoicing!

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 2022

7:00AM Ronnie Whitman - OLP Rosary
 12:10PM Peggy Zurawski - Mary Ann & Don Keller

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 2022

7:00AM Bruce Olds, Jr. - Olds Family
 12:10PM Carol Galdon - OLP Why Catholic Group

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 2022

7:00AM Stan & Virginia Nowak -
 Stan & Delores Nowak
 11:15AM-Noon Confessions
 12:10PM Lydia Randall - Michael & Denise Gaines

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 2022

Thanksgiving Day

9:00AM Carmelita Morabito - Family
 Please bring your food and monetary
 donations for the Millcreek Food Pantry
 to Mass.



FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 2022

7:00AM Nancy Holland - Family
 12:10PM Tom Petrus - Close Friend

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 2022

8:00AM Helen Molder - Van Hoozer Family
 8:30-9:00AM Confessions
 3:45-4:45PM Confessions
 5:00PM Robert Lapinsky - Darrell & Nancy Meyers

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 2022

First Sunday of Advent

7:30AM Living & Deceased Members of OLP
 9:00AM Patricia A. Miklos - Family
 11:00AM Harry West - Wife, Anna & Family
 4:30PM Don Pulice - Family of John & Peggy Pulice

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):

Wednesday 11:15-Noon
 Saturday 8:30-9:00AM and 3:45-4:45PM
 or by appointment - call the Church Office

SANCTUARY LAMP - The lamp is burning this week in memory of Major Tom Carr - Mom & Dad.

CHAPEL LAMP - The lamp is burning this week in memory of Catherine Varca - Friend.

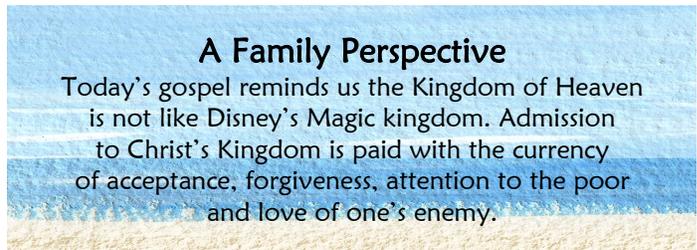
Daily at 11:35AM

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 November 20th

Monday: Rv 14:1-3, 4b-5; Ps 24:1bc-4ab, 5-6;
 Lk 21:1-4
 Tuesday: Rv 14:14-19; Ps 96:10-13; Lk 21:5-11
 Wednesday: Rv 15:1-4; Ps 98:1-3ab, 7-9; Lk 21:12-19
 Thursday: Rv 18:1-2, 21-23; 19:1-3, 9a; Ps 100:1b-5;
 Lk 21:20-28
Thanksgiving Day (suggested):
 Sir 50:22-24; Ps 145:2-11; 1 Cor 1:3-9;
 Lk 17:11-19
 Friday: Rv 20:1-4, 11 — 21:2; Ps 84:3-6a, 8a;
 Lk 21:29-33
 Saturday: Rv 22:1-7; Ps 95:1-7ab; Lk 21:34-36
 Sunday: Is 2:1-5; Ps 122:1-9; Rom 13:11-14;
 Mt 24:37-44



A Family Perspective

Today's gospel reminds us the Kingdom of Heaven is not like Disney's Magic Kingdom. Admission to Christ's Kingdom is paid with the currency of acceptance, forgiveness, attention to the poor and love of one's enemy.

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. 20: Debi C., Kim D., James T., Roseann G., Donna G.
- Nov. 21: George O., Maureen T., Rami S.
- Nov. 22: John G., Sally R., Dianne Y., Gloria M.
- Nov. 23: Heidi A.
- Nov. 24: Mary Ann A., Magherita H., Audrey & Robert H.
- Nov. 25: Christine O.
- Nov. 26: Cynthia B., Dave W., Joe S., Deb T., Corky Y.
- Nov. 27: Ann 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...

A blessed Feast of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe, and Happy Thanksgiving Week! This civil holiday is an opportunity to remember that as Catholics, the important word "Eucharist" comes from the Greek word for "thanksgiving." That is one of the primary dispositions and motivations for every Mass we celebrate, TO GIVE THANKS to God for His love and mercy that give us life and salvation. Every breath we take is due to, and stems from God's love... if He stopped loving us, we would cease to exist. We have Him to thank for EVERYTHING. That connection between thanksgiving and Eucharist leads us to understand that there is no more appropriate and complete way to give thanks than to go to Mass. So, consider celebrating the Eucharist/Mass with our parish family at 9am on Thursday.

For that Mass on Thanksgiving Day (November 24) you are encouraged to bring donations of non-perishable foods or monetary donations for the Millcreek Food Pantry. You will be invited to bring forward these to the sanctuary at the Offertory. To allow more of our congregation to be a part of the food donation, we are extending that invitation to bring non-perishable food donations to ANY Mass next weekend (November 26/27). Please bring them forward during the preparation of the gifts like we do on Thanksgiving Day (do not place in the bins in the vestibule) in order to reinforce that these food donations are a part of our offering at Mass. I know it may be a bit chaotic, but I see that as a good chaotic and worth it for what it teaches and reminds us about the Mass every week.

May God bless our week ahead and our Thanksgiving celebrations and travels!

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...

****Solemn Evening Prayer and Benediction for Christ the King**

We will celebrate Solemn Evening Prayer and Benediction on the Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe this **Sunday, November 20th. Eucharistic Adoration will begin at the end of the 4:30pm Mass (around 5:15pm) and will continue until 6pm Evening Prayer and Benediction.** Join us in person or on our YouTube Channel.

I always see the **Crown over the Tabernacle in the sanctuary at OLP as a great visible symbol of the Feast of Christ the King that we celebrate this weekend. This feast and the three-year Eucharistic Revival in our US Catholic Church are a good time to remember our call to honor Jesus as our King and to recall our custom of genuflecting or bowing toward the tabernacle before we are seated at Church. At the beginning and end of each Mass the priest genuflects

toward the tabernacle to honor Christ present there as we start and end Mass. Then the priest and all ministers bow toward the altar during the rest of Mass as we focus on the place where Christ becomes present to us in that most real and substantial way at every Mass in the Eucharist.

****Masses this Week** *Monday, Nov. 21st*- the Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary; *Tuesday, Nov. 22nd*- St. Cecilia, Virgin and Martyr (3rd Century patroness of music); *Wednesday, Nov. 23rd*- St. Blessed Miguel Augustine Pro, Priest and Martyr (21st Century Mexican Jesuit); *Thursday, Nov. 24th*- In Thanksgiving to God; *Friday, Nov. 25th*- St. Catherine of Alexandria, Virgin and Martyr (4th Century in North Africa); *Saturday, Nov. 26th*- Mary, Mother of Divine Hope.

****#iGiveOLP/#iGiveCatholic from November 21, 2022**

through November 29, 2022

Our parish Finance Council and Staff have decided to utilize the #iGiveCatholic Campaign to address our offertory deficit of approximately \$30,000. That number will be our goal. Last year we had \$45,500 given by 196 donors. This year our goal for #iGiveCatholic will be \$35,000 and 150 donors. Our kickoff will be Monday, November 21st, which we designate as iGiveOLP day. Donations will be accepted until midnight on Tuesday, November 29th which is the National #iGiveCatholic day of giving (Giving Tuesday). Go to www.igivecatholic.org to donate online or call the parish office and we will be happy to assist you.

PLEASE NOTE- there continues to be some confusion since the worldwide "#iGiveCatholic" day is November 29th and we are designating November 21st as "#iGiveOLP." Let me clarify that YOU ARE NOT BEING ASKED TO GIVE TWICE. The designated give day for the bigger campaign is November 29th BUT since they are giving us a window for advanced giving leading up until that day we decided to get the ball rolling earlier in that window rather than wait until the last day (November 29th) to donate. It also puts less pressure on you to remember to give that one day. Lastly, it is a great excuse for us to emphasize a less known Marian Feast Day and seek her intercession on that day as November 21st is the Feast of the Presentation of Mary. As with Mary's birth, we read of Mary's presentation in the temple only in apocryphal literature. In what is recognized as an unhistorical account, the Protoevangelium of James tells us that Anna and Joachim offered Mary to God in the Temple when she was 3 years old. This was to carry out a promise made to God when Anna was still childless. Though it cannot be proven historically, Mary's presentation has an important theological purpose. It continues the impact of the feasts of the Immaculate Conception and of the birth of Mary. It emphasizes that the holiness conferred on Mary from the beginning of her life on earth continued through her early childhood and beyond as a preparation for her role as the Mother of Jesus and the Mother of God.

****Catholic Guidelines on Funerals and Burial** As we continue through the month of November, I remind you that our Catholic Tradition encourages us to pray for our beloved dead and visit their places of rest at the cemeteries during this month. Every year I take this opportunity to review a few of the Catholic Church's expectations on funerals and burials that I often see misunderstood or not well known.

The first two points have to do with Cremation. ONE- It is permissible for Catholics to be cremated so long as it is not done in rejection of our belief in the resurrection of the body at the second coming of Jesus Christ.

TWO- we are expected to bury our deceased loved ones in blessed ground (Catholic cemetery OR a grave in a public cemetery that is blessed at the Committal Service after the Funeral). It is not therefore acceptable to leave cremated remains in an urn in our homes or have them scattered somewhere outside of a cemetery.

THREE- please consult with your pastor or the priest who will be presiding over the Rite of Christian Burial with you BEFORE making any final plans or traveling arrangements. Some days and times may not work for the priest's or church's schedule and it can be difficult if people have already purchased flight tickets, etc (the flexibility of the family is appreciated). Please do not arrange the funeral date and time with the mentality that the funeral home will find me a priest. Fr. Dave and I want to pray with you and appreciate the opportunity to be a part of the conversation to find a time that works for everyone.

FOUR- our Rite of Christian Burial includes 3 parts- first, the Vigil Service at the Funeral Home. The church encourages an opportunity for visitation, viewing and prayer at a funeral home or other site. This is because it allows for closure in seeing our loved one laid out as well as an opportunity for our family and friends to offer their support. To skip this step is to short-change the grieving process and makes it more difficult for our friends and family to reach out to us. The second part of the Rite is the funeral Mass at the Church. There is no greater prayer that we can offer for our loved one than the Catholic Mass; and so the best thing we can do for the soul of our loved one who has died (and for all of us who remain) is to celebrate a Funeral Mass. To choose to have a funeral service at the funeral home suggests a lack of understanding and appreciation for the significance of the Mass. Even if someone is not Catholic or has been a way from the church, it could still be appropriate to have a Mass so please investigate this with the priest involved before you make assumptions. The third part of the Rite is the Committal Service at the cemetery. This brings prayerful closure and helps us make a connection to their final place of rest. Even if the Committal is done at a later date (the body needed to be cremated or some other reason), it is still appropriate to ask a priest or deacon to lead you in that prayer (and Fr. Dave and I are happy to do that for and with you!).

Lastly, I encourage everyone to make their funeral arrangements NOW with those points in mind. This helps both the family that remains to not have to worry about the details as they are grieving, and it helps the deceased in that they are ensured of getting the funeral they desire.

FAITH FORMATION NEWS

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

Nov. 20- Grades 1-8, regular classes

Nov. 27- No Religious Ed. Classes

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

Nov. 20- Regular classes

Nov. 27- No Religious Ed. Classes

****November Church Activity sheets, due Nov. 20th**

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

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

Weekly Envelope	\$ 82,956
Loose	\$ 4,207
Holy Days	\$ 106
Monthly School Support.....	\$ 1,522
Total Monthly Offertory.....	\$ 88,791
Budgeted Monthly Offertory	\$ 77,917
Monthly Surplus	\$10,874
Diocesan Designated Fund Support	\$ 2,804

2022 CSA February 2022 to January 2023

Goal	\$ 200,000
Pledge Payments Received to Date.....	\$ 196,368
Total Pledges	\$ 222,084
488 Families - Goal is 500 Families	



The Knights of Columbus Council
of Our Lady of Peace

Pancake Breakfast
Sunday, December 4th

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

Menu:

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

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**Special Guest:
Santa Claus**





**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 offer all parishioners the opportunity to assist with the wreath lighting during the weekend Masses throughout the Sundays of Advent. We invite you to prayerfully consider volunteering.

Sign-up sheets are in the vestibule.

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 21st 6:00 – 8:00PM

Monday, November 28th 6:00 – 8:00PM

Christmas Decoration Sale:

OLP School Cafeteria:

Saturday, December 3rd

8AM-12Noon and 4:00-7:00PM

Sunday, December 4th

8:00AM – 1:00PM



Donations benefits Troop 59 activities.

Any questions please contact:

Alyson Dana, 814-490-3493

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 4, 2022, articles are due November 21, 2022

For Sunday, December 11, 2022, articles are due by December 2, 2022

For Sunday, December 18, 2022, articles are due by December 5, 2022

For Sunday, December 25, 2022, articles are due by December 12, 2022

For Sunday, January 1, 2023, articles are due December 19, 2022

For Sunday, January 8, 2023, articles are due December 21, 2022

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.

#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 29, 2022.**

Last year, **#iGiveCatholic** raised more that \$16.5 million worldwide for participating organizations.

Why #iGiveCatholic?

#Giving Tuesday 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 29, 2022.** 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 began and **iGiveOLP is Monday, November 21st.**

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.

#iGIVECATHOLIC

iGiveCatholic:

Going on now until
Tuesday,
November 29th.

Checks accepted and
made payable to: OLP.

*Thank you for
your support!*

Prepare the way of love this *Advent*

Parish Advent Service Project:

Millcreek Food Pantry. . . The parish is hosting an Advent Evening on December 16. "Packing Party" items needed are:

laundry detergent	fabric softener
cleaning products	dish detergent
deodorant (men/women)	toothbrush/toothpaste
soap/bodywash	shampoo
razor/feminine products	diapers

There are 130 families that regularly rely on the Millcreek Food Pantry

St. Martin Center Shining Stars. . .

\$25-\$50 Gift cards from Target, Walmart, Kohl's, Five Below, McDonalds or Little Caesars are needed by Tuesday, December 13th. The parish is sponsoring 150 children again this year.

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



Drop off all donations at 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 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.

To the right are directions for the App and how to log into **FORMED**, both are great resources.



**OLP Items for Sale:
Water Bottles / Face Masks
\$5.00 each**



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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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. 17, Jan. 21, Feb. 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
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PRAY-N-PACK-N-PLAY
Community
ADVENT EXPERIENCE

Friday, December 16 - 5:30pm-8:00pm
 OLP School Cafeteria

- Communal Dinner 5:45pm-6:15pm
 (dinner will be available until 7:00pm)
- Advent activities including
 "Packing" Household items for the
 Millcreek Food Pantry Families.

Don't get so caught up in
 preparing for Christ's coming
 that you forget to prepare
 yourself to participate in it.

Thank You!

The Our Lady of Peace **Sunday Suppers** group prepared another successful meal for those in need on Sunday, November 6th. Thank you to all the volunteers who fed over 100 people.

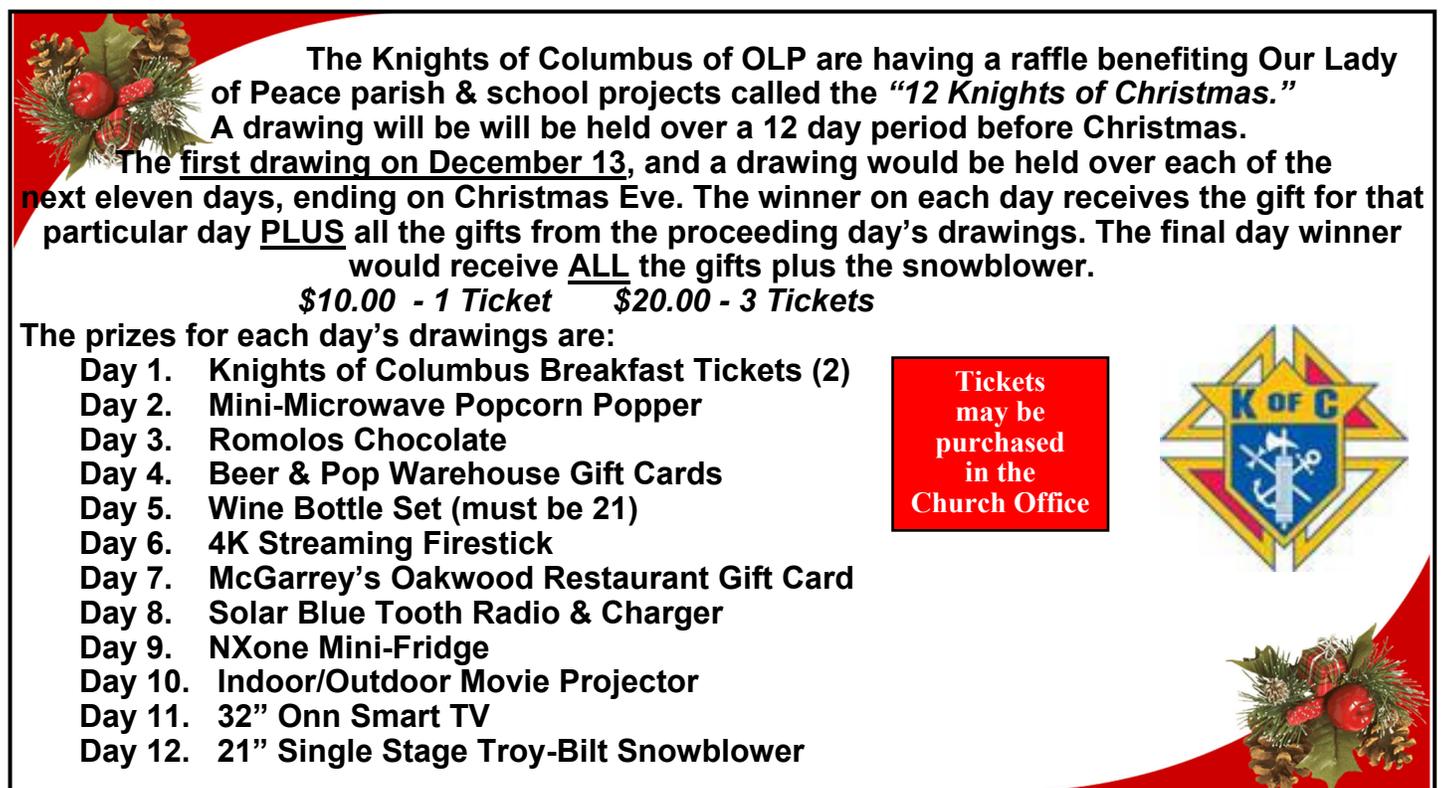
Bill Miller of Sabella's Catering very generously provided beef roll-ups and mashed potatoes/gravy as the main course for the meal. This meal fed the hungry and nourished the spirit and souls of those less fortunate of our community.

Our heartfelt thanks and gratitude to **Bill Miller and Sabella's Catering** who continue to support our mission.



*Let us go rejoicing
 to the house of the Lord.*

~Psalm 122



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 snowblower.

\$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. Mini-Microwave Popcorn Popper
- Day 3. Romolos Chocolate
- Day 4. Beer & Pop Warehouse Gift Cards
- Day 5. Wine Bottle Set (must be 21)
- Day 6. 4K Streaming Firestick
- Day 7. McGarrey's Oakwood Restaurant Gift Card
- Day 8. Solar Blue Tooth Radio & Charger
- Day 9. NXone Mini-Fridge
- Day 10. Indoor/Outdoor Movie Projector
- Day 11. 32" Onn Smart TV
- Day 12. 21" Single Stage Troy-Bilt Snowblower

Tickets may be purchased in the Church Office



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November

Nov. 1st-MS/MS 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. 11-15th-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/MS 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

February

Feb. 1st-MS YG, off campus 6:30-8:30pm
 Feb. 3-5th-DME Opportunity
 Feb. 8th-MS YG, Lib 6:30-8pm
 Feb. 15th-MS/HS Ripple Effect Event 6-8:30pm
 Feb. 20th-Holy hour, OLP Church, families welcome, starting at 7pm, with refreshments to follow
 Feb. 21st-Mardi Gras Party, families welcome, time & location TBD
 Feb. 23rd-MS YG, social room 6:30-8pm
 Feb. 24-26th-MS Winter Retreat

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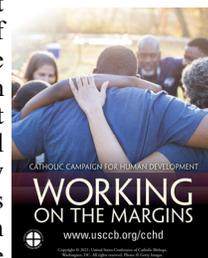
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This is a ministry for those individuals who are unable to attend usual parish functions perhaps due to an impairment, lack of transportation or illness. This active ministry can be done from home, a nursing home, the hospital, etc. Those who participate 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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