



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 each month on the 1st Sunday at 11AM Mass & 3rd Sunday at 12:30PM. A mandatory prep class for parents is available.

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.

OCIA (Order 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: 9AM-3PM Edie 814-651-5952 3PM-9PM Barb 814-392-8348



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.

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 2025

26th Hamburger or Tuna Helper / Tuna

Pantry is OPEN October 28

(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!

The OLP Prayer Ministry

This is a ministry for those who are unable to attend the 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 are asked to 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 info, contact: Deacon John Mang at deacon.john@olp.org or Tammie Mang, Faith Formation Office, at 814-838-9983 or tammie.mang@olp.org.

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 not deaf to the wail of the orphan, nor to the widow when she pours out her complaint (Sirach 35:12-14, 16-18).

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

Second Reading - The Lord will rescue me from every threat (2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18).

Gospel - All who exalt themselves will be humbled; all who humble themselves will be exalted (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?

RELATIONSHIP WITH GOD

Today's readings invite us into prayer, into relationship with God. Because relationships feel more natural when we know one another well, Sirach encourages us to know God better. In his wisdom, Sirach tells us what God is like: fair, open-minded, compassionate, and attentive. "The Lord will not delay," he says. Knowing that God's help comes right on time, whenever we need it, calms our hearts and helps us trust the Lord. In his second Letter to Timothy, Saint Paul demonstrates his own trust in God. Despite the grueling struggles Saint Paul has faced because of his Christian faith, he praises the Lord for rescuing him time and again. Today's Gospel draws us close to Jesus too, revealing his special love for the poor and humble. As Jesus tells his parable about the prayer habits of a Pharisee and a tax collector, our hearts long to become as gentle as Christ's.

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MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, OCTOBER 27, 2025

7:00AM Jeanne Johannesmeyer - Sam Pirrello
12:10PM John Gaines Denise & Michael

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2025

7:00AM Dave Booser - Belinda Mozdy
12:10PM Jim & Fran Iesue - Loving Family

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 29, 2025

7:00AM Ann & Andy Novak - Family
12:10PM Alice Trimble - Family

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 30, 2025

7:00AM Rev. William McLaughlin - Family
12:10PM Carmelina Fatica - Mike & Judy Pallotta
2:00PM School Mass - Patty Ballman - Ehrman Family

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31, 2025

7:00AM Richard M. Estock - Carolyn Kuhl
12:10PM Donna Griffin - Sally, Laura & Joan

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 2025

All Saints Day **Not a Holy Day of Obligation**
8:00AM Judy Miculandra - Pat Mielnik
5:00PM Giuseppina Iantomasi -
Maria & Chris Scott & Family

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2025

The Commemoration of all the Faithful Departed (All Souls' Day)

7:30AM Victoria Cunningham - Family
9:00AM Deceased Members of the Bieniek & Polakowski Families
11:00AM Kathy Anysz - Denise & Michael
Anointing of the Sick
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:
Wednesdays 11:15-Noon
Saturday 8:30-9:00AM and 3:45-4:45PM
or by appointment - call the Church Office



Our Lady of Peace...
Pray for us

SANCTUARY LAMP - The lamp is burning this week in memory of Bob Fuller - Wife, Kathy & Family.

CHAPEL LAMP - The lamp is burning this week in memory of George & Dorothy Zavasky - Family.

Daily at 11:40AM All are welcome!

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.



Readings for the Week of October 26th

Monday: Rom 8:12-17; Ps 68:2, 4, 6-7, 20-21; Lk 13:10-17
Tuesday: Eph 2:19-22; Ps 19:2-5; Lk 6:12-16
Wednesday: Rom 8:26-30; Ps 13:4-6; Lk 13:22-30
Thursday: Rom 8:31b-39; Ps 109:21-22, 26-27, 30-31; Lk 13:31-35
Friday: Rom 9:1-5; Ps 147:12-15, 19-20; Lk 14:1-6
Saturday: Rv 7:2-4, 9-14; Ps 24:1-6; 1 Jn 3:1-3; Mt 5:1-12a
Sunday: Wis 3:1-9; Ps 23:1-6; Rom 5:5-11; Jn 6:37-40

A Family Perspective

In today's gospel, Jesus says, "...who humbles himself will be exalted." It's not the occasional big events, but the daily, humble routines of family life and "ordinary time" that create bonds and relationships that last a lifetime. Embrace this approach, and you'll see the difference.

PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED - Please pray for Delores Nowak; and for Gary Kolbelewski. May their family and friends 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:

- 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.
- Oct. 31: Jim Z.
- Nov. 1: Maxine R., Mark S., Evelyn V., Pat B.
- Nov. 2: Kathy W., Deacon Dennis K.

If you would like to join the OLP 31 Club, please call Dave or Kathy Wayman at 814-397-6443. 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...

Now that we have completed the prayer and Parish Mission parts of our Parish Vision and Re-creation Plan, we are ready to enter into further formation, we will look at the Sacraments in the life of our parish and how we celebrate them at OLP. Join us this next month and more fully realize the gift of the Sacraments in your life. Our Lady of Peace is not just brick and mortar, but a community of believers- living stones who nurture faith through the sacraments. Each week we will gather in the church and rediscover the beauty of the Sacraments. As Catholics we are aware that receiving the Sacraments is an important part of our faith, yet sometimes we forget the transformative effect they have in our lives. In the Sacraments, God reaches out to us in real ways. These are not merely symbols, the Sacraments are moments of conversion in which we are truly changed. They do not just point to another reality (God) but MAKE PRESENT the reality they represent. They are amazing gifts to us so let's explore them further together!

The schedule is as follows:

WEEK 1- Architecture of the Living Church

Mon. 10/27: 6:30-8pm OR Thurs. 10/30: 10-11:30am

WEEK 2- Sacraments of Initiation

Wed. 11/5: 6:30-8pm OR Thurs. 11/6: 10-11:30am

WEEK 3- Sacraments of Healing

Thurs. 11/13: 6:30-8pm OR Thurs. 11/13: 10-11:30am

WEEK 4- Sacraments of Vocation

Mon. 11/17: 6:30-8pm OR Thurs. 11/20: 10-11:30am

May God bless our formation on the Sacraments and our week ahead!

Yours in Christ, *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...

****The 2026 Mass Book** is now open to reserve a Mass for your personal intention so stop by the parish office Monday through Friday from 8:30am-Noon and 1-4pm to do so.

****Trick or Treating at the Rectory** I will be giving out treats on "All Hallows' Eve," Friday, October 31st from 6-8pm at the rectory. I welcome all ages and wish everyone a safe and enjoyable Halloween!

****All Saints Day, November 1st, is not a holy day of obligation for us this year but is still a noble feast to celebrate.** We will have our All Saints Mass on Saturday, November 1st at 8am. There is also a Youth Ministry All Saints Party at 6pm in the gym that day as well. See page for more info.

****Friday, November 7th is First Friday.** Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will be held from 7:30am until Benediction at 7:00pm. Our Eucharistic Lord is here longing for you to share your day.

****OLP's next Anointing of the Sick Mass will be Sunday, November 2nd at 11am.** Consider coming yourself or bringing others in need of anointing with you to that Mass. The elderly, those with serious physical or mental illness, and those anticipating major surgery are among those eligible for this great Sacrament of Healing, strength and hope as well as those who are actively dying.

****All Souls Day Memorial Service** The memorial service for All Souls Day will be held on Monday, November 3rd at 7pm. We pray for all those who have died and had funeral services through Our Lady of Peace over the past year. We always welcome also 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 27th by 9:00am.** ****Last call for donations for Inter-church Ministries "Coats for Kids."** We will be distributing the coats on Monday, October 27th. Thank you for your generous support.

****Masses this Week** Monday, Oct. 27th-Mass for Persecuted Christians; Tuesday, Oct. 28th- Sts. Simon and Jude, Apostles; Wednesday, Oct. 29th- Mass In time of famine or for those suffering hunger; Thursday., Oct. 30th- Mass for those in prison; Friday, Oct. 31st- Mass in thanksgiving for the gift of human life; Saturday, Nov. 1st- ALL SAINTS

****Remember that October is the Month of the Rosary in our Catholic Tradition and the USCCB has also designated it as Respect Life Month.** Consider recommitting to this great devotion to Mary and to pray in a special way for the respect of ALL life, at all stages, from conception to natural death.

****OLP Parish Vision and Re-creation Plan:**

STEP ONE- Intentional Prayer from May 15 to Sept. 30, 2025.

STEP TWO- Parish Mission from October 5-7, 2025.

STEP THREE- "Sacraments and their Celebration" Formation on the Sacraments from October 27 to November 20, (see page 14 for details).

STEP FOUR- Listening Sessions with LaBella Associates, architect, in January 2026.

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 1st.

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.



FAITH FORMATION NEWS

Grades 1-8: Classes meet in the school & church basement.

Oct. 26 Edge Youth Group Night 5:30-7PM

Nov. 2 No Religious Ed Classes

Grade 9 Confirmation class: Classes meets from 5:30-7:00PM in the Church Social Room.

Oct. 26 Confirmation Youth Group Night 6:30-8:30PM

Nov. 8 Diocesan Confirmation Retreat at Gannon

Questions: Tammie Mang, Faith Formation Director,
814-838-9983 or tammie.mang@olp.org

The 2026 Mass Book is open



Call or stop by the office during office hours (Mon-Fri from 8am-Noon or 1-4pm) to schedule a Mass for your loved one.



Cathedral Prep Open House
Sunday, October 26

12:00-3:00pm

8th Graders in attendance are eligible to win one of five \$1,000 scholarships to Cathedral Prep. Questions? enrollment@cathedralprep.com

Mercyhurst Prep Open House

Sunday, November 2

12:00-3:00pm

All applicants who take the November 8th entrance exam will be eligible for a Mercy Merit Scholarship. Questions? [Allison @ arlandoemslakers.com](mailto:Allison@arlandoemslakers.com)



OCTOBER 2025 YOUTH MINISTRY SCHEDULE



October 1st-High School (HS) Youth Group (YG) at OLP 6:30-8:30pm

Oct 2nd-4th/5th Grade Youth Group 4-5:30pm

Oct 2nd-Adoration at St. Francis Xavier in McKean 8-9pm, open to all ages

Oct 4th-MS NET Retreat at OLP Cafeteria 11am-6pm (includes the 5pm Mass) RSVP by Oct 1st

Oct 5th-HS NET Retreat at OLP Caf 10:30am-4pm (includes the 11am Mass) RSVP by Oct 1st

Oct 5th-Oct 7th-OLP Parish Mission, open to all ages/families. All three nights 6:30-8pm

Oct 7th-MS YG at OLP 6:30-8:30pm

Oct 8th-HS YG at St. Francis Xavier 6:30-8:30pm

Oct 9th-Adoration at St. Francis Xavier 8-9pm, open to all ages

Oct 12th-HS Movie Night at OLP 7-9:30pm

Oct 14th-MS YG at OLP 6:30-8:30pm

Oct 15th-HS YG at OLP 6:30-8:30pm

Oct 16th-Adoration at St. Francis Xavier 8-9pm, open to all ages

Oct 21st-MS YG at OLP 6:30-8:30pm

Oct 22nd-HS YG at OLP 6:30-8:30pm

Oct 23rd-Adoration at St. Francis Xavier 8-9pm, open to all ages

Oct 24th-OLP Trunk or Treat 6:30-8pm open to all families

Oct 25th-4th/5th Grade Retreat 2-6pm, ending with 5pm Mass, RSVP by Oct 20th

Oct 28th-MS YG at OLP 6:30-8:30pm

Oct 29th-HS YG at 12th St Chick-Fil-A 6:30-8:30pm -(permission form required, can be found at olp.org under faith formation, under youth ministry)

Oct 30th-Adoration at St. Francis Xavier 8-9pm, open to all ages

November 1st-All Saint's Day Party, in OLP Gym 6-9pm, all ages and families welcome

Nov 5th-Middle and High School Youth Group at OLP 6:30-8:30pm

Nov 6th-4th/5th Grade Youth Group 4-5:30pm

Nov 6th-Adoration at St. Francis Xavier 8-9pm, open to all ages

*MS/HS YG always starts with optional silent Adoration 6-6:30pm, and include dinner.
4th/5th Gr YG always includes snacks-if it is an OLP student, they can meet at 3pm in the school lobby.*

CONTACT US AT:

sarah.beaver@olp.org - youth@stfrancisxaviermckean.org

Can you offer a ride?

Some of our parishioners are unable to drive at night, or can't get to Mass and have to miss our parish events/Mass.

Would you be willing to provide a friendly ride?

Call or email Chris Turner to get involved,
401-580-1655 or cet81691@gmail.com



OLP PRAYER LINE

The OLP Prayer Line is ready to pray for you! Prayer intentions for yourself, someone else or a special intention can be sent in by phone or email.

9:00am - 3:00pm Edie Testa
at 814-651-5952 or ejt1125@gmail.com

3:00pm - 9:00pm Barb Turner
at 814-392-8348 or dylewski49@hotmail.com

If you would like to become a member of the prayer team for this important ministry and pray for your fellow parishioners, contact:

Andrew Heinlein - Outreach Coordinator
814-833-7701 x 206 or andrew.heinlein@olp.org



**A Huge Thank You
for a successful Bingo Event
and to our
Game and Basket Sponsors:**

Tremendous Bingo Host & Basket Raffle Sponsor:
Shelley & Mike Vybiral

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Joyce & Paul Wickles

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Our Lady of Mount Carmel Ladies' Guild...

Will hold its Annual Fall Luncheon and Auction on Sunday, November 2nd from 1:00-4:00PM at Scheffner Hall, 1531 East Grandview Blvd.

Tickets are \$10 and includes lunch. Also on tap - a Basket & Gift Card Auction (100+ items), Dessert Auction, small games of chance, and a 50/50 drawing. Reserve a table for your group today!

For tickets or more info, call Angela, 814-450-3547 or Lisa, 814-450-7745.

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RESPECT LIFE**

Conference

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HUMAN TRAFFICKING: HOW TO RECOGNIZE IT AND HOW TO COMBAT IT

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HOPE THROUGH INFERTILITY, HOPE AFTER IVF, AND HOPE IN JESUS

CHELSEY GOMEZ, USCCB, SECRETARIAT OF PRO-LIFE ACTIVITIES
WALKING WITH MOMS IN NEED

JENNIFER WALLACE & ERIN ZAHNISER MSSA, LSW
RESPECTING LIFE AT EVERY STAGE, HOSPICE

NOVEMBER 1, 2025, 9:30-2:30
ST. MARK CATHOLIC CENTER
429 E. GRANDVIEW BLVD. ERIE

TICKETS \$15
STUDENT TICKETS \$8
SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE

To register, click or type in <https://bit.ly/46kaLb2>
For more information contact Elizabeth Slaby, eslaby@CCincerie.org

Please RSVP by October 23.
Doors open at 8:45 a.m. | Registration includes lunch.

Disability is not Inability

October is Disability Awareness Month, a time dedicated to raising awareness, advocating for inclusion, and celebrating the unique contributions of individuals with disabilities; both visible and invisible, while fostering acceptance and support.

Did you know that OLP has been the host church for Erie Night to Shine for the past 8 years?

Night to Shine is a GLOBAL prom night celebration for the special needs community sponsored by the Tim Tebow Foundation. It happens across 72 countries and 1,000 cities as well as RIGHT HERE IN ERIE, PA.

You can be part of this awesome event hosted by OLP on Friday, February 13, 2026! Watch the bulletin in future weeks to learn more about how YOU can get involved and make sure all guests have an incredible experience.



Inter-Church Ministries Coats for Kids



With winter just around the corner, it's time to clean out your closets and donate **NEW or GENTLY USED WINTER COATS, HATS, and GLOVES** for boys and girls from infant to adult size

Drop off your items in the bins located in the church vestibule, items should be clean and in good condition.

**Donations accepted
through October 26th**

More Information: **Andy Heinlein, Outreach Coordinator**
andrew.heinlein@olp.org or 814-833-7701 x206

All Saint's Day FAMILY EVENT

November 1st from 6-9pm in the school gym

Open to everyone, so invite a friend to join you! There will be a saint costume contest, "saint" inspired snacks, crafts, games and activities.

You won't want to miss the Saint skit by the Mountain Movers, the High School Youth Team.

RSVP: sarah.beaver@olp.org so we know how many to plan for.



Special Collection: Thank You

Mission Does Not End with October

As we conclude World Mission Month, we remember that the Church's missionary work is ongoing. Our baptismal call to share the Gospel continues beyond this season, inviting us to remain engaged - through prayer, storytelling, and generous action.

The first World Mission Sunday was celebrated nearly a century ago in 1926. The need today remains urgent: missionaries still serve in remote villages, conflict zones, refugee camps, and urban slums. They bring more than aid - they bring Jesus Christ.

We are grateful for your support!

All Volunteers Welcome **Sunday Supper Mission** **Meal served at First Presbyterian Church of the Covenant**

Volunteer to help feed our brothers and sisters in need by preparing and serving the meal, or kind monetary contribution to help defray the costs.

Planning Meeting: Wednesday Oct. 29, 7:00PM

Where: OLP Church Meeting Room

What: Select Menu and volunteer for tasks

Who: Any parishioner 15+ years

Date to Serve: Sunday, Nov 9th, 3:30-5:30pm

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

Remembering with great love and affection all of our faithful departed:

Linda Verdecchia	Thomas Fabin	Russell "Russ" Madonia	Leon Mackowski
Eric Buggs	Valere Gourley	Karen Krugger	Carol Schroeck
Chris Gallagher	Silvio "Sam" DeMichele, Jr.	Charles "Chuck" Dougherty	Edward Orr
Virginia Birkmire	Richard Reese	Louis Newell, Jr.	Joyce DaValle
Kathleen DiNicola	Janet Wolf	Patricia Maciak	Terese Wieszczyk
Patricia Straub	William "Bill" McCartney	Joseph Kuhar	Virginia DiBacco
Aurelia Dilla	James Ballas	Denise Schoenfeldt	Judith Glennon
Helen Walchack	Rose Raucci	Carmelina "Millie" Fatica	Samuel "Sam" Benigni, Jr.
Roberta Kalata	Karen Johnson	Catherine Hill	Richard "Dick" Estock
Theresa "Terri" Ferko	George Zehner, Jr.	Sister Paula Burke	Janet Zoni
Dr. Daniel Carneval	Rosemary Wayman	Linda Vanhooser	David "Dave" Booser
Thomas Dolak	Ronald Visnoski	Robert Hirsh	Jeanne Johannesmeyer
Mary Ann Kuna	Alfred Mangano	Suzanne Palucki	Donald Prischak
Stephen Polaski, Jr.	Gordon Ketchel	Patricia Buckel	Nancy Wierzchowski
Larrie Dudenhoeffer	Mary Lee Smrekar	Marjorie Hedderick	Joyce Pillar
Jeffrey Wolford	Philip Eden	Alice Trimble	Mary Dobek
William Mullen	Francis "Shelly" Czulewicz	Sylvia Rumberger	Margaret Ignaczak
Joan Dembrosky	"Grandma Shirley" Nelson	Helen Klier	Dennis Haynes
William "Bill" Skadhaug	Donna Griffin	Louis Fornello, Jr.	Delores Nowak
			Gary Kolbelewski

All are invited to attend the

All Souls Prayer Service

being celebrated on

Monday, November 3, 2025

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.



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

Get Connected

NEW TO THE PARISH? WANT TO GET INVOLVED BUT NOT SURE HOW?

- Register your family with the parish
- Check out the "events" page on our website, www.olp.org
- Sign up for our weekly newsletter on our website or call the office at 814-833-7701 for help.
- Download myPairsh App by texting APP to 88202. Select Our Lady of Peace, Erie PA 
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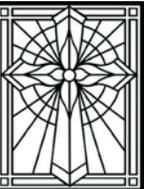
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