



Our Lady of Peace



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Fr. Rich Toohey, Gina Adams,

Warren Beaver,

Mary Beth Whitman

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.

We lead people into communion with God through Jesus Christ. We are passionately faithful, committed to mission, and have hearts like Mary.

Heart
Like Mary

To love like Mary is to serve like Christ.

West Millcreek Food Pantry

The following are suggested items to purchase each week; you May but what is on sale; non-perishables are accepted. CEREAL is always needed as well as reusable grocery bags.

November 2026

1st Pasta / Pasta Sauce

8th Sugar Free / Low Gluten Items

15th Soup / Mac 'n Cheese

22nd Applesauce / Rice

29th Coffee / Tea / Juice

**Pantry is OPEN November 10th & 24th
(every 2nd & 4th Tuesday) 9-11AM for those living in
Millcreek & for OLP Parishioners, at
Westminster Presbyterian Church, 3642 W. 26th St.**



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!

OLP PRAYS



Prayer is an essential part of our lives. It keeps us connected to each other and our brothers and sisters in Christ. YOU can be a part of this vital ministry.

- Volunteer to pray and join one of our prayer teams.
- Submit a prayer request to our prayer line for yourself or a loved one.
 - Between 9am-3pm: call, text or email Edie at 814-651-5952, ejt1125@gmail.com
 - Between 3pm-9pm: call, text or email Barb at 814-392-8348, dylewski49@hotmail.com
- Write your prayer intentions in the Book of Intentions the next time you are at church

For more information call or text: Dee Yeager 814-241-8767

Sunday's Readings:

Entrance Antiphon Let us all rejoice in the Lord, / as we celebrate the feast day in honor of all the Saints, / at whose festival the Angels rejoice / and praise the Son of God.

First Reading -John's vision of a vast throng from every nation and people, whose robes had been made white in the blood of the Lamb (Revelation 7:2-4, 9-14).

Psalm – Lord, this is the people that longs to see your face (Psalm 24).

Second Reading – By God's love, we may be called God's children (1 John 3:1-3).

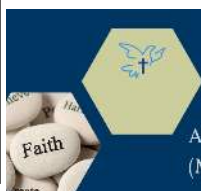
Gospel – The Beatitudes: your reward will be great in heaven (Matthew 5:1-12a).

Family Discussion of the Week: All Saints

See what love the Father has bestowed on us that we may be called the children of God. (1 John 3:1)

Adults: What qualities do you see in yourself that mark you as a child of God?

Kids: What is good about being a child of God?



WOMEN OF FAITH

Every day women of faith courageously pursue lives to glorify God.

All are welcome to join us **Wednesday, November 11th**. We will meet from **6:30-8:30pm** in B5 (Meeting room off the cafeteria). Contact Maria Good at 570-594-8339 with any questions.



MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2026

All Souls' Day

7:00AM Victoria Cunningham - Family
12:10PM Deceased Members of the Blacker Family – Family
7:00 PM **All Souls' Prayer Service**
All Are Welcome!

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2026

7:00AM Special Intention Mary Therese Carroll – Mom & Dad
12:10PM Casey Fatica - Family

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2026

7:00AM Rudy Passauer – Carroll Family
12:10PM Richard B. Johannesmeyer - Family

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2026

7:00AM Bob Dzikowski – Susan McCall
12:10PM Roman & Helena Bieniek - Family
2:00PM **School Mass** – Mario Lucchetti – Ehrman Family

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 2026

First Friday Adoration 7:30AM-7:00PM

7:00AM Bob Dzikowski – Edward Sznajder
12:10PM Dave Mohr – Dietz Family

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2026

8:00AM Thomas Rutkowski – Richard Oros Family
5:00PM Paul Ragan – Paul Vojtek Family

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2026

Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30AM Larry Heinlein – Patricia Heinlein
9:00AM Don Klodowski - Family
11:00AM Sylvester Berarducci - Family
4:30PM Living and Deceased Members of OLP

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

Confessions available:

Wednesdays 11:15AM-Noon
 Saturdays 8:30-9AM & 3:45-4:45PM

SANCTUARY LAMP - is burning this week in memory of Russell Bruno – Wife, Tullia & Family.

CHAPEL LAMP - is burning this week in memory of John “Jack” Coppola – Friends.

Readings for the Week of November 1st

Monday: Wis 3:1-9; Ps 23:1-6; Rom 5:5-11 or 6:3-9; Jn 6:37-40
 Tuesday: Phil 2:5-11; Ps 22:26b-32; Lk 14:15-24
 Wednesday: Phil 2:12-18; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Lk 14:25-33
 Thursday: Phil 3:3-8a; Ps 105:2-7; Lk 15:1-10
 Friday: Phil 3:17-4:1; Ps 122:1-5; Lk 16:1-8
 Saturday: Phil 4:10-19; Ps 112:1b-2, 5-6, 8a, 9; Lk 16:9-15
 Sunday: Wis 6:12-16; Ps 63:2-8; 1 Thes 4:13-18 [13-14]; Mt 25:1-13

A Family Perspective

Anyone can appear saintly in front of strangers, but it is the daily acts of patience, acceptance, forgiveness, listening, and self-sacrifice within the family that truly embody religious devotion. Family life is the true ground of sanctity.

OLP 31 Club

Praying for vocations every day of the year!

Members go to daily Mass on a particular day each month and offer that Mass for an increase in 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. 1: Maxine R., Mark S., Pat B.
 Nov. 2: Kathy W., Deacon Dennis K.
 Nov. 3: Sister Peggy, Linda D., Virginia S.
 Nov. 4: Arlene B., Catherine C., Denny D.
 Nov. 5: Joyce K.
 Nov. 6: Maxine B., Denise & Michael G., Susan F.
 Nov. 7: Margaret K.
 Nov. 8: Peggy C., Tim G., Pat H., Catilda M., Patricia P., Diane & Bill S., Jean V., Ann S.

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

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.



To my spiritual family of Our Lady of Peace-

A blessed All Saints Day to you! The last time All Saints fell on a Sunday was in 2020 and it gives us a good excuse to dive deeper into this great Solemnity which is a Holy Day of Obligation. All Saints' Day, in the Christian church, is a day commemorating all the saints of the church, both known and unknown, who have attained heaven. Remember that includes not only all canonized Saints (with a capital S) but also all people who are in heaven (lower case s...saints). The Catholic Church does not maintain a single, official, or fixed total count of capital S Saints, though historians and the Vatican estimate there are more than 10,000 recognized saints and beati (blessed) throughout history. Of those Saints, approximately 650 are celebrated on the universal Catholic Calendar each year. Many of these feasts honor multiple saints (Holy Innocents- between 5-40, North American Martyrs-8, Mexican-22, African Martyrs-22, Vietnamese Martyrs-115, Japanese Martyrs-26, Filipino Martyrs-16, Korean Martyrs-103, to name a few... not to mention the twenty-some feasts that have two or three Saints).

All Saints is celebrated on November 1st in the Western churches and on the first Sunday after Pentecost in the Eastern Catholic Churches. It is part of the three-day triduum—sometimes known as Allhallowtide—dedicated to remembering the dead, beginning with Halloween (October 31) and followed by All Saints' Day (November 1) and All Souls' Day (November 2).

The origin of All Saints' Day cannot be traced with certainty, and it has been observed on various days in different places. A feast of all martyrs was kept on May 13th in the Eastern church according to Ephraem Syrus (died c. 373), which may have determined the choice of May 13th by Pope Boniface IV when he dedicated the Pantheon (former pagan temple) in Rome as a church in honor of the Blessed Virgin and all martyrs in 609 AD. The first evidence for the November 1st date of celebration and of the broadening of the festival to include all saints as well as all martyrs occurred during the reign of Pope Gregory III (731–741AD), who dedicated a chapel in St. Peter's, Rome, on November 1st in honor of all saints. In 837AD Pope Gregory IV ordered its general observance as a holy day of obligation throughout the universal church. In medieval England the festival was known as All Hallows, and its eve is still known as Halloween (All Hallows Eve).

This feast first honored martyrs. Later, when Christians were free to worship according to their consciences, the Church acknowledged other paths to sanctity. In the early centuries the only criterion was popular acclaim, even when the bishop's approval became the final step in placing a commemoration on the calendar. The first papal canonization occurred in 993 AD (St. Ulrich of Augsburg); the lengthy process now required to prove extraordinary sanctity took form in the last 500 years.

History and facts aside... this feast reminds us of our call to holiness and the reality of the Communion of Saints: a spiritual bond connecting the Church Triumphant (in heaven), the Church Suffering (in purgatory), and the Church Militant (here on earth). As we strive toward heaven, the saints are not distant figures of history; they are our older brothers and sisters in Christ who intercede for us and cheer us on. Let's seek the Saints intercession this Sunday in a special way so that they can cheer us on to share in the final and eternal victory won for us by Our Lord Jesus Christ!

May God bless us through the intercession of the saints 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...

****All Souls Memorial Service** We have our Annual All Souls Memorial Service on Monday, November 2nd at 7pm. We pray for all who have died in the past year and for their family and friends who grieve their loss. You are welcome to come even if you have not lost someone in the last year.

****First Friday Adoration is November 6th** from 7:30am until 7pm Benediction. We are in need for several committed adorers to cover 30-minute slots on First Fridays so please consider this worthwhile commitment. Questions? Christine Beaver at wbeav@verizon.net or 814-881-0568.

****Divine Mercy Encounter (DME) Retreat** I will be serving as one of the spiritual directors for the next DME retreat November 13-15, 2026, at St. Joseph Church/Bread of Life Community. Participants must be at least 15 years old or a high school sophomore and there is no maximum age nor do you have to be Catholic to attend.

DME (Divine Mercy Encounter) is a three-day retreat program. Each day has a different focus: Friday is the Day of Invitation, focusing on how God is inviting us into relationship. Saturday is the Day of Encounter, where we encounter God through the sacraments, Adoration, and others. Sunday is the Day of Commission, where we as a community are empowered to evangelize and share our faith. The weekend includes talks, exposure to different types of prayer, Mass, community, and much more. The weekend runs from 10am on Friday to 5pm on Sunday, and retreat participants stay onsite for the

weekend. See www.divinemercyencounter.com for more information or contact the parish office.

****Congratulations to Mary Nelson of OLP** who was honored as Erie Benedictines' 2026 Prophet of Peace! There was an article in the Erie newspaper about Mary receiving this award and I quote the following... "Secular Franciscan Mary Nelson makes choices that challenge us to see the world differently. As a leader, organizer, and spiritually grounded advocate for peace and justice, she sees what is, holds reality with compassion, and then works for positive change. Her life is a prophetic message that challenges us to see differently, too. To live differently. To be compassion and peace." Thank you for your witness, Mary, your spiritual family is proud of you!

****Masses this Week**

Monday, Nov. 2nd. The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Souls Day);

Tuesday, Nov. 3rd. St. Martin de Porres, Religious (17th Century Peruvian Dominican Lay Brother and Patron of Mixed Races);

Wednesday, Nov. 4th. St. Charles Borromeo, Bishop (16th Century leader in Milan, part of the Catholic Counter-Reformation);

Thursday, Nov. 5th and Friday, Nov. 6th. Weekdays in Ordinary Time;

Saturday, Nov. 7th. Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of Divine Providence.

****GriefShare Ministry** Last weekend we promoted a new bereavement ministry that is part of our outreach to parishioners. Grief is a heavy burden, but it is one you do not have to carry alone. Within our Catholic tradition, we recognize that the pain of losing a loved one affects every part of our lives—our emotions, our daily routines, and even our faith. It is natural to feel isolated, overwhelmed, or stuck in the valley of sorrow. To meet our parishioners in these difficult moments, our parish is hosting GriefShare Ministry, a Christ-centered support program dedicated to helping people navigate the long, often unpredictable journey of loss.

GriefShare is not a typical lecture or a counseling session. It is a 13-week seminar and support group anchored by three powerful components:

- **Expert-Led Videos:** Each week features a video presentation filled with practical advice, insights from top Christian counselors, and deeply relatable stories from people who have survived the agony of loss.
- **Confidential Small Groups:** After the video, participants gather to talk about what they learned and share their own struggles. There is no pressure to speak—simply sitting in a room with others offers profound comfort.
- **Daily Personal Reflection:** A workbook provides brief, comforting Bible studies, journaling prompts, and scripture reflections to help anchor your mind in Christ's peace during the week.

As Catholics, we believe in the Communion of Saints and the promise of the Resurrection, yet Christ Himself wept at the tomb of His friend, Lazarus. Our faith

does not shield us from the sorrow of death; instead, it gives us a foundation of hope. GriefShare honors both your pain and your faith, offering a structured path away from isolation and toward healing. Whether your loss is fresh or occurred years ago, and whether you are grieving a spouse, child, parent, or friend, you are welcome here. Grief does not have a timeline.

OLP has two opportunities for those grieving a loss. "Surviving the Holidays"- is a one-day opportunity to find support for the holidays. It takes place on Saturday, November 7th from 1-3pm. We will also launch a 13-week GriefShare seminar on Wednesdays at 6:00pm starting November 18th. We have partnered with St. Joseph/Sacred Heart/St. Paul for this ministry and will host these grief recovery opportunities at St. Joseph's, 147 W. 24th St., Erie.

OLP SCHOOL PTO

SaveAround Coupon Book Fundraiser

Purchase your Save Around book at
SAPayNow.com/20495 or use the QR code below

The project from this fundraiser benefits all students through fun activities, school day surprises, supplies and school projects. Your support at any level **WILL** make a difference.



Erie book sells for \$25
other editions available

PRAYER for a NEW BISHOP

O Almighty God,,
Pour forth the Holy Spirit upon the Holy Father
and those who assist him
in the discernment of our new bishop.
May the one chosen have the strength
to be a compassionate leader,
who models humility and joy.
Grant him the wisdom of Solomon,
the courage of the apostles,
and the tenderness of your Son, the Good Shepherd.

We also pray for the Diocese of Erie
that he is called to serve.
may we welcome him with open hearts
and work with him in a spirit of synodality,
called to listen, collaborate, and build unity.

Through the intercession of the
Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church,
St. Joseph, the protector of the Church,
and St. Patrick, the patron of our diocese,
may we journey the path of life
with an unwavering focus
on the hope we have in Christ.

For he lives and reigns forever and ever. Amen.

Imprimatur, October 28, 2025
The Most Revrend Lawrence T. Persico, J.C.L., Bishop of Erie





Our Lady of Peace
CHURCH



INTRODUCING THE OLP Vocation Ministry Team

Helping build a vocation-friendly parish culture at Our Lady of Peace.

We are a newly appointed team within the parish. Our mission is to help build a parish culture at Our Lady of Peace where every person and family is encouraged to hear God's call, pray for vocations, and support those discerning the priesthood, diaconate, religious life, marriage, and faithful Christian living. This ministry belongs to the whole parish, and the goal is to invite the full participation of parish members in this important and necessary mission.

We will share more information as plans and activities are developed.



*Every person has a vocation.
Every family has a role.*

MEET THE TEAM



Charlie Rutkowski



Sarah Beaver



Tim Hoffman



Please pray for vocations, watch for upcoming activities, and join us as we help build a vocation-friendly parish culture at OLP.



Questions or ideas? Please contact us via Sarah Beaver at sarah.beaver@olp.org.

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

<i>Stanley Lepura</i>	<i>William "Will" Faust</i>	<i>Charles Tuberson</i>	<i>Jean Alward</i>
<i>Margaret "Peggy" Spangler</i>	<i>Michael "Mike" Panighetti</i>	<i>Nancy Cherry</i>	<i>June Carr</i>
<i>Carol Ann Grieshaber</i>	<i>Lachary Carbo</i>	<i>Evelyn Visnoski</i>	<i>Dennis Buto</i>
<i>Christine Visosky</i>	<i>Richard Krainski</i>	<i>Thomas Burke</i>	<i>Richard "Dick" Tronoski</i>
<i>Larry Heinlein</i>	<i>Valentine Wieszczyk</i>	<i>Randall Ferrante</i>	<i>Sara "Sally" Barrett</i>
<i>Joan Wieszczyk</i>	<i>Robert Maracci</i>	<i>Mary Jane Daugherty</i>	<i>Barbara Reese</i>
<i>Janice Sangemi</i>	<i>Jon Fuhrman</i>	<i>Patricia Vild</i>	<i>Jacob Essigmann</i>
<i>William "Bill" Cunningham</i>	<i>Mary Lukowski</i>	<i>William Bolash</i>	<i>Anna Baldwin</i>
<i>Chester Laleski</i>	<i>Rudy Passauer</i>	<i>Patricia "Pat" Hart</i>	<i>Gayle Chiocco</i>
<i>Richard Bertges</i>	<i>Mary Nelson</i>	<i>Janice Lundell</i>	<i>Garold Molli</i>
<i>Brenda Nielsen</i>	<i>Jack Fatica</i>	<i>Barbara Reagan</i>	
<i>Rhonda Frisina</i>	<i>Nancy Krowicki</i>	<i>Joseph Leone</i>	<i>Aric Michalczyk</i>
<i>Paul Friscus</i>	<i>Susan Kusich</i>	<i>Geraldine Kaufmann</i>	<i>Margaret "Lani" Reinwald</i>
<i>Cheryl Ward-Schultz</i>	<i>Patricia Ohmer</i>	<i>John Maciak</i>	<i>Lou Bizzarro</i>
<i>Christopher Ogden</i>	<i>Charles Fischer</i>	<i>Elizabeth Franklin</i>	<i>Nicole Ferretti</i>
<i>Ann Snyder</i>	<i>Andrea Lued</i>	<i>Joela Martin</i>	<i>Warren Adams</i>
<i>Wilma Nicholas</i>	<i>Handace Lyons</i>	<i>Kathleen Losasso</i>	
<i>Marika Roberts</i>	<i>Chelsea Braendel</i>	<i>Tonya Hodas</i>	<i>Aric Michalczyk</i>
<i>Jeffrey Hickin</i>	<i>Matthew Riazzi</i>	<i>Judith "Judy" Tymchyn</i>	<i>Donald Pitter</i>
<i>Rev. Nicholas Fratus</i>	<i>Leroy Balzer</i>	<i>Bill McGinnis</i>	<i>John Coppola</i>
<i>Pamela "Pam" Hurt</i>	<i>Joseph Calabrese</i>	<i>Cheryl Tobin</i>	<i>Richard Gall</i>
<i>Allene Kraus</i>	<i>Julio Ferrante</i>	<i>Gary Wassink</i>	<i>Frank Hodas</i>
<i>Gerald Namey</i>	<i>Mary Jane Pleimer</i>	<i>Barbara Gwinn</i>	<i>Maria Sebastian Thomas</i>
<i>John Hodas</i>	<i>Joseph Cuzzola</i>	<i>Robert Dzikowski</i>	
<i>Rose Majczyk</i>	<i>Patrick McDonald</i>	<i>Thomas Boehm</i>	
<i>Trenton Ldanko</i>	<i>Barbara Moon</i>	<i>Jeanette Russell</i>	
<i>Marilyn Rieger</i>	<i>Catherine Rieger</i>	<i>Thomas A. Benedik</i>	

All are invited to attend the **All Souls Prayer Service**

being celebrated on

Monday, November 2, 2026 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.

Grieving a loss? Know someone who is?

GriefShare

Surviving the Holidays

Encouragement, support, and valuable tools to
navigate the challenges of the season.

Join us for this holiday seminar

Location	Date & time	Contact info
St. Joseph Catholic Church 147 West 24th St. Erie, PA 16502	Saturday 1:00 - 3:00PM November 7, 2026	Andrew Heinlein andrew.heinlein@olp.org 814 833 7701 Ext. 206

griefshare.org/holidays



Our Lady of Peace...
Pray for us

HELP OTHERS HEAL... GRIEF SHARE IS COMING TO OLP

We are excited to announce that OLP is bringing the
GriefShare program to the Erie area beginning this November.

GriefShare provides hope and healing after the
death of a loved one and is the #1 grief recovery
program in the world.

Do you feel God calling you to bring comfort to
others? We are looking for volunteers who are
compassionate and who have a desire to help
others find a way forward after a loss.

VOLUNTEER FOR:

- REGISTRATION
- HOSPITALITY
- SMALL GROUP FACILITATOR

Andrew Heinlein: 814-833-7701 x206 or
andrew.heinlein@olp.org

All Saint's Day FAMILY EVENT

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

Open to everyone! There will be a saint costume contest,
"saint" inspired snacks, crafts, games and activities and you
won't want to miss the skit by the Mountain Movers,
the High School Youth Team. RSVP:sarah.beaver@olp.org



CATHOLICISM

JOURNEY AROUND THE WORLD AND DEEP INTO THE CATHOLIC FAITH

JOIN US and experience the beauty, goodness and truth of the
Catholic Faith in breathtaking, high-definition cinematography.

All are welcome! Fall 2026 - Spring 2027
Each session is unique so jump in at any time!
No registration needed . . . Come as you are and we will learn together.

WHEN: Fall dates: Sundays from 9:15-10:45am
Nov. 1, Nov. 15, Dec. 6, Dec. 20

WHERE: School Cafeteria

QUESTIONS: Sr. Kathleen at sr.kathleen@olp.org or 814-218-9400.

FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION Committed Adorer

Being a committed adorer means
promising a specific hour or half hour of
prayer before the Blessed Sacrament on
the first Friday of each month.

The following 30 minute spots are open:

- 8:30am
- 1:00pm
- 5:00pm
- 5:00pm

Call Christine at 814-881-0568 or
email wceav@verizon.net to get involved.

Spending time in Eucharistic Adoration is
a powerful way to honor the Sacred Heart
of Jesus. He is waiting for YOU!



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 NWPAfaith our new parish App at the App Store
- Check out the great Catholic content on FORMED.
 Register through the website www.olp.org by clicking on the FORMED image. Enter your name & email and create a password.



Need a rosary repaired?



Just drop off your rosary or rosaries at the office in an envelope with your name and phone number. You will receive a call when it has been repaired and is ready for pick up.

Thank you Dianne for taking on this important ministry.

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:

Nov. 21, Dec. 19

Time: 9:45AM to 1:00PM

Where: 11th & French St.

What: Prepare/Serve the Lunch Meal

Time: Any parishioner 15 yrs or older

Contact: Scott Barnes, 881-8889



Qualifies for service hours!

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1514 Norcross Rd., Erie, PA
 Friday & Sunday Nights
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- 11-3: MSYG
- 11-4: HSYG
- 11-10: MSYG
- 11-11: HSYG
- 11-12: 4th/5thGrYG
- 11-13 to 11-15: Divine Mercy Encounter Retreat for HS
- 11-17: MSYG
- 11-18: HSYG @12th St Chick-Fil-A (permission form required)

****PLEASE NOTE-We take one week off of YG a month!!!**
MSYG: 6:30-8:30pm, dinner provided, drop off/pick up by the front Church doors. For those in 6th-8th Gr.
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Kid's Night Out: 5:30-9pm for K-5th Gr. Volunteers only YG members as it's a fundraiser for YG. RSVP to participate (K-5) by the Wed before event. Sign in/out at School Cafeteria.
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Grades 1-8: Classes meet in the school and church basement.

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Nov. 08 -Edge Social Night 5:30-7pm

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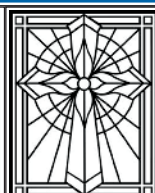
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