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Deacon
Deacon Tim DeRousse

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13th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Jesus said to the synagogue official, "Do not be afraid; just have faith." When they arrived at the house of the synagogue official, he caught sight of a commotion, people weeping and wailing loudly. So he went in and said to them, "Why this commotion and weeping? The child is not dead but asleep." - Mk 5:36bc, 38-39

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COME WORSHIP WITH US EVERY SUNDAY
Live Streaming will end this weekend June 27, 2021. Welcome back to our veteran Ushers. We are always looking for new faces to add to our list. If you can help please call the parish office at 397-2287.

BLESSED SACRAMENT MEN'S CLUB RESUMES

Men's Club will resume monthly meetings on the first Wednesday of the month in the cafeteria at 7 pm. The Work Day will be the first Saturday from 8 am to Noon.

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP RESUMES

The monthly meeting is held at 1:00 pm on the second Wednesday at Mt. Carmel Peace Chapel. All are welcome and no RSVP required.

PARISH OFFICE SUMMER HOURS

Through July 30, 2021 the Summer Office hours are Mon. - Thurs. 8:30 am - 3:00pm, and Friday 8:30 am to Noon.

GRADE SCHOOL SUMMER HOURS

QP: 9 am to 1 pm Monday through Friday. Closed June 16th through August 2nd.
BS: 9 am to Noon Monday through Friday. Closed June 30th through August 2nd.

BS: May Budget $34,000	**Actual YTD: $24,921**
QP: May Budget $34,000	**Actual YTD: $26,833**

FULL-TIME JANITOR NEEDED

Blessed Sacrament is currently seeking a full-time janitor. Candidates must be able to perform light maintenance and repair as needed. Salary compensatory to experience. Available benefits. Please send cover letter, resume and references to Karen Ferrara at ***karenferrara@ymail.com***

ON OUR OWN RESTART

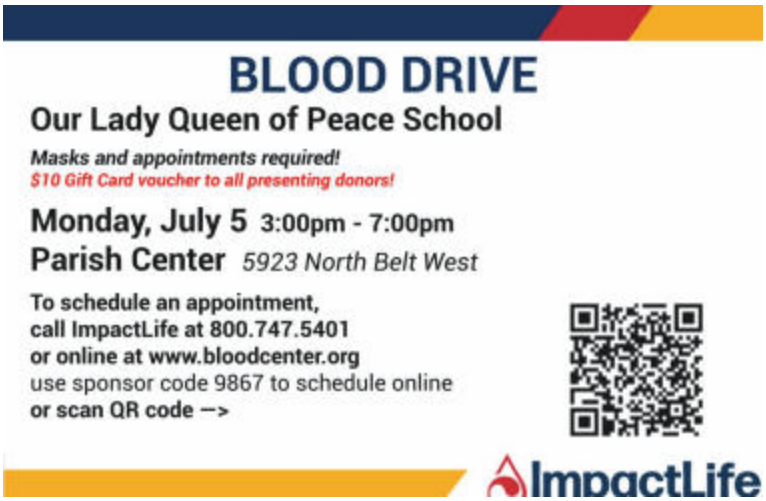
We are looking forward to restarting our On Our Own group. Our group is open to anyone who is on their own in life. If you are interested in having a great time, meeting new friends, and eating good food, let us know. We hope you will join us for some fun. For more information or if you have questions, please contact Karen Vick at Kvgr4@aol.com or call 277-3374. We hope to announce our next event soon.

ST. PEREGRINE DEVOTION

Please join us at the 8:00 am Mass at Our Lady Queen of Peace Parish on **Thursday, July 1, 2021** to pray for those suffering with cancer.

THANK YOU! THANK YOU!

Queen of Peace St. Vincent de Paul would like to thank our parishioners and Friends for your generous monetary donations to Cosgrove's Kitchen and the Drop-In-Center. We were able to collect $805. It will be used to buy food and supplies for both Cosgrove's Kitchen and the Drop-In Center. Thank you all again for your generosity; it is greatly appreciated.



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

SATURDAY	June 26	4:30 p.m. (BS)	Bruce Perkins, Jay DeRousse, Bauer, Hart and Lipe Families, Dolores Goelz
SUNDAY	June 27	8:00 a.m. (BS)	Parish Family
		10:00 a.m. (QP)	Ron Yociss, Lucille Zabawa, Mary E. Flynn, Deceased Members of the Rigney Family
TUESDAY	June 29	8:00 a.m. (BS)	Donald & Florence St. Eve
THURSDAY	July 1	8:00 a.m. (QP)	Charles Strub
SATURDAY	July 3	4:30 p.m. (BS)	James vonBrecht, Rose Marie Micka, Kathy Rettle
SUNDAY	July 4	8:00 a.m. (BS)	Parish Family
		10:00 a.m. (QP)	Ben Poelker, Don Hannis

Thirteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time
June 26/27, 2021

Entrance Song: BB #407 Christ Before Us

1. Christ before us, Christ beside us, Christ to guide us all our days. He to carry all our sorrows, he to bear us perfect grace. Jesus, Savior, Friend and Brother, Intercessor, Son of God, save your people in your dying, and in rising, conquer death.
2. May we be for one another all that you would have us be. May we live your law of kindness, love, compassion, charity. May we climb your holy mountain; may we see your holy face! Visit now this humble dwelling; dwell within this holy place. Text: 87 87 D; © 1990, Janèt Sullivan Whitaker. Published by OCP. All rights reserved. Music: Welsh Melody.

Penitential Rite:

Gloria:

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heav'nly King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the word, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father, Amen.

Collect

The Liturgy of the Word

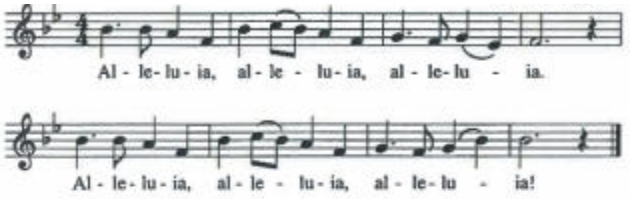
The readings can be found at www.usccb.org

First Reading: **Wisdom 1:13-15; 2:23-24**

Responsorial Psalm: ***I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me.***

Second Reading: **2 *Corinthians 8:7, 9,13-15***

Gospel Acclamation:



Commissioned for the Mass celebrated by His Holiness Pope John Paul II in the Archdiocese of St. Louis, Missouri, January, 1999. Festival Alleluia by: James Chepponis

Gospel: ***Mark 5:21-43***

Homily

Profession of Faith

Profession of Faith I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the

Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God, from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son, is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen

Universal Prayer

FOLLOW INSERT →

Upcoming EVENTS

QUEEN OF PEACE PARISH FESTIVAL

We have started getting some questions about the 2021 QP Parish Festival. Currently plans are underway to have traditional festival on Saturday, September 11, 2021. We have a large commitment from the committee and plan to start having meetings to finalize details. We have a great core of committee members, but need a few more dedicated individuals to join the committee. If you have ever considered helping with the QP parish Festival or have any questions, please reach out to Ben Hoffmann at 618-570-4828.

OUT OF PARISH EVENTS

St. Michael, Paderborn Parish Picnic, Saturday, July 3, 2021, Serving Fried Chicken Dinner (Carry out Only). Picnic tables available. 1/2 chicken and sides. Quilt & Cash Bingo starting at 6pm. Mass at 3:30 pm & 5:00 pm.

St. Damian Chicken Dinner, Saturday, July 10, 2021. Serving 1/2 chicken (Carry Out Only), dressing, mashed potatoes, corn, cookie. Beer, soda, water, children's games and rides, raffles.

BECOME A PRAYER CHAIN WARRIOR

Believe in the Power of Prayer?

We could use your help! Join the Prayer Chain and help us pray for the intentions of family and friends from both of our parishes. Contact Sharon Needham at 234-7550 or email: ***needhamsharon2@gmail.com***.

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

Gracious God, You have called us through Baptism to discipleship, believing in your Son, Jesus Christ, who has sent us to bring the Good News of salvation to the world. We pray to you, asking that you grant us more priests and religious who will help us build up your Church in the Diocese of Belleville and the world. Stir up the grace of a religious vocation in the hearts of many of our youth. Grant to them the willingness and generosity to give of themselves in service to our Lord Jesus and his people. May a new generation of priests, deacons, sisters and brothers be a sign of your presence among us. We ask this in the name of Jesus the Lord.
Amen.

PARTNERSHIP UPDATE!

QUEEN OF PEACE FORWARD IN FAITH PROGRESS

Thanks to your generosity, we have completed the following projects:

- **New A/C in church—$44,000**
- **New roof on church—$76,000**
- **New computers in the school—$19,000**
- **New overhead projectors in the school—$2,000**
- **Updated instructional materials for the school—$8,000**
- **Health Insurance for parish and school staff—$40,000**

Scheduled for this summer:

- **Repair, sealing and striping parking lots—$18,000**

BLESSED SACRAMENT PROJECTS

Fr. Matt, the trustees and the Finance Council have approved the following projects:

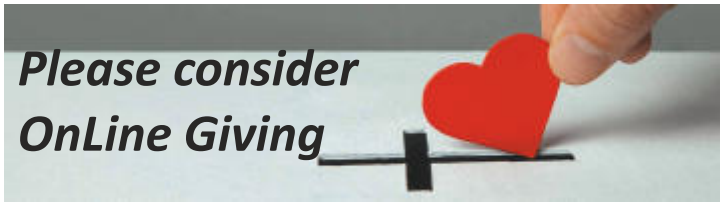
- **Repair church porch—$65,000**
- **Replace sidewalks in front of church—$30,000**
- **New sound system for the church—$58,000**

We are waiting for approval from the Bishop before work can begin.
DONATIONS for theses projects are greatly appreciated!

Karen Vick, Director of Adult Faith Formation, has announced her retirement effective July1.

We are so very grateful for all the time and talent she has given to Blessed Sacrament and Our Lady Queen of Peace. Karen has successfully overseen the RCIA program, Adult Bible Study, new parent Baptism preparation, Minister training, and Pandemic volunteer scheduling just to name a few ministries. We wish her the very best in her "new" retirement and hope to see her often at parish functions.

We welcome Greg Nowak as the new Director of Adult Faith Formation. Greg has been a long time member of Queen of Peace actively serving as Reader, Eucharistic Minister, Sacristan and leading Adult Bible Study. Greg can be reached at *nowak24@charter.net* or by calling the parish office, 397-2287. Welcome Greg!



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Or scan the QR code: QP BS
and click Give OnLine.

2. Click the collection you wish to donate to.
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HAVE YOU HEARD OF SERRA CLUB?

The Serra Club of St. Clair County is an organization of Catholic men and women, dedicated to foster and affirm vocations to the Priesthood and vowed religious life. Our purpose is to inform our community of the need for all vocations. We honor our religious with an annual Nuns Luncheon, a Deacon Dinner, a Priest Picnic and a new Priest Dinner. We pray for our seminarians and help them celebrate their birthdays.

Our club meets every first and third Friday of the month at the Shrine of our Lady of the Snows. There is a Mass at 11:45 am, lunch, a brief meeting and a guest speaker. You are welcome to join us as our guest. For more information please contact Marvin Winkeler (402-214-1155) or Mel Lucash (618-531-4244) **PLEASE PRAY FOR VOCATIONS!**

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