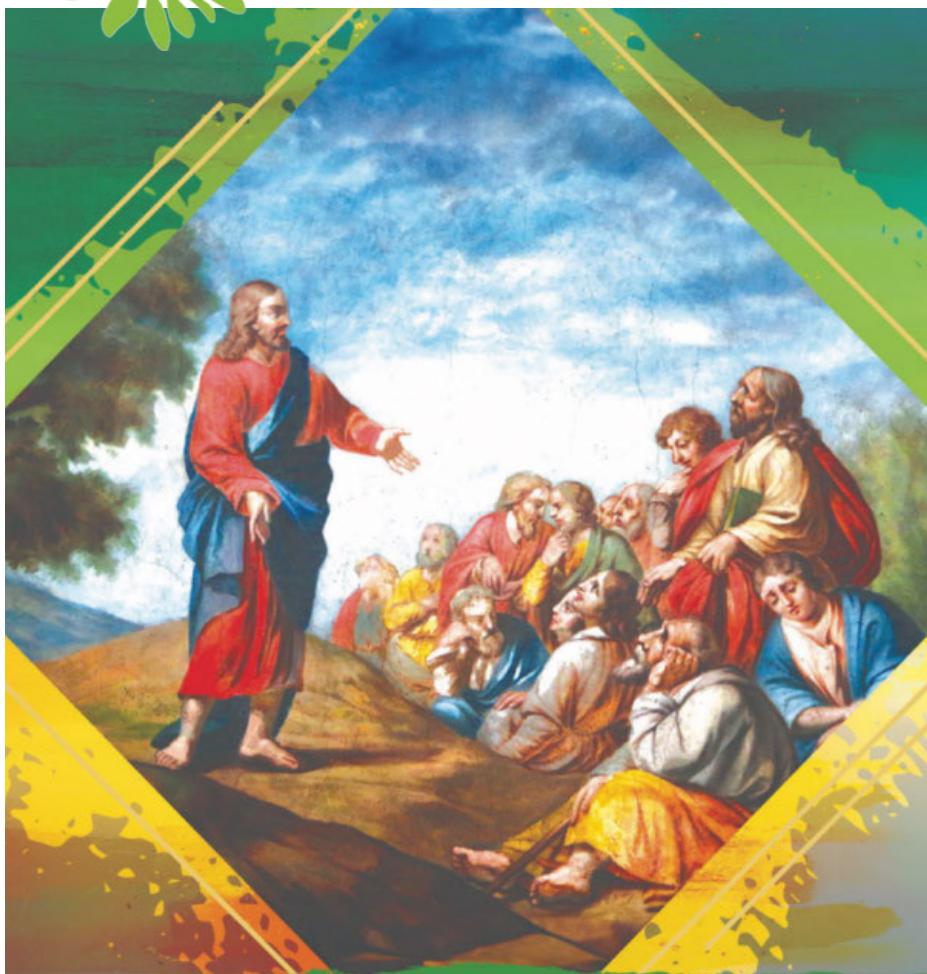


Queen of Peace Parish



Welcome!

We, the Catholic community of Queen of Peace Parish, centered in the Eucharist, strive to grow in our faith and our relationship with God as a welcoming people, working for peace and justice through service to others.



18TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“Amen, amen, I say to you, it was not Moses who gave the bread from heaven; my Father gives you the true bread from heaven.” - Jn 6:32

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Friday: 9:00 am
Saturday: 8:30 am
Sunday Vigil Mass: 4:30 pm
Sunday: 8:30 am
11:30 am

CONFESIONS 3:30 pm on Saturday

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Monday: 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm
Benediction: 5:45 pm

August 4, 2024



Today we celebrate the Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time.

The Book of Exodus tells of the Israelites' escape from Egypt and their journey to Mount Sinai some 1200 years before Christ. The bread described in today's first reading is called manna, a word derived from the ancient Hebrews words for "what is this?"

In our series of readings from the letter to the Ephesians, we have come to a part of the letter which gives advice for daily living. Today's second reading describes the effects of baptism. In the waters of baptism, we symbolically die to one way of living and rise to a new way of life.

Guidelines for Receiving Our Lord in the Eucharist.

Because I thought many of us could all use a refresher course in this area, here are a few reminders in respecting these important guidelines:

- ◆ If you receive Holy Communion on the tongue, answer "amen" before you extend your tongue.
- ◆ Extend your tongue far enough for the priest or minister to carefully place the Sacred Host on it. The priest or minister is to place the host on your tongue without touching it; if your tongue is touched it could create health problems for those receiving later in line.
- ◆ Make a bow of the head as a sign of reverence before receiving the Eucharist. This is best done when the priest or minister elevates the Eucharist before offering it to you. Genuflecting and kneeling is not necessary and can cause someone behind you to trip or fall.
- ◆ If you are going to receive the host in the hand, please DO NOT GRAB AT THE SACRED HOST. You are to make a throne for the Lord by placing one hand over the other. Then say Amen, take the host with your free hand and consume the Lord.
- ◆ IT IS NOT PERMITTED TO CARRY THE SACRED HOST TO THE PRECIOUS BLOOD AND DIP IT IN THE PRECIOUS BLOOD. This process is called intinction. It requires a different set of sacred vessels that we currently do not use. To do so with our cups most certainly would create a health risk, as no hands or fingers should be placed in the cups used to distribute Christ's Sacred Blood.
- ◆ Please have clean hands! There should be nothing in your hands as you prepare to receive the Eucharist. Don't carry a rosary, a crucifix or anything else in your hands when you receive the Lord or have anything written on your hands.
- ◆ After receiving Holy Communion, whether on the tongue or in the hand, it is not proper to genuflect to the tabernacle. In most parishes, the tabernacle is empty while Communion is being distributed. Most importantly, after you receive the Eucharist, you are the tabernacle!
- ◆ The proper response to: "The Body of Christ" is "Amen". Amen means "so be it." It is very important that you make that profession of faith before receiving the Lord. Amen says it all! Anything else is superfluous.

Fr. Rich Yanos



From the desk of Lisa Keeney



Greetings To All:

I would like to introduce the new Queen of Peace magnet created to show how proud we all are of this beautiful parish! These have been produced in an effort to support work needed inside and outside of the church.

A few important projects are soon to be launched for the church and parish which are vital for the survival and safety of both the Parishioners and the building itself. This includes the following:

1. Security cameras to be installed within the nave of the building.
2. Wi-Fi improvements to project masses for those unable to be at the service in person.
3. Projection system and/or flat screen television solutions to allow for better ear and visual ability during mass.
4. Masonry work to be done on the outside to better protect and preserve the exterior of this precious church.

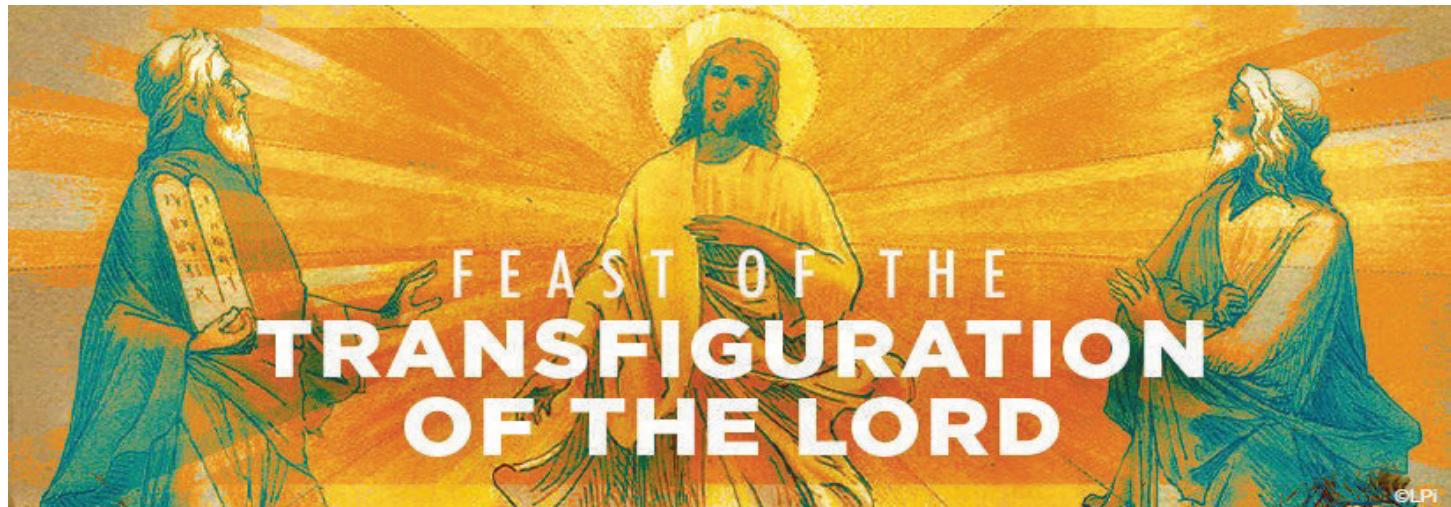
In addition to the work that is scheduled to be done for the church building, we are also working with a developer to improve the parish website. We need to better communicate with all, as viewers look into this Catholic organization.

All this having been stated, I am asking for your support by purchasing this beautiful new magnet at a minimum donation of \$5.00. This is an item that will adorn your vehicle, refrigerator or any other metal-based item that shows your allegiance to the Queen of Peace Parish. This will assist with paying for all of the above projects.

Thank you and may you have a blessed day!

Lisa Keeney

Director of Operations





QUEEN OF PEACE PARISH - MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, August 3, 2024

4:30 pm Saturday Vigil Mass - Mass at St. Eugene Church

Felicia D'Attomo
Antonia DiCristofano
Law Enforcement
Bob Schu
Jeff Stalpart
Helen & Walter Wojtas

Sunday, August 4, 2024

8:30 am Mass at St. Eugene Church

Gene & Grace Pawula Wedding Anniversary
Robert J. Brun
Ann Caruso
Patricia Kaisling 18th Anniversary
Andrzej Krol
Law Enforcement
Armando Lucchesi
Janet Toton

10:00 am Mass at Our Lady, Mother of the Church

John Catanese
Esther M. Gallo
Pietro Pisello
Debbie Puhala
Edward Rebacz
Jadwiga Harriet Swider
Helena Swieton
Rosemary Taylor
Nicola Troiano
Palmina & Frank Vitone

11:30 am Mass at St. Eugene Church

People of the Parish
Amelio & Antoinette Basile
Ann Caruso
Roman Godlewski
Miss Hobbs
Laura Mazza
Francesco Luigi Pisello
Frank Scalise

Monday, August 5, 2024

9:00 am Mass at St. Eugene Church

Alexander Hyrc
Michael Malarski
Porfirio & Regan Families
Roseann Salvadori

Tuesday, August 6, 2024

7:00 am Mass at Our Lady, Mother of the Church

Juan Diaz
Martha Macres & Family

Wednesday, August 7, 2024

9:00 am Mass at St. Eugene Church

Jude & Minn Families
Ronald Feiereisel
S.I. for Family

Thursday, August 8, 2024

7:00 am Mass at Our Lady, Mother of the Church

Bruno Janus - Birthday Remembrance
Lucille Pisano

Friday, August 9, 2024

9:00 am Mass at St. Eugene Church

George Concaldi
Adrian Van Dongen
De Caro & Hopkins Families
Angeline Santella

Saturday, August 10, 2024

8:30 am Mass at St. Eugene Church

Souls in Purgatory
Belanger & Zepplin Families
Andrzej Mac
Konrad Snizek

12:30 pm Wedding at St. Eugene Church

Michelle Mary Diatte & Dan Salvatore Gaddini

Saturday, August 10, 2024

4:30 pm Saturday Vigil Mass - Mass at St. Eugene Church

People of the Parish
John Dudek
Jozef Krol
Law Enforcement
Jean & Nick Mazzocchi
Domenic & Lucia Notardonato
Joseph Pecora
Bob Schu
Tom & Josephine Szczech
Jose Villalba

Sunday, August 11, 2024

8:30 am Mass at St. Eugene Church

People of the Parish
Robert J. Brun
Law Enforcement
Nate & Szczech Families
Maria & Matthias Rempala
S.I. Jacqueline Connolly—Healings

10:00 am Mass at Our Lady, Mother of the Church

Ann Caruso
Thomas & Dorothy Fahy
Ed & Mary Kenevan
Steve, Angeline & Donal Lesniak
Josephine Miller
Patrick O'Regan
Donato Parente
Pietro Pisello
Jozef Rebacz
Helena Swieton

11:30 am Mass at St. Eugene Church

Giuseppe Giacalone
Pearl & George Giovannoni
Erika Arquilla Hlavacek
Fred Rogers
Stan Stykpa

SCHEDULE OF LITURGICAL MINISTERS

DATE	CELEBRANT	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER	ALTAR SERVER	LECTORS
SATURDAY, 08/10 4:30 PM - SE	Rev. Robert Carleton	MB Glynn - WB F. Klus - B D. Sulimowski - C C. Bobka - O A. Cisek - WO L. Feist - Cup B M. Meo - Cup O	C. Wallace A. EK Q. Sznura	J. Sclafani
SUNDAY, 08/11 8:30 AM - SE	Rev. Ed Pacocha	J. Fornek - WB G. Fornek - B B. Ndiwe - C D. Duszynski - O M. Egan - WO R. Kennedy - Cup B C. Hill - Cup O	E. Hesnan L. Solis B. Villena	I. Rog
SUNDAY, 08/11 10:00 AM - OLMC	Rev. Robert Carlton	M. Marszalek - AB R. Catalano - AC G. Henderson - TB N. Mosk - TB R. Molas - TC	D. Flynn G. Pilch J. Pilch	P. Peterson - 1st C. Capps - 2nd
SUNDAY, 08/11 11:30 AM - SE	Rev. Greg Rom	S. Pinner - WB C. Paulini - B J. Mroszczak - C M. Tomzik - O P. Tomzik - WO A. Mroszczak - Cup B P. Paetsch - Cup O	AJ Orlando M. Clancy B. Rog A. Coleman	C. Bobka



ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT
St. Eugene Church

Mondays 4 - 6 pm. Benediction at 5:45 pm.



PRAYER REQUESTS

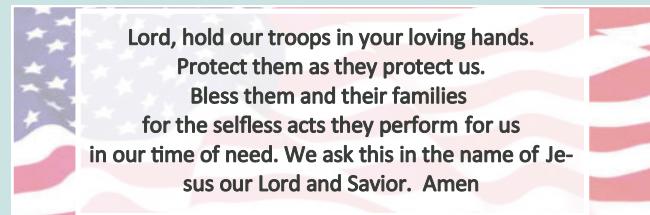
Lord God, we place our worries in your hands. We place our sick under your care and humbly ask that You restore your servant to health again. Above all, grant us the grace to acknowledge your will and know that whatever you do, you do for the love of us. We thank You and praise You through Jesus the Christ. Amen.

Pat Apida
Annabella Amato
Ralph J. Amelio
Victoria Amelio
Peter Badagliacca
Patricia & Lawrence Basilli
Judy Bauer
Don Bellisario
Ludwika Bialo
Bronislaw Bialo
A. & V. Bischof
Gabriella Bongiorno
Virginia Bongiorno-Lawrence
Johnmar Castillo
Gracie Carey
Karen Cazolas
Mary Ciliak
Mark Corrado
Jacqueline Connolly
Sharon Crowley
Susan Curtin
Angela & Rocco D'Alessandro
John Dahlquist
Joseph Duna
Arol Fijalkiewicz
Tony Fiore
Bob Gasiorek
Harry Gelardi

Patricia Gelfond
Susan Hennessy
Jeff Herden
Renee Holm
Ryszard Jablonski
Terry Katz
Arthur Kopeck
Harry Krawczyk
Thomas Landeck
James LaPietra
Abagail Lim
Allie Lim
Frank Lizak
Rose Mary Maratto
Mickey Margelewski
Stanislaw Mazek
Azucena & Jazmine Melendrez
Lena Menconi
Dolores Michalek
Patrick Misincinski
Linda Morton
Norman Mosk
Michael C. & Virginia Muscarello
Michael J. Muscarello
Joey Notaro
Anthony Notaro
Vittoria Nudo
Rev. James J. O'Brien

Donie Odulio
Catherine O'Hara
Blanca Pacia
Camille Pavlis
Karen Pavlis - Karasawa
Kay Phelan
Rita Rogers
Jean Rogers
Bill Ruhl
Lorraine & Tom Ryan
Diane Rizzuto
Pat Schippers
Shirley Schindler
Peter Schroeder
Robert Shelton
Dolores Scorza
Maria Slomski
Daniel Staniec
Emily Steckiewicz
Rachael Stowe
Mae Stryker
Lavergne Suchor
Tom Szczech
Dave Tudron
Paul Tscherwenka
Ernesto Vergara
Dolores Wilk

We pray for our loved ones who are serving in any branch of the Armed Forces during this time of conflict.



Major Adamczyk
Joseph Antosh, Jr.
Ghaleb Azroui
Matthew Calderisi
Timothy Emmett Carolan
Melissa Rose Cortese
James Vincent Degrazia
Patrick Edward Dillon
Zbigniew Dudkowski
Matthew Scott Forrest
Dominic John Guerrieri, Jr.
Major Dirk Haller
Andrew Hopkins

Christopher Jenkins
Bernard Edward Kusinski
Lt. Radoslaw Korzeniak
Antonio James Lim
Payne Manczko
Chris Marchiori
Daniel McLenieghan
Daniel Meaney
Keith Miller
Michael Morales
Mike Mroszczak
Thomas Neuhengen
Eric Norwood

Elliott O'Claire
Vincent Page
Chad Pritchard
Nicholas Ranch
Adam Roberts
Joseph Saineghi, Jr.
Holly Schippers
Michael Schippers, Jr.
Sean Sherlock
Sharon Sherlock
Phillip R. Simonsen
Tony Strzalka

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

"Let the Children Come to Me"
Matthew 19:13-15



QUEEN OF PEACE PARISH 2024-2025 RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM PROVIDED AT ST. EUGENE SCHOOL

Regular Program Classes - Grades 1-7: Classes take place in a classroom setting with the overall work covered in class with the exception of the seventh grade students who complete additional papers and service hours in preparation for making their Sacrament of Confirmation in the fall of their eighth grade year. Classes are held on Tuesdays beginning October 1st and are held from 3:45-4:45 p.m.

Independent Study Program - Grades 1 – 7: This class is for parents who want their children to complete their grade-level chapter work at home and want to use their church attendance as their participation in religious education.

This program requires your child to attend at least fifteen of their weekly masses at Queen of Peace Parish at either St. Eugene Church or Our Lady, Mother of the Church from date enrolled to April.

PLEASE CALL THE MAIN OFFICE AT (773)763-2235.

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**3rd Annual
Men's Retreat
Sept. 21-22,
2024**

**Theme:
Fostering
Community**

Location:
Mount Assisi Retreat
Center
Lemont, IL



Join us in exploring the essence of fostering an authentic Christian community wherever you are.

Escape the hustle and bustle to reconnect with yourself and establish connections in the serene surroundings of Mount Assisi Retreat Center in Lemont, IL. With over 60 acres of outdoor space for leisurely walks and more, now is the perfect time to:

- **Recharge and Reflect:** Take a break from your daily routine to focus on what truly matters.
- **Build Brotherhood:** Engage with like-minded individuals and nurture lasting connections.
- **Discover Fresh Perspectives:** Gain insights and skills to enhance your personal and professional life.

We are thrilled to have **Bishop Dan Turley, Br. Joe Ruiz, Fr. Bernie Scianna, and Fr. Samuel Joutras** join us for fellowship and lead the retreat. To sign up, please visit the Midwest Augustinian Website at www.midwestaugustinians.org or call 773-614-5880.

**MORE THAN
Enough**



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Liturgical Life

(PRACTICING) CATHOLIC

Food That Perishes

It's so easy to do the right thing because we want to tick all the right boxes. We want to live by the law. We want to accomplish the work of God.

Or, at least, we say that we do.

But Jesus tells us that in order to accomplish the work of God, we have to believe in the one he sent. And to believe in Christ is to be filled with the spirit of truth — to do what is right because it is right, not because we want to be filled with good feelings.

What is the difference between doing what is right because you want to be a good Christian, and doing what is right because you believe in Christ?

It's the difference between eating manna and the Eucharist. One fills your stomach and keeps you alive, and nothing more. The other satisfies a hunger you might not have even known you had, or if you did know, you called it by another name — sadness, unfulfillment, fear. One achieves a corporeal goal, and that's the end of it. The other accomplishes something invisibly, secretly, silently, and though there is physical evidence of its work all around us, you have to be shrewd to recognize it.

It's the difference between making a social media post condemning sin and enveloping a sinner (the one at our dinner table, the one on the street, the one staring back at us in the mirror) with love and concern. It's the difference between simply going to Mass and living the Gospel. It's the difference between speaking to God and saying a prayer. It's the difference between telling someone they're wrong and telling them about the truth.

There's nothing wrong doing what is right because we long for heaven, and there's nothing wrong with eating manna if you're starving. But that alone isn't enough. We must also long for the bread of heaven, the bread that gives life to the world.

"Jesus said to them, 'I am the bread of life; whoever comes to me will never hunger, and whoever believes in me will never thirst.'" — John 6:35

- Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

Why do we do that?

Catholic Life Explained

Question:

If God knows everything we do, why do we need to go to Confession?

Answer:

Another term for the Sacrament of Confession is the Sacrament of Reconciliation. We go to this sacrament not only to confess our sins, but to be reconciled with God. Of course, this begs the question, "If I can pray to God on my own, why can't I be reconciled to God on my own?" In the seven sacraments, we recognize the importance of community. Sacraments like baptism or matrimony happen in the context of the wider church to remind us of the communal impact of our lives. We are not alone in our walk of faith!

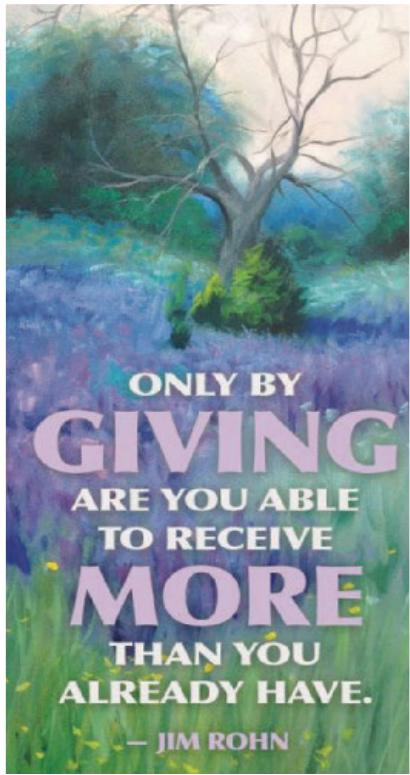
We don't need to confess our sins in front of the whole community — thank God! But going to the Sacrament of Reconciliation is a tangible reminder that our sins affect not only ourselves and our relationship with God, but others as well. Jesus gave his Apostles authority to forgive sins in his name. Through this sacrament, we are really, truly forgiven by God Himself. We receive an outpouring of grace and strength to sin no more and our relationship with Christ and his Body, the Church, are restored.

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SUNDAY, JULY 28, 2024

4:30pm SE	\$ 2,827.50
8:30am SE	\$ 3,083.00
10:00am OLMC	\$ 2,362.00
11:30am SE	\$ 2,476.00
Mail	\$ 3,224.00
Total Physical	\$ 13,972.50
Online Collection	\$ 2,437.01
Grand Total	\$ 16,409.51



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This Weekend

SECOND COLLECTIONS

- August 11 School Support
- August 15 Assumption of the BVM
- August 18 Parish Repairs & Maintenance

Bible Study

Wednesday in St. Eugene
School room 110
from 10:00 to 12:00.

Questions or comments please
feel free to email Frank at
fjilizak@comcast.net.
Hope to see you there!



Please Pray for our Deceased Parishioners:

- † Angelita V. Santos
- † Nick Panzeca
- † LaVerne Wronsky

*May the souls of the faithful
rest in peace.*



Bulletin Submissions:

Bulletin requests must be sent two weeks prior to the desired bulletin weekend to mgeurtsen@archchicago.org. We reserve the right to edit. Submissions will be placed in the bulletin if space allows and pending administration approval. Please call the parish office for the holiday schedule. *Thank you.*

This week's at
Our Lady, Mother of the Church



SANCTUARY LAMP
Is in memory of

FRANK SUCHOR

This week's at
Our Lady, Mother of the Church



BREAD & WINE
Is in memory of

JÓZEF REBACZ

3rd Wedding Banns
Michelle Mary Diatte &
Dan Salvatore Gaddini

1st Weddings Banns
Makenzie F. Payton &
Brett J. Rosenbush

QUEEN OF PEACE PARISH

THE SOCIAL CONCERN MINISTRY IS ORGANIZING



FOOD DRIVE

AUG. 3 & 4
BEFORE AND AFTER
ALL THE MASSES
BOTH AT OLMC & ST. EUGENE

WHAT SHOULD YOU BRING?

Please bring:
Cereal - large boxes & individual boxes
Oatmeal - large boxes & individual boxes
Breakfast bars
Soups
Canned meats
Peanut butter and jelly.

CALL FOR MORE INFO



773-775-6659

For those of you who may not know where the above food supplies go, we have included a short description of the two places that we assist.

NEW HOPE COMMUNITY FOOD PANTRY (NHCFP)

located at 6125 W. Foster in Chicago. Available only to those who live in zip codes 60630, 60631, 60646, 60706 and 60656. Distribution takes place on Tuesdays from 9.00 A to 11.30 AM and one Monday a month in the PM. All Clients must be registered at the Greater Chicagoland Food Depository, which is done at the Pantry and they can come once a month to become registered. Each week over 100 persons are served. Once registered they are given a number and put in queue for shopping. After the number is called, they are introduced to a personal shopper who will accompany them throughout the pantry as they pick the food they want. The list of items available include canned and fresh vegetables, canned and frozen meats and fish, fresh fruits, breads, cereal, pasta, peanut butter/jelly...etc. There are also available milk, eggs, cheese and personal care items for distribution. Pets provisions are also provided for cats or dogs. These items come direct from the CHICAGO FOOD DEPOSITORY. Should the client need additional resources, they are referred appropriately.

Blood Pressure screening is also done every Tuesday at the Pantry by Registered Nurses from Ascension Resurrection. These nurses share other Heart Health information.

In addition Resurrection has a Community Garden where all vegetables go to the NEW HOPE COMMUNITY FOOD PANTRY.

MICROPANTRY

Located at Resurrection, 7435 Talcott, Chicago, between entrance 4 and the emergency room. This is a free standing receptacle with three shelves that can be accessed by those in need whenever necessary.

It is filled 4 days a week and contains canned food (vegetables, soups, beans, meats), pastas, cereals, peanut butter and jelly, and personal care items.

Also available are toothbrushes, toothpaste, soaps, deodorant, sanitizer, toilet paper and socks. In winter it also carries hats, gloves and blankets. All items are provided by donations.

WE THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONCERN AND ATTENTION TO THESE NEEDED FACILITIES AND SUPPLIES.

ROSARIES FOR THE POPE AND HIS AUGUST PRAYER INTENTION; POLITICAL LEADERS

Pope Francis says, "We pray that political leaders be at the service of their own people, working for integral human development and for the common good, especially caring for the poor and those who have lost their jobs." All are invited to pray at least one Rosary for the weekly intention, along with Rosary Guild members Emily A., Lori G., James H., John I., Lita J., Evelyn K., Terri K., Gilda M., Lonnie M., Mary M., Ted M., Josephine N., Emilie P., Stefania P., Jean R., Demi S., Shirley S., and Milabelle T. To become a member of the Rosary Guild, please reach out to the parish office.

LIVING ROSARY

Living Rosary members pray a decade or more of the Rosary daily for the triumph of the Immaculate Heart of Mary for the glory of the Most Holy Trinity, and in honor of the patron of the Living Rosary, Saint Philomena. Members include Emily A., Camille C., Marsha G., Lita J., Mary M., Ted M., Josephine N., Barb R., Jean R., Karen R., and Demi S. To sign up to pray a decade of the Rosary each day, please contact the parish office.

Joyful Mysteries

Annunciation - Ted M.
Visitation - Barb R.
Nativity - Josephine N.
Presentation - Karen R.
Finding in the Temple - Mary M.

Luminous Mysteries

Baptism of Jesus - Barb R.
Wedding at Cana - Mary M.
Proclaim the Kingdom - Ted M.
Transfiguration - Emily A.
Institution of Eucharist - Emily A.

Sorrowful Mysteries

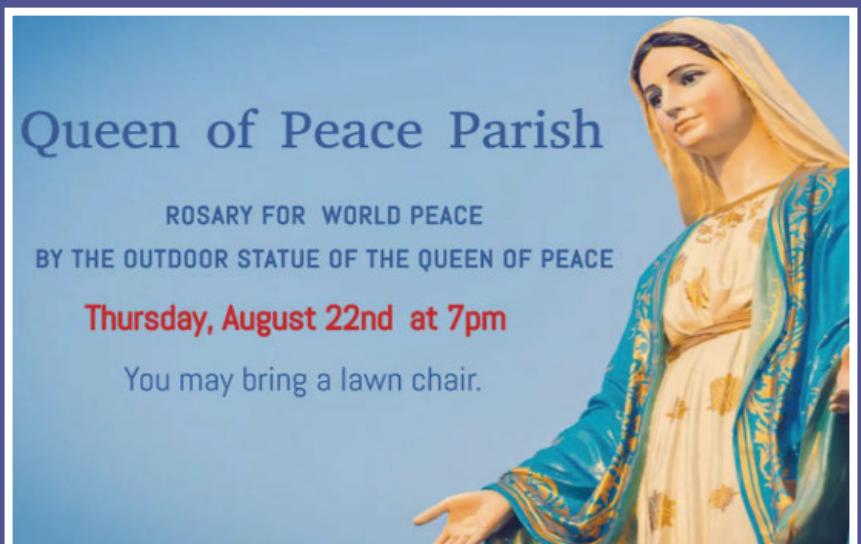
Agony in the Garden - Jean R.
Scourging at the Pillar - Jean R.
Crowning with Thorns - Mary M.
Carrying of the Cross - Ted M.
Crucifixion - Demi S.

Glorious Mysteries

Resurrection - Lita J.
Ascension - Marsha G.
Descent of Holy Spirit - Camille C.
Assumption of Mary - Camille C.
Coronation of Mary - Camille C.

ROSARY BY THE OUTDOOR STATUE OF THE QUEEN OF PEACE

Come pray a Rosary for peace at **7 p.m. on Thursday, August 22**, the memorial of the Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary. You may bring a lawn chair.



Kids Corner

Prayer

God, fill me up with love for Jesus. Amen.

Mission for the Week

If you believe in Jesus, you can look forward to heaven one day.

Read Revelation 21:3-7 with your family. Heaven will be wonderful!

Sharing the Gospel

Just one day earlier, Jesus multiplied five loaves of bread and two fish to feed over five thousand people. In today's Gospel, some of those people came looking for Jesus, hoping to get another free lunch. They didn't understand that Jesus wants all people to believe in him.

Through faith in Jesus, you can live forever. In heaven you will never be hungry or thirsty again.

Now color
the picture!



Unscramble words from today's Gospel:

FOOD	MANNA	LIFE
THIRSTY	FAITH	HUNGRY
MIRACLE	BREAD	COMES
fodo	f_o_o_d	
mriacel		
mnana		
berad		
lfie		
cmose		
hnurgy		
fatih		
thritys		



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BECOMING CATHOLIC — OCIA (FORMERLY RCIA) ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

The Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA) is the process for adults who desire to join the Catholic faith and for those seeking more information on the Catholic Church. OCIA can also be a method for Catholics to complete their reception of the initiation sacraments. The manual used in the Order of Christian Initiation of Adults states that the rite is designed for adults “who after hearing the mystery of Christ proclaimed, consciously and freely seek the living God.” The manual also states when speaking about those in the process “By God’s help they will be strengthened spiritually during their preparation and at the proper time receive the sacraments fruitfully.”

WHO IS OCIA FOR?

- Non-Catholics who want to find out more about the Catholic Faith
- Those who want to join the Catholic Church through Baptism, or Profession of Faith
- Those who were baptized Catholic as infants but never received religious education, Confirmation, or First Eucharist.

In celebrating this month of Our Lady’s final journey to God in her glorious Assumption, let us ask her motherly intercession to draw souls to the Sacred Heart of her Son. The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a journey too — of conversion to God and what he intends for us. RCIA is the process by which persons who were never baptized, or were baptized in another Christian tradition, become members of the Church, a people on pilgrimage to our Heavenly Father. Please contact the Parish Office at 773-775-6660

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Liturgical Life

Jesus said to them, "Amen, amen, I say to you, it was not Moses who gave the bread from heaven; my Father gives you the true bread from heaven. For the bread of God is that which comes down from heaven and gives life to the world." - Jn 6:32-33

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Questions of the Week

Invite Parishioners to Reflect and Respond to Scripture

First Reading:

God heard the plea of the Israelites who feared they would die of starvation in the desert and in response, God sent them quail and bread to eat. What will you pray for this week?

Second Reading:

Paul taught the Gentiles of the Ephesian church to give up their former way of life and live with renewed minds in the truth of Jesus. What have you gained by being a believer in Jesus?

Gospel:

Jesus teaches the crowds in Capernaum that he is "the bread of life" who feeds all who believe in him. Is there someone you know hungry for Jesus?



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SUNDAY, AUGUST 4, 2024 | 18TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Weekly Prayer

Sunday's Readings

First Reading:

"I will now rain down bread from heaven for you. Each day the people are to go out and gather their daily portion." (Ex 16:4)

Psalm:

The Lord gave them bread from heaven. (Ps 78)

Second Reading:

Be renewed in the spirit of your minds, and put on the new self, created in God's way in righteousness and holiness of truth. (Eph 4:23-24)

Gospel:

"I am the bread of life; whoever comes to me will never hunger, and whoever believes in me will never thirst." (Jn 6:35)

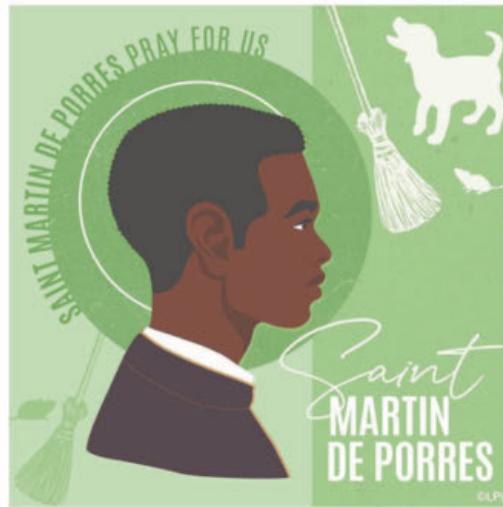
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Live The Liturgy Inspiration of the Week

Jesus reminds his followers: "Do not work for food that perishes, but for the food that endures for eternal life." We are so often distracted by the world before us, by the here and now. Let us not forget what is eternal. We were made for what is eternal.

Observances for the week of August 4, 2024

- Sunday:** 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday: The Dedication of the Basilica of St. Mary Major
Tuesday: The Transfiguration of the Lord
Wednesday: St. Sharbel Makhluf, Priest
Thursday: St. James, Apostle
Friday: St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross, Virgin & Martyr
Saturday: St. Lawrence, Deacon and Martyr
Next Sunday: 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time



Saint of the week

St. Martin de Porres (1579- 1639) is the first Black saint of the Americas. He had a great love of the Eucharist and was known for caring equally for all regardless of race or status. He founded an orphanage and school and even cared for the mice and rats at his monastery.

Prayer of Hunger

Dear Jesus,
You are the one who fed the hungry. But your work doesn't only exist on the pages of an old book. You're working now. Work in us, to bring food to those in need.
Work in us, to satisfy the places we most need you.
Amen.

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Worship & Meditation

Readings for the week of August 4, 2024

Sunday:

Ex 16:2-4, 12-15/Ps 78:3-4, 23-24, 25, 54 (24b)/Eph 4:17, 20-24/Jn 6:24-35

Monday:

Jer 28:1-17/Ps 119:29, 43, 79, 80, 95, 102/Mt 14:13-21

Tuesday:

Dn 7:9-10, 13-14/Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9/2 Pt 1:16-19/Mk 9:2-10

Wednesday:

Jer 31:1-7/Jer 31:10, 11-12ab, 13/Mt 15:21-28

Thursday:

Jer 31:31-34/Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19/Mt 16:13-23

Friday:

Na 2:1, 3; 3:1-3, 6-7/Dt 32:35cd-36ab, 39abcd, 41/Mt 16:24-28

Saturday:

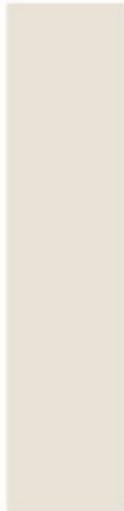
2 Cor 9:6-10/Ps 112:1-2, 5-6, 7-8, 9/Jn 12:24-26

Next Sunday:

1 Kgs 19:4-8/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9(9a)/Eph 4:30—5:2/Jn 6:41-51



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Gospel Meditation

Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture

Since my college days I've loved a song called "Dance with You" by the rock band Live. It touches on the deep mystical hunger of our heart: "I've tasted all the wines/ a half a billion times/ came sickened to your shore/ you showed me what this life is for." These lines resonate with anyone who has feasted on the good things of this world only to be left spiritually hungover and unsatisfied.

We see a similar dynamic evoked by Jesus' words after he feeds the crowd with bread and fish. To teach them to hunger for God, he recalls God's gift of manna-bread for the hungry ancient Israelites. Those folks had grown spiritually sick from the idolatrous food of Egypt yet still longed for more worthless pagan food. So, God sent heavenly bread to nourish their bodies, but also to heal their distrustful hearts. His people — like us — must learn to hunger and thirst for God alone. Before we can receive that which will not disappoint, we first must cease expecting that earthly goods will satisfy us.

We will get to the Lord's teaching on the Eucharist in the next two weeks. But first, he asks us: do you trust me to take care of you? Do you trust me to give you what you need for each day, and to not worry about the next day? Do you see that when you hungrily stuff yourself with the things of this world you become sick and lose your taste for the bread of life? So, our hungry hearts cry out: Lord, help us to trust that you'll provide for our every need. Help us to use only what we truly need. Help us hunger for the goodness of your Son, who is the true bread from heaven. That is what this life is for.

— Father John Muir

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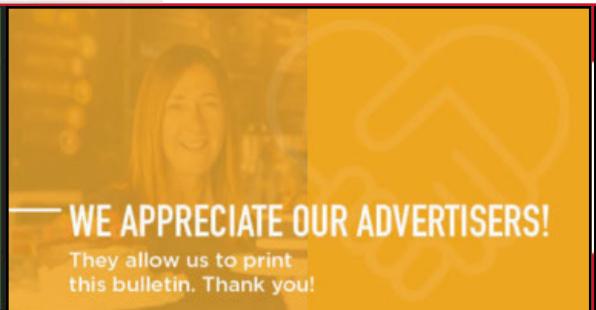
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