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- Our Mission -

We, the Catholic Community of Our Lady Queen of Peace, under the guidance of the Holy Spirit, are called to live and proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ. We Praise God while sharing His Joy and Truth through Word, Worship, Community Service, and Stewardship.

We share our gifts of Time, Talent, and Treasure in a tapestry of diverse cultures as we gather together to celebrate our Roman Catholic Faith.

Serving our Lord God through the Liturgy and Eucharist, our ministries welcome all into our parish Family.

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"Give Success to the work of our hands, O Lord"
(Ps. 90: 17)



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Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

November 15, 2020

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Our Mass Schedule

Saturday - 5:00 PM (Vigil Mass)*
Sunday - 8:00, 10:00 AM and 12:00 Noon*
Daily - Monday-Saturday 8:30 AM
Holy days - See Bulletin for Mass Schedule
*Livestreamed at www.facebook.com/olqpch

Reconciliation

Saturday - 1:00 PM or by appointment

Parish Center Office Hours

Monday through Thursday:
9AM - 12N / 1PM - 3PM
Friday & Saturday: 9AM - 1PM



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Mass Intentions

November 15th until November 22nd, 2020

Sunday - Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

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| 11/15 | 8:00 am | Marie and Frank Alexander |
| | 10:00 am | Joseph Tompkins |
| | 12:00 noon | Nunzio J. Mantineo |

Monday - St. Margaret of Scotland; St. Gertrude, Virgin

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| 11/16 | 8:30 am | Rosario Palmieri |
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Tuesday - St. Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious

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| 11/17 | 8:30 am | Rosa Gargiulo |
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Wednesday - Dedication of the Basilicas of Saints Peter and Paul; St. Rose Philippine Duchesne, Virgin

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| 11/18 | 8:30 am | Victor and Angela Pascale |
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Thursday

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| 11/19 | 8:30 am | People of the Parish |
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Friday

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| 11/20 | 8:30 am | Norma Yson |
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Saturday - The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

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| 11/21 | 8:30 am | Rennuel and Lauren Razal (Living)
4th Wedding Anniversary |
| | 5:00 pm | Ann and Thomas Lynch |

Sunday - OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

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| 11/22 | 8:00 am | Pat and Bud Rauch |
| | 10:00 am | Dean Faustini |
| | 12:00 noon | Ralph J. Diverio |

November 15, 2020 - Today's Readings

First Reading — The woman who fears the Lord is to be praised (Proverbs 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31).



Psalm — Blessed are those who fear the Lord (Psalm 128).

Second Reading — Brothers and sisters, you are children of the light (1 Thessalonians 5:1-6).

Gospel — Since you were faithful in small matters, I will give you great responsibilities (Matthew 25:14-30 [14-15, 19-21]).



Please Remember in Your Prayers

Rest in Peace

Albert DeStefano
Deacon Charles L. Boucher, II

Sick Relatives & Friends

Cristina Aguilar	Roberta Leibowitz	Elsy Ruiz
Josefina Baldoza	Alice Liso	John Ruisch
Dcn. Anthony Balestrieri	Diane Lohrer	Fran Sampson
Claire Borrello	Dcn. Joseph Mantineo	Wilbert Santos
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Carmen Cepeda	Sara Melisi	Richard Spagnuolo
Carmen Maria Colon	Andrew J. Mendez	Joseph Steiner
Paul DiGrazia	Jim Moran	Brian Taleo
Phil Dimitri	Barbara Nelson	Gary Taras
Eileen Diverio	Sharon Osnowitz	Patricia Tempio
Emily Ferreira	Harriet Pellicione	Liam Justin N.
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Eric Hagberg	Vallie Pompilio	Connie Vitale
Dominic Jengo	Francis Quinn	Mary Walker
Rosemarie Kaminski	Robert Raimo	Andrew Wey
		Joyce Wilson

For Protection

Those in law enforcement & first responders,
those who are employed at pharmacies, groceries,
restaurants, family members who have to go to work, and
all health care providers & volunteers.

Readings for the Week

Monday:	Rv 1:1-4; 2:1-5; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 18:35-43
Tuesday:	Rv 3:1-6, 14-22; Ps 15:2-5; Lk 19:1-10
Wednesday:	Rv 4:1-11; Ps 150:1b-6; Lk 19:11-28, or (for the memorial of the Dedication) Acts 28:11-16, 30-31; Ps 98:1-6; Mt 14:22-33
Thursday:	Rv 5:1-10; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b; Lk 19:41-44
Friday:	Rv 10:8-11; Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131; Lk 19:45-48
Saturday:	Rv 11:4-12; Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10; Lk 20:27-40
Sunday:	Ez 34:11-12, 15-17; Ps 23:1-3, 5-6; 1 Cor 15:20-26, 28; Mt 25:31-46

From Father Tony:

The simple joy of a parish administrator! Last weekend, two of our parishioners on separate occasions handed to me personally their check donations restricted for OLQP Repairs and Maintenance. Adding that to the amount we collected for the Repairs and Maintenance envelopes in our Collection Baskets for Nov. 11, we "did very well"; and of course, I am truly happy and sincerely thankful!

As you read in the Financial Report published in last weekend's bulletin, I conveyed to you that we have used approximately \$75K from our savings in order to payoff our 2019/2020 fiscal year assessment and that basing from the trend of our regular collections and expenses we have a projected deficit of roughly \$80,000 for the current 2021 fiscal year. Just like the "father" of a family when their resources are low, I have to admit that I got a good share of worry and concern thinking about it.

Bringing this to my prayer, I was reminded by the Gospel verse of Matthew 6:33 where Jesus said, "Seek first the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things will be added to you." So, I prayed to Our Lord to grant me the grace to be a "good administrator" of OLQP; that is what seeking first the kingdom of God meant for me. Then, in faith, I believe that all these things will be added to our parish including "God's Providence".

This is the reason of my simple joy and deep gratitude when "providence" comes to our financial resources. It is as if God is giving me His beautiful "wink" to assure me that as long as I seek Him first, then providence will come.

So, my prayer and hope for each of us my OLQP family, brothers and sisters, is that we all strive to "seek God and His kingdom first" especially in the remaining two months of 2020. I know that the coming weeks will have us caught up with the busy-ness of Thanksgiving, Advent, and Christmas! But, let us try our best to endeavor in putting God first and whatever He is asking of us in our different circumstances in life. Then, hopefully, together we will discover the "providence" coming!

Let us always remember that OLQP is our Spiritual Home...and when we put God first, "providence" will happen in and through each of us! I didn't say it... HE DID!

Sincerely in the Lord,

Father Tony

Mother of Perpetual Help Novena every Wednesday at 7 pm



Mass of Remembrance for Our Dearly Departed



Our Confirmation Class Signing their
Rite of Commitment

Confirmation Gathering - How we may live out our
Catholic faith by helping those in the shadows of society



Triduum Novena of the Immaculate Conception

All are invited and encouraged to take part in the Triduum Novena of the Immaculate Conception.

On the three Monday nights (Nov. 23, Nov. 30, and Dec. 7) leading up to the Feast of the Immaculate Conception (Dec. 8), a special Triduum Novena will be held at 7 pm at our Church. The theme of this year's Triduum Novena is "Titles and Apparitions of Mary".

Each night of the novena will include a Reflection on one of Our Lady's titles or apparitions which will then be followed by our regular weekly Monday evening recitation of the Rosary for peace and for protection from sickness. The Triduum Novena and the Rosary will be live-streamed on our Facebook Page.

Our Lady of Fatima- 11/23/20

Mary, Undoer of Knots - 11/30/20

Our Lady of Guadalupe- 12/7/20

Human Concerns News

Thanksgiving Food Baskets

The need to support families at the holidays continues despite the pandemic. As we did at Easter, we will not be collecting food items. We are asking if Shoprite gift cards or monetary donations towards those cards could be donated instead. They then will be distributed to families in time for Thanksgiving.



Those donations could be dropped off at the Parish Center during office hours or in the designated Thanksgiving Basket in the back of Church. **The deadline is Saturday, November 21st.** Please indicate the amount of the gift card.

Your generosity is so greatly appreciated by those in need and we are thankful for your support in our efforts to brighten the lives of others. A Happy and Blessed Thanksgiving to you and those you hold dear.

Mary Menditto

Stewardship Results

	11/8/20 (week 45)	GOAL
Offertory	4,640	5,000
Repairs	3,360	1,500
Total	\$8,000	\$6,500

Thank you for generosity in helping us meet our goal this week!

"Journeying with Mary 'Our Mother of Advent' Throughout the World."



To My Parish Family at OLQP,

I hope all of you are doing well as we continue living in these challenging times. I think especially now, we can all use some days to slow down and reconnect with the boundless love and peace that God offers to each of us as his sons and daughters. To help us enter into this upcoming Advent, my seminary has created a video reflection series titled, "Journeying with Mary 'Our Mother of Advent' Throughout the World." It is centered on journeying with our Mother Mary through these special days of preparation. These reflections are done by some of the faculty, staff and deacons of the seminary and I am grateful that I was able to make a reflection as well! I find that these reflections not only nourish my mind, but also touch my heart and I hope they will do the same for you. If you would like to sign up, please visit the website below or see the link on the parish Facebook page. May the God of Peace and Our Lady Queen of Peace be with all of you and your families this Advent.
-Deacon Christian

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Daughters of Mary Meeting

The Daughters of Mary will meet Saturday, November 21st from 3:00 - 4:30 pm in the auditorium. The girls will be making Christmas cards for the homebound.

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SPOTLIGHT ON PRAYER

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 18 AND

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 2020

6:00 PM - 9:00 PM

LIVE VIRTUAL COURSE VIA ZOOM

(Participation in **BOTH** evening sessions required)

CHURCH ALIVE: AS THE CHURCH PRAYS

This course looks at the experience of the Church alive and in communion with God through the witness of the Sacred Scriptures and the teaching of the Catechism of the Catholic Church, Part 4, on prayer. We will have the opportunity to be that praying Church as a part of this course.

PRESENTER: FR. JOHN GORDON

Fr. John is a popular conference speaker, retreat director, and maintains an active ministry of spiritual direction. After serving in a variety of assignments in both school and parish, he is currently the Acting Vicar for Pastoral Life and Coordinator of the Office for Evangelization for the Archdiocese of Newark.

Registration Fee: \$35 per person

**For online registration and additional details,
CLICK HERE.**

Please contact Sarah at Sarah.Gordon@rcan.org for more information.
Catechetical Office - Archdiocese of Newark

Please visit [www.shorturl.at/hkxBD](http://www.shorturl.at/hkxBd) to sign up
for **Spotlight on Prayer** or contact Sarah at
Sarah.Gordon@rcan.org for more information.

November 15, 2020

Blessed are you who fear the Lord.

— Psalm 128:1a

Soup Kitchen Ministry

On 11/28/20, we are bringing donations of new or gently used coats, jackets, hats, gloves, scarves, shirts to St John's for the men and women who come there. They are living on the street and staying warm is difficult. Any help is greatly appreciated. Please contact Mary Flanigan at mflanigan@optonline.net for more details. Thank you!



**PLEASE PARK IN DESIGNATED PARKING
SPACES ONLY, ESPECIALLY WEEKDAYS. THIS
IS FOR EVERYONE'S SAFETY. THANK YOU!**

Saints and Special Observances

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Tuesday: St. Elizabeth of Hungary
Wednesday: Dedication of the Basilicas of Ss. Peter and Paul; St. Rose Philippine Duchesne
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Saint Rose Philippine Duchesne (1769-1852)

November 18



Pope Benedict once declared himself struck by how remarkably diverse our American saints are—some native born: Mother Seton, Katherine Drexel, Kateri Tekakwitha; most, like many Catholics today, immigrants: Padre Serra, Bishop Neumann, Mother Cabrini, Rose Philippine Duchesne. When the French Revolution that dispersed her convent ended, Rose joined the Religious of the Sacred Heart, volunteering for their United States mission, opening the first free school west of the Mississippi. Only after lengthy service as Superior did Rose—now seventy-one—realize her life's dream, undertaking a mission among the Potawatomi Indians. When some worried about her advanced age and failing health, the Jesuit mission leader overruled them: "She must come! She may not be able to do much work, but she'll bring the mission success by praying for us!" Frustrated by her inability to learn their languages, Rose nevertheless "spoke" to the Native Americans by her prayerful presence before the tabernacle. "Quah-kah-ka-num-ad," they named her, "Woman-Who-Prays-Always"—their way of bestowing the title the Church would later make official: saint!

—Peter Scagnelli, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.



PRAYERS - Please keep in your prayers all of our active military personnel here and overseas. We especially pray for our

parishioners: Joshua Ashley, Ryan O'Connell, and John Velazquez. May the Lord protect them in their service.

New Email List Sign-Up!

For announcements, bulletin updates, and the latest news happening at Our Lady Queen of Peace, please sign up for our email mailing list by visiting www.olqp.org!

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Stewardship - Multi-Tasking

Multi-Tasking: (Continued from last week) We should remember, however, that stewardship doesn't prevent us from accomplishing other things. When we're mowing the church lawn or racking leaves for a shut-in, we are exercising, even though we haven't been to the gym lately. When we help wash dishes during a church dinner or make sandwiches for the homeless, we have the opportunity to visit with people we might not see otherwise, and socializing helps us feel better when things are rough elsewhere. God knows about these benefits. Perhaps part of the reason God commands us to be good stewards of time, is to help ourselves, not just others.

Treasures from Our Tradition

Coming to the end of the Church year, we can wonder how we got "extreme unction" out of "anointing of the sick." "Extreme" comes from a Latin phrase, in extremis, which in English refers to the last struggle of a dying person. "Last rites" is a phrase in common usage, and refers to the fact that years ago everyone waited until the last crisis of illness to summon the priest. The goal of anointing had always been healing and forgiveness, but in time it began to be seen as a preparation for death. In a hard world, almost anything from a hangnail to a sneeze could be life-threatening, so perhaps the change was inevitable. The emphasis on the penitential aspects was heightened, even to the odd practice of Rome in the twelfth century, when the sick person was sprinkled with ashes mixed with holy water and given a hair shirt as a sign of penance.

The reformers thankfully overlooked some of these oddities of history, and today the sacrament of the sick is much more generously applied to persons in a wide range of situations. Still, it is a sacrament of reconciliation, and for that reason is not celebrated for an infant or toddler, although there is a rite for a visit to a sick child not including anointing or Communion.

—Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP:

New Parishioners are requested to register in the Parish as soon as possible. Active parishioners should notify the Parish office of any changes in address & phone number.

Prayer of St. Padre Pio

STAY with me, Lord, for it is necessary to have Thou present so that I do not forget Thee.
Thou knowest how easily I abandon Thee.
Stay with me, Lord, because I am weak, and I need Thy strength, so that I may not fall so often.
Stay with me, Lord, for Thou art my life, and without Thee, I am without fervour.
Stay with me, Lord, for Thou art my light, and without Thee, I am in darkness.
Stay with me, Lord, to show me Thy Will.
Stay with me, Lord, so that I hear Thy Voice and follow Thee.
Stay with me, Lord, for I desire to love Thee very much, and always be in Thy company.
Stay with me, Lord, if Thou wishest me to be faithful to Thee.
Stay with me, Lord, for as poor as my soul is, I want it to be a place of consolation for Thee, a nest of love.
Amen.

Memorials

Please remember the Altar Bread, Wine and Candles, and the St. Joseph candle and BVM candle can be memorialized by calling the Parish Center

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RCIA

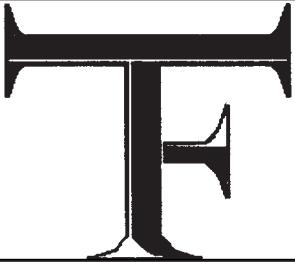
If you are interested in being baptized or wish to receive the sacraments of Eucharist or Confirmation, our RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) program will prepare you for the reception of these sacraments.

If you have received the sacraments of initiation and wish to learn more about your faith, our RCIA program is also for you. For more information, please contact Dcn. Joe Mantineo at the Parish Center (201-845-9566, Ext. 119) or email dcnjoe@olqp.org.

Prayer Shawl Ministry



If you are adding someone to our Parish sick list, please consider the healing power of these beautiful shawls. They are prayed over by the Prayer Shawl Ministry and blessed by our Pastor. If you know of someone you think is in need of a Prayer Shawl, please contact the Parish Center: 201-845-9566.



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