

Our Lady Queen of Peace

400 Maywood Avenue, Maywood, New Jersey 07607

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
February 9, 2020

Served by

Rev. Antonio L. Ricarte, Administrator
Rev. Rafal T. Smola, Parochial Vicar
Rev. Jonathan Yabilyok, In Residence
Rev. Msgr. Peter J. Zaccardo, Pastor Emeritus
Rev. Michael German, Weekend Assistant
Rev. Don Hummel, Weekend Assistant
Deacon Joseph L. Mantineo
Deacon Anthony A. Balestrieri, Deacon Emeritus
Angela Connelly, Director of Religious Education
Giovanni Longo, Director of Music
James McCarthy, Principal, St. Peter Academy
Dorothy Feula, Lay Trustee

Our Mass Schedule



Saturday - 5:00 PM (Vigil Mass)
Sunday - 8:00, 10:00 AM and 12:00 Noon
Children's Liturgy of the Word at 10:00 AM Mass
Daily - Monday-Saturday 8:30 AM
Holy days - See Bulletin for Mass Schedule

Reconciliation

Saturday - 1:00 PM or by appointment

Catholic Charities Help Line
1-800-227-7413

Parish Center Office Hours

Monday through Thursday:
9AM - 12N / 1PM - 3PM / 6PM - 8PM
Friday & Saturday: 9AM - 1PM
Sunday - Closed



- 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.

1950 - 2020 / God's Work, Our Hands
"Give Success to the work of our hands, O Lord"
(Ps. 90: 17)



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201-845-9566
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201-845-9545
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201-261-3468
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This Week at OLQP		media@olqp.org	
BUILDING KEY: (A) Auditorium / (CH) Church / (PC) Parish Center / (S) School			
S	2/9	8:00a 8:30a 9:00a 10:00a 1:30p 4p-6p	Gr. 2 & Families (CH) CCD Classes (S) & (PC) Gr. 2 Parents Mtg. (A) LWC (CH) Baptism (CH) Youth Ministry Bowling
M	2/10	7:00p 7:30p	Finance Council Mtg. (PC) Bible Study (PC)
T	2/11	4:15p 7:00p	Youth Choir Practice (CH) OLQP Choir Practice (CH) RCIA (PC)
W	2/12	7:00p	Alive in the Spirit (PC) OMPH Novena & Mass (PC)
T	2/13	7:00p 7:15p	Grupo de Oración Luz y Vida (PC) BINGO (A)
F	2/14		
S	2/15	1:00p	Confessions (CH)
S	2/16	10:00a 7:00p	NO CCD LWC (CH) Youth Group Mtg. (PC)

UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS

2/9	Youth Ministry Bowling
2/23	PC & Staff Welcome Reception
3/7	K of C St. Patrick's Dinner (Pg. 7)
	Youth Ministry Living Stations Rehearsals (All Sundays in March)
<p>FOR MORE INFO ON UPCOMING EVENTS, MEETING RESCHEDULING / CANCELLATIONS, DELAYED OPENINGS / CLOSINGS DUE TO WEATHER & OTHER ISSUES / UPDATES, VISIT: WWW.OLQP.ORG</p>	

2019 Contributions

If you would like a statement of your contributions for 2019 for tax purposes, please call Katherine at (201) 845-9566 x113 or email business@olqp.org. Kindly indicate if you'd prefer to have your statement mailed, picked up or emailed.

**BY ORDER OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT
PLEASE DO NOT PARK IN FIRE ZONES
(ALONG THE SIDES OF OUR DRIVEWAYS)!**

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You are the salt of the earth, the light of the world. In your good deeds your light shines before others, leading them to glorify God (Matthew 5:13-16).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Kgs 8:1-7, 9-13; Ps 132:6-7, 8-10; Mk 6:53-56
 Tuesday: 1 Kgs 8:22-23, 27-30; Ps 84:3-5, 10-11; Mk 7:1-13
 Wednesday: 1 Kgs 10:1-10; Ps 37:5-6, 30-31, 39-40; Mk 7:14-23
 Thursday: 1 Kgs 11:4-13; Ps 106:3-4, 35-37, 40; Mk 7:24-30
 Friday: 1 Kgs 11:29-32; 12:19; Ps 81:10-11ab, 12-15; Mk 7:31-37
 Saturday: 1 Kgs 12:26-32; 13:33-34; Ps 106:6-7ab, 19-22; Mk 8:1-10
 Sunday: Sir 15:15-20; Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 17-18, 33-34; 1 Cor 2:6-10; Mt 5:17-37 [20-22a, 27-28, 33-34a, 37]

View online: usccb.org/bible

ONLINE GIVING

For info on Online Giving check out the link on our website "Electronic Giving now Available!"

STEWARDSHIP - *Christian discipleship is a responsibility:* (Continued from last week)

Christian stewardship involves responsibility. Responsibility compels us to be accountable for who we are, what we have and what we do. This responsibility as it relates to Christian stewardship suggests that we fulfill our duty, no matter what obstacles we may encounter, and that we bear even more responsibility when others hold back.

As Christians, all of us have been entrusted with unique gifts by God.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

STEWARDSHIP RESULTS

Weekend of 02/02/20

Offertory	\$ 6,650
Children	\$ 66
Repairs & Maintenance	\$ 10
Solemnity of Mary	\$ 2

Weekend of 02/02/20

Budget	\$ 7,250
Actual	\$ 6,716
Under Target	\$ (534)

Year-to-Date as of 02/03/20

Budget	\$224,750
Actual	\$200,739
Under Target	\$ (24,011)

Ushers do not carry change, nor can they touch the money that is collected at Mass; so please do not ask them for change. Thank you for understanding and for your continued generosity.

Rejoice in the Lord
By Cardinal Joseph W. Tobin, C.Ss.R.
Archbishop of Newark
Unity in Diversity

Our Archdiocese is incredibly diverse. In our four counties, we have some of the wealthiest people in the country. We also have some of the poorest. Every weekend, we celebrate Mass in more than two dozen different languages. We are rich in our cultural diversity while we share a universal love for our families, for our faith, and for our freedom and dignity as women and men created in God's image.

I believe our differences should enrich our local church, not divide it. This includes our understanding and practice of Church teaching. Respectful dialog and disagreement are healthy. As long as our mutual goal is to discern the truth and discover God's will for us, it's okay to be on different sides of debates about Church teachings and practices and the controversial political, social, and economic issues facing our local communities, our country, and our world. I welcome and encourage frank discussion about things that matter. Let's all speak the truth in love to each other and, in the process, let's be people committed to building up, not tearing down, the Church we love.

Like Pope Benedict before him, Pope Francis has argued that the Gospel should never be reduced to a set of rules and regulations. We are, first and foremost, witnesses to an encounter with the person of Jesus Christ. Through him, we are transformed from people enslaved by sin and death to free men and women called to love God and one another and, so, experience the fullness of Gospel joy.

As a Catholic community, we welcome newcomers including people who choose to join our Church through participation in the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) and those who come to us from different countries and cultures with diverse customs, devotions, and points of view on Church life. Here in New Jersey, we clearly are an immigrant Church – both because of our history and because of our current reality – and we stand solidly with those who are new to our community because we recognize their dignity and their fundamental human rights as members of God's family.

Sincerely yours in Christ the Redeemer,
Cardinal Joseph W. Tobin, C.Ss.R.
Archbishop of Newark

**Sharing
God's Blessings
Annual Appeal**

Make sure to check your mail for a letter from Cardinal Tobin launching this year's Archdiocesan Annual Appeal: **Shining the Light of Christ.**



SHINING
THE LIGHT OF
CHRIST
2020 ANNUAL APPEAL
ARCHDIOCESE OF NEWARK

<https://www.rcan.org/video>

ELECTRONIC GIVING

Have you ever gotten to Mass and realized that you forgot to bring your offering?

Or, have you gone away on an unexpected trip and realized that your weekly support of the parish would be missing while you were away?

There is an easier way to make your stewardship donations without having to give it any thought as you prepare for Mass. Several of our parishioners have begun having their donations sent to us by their banks.

You will still receive credit for your donations, and we can still give you a statement at the end of the year for your tax return.



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Likes!**



Our Lady Queen of Peace Church
Instagram at OLQPCH_Maywood

**357
Follows!**
65 Followers
7 Following



YouTube at OLQPCH Maywood | 54 Videos
Subscribers - 46

OLQP BREAKING NEWS

We've started using a new tool to communicate with you; consequently, we'll be able to via email, communicate parish time-sensitive information to you. To Opt-In, email notifications@olqp.org, drop a note in the collection basket with your name and email address or contact the Parish Center.



✝ MASS SCHEDULE

Dates February 9th until February 16th, 2020

SUNDAY - FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

2/9 8:00 am William Cromwell
 10:00 am Frank Cermatori, Jr.
 12:00 n Philomena Hayes

Monday - St. Scholastica, Virgin

2/10 8:30 am Francis Cermatori, Sr.

Tuesday - Our Lady of Lourdes

2/11 8:30 am Alexander Cea

Wednesday

2/12 8:30 am People of the Parish

PC Chapel 7:00 pm David Eguino (Living)

Thursday

2/13 8:30 am Anne Scudder

Friday - Ss. Cyril, Monk, & Methodius, Bishop

2/14 8:30 am Brian Pianfetti

Saturday - BVM

2/15 8:30 am In Thanksgiving for
 David Eguino (Living)
 5:00 pm Bernard V. & May Zambelli

SUNDAY - SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

2/16 8:00 am Helen Wey
 10:00 am Francis Cermatori, Jr.
 12:00 n Bridget Cullinane

MEMORIALS

Sanctuary Lamp in Memory of Maryann Astuto by Betty Hagen

Note: Please remember the Altar Bread, Wine and Candles, as well as the St. Joseph candle and BVM candle can be memorialized by calling the Parish Center at 201-845-9566

Bereavement Support | dcnjoe@olqp.org

It is said that death ends our life on earth, but it does not end a relationship. There is great truth in this statement. However, the loss of a loved one can bring great pain. If you need bereavement counseling, please contact Deacon Joe at 201-845-9566, Ext. 119.

HOW SHOULD WE DRESS FOR MASS?

Each Sunday the Lord invites us to His House. Are you dressed properly for this important Sacred Sacrificial Meal?

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Rest in Peace

Mary Bergmann and Armanda Tirisacco

Sick Relatives & Friends

Dcn. Anthony Balestrieri	Christopher Locascio	Robert Raimo
Claire Borrello	Debbie Locascio	Charlie Rojo
Theresa Bouchard	Peter Locascio	John Ruisch
Michael Bowers	Diane Lohrer	Elsy Ruiz
Ginny Cattaneo	Dcn. Joseph Mantineo	Fran Sampson
Carmen Cepeda	Robert McIntyre	Wilbert Santos
Phil Dimitri	Susie McMullen	Joanne Sontag
Carole Ehrlich	Sonia Medrano	Richard Spagnuolo
Yancey Garcia	Jim Moran	Joseph Steiner
Eric Hagberg	Barbara Nelson	Liam Justin N. Torres
Valerie Havekost	Nowak Family	Barbara Twidle
Rosemarie Kaminski	O'Leary Family	Connie Vitale
Morgan Lamareux	Sharon Osnowitz	Mary Walker
Roberta Leibowitz	Vallie Pompilio	Andrew Wey
Alice Liso	Ann Marie Praino	Joyce Wilson
	Francis Quinn	Sue Wright

Names will remain on our sick list for four weeks unless we are notified by the family.

Anyone requesting a Prayer Shawl for a sick person is asked to call the Parish Center.

If you have a family member who is in a nursing home or rehabilitation center, please notify the Parish Center so we can arrange to visit them.

Please remember to place Our Lady Queen of Peace Parish in your Will. Those who generously did this in the past have helped us to stay out of a heavy debt and help to make our many ministries a reality.

"In the time prior to celebrating our Mass, as the parish family of Our Lady Queen of Peace, you are invited to spend this time in quiet prayerful reflection, asking our Lady and her Son for peace in our world, our country, our Church, our families, and in our hearts."

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

We especially pray for our own parishioners:



Joshua Ashley, Alexa Caramb,
 Ryan O'Connell, John Velazquez

May the Lord protect them in their service.

Our Mother of Perpetual Help Novena w/The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be on Wednesday, Feb. 12th at 7:00 pm in the Chapel.



Mass Intentions are available for 5/13 & 6/3



YOUTH MINISTRY CORNER

(201) 845-9566 / justine.garcia@olqp.org

The Youth Group usually meets on Sunday at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Center Youth Room. Any youth in grades 8-12 are invited to join us. If you have any questions, please email our Coordinator, Justine at email above.

Youth in 6-12th grade are invited to participate in our Living Stations of the Cross rehearsals. Our first rehearsal will be on Sunday, February 16 at 7 pm in the church.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Office #: 201-845-9545 / dre@olqp.org

“PARENTS ARE THE FIRST TEACHERS OF THEIR CHILDREN”

For all Religious Education inquiries please contact Angela Connelly at 201-845-9545 or dre@olqp.org

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES - are postponed next Sunday, February 16th. They will resume on February 23rd.

GRADES 6 AND 7
UPCOMING SERVICE ACTIVITIES

(sign up early)

Stuffing Easter eggs

March 20th – 6:30pm

Palm Cross sales – March 21/22 & March 28/29 after the Mass you attend

Grade 2 First Communion Retreat “Jesus Day”

March 28th – 8:30am – 12noon

Easter egg hunt

April 12th – 9:45am – 11:30am

Children’s activity booklets are available in the back of the church

MINISTRIES

See This Week at OLQP on pg. 2 to check meeting cancellations for the week or our website for last minute cancellations.



DAUGHTERS OF MARY

Interested? Contact Maria Deauna: FiliarumMariaeOLQP@gmail.com



GRUPO DE ORACIÓN LUZ Y VIDA ¿Mas información? Susana Rubio (201) 403-6319 olqpluzyvida@gmail.com | **Jueves 7 pm (PC)**

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

Janice Cromwell - psolqp@aol.com

Check out www.olqp.org and see all the ministries that are offered.

Youth Choir

Come join the Youth Choir! The Youth Choir meets Tuesdays at 4:15pm-5pm. If you have any questions or want more info, please email Giovanni Longo at dirmusic@olqp.org



WELCOME MINISTRY

OLQP.Welcome@gmail.com

We extend a warm welcome to the following new parishioners to our parish family.

Mrs. Purificacion Cabildo

Mrs. Aledys Casanueva

Mr. Matthew Faccione / Ms. Jamie Okoszko

Ms. Carolyn Colón | Mr. and Mrs. Ace Flores

Mr. Roger Gomes | Mr. Charles G. Klein

Mr. and Mrs. Li Dong

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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 who have received the sacraments of initiation and wish to learn more about your faith, our RCIA program is also for you. The RCIA meetings are held in a friendly, relaxed, and informal setting every Tuesday at 7 pm in the Parish Center. For more information contact Dcn. Joe Mantineo at 201-845-9566 x119 or dcnjoe@olqp.org



Any woman who is pregnant and in need can get help. She never has to feel that abortion is the only option and can find assistance at the following numbers:

Crisis Pregnancy Helpline **Post Abortion Healing**

1-888-4-OPTIONS

1-877-HOPE 4 ME

1-888-NO-ABORT

rachelsvineyard.org

Birthright - 1-800-550-4900 or 201-845-4646

NJ law allows a mother who cannot keep a recently born baby to leave the baby at a hospital or a police station, no questions asked. For info call 877-839-2339.

Respect Life Office at 973-497-4350 | rileyche@rcan.org

getyourcare.org | babiesinthewombfeelpain.com
https://olqp-maywood.org/respect_life.html

DEVOTIONS

(See This Week at OLQP on pg. 2 in the bulletin or the monthly calendar on our website for updates/cancellations)

Eucharistic Adoration - The first Saturday of each month following the 8:30 AM Mass until 10:00 AM, closing with Benediction.

The Holy Rosary - Prayed after the 8:30 AM Mass Monday-Saturday and the 4th Sunday of each month at 9:25 AM.

Our Mother of Perpetual Help Novena is prayed every Wednesday at 7 pm in the Parish Center Chapel. Check Schedule for Monthly Mass.

St. Pio (Padre Pio) Devotion - Normally the first Friday of every month at 7:30 PM in the Parish Center Chapel.

CATHOLIC ADVOCATE ONLINE

www.rcan.org/the-catholic-advocate

CATHOLIC RADIO - TV - ONLINE STREAMING

Relevant Radio 1430 AM / relevantradio.com

Optimum: EWTN 135 & CFN 137

Fios: EWTN 285 & Catholic Faith Network 296

ewtn.com > Television > Watch Live



HUMAN CONCERNS NEWS

olqphumanconcerns@gmail.com

MEETING SCHEDULED

Please join us on Wednesday, 2/19 at 7pm in the Parish Center. This will be a planning meeting for the Spring schedule. New members are always welcome. Questions? Leave a message for Mary Menditto at the Parish Center.

SOUP KITCHEN MINISTRY

On 2/22/20, we are serving chili and rice at St. John's. If interested in volunteering, please contact Mary Flanigan at soupkitchen@olqp.org

NEW BIBLE STUDY!

In our new Bible study that began January 27th we will learn what the Gospel of Mark has to offer us that the Gospels of Matthew, Luke, and John do not. There will be 14 weeks to this study, each beginning with a video presentation by Dr. Tim Gray followed by a group discussion.

(see website for list of video sessions & more info.)

The Bible Study will be held in the Parish Center Monday evenings from 7:30 pm to 9:00 pm.

Email Deacon Joe at: dcnjoe@olqp.org or leave a message at: 201-845-9566 ext. 119

informing him that you wish to be part of the study. The only cost to you is \$21.21 for the Lectio-Mark-Study-Guide.

To order the study guide email: https://www.ignatius.com/Lectio-Mark-Study-Guide-P3148.aspx

Scams

Please be wary that anyone who demands payment by cash/gift card by text/email is always a scammer. Be aware that the priests and staff of OLQP **would never** make a request such as this.

EVERY THURSDAY – AUDITORIUM – 7:15PM – Doors open 4:45PM



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Three great ways in supporting our church.

1. Come and play *(and you could win!)*
2. Volunteer as bingo staff *(easy way to help out)*
3. Or you can do both *(support to the fullest)*

Email us at **OLQPbingo@gmail.com** for more info

SAVE THE DATE!! 2020 Catholic Men's Commission and Women's Commission
CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE: Saturday, February 29, 2020 at Seton Hall University

This year's theme for the English track, is "**Be Not Afraid: Man of God ... I am my Brother's Keeper!**" Speakers for the English track will be **Paul Kim**, who is the founder of the Triumph Men's Conference. His background include a BA in Philosophy (Franciscan University of Steubenville), an MA in Marriage and Family Therapy (Hope International University), religious formation with the Community of the Franciscans Friars of the Renewal (NYC), and **Bishop John Flesey**, who is a retired auxiliary bishop of the Archdiocese of Newark and a popular retreat master and teacher. The master of ceremonies will be **Fr. John Gordon**. The Spanish Track is "**Vivas en Cristo, Hombre de Dios: Sal al encuentro de tu hermano,**" featuring **Andres Arango** and **Fr. Jeivi Hercules**. The master of ceremony will be **Deacon Asterio Velasco**. See flyer for additional information.

WOMEN'S COMMISSION DAY OF REFLECTION: Saturday, March 7, 2020 at Seton Hall University

This year's theme is "**Alive in Christ: The Eucharist ...His Heart is My Heart.**" The English track will feature keynote speakers **Sr. Bethany Madonna, S.V.** who professed her perpetual vows as a Sister of Life in 2015 and serves her community as the Vocation Director, **Colleen Kelly Rayner**, founder of CKR Retreats, who is a dynamic speaker whose authentic witness ignites joy-filled evangelization and catechesis, and **Dr. Dianne Traflet**, J.D., S.T.D., who is the Associate Dean and Assistant Professor of Pastoral Theology, is the director of the Institute for Christian Spirituality and is a key leader in the Center for Diaconal Formation. She will also be the emcee for the day. The Spanish Track is "**Vivas en Cristo, La Eucaristia ... su Corazon en mi Corazon,**" featuring **Kathia Arango, Yamika Genao**, and **Sidelis Rosario**, with music by the **Kelvin Joel Music Ministry**.

The day begins at 8:00 am with registration and ends at 4:00 pm with Mass. Registration for both events is \$30 for adults. Each conference will include continental breakfast and lunch. For registration please visit www.rcan.org/womenscommission (WOMEN) or www.rcan.org/mens-commission (MEN), or contact your Parish Conference Leader for registration form.

No matter what your present status is in the Catholic Church; no matter what your family or marital status is; no matter where you are in the practice of faith; no matter what your personal history, age, or background is; no matter what your self-image may be; **YOU** are invited, welcomed and loved at **Our Lady Queen of Peace Church**.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS
www.maywoodkofc.org

Knights of Columbus annual St. Patrick's Dinner on Saturday, March 7th at 8 PM in the gym at Our Lady Queen of Peace. \$40.00 per person includes: Dinner, beer on tap, soda, coffee, Irish step dancers and the Bergen County Police Pipe and Drum Band. BYOB. For tickets please call John McMorrow 201-638-4729 or Pat Finley 201-342-8687.

Why should I register in the parish? - All members of the parish should be formally registered as members of the parish. However, you **MUST** be formally registered if you wish to arrange a Baptism, a Confirmation, or a Wedding in the parish Church. You **MUST** also be formally registered if you wish to register in the Parish School or the Religious Education (CCD) Program. You **MUST** be a registered member of the parish for at least three months before you can obtain a Sponsor Certificate or schedule a Baptism or a Wedding.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP: New Parishioners are requested to register in the Parish as soon as possible. Please notify the Parish office of any changes in address and phone number.

Name _____
 Address _____
 Town _____
 Phone # _____
 Email _____

Check
 I wish to receive a registration form
 I have a change of address
 I am moving out of the parish

Please cut out and return to the Parish Center or place in the basket.