

Our Lady Queen of Peace

400 Maywood Avenue, Maywood, New Jersey 07607

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
February 17, 2019

Served by

Rev. Lawrence J. Fama, Pastor
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
Patricio Molina, Director of Music
James McCarthy, Principal, St. Peter Academy
Patrick Kelly and Dorothy Feula, Lay Trustees

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

CLOSED
2/18



- 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 - 2019 / God's Work, Our Hands
"Give Success to the work of our hands, O Lord"
(Ps. 90: 17)

 **Facebook / Our Lady Queen of Peace Church**

 **YouTube / OLQPCH Maywood**

Website: www.olqp-maywood.org

Email: admin@olqp.org

Parish Center
201-845-9566
Fax: 201-845-3742

Religious Education
201-845-9545

St. Peter Academy
201-261-3468
<http://www.spare.org/>

This Week at OLQP		<i>olqpbulletin@gmail.com</i>	
BUILDING KEY: (A) Auditorium / (CH) Church / (PC) Parish Center / (S) School			
S	2/17	7:00p	Youth Group Stations Practice (CH)
M	2/18		Presidents' Day PARISH CENTER CLOSED
T	2/19	4:15p 7:00p	Children's Choir Practice (CH) OLQP Choir Practice (CH) RCIA (PC)
W	2/20	7:00p	Alive in the Spirit (PC) Mother of Perpetual Help Novena (PC)
T	2/21	7:00p 7:15p	Human Concerns (PC) Prayer Shawl Mtg. (PC) Grupo de Oración Luz y Vida (PC) BINGO (A)
F	2/22		
S	2/23	9:00a 1:00p 5:00p 5p-9p	Confirmation Retreat Confessions (CH) Notre Dame Sisters w/Baked Goods OLQP Music Ministry Fundraiser @ Chipotle (170 Essex Street, Lodi)
		AFTER MASSES	Notre Dame Sisters w/Baked Goods
S	2/24	8:30a 10:00a 11:00a 7:00p	CCD Classes (S) & (PC) Littlest Angels (S) / LWC (CH) Daughters of Mary (PC) Youth Group Stations Practice (CH)

UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS

3/7	Lenten Evening of Reflection (Pg. 3)
3/23	Fish & Chips (Pg. 3)
3/23-24	Expectant Couple Blessing
3/29	Youth Group "Lock In" (Pg. 5)
4/8	Lenten Penance Service
5/4	Youth Group Bake Sale
5/17-19	Men's Parish Retreat at Loyola
5/31-6/2	Women's Parish Retreat at Loyola

FOR MORE INFO ON UPCOMING EVENTS,
MEETING RESCHEDULING / CANCELLATIONS, DELAYED
OPENINGS / CLOSINGS DUE TO WEATHER & OTHER
ISSUES / UPDATES, VISIT: [HTTP://OLQP-MAYWOOD.ORG/](http://OLQP-MAYWOOD.ORG/)

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

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Blessed are you who are poor, hungry, weeping.
Woe to you who are rich, filled, laughing
(Luke 6:17, 20-26).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Gn 4:1-15, 25; Ps 50:1, 8, 16bc-17, 20-26; Mk 8:11-13
Tuesday: Gn 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10; Ps 29:1a, 2, 3ac-4, 3b, 9c-10; Mk 8:14-21
Wednesday: Gn 8:6-13, 20-22; Ps 116:12-15, 18-19; Mk 8:22-26
Thursday: Gn 9:1-13; Ps 102:16-21, 29, 22-23; Mk 8:27-33
Friday: 1 Pt 5:1-4; Ps 23:1-3a, 4-6; Mt 16:13-19
Saturday: Heb 11:1-7; Ps 145:2-5, 10-11; Mk 9:2-13
Sunday: 1 Sm 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23; Ps 103:1-4, 8, 10, 12-13; 1 Cor 15:45-49; Lk 6:27-38

View online: usccb.org/bible

Second Collection

The second collection next weekend is for the Churches of Central and Eastern Europe.

STEWARDSHIP - God as Our Partner: Old Sam Elder often counseled people to make **God** a partner in their lives, their business, and their endeavors. To illustrate his point, Sam used to tell the following story: *Marvin Merchant couldn't wait for his son, Junior to finish school and become a partner in the business. But when that day came, before the paint was barely dry upon the sign of "Merchant and Son," Marvin found himself irritated by Junior's bragging. To his friends, Junior talked about **My Store, My Truck and My Plans.** Marvin told Junior that this partnership was finished unless Junior learned to say "Our Store, Our Truck and Our Plans."* (To be continued next week)

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE	STEWARDSHIP RESULTS
Week of 2/10/19	Year-to-Date as of 2/11/19
Offertory \$ 6,079	Budget \$242,373
Children \$ 63	Actual \$241,550
Electronic & Mail-ins \$ 2,658	Under Target (\$ 823)
Repairs & Maintenance \$ 3,798	
Week of 2/10/19	
Budget \$ 7,255	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.
Actual \$ 8,800	
Over Target \$ 1,545	

**OLQP Music Ministry Fundraiser @ Chipotle
NEXT SATURDAY!**

Support the OLQP Music ministry with a delicious meal from Chipotle. The Chipotle on 170 Essex Street in Lodi will give our music ministry 33% of the proceeds when you eat there on **Saturday 2/23 between 5 PM and 9 PM**. All you have to do is tell them that you are eating there to support OLQP Music Ministry. I hope to see you there! - Patricio

SPECIAL TREATS

The Sisters from Fraternité Notre Dame will be here next week with their homemade quiches and tortes. All money collected will support their mission. Fraternité Notre Dame is a religious and charitable organization that works in the United States (New York, Chicago, San Francisco) and in other countries such as Haiti, Niger, Mongolia, Martinique, United Kingdom, and France. The Organization operates Food Service Programs for the homeless, health clinics, schools and orphanages; assists those afflicted with AIDS; visits prisoners and the elderly, etc., including their mission in East Harlem. Stop by and support the Sisters; your taste buds will thank you. Their baked goods are delicious!

SAVE THE DATE

Thursday, March 7th at 7 pm in the Church
Evening of Reflection
with Fr. Vinny Fortunato, O.F.M.Cap
"From the desert to the Cross:
Preparing for the 40 days of Lent"

**FISH & CHIPS DINNER
COME ONE, COME ALL**

Our Annual Fish and Chips Dinner will be held on Saturday, March 23rd, from 6 pm to 8 pm in our auditorium. This year the tickets will be \$15.00 for adults and \$10 for children under 12. Tickets can be purchased at the parish center. As always soda, coffee and dessert will be provided. Please be sure to get your tickets by March 15th so that we can give a good count to Tastefully British at that time.

PASCAL CANDLE

Your eyes are not playing tricks on you and our candle has not shrunk. We have sent the candle holder out to be refinished so that it will be like new for our Easter Vigil. It will take approximately 4 weeks and will cost over \$2,000. If anyone is interested in helping to defray the cost please see Fr. Larry.

Sharing God's Blessings

The Annual Appeal directly supports various ministries and programs throughout the Archdiocese of Newark, such as our evangelization efforts, Catholic education, Catholic Charities, youth and young adult ministry, and many other ministries. Your participation in this campaign is vitally important. If you have not yet made a pledge to the 2019 Sharing God's Blessings Annual Appeal, there is still time. Just complete a pledge envelope and drop it in the collection basket, or bring it to the parish office. If you have already made a contribution, thank you for your generous gift.

From Cardinal Tobin

A list of "Credibly Accused Clergy" from the Archdiocese of Newark has been made public this past week. It is the Cardinal's sincerest hope that this disclosure will help bring healing to those whose lives have been so deeply violated. We also pray that this will serve as an initial step in our efforts to help restore trust in the leadership of the Catholic Church. You will find a link to the Cardinal's Letter to the Faithful on our website, as well as the list of names of Credibly Accused Clergy or you can go to healing.rcan.org to see the message in its entirety.

Maintenance & Repairs Expenses

Since our last report in the bulletin back in November we have incurred the following expenses:

New Tractor / Mower	\$3,298
New hand Lawnmower	\$450
Heating Repairs in Church and School	\$2,000
Lights outside Parish Center repaired	\$375
Ice Machine repairs	\$420
Temporary Oil Tank for Parish Center (total cost \$4,648)	\$2,250 (Deposit)
TOTAL PAID	\$11,191

Your continued generosity to our Maintenance and Repairs collection monthly helps to make these repairs possible. THANK YOU!

2018 Contributions

If you would like a statement of your contributions for 2018 for tax purposes please call Susan at the office (201-845-9566 x 113) or email her at susanlaurenzo@yahoo.com.

✝ MASS SCHEDULE

Dates February 17th until February 24th, 2019

SUNDAY - SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

2/17 8:00 am Virginia Tracey
 10:00 am Jeanne Jerlinski
 12:00 n Richard Crapella

Monday

2/18 8:30 am People of the Parish

Tuesday

2/19 8:30 am Carmen Martinez

Wednesday

2/20 8:30 am William A. Macchi

Thursday - St. Peter Damian, Bishop & Doctor of the Church

2/21 8:30 am Peter Conaghan

Friday - The Chair of St. Peter the Apostle

2/22 8:30 am Daniel Fox

Saturday - St. Polycarp, Bishop & Martyr

2/23 8:30 am Jeanne Jerlinski
 5:00 pm Lorraine Hagberg

SUNDAY - SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

2/24 8:00 am Ellen Lancaster
 10:00 am Jeanne Jerlinski
 12:00 n Alexander Cea

MEMORIALS

Altar Bread
 In Memory of
 John Ricardo
 by Barbara Grimes

Altar Wine
 In Memory of
 Claire & Matthew Riley
 by Dolores Laurice

Altar Candles
 In Memory of
 Joseph Laurice
 by Dolores Laurice

BVM Candle
 In Memory of
 Joseph Taormina
 by The Family

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

Our **2020 Mass Book** will open on **February 20th, 2019**. From that time until **March 20th** you may reserve one weekend Mass and 3 Daily Masses for your loved ones. This will help ensure that everyone has a fair and equal opportunity to get the Mass they desire. After March 20th, there will be no restrictions on Mass reservations. No Masses reserved by phone.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Rest in Peace

James Flynn, Ana A. Maldonado, and Michael McCarthy

Sick Relatives & Friends

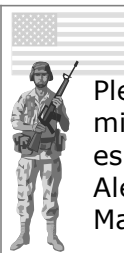
Cesar Aguilar	Eric Hagberg	Carmen Robles
Dcn. Anthony Balestrieri	Dominic Jengo	Michael Rogers
Christine Balles	Rev. Robert T. Kennedy	Tom Ryall
Tom Berntson	Sr. Margaret Charles	Fr. John Salvas,
Jerry Bezak	Kociolek, O.P.	O.F.M.Cap
Annette Calatozzo	Alice Liso	June Salvo
Regina Carr	Kayley Liso	Matthew Sauerwein
Karen Cedzidlo	Diane Lohrer	Christopher Scozzari
Bill Cordes	Cesare Marchesani	Joanne Sontag
Laurence Cox	John McKinney	Richard Spagnuolo
Philip Cox	Susie McMullen	Pat Stanton
Dave Cuozzo	Edward Minkler	John Tassillo
Theresa Daly	Jim Moran	Charlotte
Stephanie Demytrk	Theresa Morrone	Tawczynski
Nathaniel Felber	Peggy O'Brien	Theresa Tempio
Karen Bell-Gaydos	Angela Piccininni	Mario Trovini
Marge Gaydos	Vallie Pompilio	Rev. Eduardo Veluz
Helene Geosits	Bill Potkulski	Oryan Watkins
Marlena Graffin	Ann Marie Praino	Helen Wey
Anabel Guerra	Jessica Riehl	AnneMarie White
		Denise Williams

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.



PRAYERS

Please keep in your prayers all of our active military personnel here and overseas. We especially pray for our own parishioners: Alexa Caramb and Joshua Ashley. May the Lord protect them in their service.

Bereavement Support | DcnJMantineo@gmail.com

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.

PARISH EVENTS

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Office #: 201-845-9545 / reolqp@yahoo.com

"PARENTS ARE THE FIRST TEACHERS OF THEIR CHILDREN"

CONFIRMATION RETREAT REMINDER

All Confirmation candidates are reminded that your retreat to the Archdiocesan Youth Center is Saturday, February 23rd. You are to meet in the church parking lot at 8:30am.

FIRST COMMUNION PARENT'S MEETING

March 3rd at 8:30am in the church auditorium.

SERVICE ACTIVITY UPDATES

Grades 6, 7, 8 – contact Mrs. Connelly

March 4 – (3:15pm – 5pm) help at BIRTH RIGHT, Maywood – stuffing envelopes (4 students)

March 7 – (3:15pm – 5pm) help at BIRTH RIGHT, Maywood – stuffing envelopes (4 students)

March 15 – (6:00pm – 8:00pm) Easter egg stuffing candy – Youth Room – (12 students)
(note the date change for this event)

March 23 – (6:00pm – 9:00pm) **FISH & CHIPS dinner** – serving dinner/ hospitality (10 students)

LESSON FOR THIS WEEK

When his followers asked Jesus to teach them how to pray, he taught them the Lord's Prayer. He did not rush, but spoke *SLOWLY* and *DELIBERATELY*. Please think for a moment. Are you praying this beautiful prayer or just saying it? Of course, you memorized it and you recite the words; but are you really praying to our Father in heaven as Jesus wants you to do? When you pray the Rosary, are you saying the Hail Mary or praying the Hail Mary? And what about the Creed during Mass – what exactly are you praying? Are you racing through some words that you do not even understand? If you find that your prayers sound like you are reciting the ABC's or multiplication facts, then it's time to look into your *heart room* and pray the words *SLOWLY* in the presence of our Lord.

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

THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Have you been away from the Sacrament of Reconciliation? Have you forgotten how to go to Confession? Our website (olqp-maywood.org) has a "How to Go to Confession Guide", as well as several examples of an examination of conscience. Confessions are heard every Saturday at 1 PM or by appointment.

YOUTH MINISTRY CORNER

(201) 845-9566

olqpyouthministry@gmail.com



The Youth Group meets Sundays at 7:00 p.m. in the Church.

Any youth in grades 8-12 are invited to **join us**. If you have any questions, please email our Coordinator, Justine at email above.

The Youth Ministry "Lock In" will be held on March 29th. Please submit your permission slips ASAP.

The Youth Group will meet **February 17th from 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.** in the Church.

From this time until Good Friday, we will be devoting our time to rehearsing for the "Living Stations of the Cross."



Any Youth in grades 6th through senior in High School are encouraged to join us!! Come and journey with us as we trace the journey of *Jesus* along the way of the cross to Calvary!!

If you have any questions, please contact our Coordinator, Justine Garcia at email above.

Mother of Perpetual Help Novena will be on Wednesday, Feb. 20th at 7:00 pm in the Chapel.



R.C.I.A. (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)
(201) 845-9566 | rciaolqp@yahoo.com

If you are an adult, or know of an adult, that desires to receive the Sacrament of Baptism or receive the Sacraments of Eucharist and/or Confirmation in the Roman Catholic Church, please contact OLQP Church at 201-845-9566 or Sister Jean at 201-669-6953. Our RCIA Process intends to help a person who wants to become a Catholic or a person who wants to return to the practice of their faith. We meet on Tuesday evenings at 7:00 pm in the Parish Center. You are welcome to come and join us. God bless You.

"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."

PARISH EVENTS



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.

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

getyourcare.org | babiesinthewombfeelpain.com

For more resources check out:
http://olqp-maywood.org/respect_life.html

NEW COMMUNICATIONS TOOL FOR OLQP

Soon we will begin sending out reminders to the parish in group emails. In order to be on the list for these reminders please submit the following form with your information so that we can add you to our group. (If we have your correct email address in our database you may have received a "test" email already-it would have come from olqp400@gmail.com)



UPDATING CONTACT INFORMATION

NAME: _____
 ADDRESS: _____
 PHONE (HOME): _____
 (CELL): _____
 EMAIL: _____

If you would like to receive these email messages from us please return this form to Susan at the parish center (you may drop it in the collection basket also).



HUMAN CONCERNS NEWS
 olqphumanconcerns@gmail.com

HUMAN CONCERNS MEETING SCHEDULED

Come join us on Thursday, February 21 at 7pm. We will meet in the second floor conference room of the Parish Center. Please leave a message for Mary Menditto at the Parish Center if you have any questions.

Remember to bring food to the food pantry... the cupboards are getting low.

ONLINE GIVING

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



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Photographic Art Sale Fundraiser for OLQP

Framed photos taken by John Wang to be sold by our parish to raise funds for needed projects. Our thanks to John, who retired as a professional photographer from the New York Times (see our website for his bio), for donating these beautiful photos to our parish.

Thursday Evenings - In the Auditorium - starts 7:15pm out by 10pm - Doors open 4:30pm

BINGO

FREE WiFi
 in the hall

CASH PRIZES, FOOD, DRINKS, JUST A GOOD TIME

WE NEED HELP!!!
 Volunteers needed every other Thursday
 Come in to see Pauline or Gary
 Or Call / Text: 201-218-8456 or 201-956-8377 for more info.

PARISH & OTHER EVENTS

2019 Women's Commission Day of Reflection: Saturday, March 9, 2019, at Seton Hall University

This year's theme is "Alive in Christ...Finding Our True Identity". The English track will feature keynote speakers, **Mary Rice Hasson** and **Gloria Purvis**. The Spanish track will feature **Lucia Baez Luzondo, JD, MAPT** and **Malvina Modesto** with music by **S17 Ministry** founded by Jorge Orellana and his wife Kim Iglesia.

Catholic Men's Conference Saturday, March 16, 2016 at Seton Hall University

The theme for the English track is "For a time such as this, Holiness and Hope!" Featuring **Fr. Larry Richards** and **Gregory Floyd**, as master of ceremonies. The Spanish track's theme is: "No Temas: Yo soy el que te envia", featuring **P. Rafael Capo** and **P. Robinson Gonzalez** with the musical group "Locuras por Cristo".

Priest will be available to hear confession throughout the day.

Concelebrated Mass with
Cardinal Joseph W. Tobin, C.Ss.R. at 4:00 p.m.

Registration for each event is \$25.00.

The day includes continental breakfast and lunch.

To **register online** please visit:

(MEN) www.njcatholicmen.org

(WOMEN) www.rcan.org/womcom

Carpooling, registration or any questions may be directed to either Justine at (201) 961-4782 (WOMEN) or John Tamborini at (201) 615-3536 (MEN).

CATHOLIC ADVOCATE ONLINE

<https://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

STAINED GLASS WINDOWS

For information on our beautiful windows please click on the stained glass window section on our website.

www.olqp-maywood.org/stained_glass_windows.html

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Our Lady Queen of Peace Church Follows!

317



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22 Followers
4 Following



OLQPCH Maywood | 36 Videos
Subscribed - 32

UPDATE YOUR INFORMATION - Be sure to update your information for our parish census. This includes any changes in names, addresses, phone numbers and email addresses.

Soon we will begin sending out reminders of important parish events using email. Some test emails have been blocked because our address wasn't recognized. The one we use for these emails is olqp400@yahoo.com. Thank you!

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.*