

Our Lady Queen of Peace

400 Maywood Avenue, Maywood, New Jersey 07607

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
August 18, 2019



- 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)

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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
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
Resumes in September

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

 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		olqpbulletin@gmail.com	
BUILDING KEY: (A) Auditorium / (CH) Church / (PC) Parish Center / (S) School			
S	8/18	1:30p 7:00p	Baptism (CH) Youth Group Mtg. (PC)
M	8/19		PARISH CENTER CLOSERS 3PM
T	8/20	6:30p	Protecting God's Children Class (PC)
W	8/21	7:00p	Alive in the Spirit (PC) Our Mother of Perpetual Help Novena (PC)
T	8/22	7:00p 7:15p	Grupo de Oración Luz y Vida (PC) BINGO (A)
F	8/23		
S	8/24	1:00p	Soup Kitchen / St. John's Confessions (CH)
S	8/25	12:00n 7:00p	Baptism Prep Mass (CH) Followed by Class (PC) Youth Group Mtg. (PC)

UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS

9/15	Parish Picnic / 50/50 Raffle (Pg. 3)
10/5	Rosary Altar Society Tea Party (Pg. 7)
10/11	Tricky Tray (Pg. 6)
12/1	Annual Christmas Fair (Pg. 7)

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

MASS TIMES - Going away for vacation?
No need to miss Sunday Mass! Go online:
www.masstimes.org *or*
<https://catholicmasstime.org>

The websites offer the address of a parish, contact info and, if available, a particular parish's website.

We would also ask you to consider that our operational expenses here at OLQP go on even while you are on vacation. Please remember us!

FOLLOW US ON:



Like/Follow this Facebook page. **327 Likes!**
It's updated w/important parish info. **351**
Our Lady Queen of Peace Church Follows!



Instagram at OLQPCH_Maywood **54 Followers**
7 Following



OLQPCH Maywood | **48 Videos**
Subscribers - 41

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I have come to set the earth on fire, and how I wish it were already blazing (Luke 12:49-53).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Jgs 2:11-19; Ps 106:34-37, 39-40, 43ab, 44; Mt 19:16-22
Tuesday: Jgs 6:11-24a; Ps 85:9, 11-14; Mt 19:23-30
Wednesday: Jgs 9:6-15; Ps 21:2-7; Mt 20:1-16
Thursday: Jgs 11:29-39a; Ps 40:5, 7-10; Mt 22:1-14
Friday: Ru 1:1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22; Ps 146:5-10; Mt 22:34-40
Saturday: Rv 21:9b-14; Ps 145:10-13, 17-18; Jn 1:45-51
Sunday: Is 66:18-21; Ps 117:1-2; Heb 12:5-7, 11-13; Lk 13:22-30

View online: usccb.org/bible

ONLINE GIVING

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

STEWARDSHIP - A Reflection: (Continued from last week) It just never occurred to us to try out the rest of it "and give alms," as you say. Your words might even inspire us to match our diners out with a donation for "**World Hunger.**" When we buy new clothes to stuff in the closet and wear it twice a year we might even give alms to clothe the naked or use one of our automobiles to drive the elderly. It won't be a drastic change in our lifestyle. Lord, because we aren't radicals like you. On the other hand we want at least a little treasure in the bank, you brag about, where thieves do not come near or moths destroy. Lord disturb our comfortable ways a little. **Help** us to comfort the world.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE	STEWARDSHIP RESULTS
Week of 8/11/19	Year-to-Date as of 8/12/19 (New Fiscal Year Begins)
Offertory \$ 5,306	Budget \$ 43,500
Children \$ 31	Actual \$ 35,853
Electronic & Mail-ins \$ 508	Under Target (\$ 7,647)
Maintenance & Repairs \$ 2,996	
Week of 8/11/19	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.
Budget \$ 7,250	
Actual \$ 5,845	
Under Target (\$ 1,405)	

From Father Tony:

August 18, 2019

Dear OLQP Brothers and Sisters,

I can't believe it is more than a month since I arrived here at OLQP. How time flies, indeed!

For the past six weekends, I tried my best to be at the front of the church before and after all our Masses so I could greet you personally and introduce myself. I tried to remember names (and more often than not I ended up forgetting or mixing up your names). At times, I would purposely ask for the first letter of someone's name with the hope that with the first letter I would be able to remember the right name. Sometimes it worked; most of the time, not. If only I had a computer-like memory, it would be easy for me to remember all your names!

Yet, despite my inability to remember names right away, you are very gracious in understanding! In fact, a good number of you would kindheartedly say to me, "Fr. Tony, just in case, I am so and so." It helped me a lot not to feel too bad that I had forgotten your name AGAIN.

This simple thing of me trying my best to remember your names and you graciously helping me to remember them (and, of course, reassuring me that you understand if I forget) may seem trivial and little! Yet, in a way, what we are doing is helping each other in the basics of building a family of faith in our parish. Your name is important to me... but it may take time for me to remember all of them, even almost impossible. On your part, your kindness and understanding helps me not to give up making the effort in remembering names.

My prayer is that with our simple gesture of helping each other to remember names... we will never forget and always keep in mind the GOD who calls us by OUR name. As it is written in Isaiah 43:1, "Fear not for I have redeemed you; I have called you by name, and you are mine."

God bless,
Father Tony



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Log into or create your Amazon account at <https://smile.amazon.com/ch/22-1670034>

(Using the link means you would not need to do a search for us. OLQP comes up automatically as your charitable organization.)

Support OLQP with your Amazon purchase.

Our 2nd amount (\$56.99) was received May 9th.

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2019 Sharing God's Blessings Annual Appeal

Did you know that there is still time to support the 2019 Sharing God's Blessings Annual Appeal? Our Lady Queen of Peace has received \$26,179 in pledges. Thank you to those parishioners who have already shown your support and generosity. Will you join your fellow parishioners in supporting this effort that strengthens many important programs and ministries across the Archdiocese of Newark? Our Goal, \$41,361 can only be achieved through **YOUR** generosity! If you have yet to give, please pick up a pledge form at the back of the church or visit www.rcan.org/sharing.

YOUR gift will truly make a difference.
Thank you for your prayers and support.

SUPER 50/50

So far our sales are \$3,000: first prize is \$750; second prize is \$450; and third prize is \$300. It's time to "turn up the heat" on sales and remind your friends to get their tickets in. Tickets are still available at the doors of the church and at the parish center office. The drawings will be held on September 15! Returns can be made with the weekend collections or brought in to the parish center office. Thank you in advance for supporting this most important fundraiser for our parish.



SAVE THE DATE - The OLQP Parish Picnic will be on **Sunday, September 15th, at 2 PM**. Please use the coupon below to RSVP by September 7th. You may drop it off at the parish center or place it in the collection basket at Mass.

As is our tradition we will have a "sharing table" with food from all of the different cultures represented in our parish. Please let us know what food you would like to bring to share with us.

NAME _____
NUMBER ATTEENDING _____
DISH YOU WOULD LIKE TO BRING _____

Check here if you would like to help _____
PHONE # _____

FYI

Our former pastor, Fr. Larry Fama, will be installed as the new pastor at St. Thomas the Apostle Church in Bloomfield (60 Byrd Ave.), on **Saturday, September 7th, at the 5 pm Mass**. All are invited.

PARISH EVENTS

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

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

"PARENTS ARE THE FIRST TEACHERS OF THEIR CHILDREN"

For all Religious Education inquiries please contact Angela Connelly at contact info above.

HALL MONITORS NEEDED

For security purposes we need adult coverage at the parish center during class time (Sundays- 8:20am – 9:50am), most likely once a month. Please contact Angela at the above number or email. Interview is required.

REGISTRATIONS FOR RELIGIOUS EDUCATION ARE DUE NOW!!!

Forms are available at the Parish Center and on the parish website. Anyone new to the parish/program should contact the office at the above number/email to receive specific information regarding the program.

SERVICE ACTIVITIES AVAILABLE – Grades 6 and 7 students (email Mrs. Connelly)

Sept. 7 – setting up classrooms for CCD – 9:30am – 11:00am

Liturgy of the Word volunteers to help monitor children during the 10am Mass

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

YOUTH MINISTRY CORNER

(201) 845-9566
olqpyouthministry@gmail.com



The Youth Group meets Sundays 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.



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.

Cooperative Admissions Exam Program

Attention families of 8th grade students planning to attend Catholic High School in Fall 2020! The High School Placement Test (HSPT) administered as part of the Cooperative Admissions Exam Program for Catholic High Schools will be given on Friday, November 8, 2019. Registration for the HSPT exam is available online at www.njcoopexam.org beginning September 3rd. For more information about the Cooperative Admissions Program, go to www.catholicchoolsnj.org.

Additionally, the Catholic High Schools are holding their annual HS Expo Night. Parents and students are invited to meet with representatives from many Archdiocesan High Schools from 7:00-8:30 pm on the following dates and locations:

Tuesday, September 17th

St. John the Apostle School, 571 Valley Rd., Clark

Tuesday, September 24th

Visitation Academy, 222 Farview Ave., Paramus

Wednesday, September 25th

The Archdiocesan Center, 171 Clifton Ave., Newark

Thursday, September 26th - Primary Prep at St. Aedan, 41 Tuers Ave., Jersey City

For directions and more information, visit www.catholicchoolsnj.org or call 973-497-4260

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 will be on Wednesday, August 21st at 7:00 pm in the Chapel.

HOW SHOULD WE DRESS FOR MASS?

People generally have no real problem wearing proper clothing when entering places that demand such attire. Would you ever consider attending a formal dinner or a wedding dressed in a tee shirt and shorts, or a tank top and swimming trunks? Each Sunday the Lord invites us to His House. Are you dressed properly for this important Sacred Sacrificial Meal?

PARISH EVENTS

RESPECT LIFE

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

https://olqp-maywood.org/respect_life.html



HUMAN CONCERNS NEWS

olqphumanconcerns@gmail.com

SOUP KITCHEN MINISTRY

On 08/24/19, we are serving hot dogs & baked beans at St John's Soup Kitchen. If interested in participating, please contact Mary Flanigan at admin@olqp.org*

*Include which soup kitchen in the subject line.

SAVE THE DATE

FRIDAY OCTOBER 11, 2019 Annual Tricky Tray

If any one would be able to donate any new items or monetary gift cards, it would be greatly appreciated. We are hoping for another great tricky tray this year with your help. Please contact Joyce 201-880-5011 or drop at the Parish Center.

TICKETS TICKETS

Tickets are now available for this years TRICKY TRAY on October 11, 2019. Tickets are \$15.00 per sheet. Great gifts on display. Please contact Monica 201-315-0553, also available at church office. Looking forward to see everyone this year.

OLQP BIBLE STUDY | DcnJMantineo@gmail.com

“Wisdom is seeing with God’s eyes.”- Pope Francis

Scripture and the Tradition of the Catholic Church provide an abundance of wisdom, though it can often be challenging to apply it to our lives. To help you learn to gather and live with greater wisdom, Our Lady Queen of Peace will begin **Wisdom: God’s Vision for Life** on Sep. 23rd at 7:30 PM. For more information or to register, visit: <https://study.ascensionpress.com/studies/40099/registrations/new>

or contact Dcn. Joe at 201-845-9566 or dcnjmantineo@gmail.com. You will not only benefit personally from being part of this study; you will also help us to grow in fellowship as a parish as we grow closer to Christ together. Blessings, Dcn. Joe

MINISTRIES

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

DAUGHTERS OF MARY



A ministry for girls in 3rd to 7th grade fostering devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary through fun activities, crafts and participation in parish and community events. Interested?

FiliarumMariaeOLQP@gmail.com



GRUPO DE ORACIÓN LUZ Y VIDA

¿Mas información? Susana Rubio
(201) 403-6319 | olqpluzyvida@gmail.com
Jueves - 7:00pm (PC)

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

Janice Cromwell - psolqp@aol.com

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

PILGRIMAGE: BASILICA IN WASHINGTON D.C.

The bus is leaving from Sacred Heart Church for the Pilgrimage to Washington on October 26. More info is posted on our website.

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

BINGO

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

OVER A \$2000.00 IN REGULAR PAYOUTS + PROGRESSIVE

PARISH & OTHER EVENTS

ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY
olqprosarosociety@gmail.com



Save the Date

Back by popular demand! The Rosary Society of Our Lady Queen of Peace Church will be hosting another fabulous **Tea Party**. This year's event will take place Saturday, October 5, 2019 from 11am til 1pm in our auditorium. Come and enjoy warm, homemade scones, delicious finger sandwiches and luscious desserts. Mingle with your friends and get to know other members of our parish. It promises to be another fun afternoon. More details to follow in the coming weeks.

ANNUAL CHRISTMAS FAIR

Crafters/Vendors wanted for the Rosary Society's annual Christmas Fair. This year's event will be held Sunday, December 1st from 9 am to 4 pm in our auditorium. If you, or someone you know is interested in selling your merchandise at this event, please email olqpchristmasfair@gmail.com or call the Parish Center at 201-845-9566.

Do you "make things?" This year the Rosary Society's annual Christmas Fair will be held on Sunday December 1st. We'd like to do something a little different this year and have a Craft Table that showcase's Our Lady Queen of Peace's talented parishioners. Do you knit, crochet, sew, quilt, make anything handmade that you'd be willing to donate? It doesn't have to be elaborate just anything "craftsy" that people would like to purchase. We also would like to auction off a few handmade items. Perhaps a quilt, an afghan, a gift basket. If you just have an hour or two to work with us that day would also be appreciated. For further questions or to donate items please email Dianne Spagnuolo at olqpchristmasfair@gmail.com. Thank you in advance for your help in making this year's event a successful one.

Please see our website for information on the Archdiocesan College Campus Ministry.



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 _____



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS
www.maywoodkofc.org

TO THE MEN OF OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE FROM DEACON JOE

As you may know, I'm a member of the Knights of Columbus and here at our parish, I am the Chaplain of Our Lady Queen of Peace Council 3426.

Our Lady Queen of Peace Council is a Catholic men's organization that supports our parish, builds up Catholic family life, and reaches out to those in need. That means if you are an adult male, and are sitting in this church, you can join today.

The Knights of Columbus now have a webpage called "kofc.org/joinus" - where you can join in seconds with just a few clicks. Or you can talk to me, or any of my brother Knights in the parish.

The Second Annual Clam Bake

Come out and enjoy The Second Annual Clam Bake at OLQP Knights of Columbus council, 105 Grove Ave. Maywood on **Saturday, September 14th at 7pm**. Steamers, Fresh Clams on the half shell, baked clams oreganato, BBQ chicken, hamburgers, hot dogs, french fries, corn on the cob, salad, watermelon, cake and coffee. Beer, wine and soda included. \$40 per person. It also includes Live Music by Rockabilly Roadhouse.

Reservations required, call Tony Lupica 201-615-4091 or email amlupica@verizon.net.

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.

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.