

Our Lady Queen of Peace

400 Maywood Avenue, Maywood, New Jersey 07607

Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
September 6, 2020

Served by

Rev. Antonio L. Ricarte, Administrator
Rev. Rafal T. Smola, Parochial Vicar
Rev. Jonathan Yabiliyok, In Residence
Rev. Msgr. Peter J. Zaccardo, Pastor Emeritus
Rev. Michael German, Weekend Assistant
Rev. Don Hummel, Weekend Assistant
Deacon Christian Scalo, Transitional Deacon
Deacon Joseph L. Mantineo, Permanent Deacon
Deacon Anthony A. Balestrieri, Deacon Emeritus
Justine Garcia, Pastoral Associate for Religious Ed
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*
Daily - Monday-Saturday 8:30 AM

(See OLQP Church General Guidelines)

Holy days - See Bulletin for Mass Schedule

*Livestreamed at www.facebook.com/olqpch

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
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.

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

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Website: www.olqp.org

Email: parish@olqp.org

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

Religious Education
201-845-9566 ext. 117
ReEd@olqp.org

St. Peter Academy
201-261-3468
www.spare.org

Church Schedule & Livestream
(for those who cannot attend)
 Watch on www.facebook.com/olqpch
Sunday & Daily Mass Resumed *

BUILDING KEY: (A) Auditorium / (CH) Church / (PC) Parish Center / (S) School

S	9/6		*SUNDAY MASSES (CH) & (A) 8AM, 10AM, 12N & LIVESTREAMED
M	9/7	8a-1p - 7:00p	*Church Open Daily (CH) Parish Center Open (PC) 9-12 & 1-3* Parish Wide Recitation of Holy Rosary (Rosary Garden) (Livestreamed)
T	9/8		Parish Center Open (PC) 9-12 & 1-3*
W	9/9		Parish Center Open (PC) 9-12 & 1-3*
T	9/10		Parish Center Open (PC) 9-12 & 1-3*
F	9/11		Parish Center Open (PC) 9-1*
S	9/12	1:00p 5:00p	Parish Center Open (PC) 9-1* *Confessions (CH) *MASS (CH) & (A) LIVESTREAMED
S	9/13	11:00a	*SUNDAY MASSES (CH) & (A) 8AM, 10AM, 12N & LIVESTREAMED Daughters of Mary / Raindate 9/20

**(See OLQP Church Guidelines at www.olqp.org)*

STEWARDSHIP RESULTS

	August 2019	August 2020
Offeratory	26,474	24,043
Repairs	7,783	3,746
Total	34,257	27,789
Percentage decrease from previous year		19%
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If two agree about anything for which they pray, it shall be granted to them (Matthew 18:15-20).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Monday: 1 Cor 5:1-8; Ps 5:5-7, 12; Lk 6:6-11, or, for Labor Day, any readings from the Mass "For the Blessings of Human Labor," nos. 907-911
- Tuesday: Mi 5:1-4a or Rom 8:28-30; Ps 13:6; Mt 1:1-16, 18-23 [18-23]
- Wednesday: 1 Cor 7:25-31; Ps 45:11-12, 14-17; Lk 6:20-26
- Thursday: 1 Cor 8:1b-7, 11-13; Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 23-24; Lk 6:27-38
- Friday: 1 Cor 9:16-19, 22b-27; Ps 84:3-6, 12; Lk 6:39-42
- Saturday: 1 Cor 10:14-22; Ps 116:12-13, 17-18; Lk 6:43-49
- Sunday: Sir 27:30 — 28:7; Ps 103:1-4, 9-12; Rom 14:7-9; Mt 18:21-35

View online: www.usccb.org/bible

SUNDAY MASSES AT OLQP CHURCH
Sat. 5pm / Sun. 8am, 10am, and 12noon
EVERY SUNDAY MASS LIVESTREAMED

www.facebook.com/olqpch

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https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC8TNmksY8TT5AgT2fhT_UcQ/videos

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

Parish Center Main Office Hours

The Parish Center Main Office
is open during daytime hours by appointment only

Monday – Thursday 9AM - 12N & 1PM - 3PM

Friday & Saturday 9AM - 1PM

Masks are mandatory at the Parish Center

PAST EVENTS AT OLQP



Thanksgiving & Farewell Mass for Angela Connelly, DRE



Catechists Gathering For Prayer and Discernment

From Father Tony:

September 6, 2020

Dear OLQP Brothers and Sisters,

This Labor Day weekend, we are thankful to Our Lord for those who are working while praying for those who have become unemployed as a result of unprecedented lockdowns. We pray that all those looking for work may find employment soon in order to be able to support themselves and their families. We pray, *"Have mercy on us Lord, especially those in need of employment."*

We also remember and pray for God's blessings on all students, teachers, and faculty returning to school this September that they may have a productive year, remain in good health and continue to grow in knowledge, especially in the wisdom and love of God, the Most Holy Trinity.

On another note, it is with a sense of sadness that I inform you that our dear Father Jonathan will be returning to his home country, Nigeria, on September 29th. We know how much he has become an important part of our parish family for a good number of years with his dedicated pastoral and spiritual ministry. On September 26th and 27th (the last weekend before his departure to Nigeria), all our OLQP parishioners will have an opportunity after each Masses to meet with Father Jonathan to wish him a blessed trip home. Please save the date!

Finally, I want to remind you that the Nativity of Our Blessed Mother is this Tuesday, September 8. Let us please pray for Our Lady's powerful intercession in this beautiful prayer, *The Memorare*:

The Memorare

Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to thy protection, implored thy help or sought thy intercession, was left unaided. Inspired by this confidence, I fly unto thee, O Virgin of virgins my Mother; to thee do I come, before thee I stand, sinful and sorrowful; O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not my petitions, but in thy mercy hear and answer me, Amen.

Sincerely in the Lord,
Father Tony

ALL PARISH MINISTRY GATHERINGS/MEETINGS ARE CANCELLED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Office #: 201-845-9566, Ext. 117 / ReEd@olqp.org

"PARENTS ARE THE FIRST TEACHERS OF THEIR CHILDREN"

For all Religious Education inquiries please contact Justine Garcia at info above.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION RE-REGISTRATION FORMS DUE

All registration forms and tuition payments are now due. Forms are available at the parish office and on the parish website. Please make checks payable to Our Lady Queen of Peace Church. Mail to OLQP – Religious Education Office, 410 Maywood Ave., Maywood, NJ 07607. You may also leave the form in the mailbox at the rear door of the Parish Office. Copies of a Baptism certificate must be included for all new children. Please email the office if you have any questions.

NEW PHONE # FOR RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Please call the main parish office line 201-845-9566 ext. 117 to access the Religious Education Office.

YOUTH MINISTRY CORNER

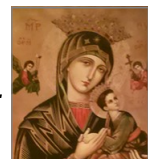
(201) 845-9566 / justine.garcia@olqp.org

Any youth in grades 8-12 are invited to join us.

Please email us at justine.garcia@olqp.org for meeting information or text us at 201-961-4782.

Our Mother of Perpetual Help Novena

*Wednesday at 7PM, at the Rosary Garden.
In case of rain, the Novena will be held at the Church.*



Prayer for Spiritual Communion

Dear Jesus, I believe that you are truly present in the Most Holy Sacrament of the Eucharist. I love you above all things, and I desire to receive your Body and Blood. Since I cannot at this moment receive you sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. Stay close to me, Jesus, so that I may be close to all our sisters and brothers, especially those who are most in need of your loving care. Amen.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION UPCOMING EVENTS

September 20, 2020, Orientation Grades K-7 9:00 a.m. Auditorium	September 20, 2020 Confirmation Orientation 1:30 p.m. Auditorium
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September 20, 2020 Catechetical Sunday 10:00 am Mass	October 4, 2020 Religious Education Virtual Classes start
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PRAYERS - Please keep in your prayers all of our active military personnel here and overseas.



We especially pray for our own parishioners: Joshua Ashley, Ryan O'Connell, John Velazquez
May the Lord protect them in their service.

THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Have you been away from the Sacrament of Reconciliation and forgotten how to go to Confession? Our website has a "How to Go to Confession Guide" (olqp.org/sacraments.html), as well as several examples of an examination of conscience. **Confessions heard Saturdays 1-2 PM.**

MEMORIAL MASS - SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 12 - 8:30AM

Manuel Nicholas Acosta	Salvatore Laurice
MaryAnne & Anthony Bachia	Carma Lynn Nucifora
The Balderas Family	OLQP Rosary Altar Society
Beninca / Scuccimarrri Families	Margie Parks
Lucy & Anthony Bucich	Parodi / Zambelli Families
Maria & Joseph Bucich	Mary Romano
Cathy Cordasco	Nanene & Anthony Roselli
Bridget Cullinane	The Rotz Family
Ruth & Joseph Donatich	Theresa Slomback
George Endrigo	John Tamborini
Lee - Vinnie Forrataro & Sons	Norma Tamborini
Herbert Heaney	Anne B. Velky
John Hrablook	The Velky Family
Ruta & Lou Kominek	Caterina & Silvio Vosilla



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. For more info contact the Parish Center at 201-845-9566 or parish@olqp.org



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.

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

getyourcare.org | babiesinthewombfeelpain.com
<https://www.olqp.org/respect-life.html>



DAUGHTERS OF MARY

DaughtersofMary@olqp.org

The Daughters of Mary are looking for girls in 3rd through 7th grade to join our ministry. This is a prayer based group of girls who learn about the many graces of the Blessed Virgin Mary. This is done through discussion and prayer. However, it's also a fun and active group as the girls also play games, have movie nights, make crafts and participate in many Church activities. Even though all indoor ministries are postponed because of the current situation, the Daughters of Mary plan to meet on the Parish lawn in September and October, weather permitting. The first meeting is Sunday September 13th at 11 am. Raindate is September 20th. We invite all girls to come and see what we are all about. For more info, email DaughtersofMary@olqp.org.



HUMAN CONCERNS NEWS

olqphumanconcerns@gmail.com

Food Pantry - The Helping Hands Food Pantry at Sacred Heart Church in Rochelle Park has reopened on a limited basis. Once again donations are being accepted by volunteers at the side door by the tower on **Fridays from 9:30am to 11:00am and Saturdays from 10:30am to 11:30am only. At this time, we ask that any parishioner wishing to donate non-perishable items, please drop off directly to Sacred Heart Church.** Please call 201-843-8812 for any other information or to check that donations will be accepted. We anticipate that this is temporary until our Food Pantry ministry collects food from the back of Church and delivers to Helping Hands.

Thank you for your prayers and help for those in need. Praying that you and your families are healthy and safe.

Mary Menditto, Ministry Leader

SOUP KITCHEN MINISTRY

If interested in participating, please contact Mary Flanigan at soupkitchen@olqp.org

The status of OLQP parish events will be determined based on the Archdiocese's updates. Stay tuned.

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.



Our Parish Wide recitation of the Holy Rosary will be on Mondays at 7PM

with the clergy. It can be attended live in person at The Rosary Garden site as well as watched livestreamed from

<https://www.facebook.com/olqpch>

Non FB users can view. Share with friends!

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 or contact the Parish Center.

STEWARDSHIP - The Critical Question: (Continued from last week) The people would gather in the evening, and a story would be told and then another and another. The anthropologist felt extraordinarily privileged when she was invited to join that group. The first story that evening was about the ancient mythical animal ancestor of that group and its adventures in the primeval world. It was rich with detail, action, and imagery. At the end of the story, the anthropologist was delighted. "Can I ask a question," she said. "What does it mean?" (To be continued next week)

Support and Assist our Parish During these Difficult Times

Please donate to our gofundme page.

<https://charity.gofundme.com/o/en/campaign/our-lady-queen-of-peace-maywood-nj>

For those of you who would like to continue to give through envelopes or cash, you can drop it in the designated collection baskets in the church, or mail your donation to the Parish Center (400 Maywood Ave., Maywood, NJ 07607), or drop it off at the white mailbox that is to the right of the side door of the Parish Center.

Thank you in advance for your generosity.



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Our Lady Queen of Peace

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PARISH MEMBERSHIP: New Parishioners are requested to register in the Parish as soon as possible. Please notify the Parish office (parish@olqp.org or by mail) of any changes in address & 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 mail to OLQP Parish Center 410 Maywood Ave., Maywood, NJ 07607 or place in the basket.