



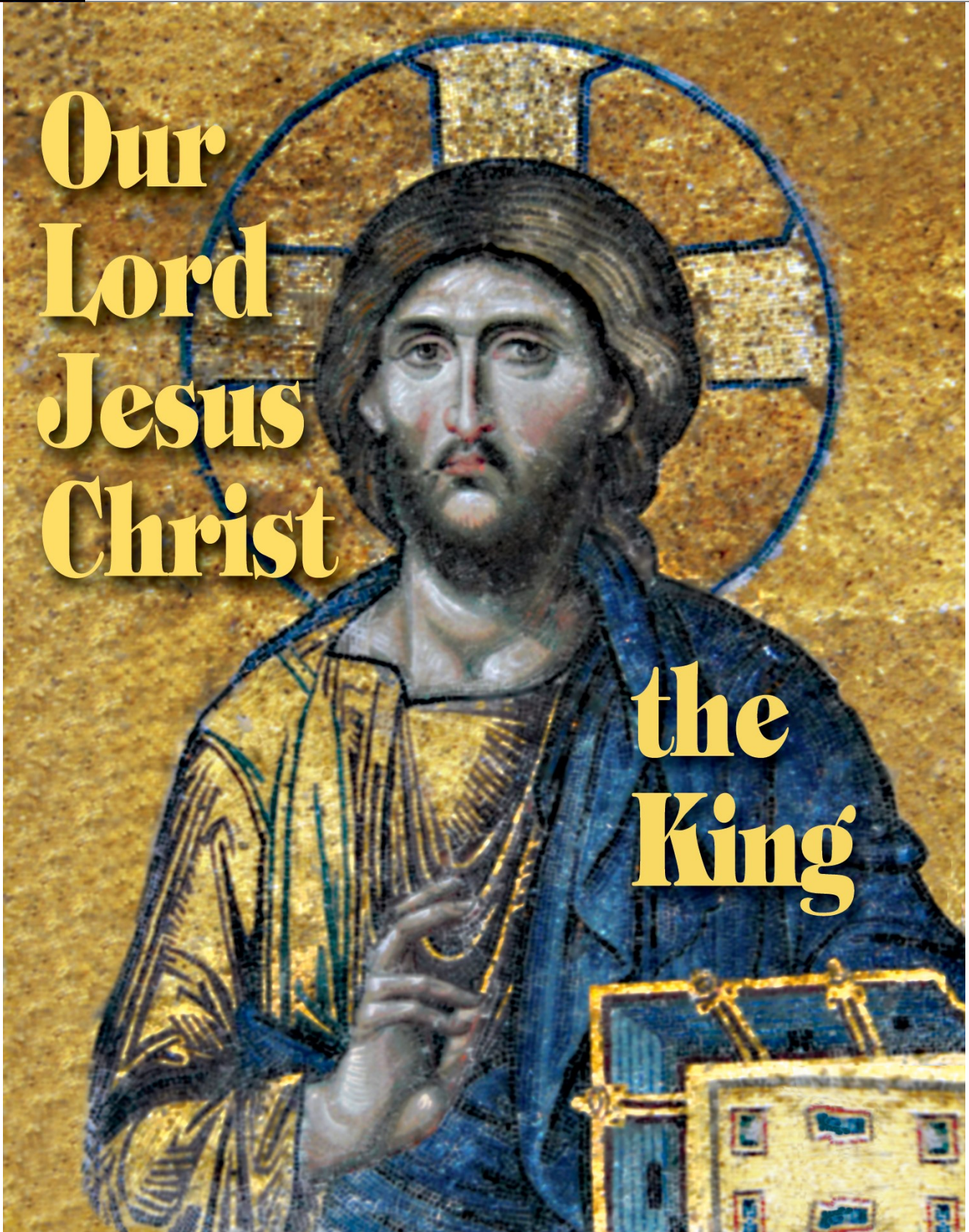
Our Lady Queen of Peace

400 Maywood Avenue, Maywood, New Jersey 07607

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe - November 24, 2019

**Our
Lord
Jesus
Christ**

**the
King**



| This Week at OLQP | | <i>media@olqp.org</i> | |
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| BUILDING KEY: (A) Auditorium / (CH) Church / (PC) Parish Center / (S) School | | | |
| S | 11/24 | 8:30a 9:25 a 10:00a 11:00a 7:00p | CCD Classes (S) & (PC) Rosary Recitation (CH) LWC (CH) / Youth Choir (CH) Older 1st Communions (CH) Daughters of Mary (PC) Youth Group Mtg. (PC) |
| M | 11/25 | 7:00p 7:30p | Novena (CH) Pastoral Council Mtg. (PC) Bible Study (PC) |
| T | 11/26 | 4:00p 7:00p | Youth Choir Practice (CH) OLQP Choir Practice (CH) RCIA (PC) |
| W | 11/27 | 1:00p 7:00p | Bread Bagging (A) Alive in the Spirit (PC) OMPH Novena (PC) |
| T | 11/28 | 8:30a | THANKSGIVING DAY / NO BINGO PARISH CENTER CLOSED Mass (CH) |
| F | 11/29 | | PARISH CENTER CLOSED |
| S | 11/30 | 1:00p 5:00p | Confessions (CH) Advent Giving Tree / Wreath Sale |
| S | 12/1 | 9a-4p 9:25 a 10:00a 7:00p | Advent Giving Tree / Wreath Sale NO CCD Classes / NO LWC Christmas Fair (A) Baptism Prep Mass (CH) Followed by Class (PC) Youth Group Mtg. (PC) |

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Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom (Luke 23:35-43).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Dn 1:1-6, 8-20; Dn 3:52-56; Lk 21:1-4
 Tuesday: Dn 2:31-45; Dn 3:57-61; Lk 21:5-11
 Wednesday: Dn 5:1-6, 13-14, 16-17, 23-28; Dn 3:62-67; Lk 21:12-19
 Thursday: Dn 6:12-28; Dn 3:68-74; Lk 21:20-28 Thanksgiving Day, Suggested: Sir 50:22-24; Ps 145:2-11; 1 Cor 1:3-9; Lk 17:11-19
 Friday: Dn 7:2-14; Dn 3:75-81; Lk 21:29-33
 Saturday: Rom 10:9-18; Ps 19:8-11; Mt 4:18-22
 Sunday: Is 2:1-5; Ps 122:1-9; Rom 13:11-14; Mt 24:37-44

View online: usccb.org/bible

UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS

12/6 Ministry Appreciation Dinner (Pg. 6)
 12/16 Penance Service (St. Philip, Saddle Brook)

FOR MORE INFO ON UPCOMING EVENTS, MEETING RESCHEDULING / CANCELLATIONS, DELAYED OPENINGS / CLOSINGS DUE TO WEATHER & OTHER ISSUES / UPDATES, VISIT: WWW.OLQP.ORG

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7 Following



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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
 Giovanni Longo, 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

Parish Center Office Hours

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



CLOSED
11/28 & 29



Bishop Manny Cruz with a group of those Confirmed last Sunday

From Father Tony:

November 24, 2019

Dear OLQP Brothers and Sisters,

This Sunday is the last one in our liturgical year and is designated as the Solemnity of Christ the King. On this great feast day, a beautiful Latin hymn will resonate in many churches around the world: **“Christus Vincit, Christus Regnat, Christus Imperat!”** I remember that even as a child, I would sing this hymn together with the parishioners at the top of my voice, not understanding what the words meant. I just love this hymn. When I finally came to know what the Latin words meant some years later, I love the hymn even more.

“Christ Conquers, Christ Reigns, Christ Commands!” In a way, these words sum up what the Solemnity of Christ the King is for us. With the passing of time, with our experience of what is temporal and transient, with our humble recognition of the “vanity of vanities” of the world, our faith anchors us to the Truth – only God and His Kingdom will remain! When everything is said and done, we will come to grasp what it means to belong to Christ – that He is the One who Conquers, Reigns, and Commands.

So, you can count on me that I will be singing this hymn with fervor and passion today. Come let us sing together at the top of our voices for Christ our King - **“Christus Vincit, Christus Regnat, Christus Imperat!”**

God bless,

Fr. Tony

P.S. Advance Happy Thanksgiving to All!

Immaculate Conception Novena (10/7 - 12/2)
Theme: Titles attributed to the Blessed Virgin
11/25 - Ark of the Covenant - Margie Bresko
Every Monday at 7pm in the Church

ONLINE GIVING

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

Second Collection

The second collection next weekend is for Decoration Offering.

STEWARDSHIP - Not Ours: We keep before us the fact that stewardship is basically about things that don’t belong to us. What do we do with the gifts of **God?** The gift becomes the task. There is a sense of urgency that we must be stewards of the **Gospel**, of the friendship of **God**; an urgency of opportunity of giving thanks to **God**, for returning to **God** that which is **God’s** alone. We pray that we may grow together in the stewardship of our lives.

| STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE | | STEWARDSHIP RESULTS | |
|----------------------------|----------|--|------------|
| <u>Weekend of 11/17/19</u> | | <u>Year-to-Date as of 11/18/19</u> | |
| Offertory | \$ 6,457 | Budget | \$145,000 |
| Children | \$ 126 | Actual | \$130,719 |
| Repairs & Maint' | \$ 3,037 | Under Target | \$(14,281) |
| Military | \$ 70 | | |
| <u>Weekend of 11/17/19</u> | | 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 | \$ 6,583 | | |
| Under Target | \$ (667) | | |

✝ MASS SCHEDULE

Dates November 24th until December 1st, 2019

SUNDAY - OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

11/24 8:00 am Helen Valle
 10:00 am Patricia Boniface
 12:00 n Lorraine Hagberg

Monday - St. Catherine of Alexandria, Virgin & Martyr

11/25 8:30 am People of the Parish

Tuesday

11/26 8:30 am George McAuliffe

Wednesday

11/27 8:30 am Donald Cafarella

Thursday - Thanksgiving Day

11/28 8:30 am Mary Bresko

Friday

11/29 8:30 am Mona & George McGowan

Saturday - St. Andrew, Apostle

11/30 8:30 am Anna Nasr
 5:00 pm John Hrablook

SUNDAY - FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

12/1 8:00 am Marion Jameson
 10:00 am Mr. & Mrs. Burt Sforza
 12:00 n John & Eleanor Szabat

MEMORIALS

Altar Bread & Wine

In Memory of Anthony Graziano
 by Lorenzo & Stefania Graziano & Family

Sanctuary Lamp

In Memory of Frances & Samuel Monaco
 by Maryann Monaco

BVM Candle

In Memory of Mary A. McPike
 by Mary Menditto

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.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Sick Relatives & Friends

| | | |
|--------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Cesar Aguilar | Alice Liso | Ann Marie Praino |
| Dcn. Anthony Balestrieri | Christopher Locascio | Robert Raimo |
| Claire Borrello | Debbie Locascio | Charlie Rojo |
| Michael Bowers | Peter Locascio | John Ruisch |
| Ginny Cattaneo | Diane Lohrer | Fran Sampson |
| Denise Caulfield | Dcn. Joseph Mantineo | Wilbert Santos |
| Carmen Cepeda | Sr. Philomena McCartney, O.P. | Joanne Sontag |
| Phil Dimitri | Susie McMullen | Richard Spagnuolo |
| Carole Ehrlich | Sonia Medrano | Joseph Steiner |
| Eric Hagberg | Jim Moran | Liam Justin N. Torres |
| Valerie Havekost | Barbara Nelson | Barbara Twidle |
| Rosemarie Kaminski | Nowak Family | Mary Walker |
| Morgan Lamareux | Sharon Osnowitz | Andrew Wey |
| Roberta Leibowitz | Vallie Pompilio | Joyce Wilson |
| | | 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."

Advent Reconciliation Service

Monday, December 16 - 7:30 pm

St. Philip the Apostle Church, Saddle Brook

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?

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.

PARISH EVENTS

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

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

"PARENTS ARE THE FIRST TEACHERS OF THEIR CHILDREN"

THE NEW EMAIL ADDRESS! - dre@olqp.org

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES
ARE POSTPONED NEXT SUNDAY.**

CLASSES RESUME DECEMBER 8TH
AT THE REGULAR TIME.

CONGRATULATIONS

We extend our congratulations and blessings to **Alex and Nick Barra** upon the reception of their First Eucharist this Sunday. Thank you to their parents for guiding them in the Catholic faith throughout this time of formation.

"15 Minute Family Activity"

Our annual parish wreath sale begins the weekend of November 30th/December 1st and continues for 3 weekends. *I need a few helping hands "of all sizes"* after each Mass to help me on the lawn by the church. This is a fast, fun FAMILY activity after Mass to offer your time and talent to OLQP. Please consider helping. Email Angela at dre@olqp.org

SERVICE ACTIVITIES AVAILABLE

**PLEASE CHECK YOUR ORANGE SERVICE SHEETS
Grades 6 and 7 students (email Mrs. Connelly)**

Nov. 27 – Bread bagging for Thanksgiving
(1:15pm – 2pm) (8 students needed)

Wreath Sales Help

(after all Masses 5pm, 8am, 10am, 12noon)
weekends of Nov.30/Dec.1

Dec. 7/Dec. 8 and Dec. 14/Dec. 15

(come outside after the Mass you attend)

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

YOUTH MINISTRY CORNER

(201) 845-9566

olqpyouthministry@gmail.com



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.



Congratulations to Patricio Molina and Leandro Peña. They were the recipients of the Archdiocesan Youth Ministry Adult and Youth Recognition Awards for their sharing of their time and talent in ministry in our Parish.

**Our Mother of Perpetual Help Novena
will be on Wednesday, Nov. 27th
at 7:00 pm in the Chapel.**



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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.

201-845-9566 x119 | dcnjoe@olqp.org

ANNUAL WREATH AND GRAVE BLANKET SALE BETTER QUALITY THIS YEAR

Beginning November 30th until December 15th, the Christmas wreaths and grave blankets will be available for sale. Pickup is by the lawn area near the rectory before and after all weekend Masses. We will have the large wreaths and the large and small grave blankets. **Checks (payable to OLQP) and cash will be accepted. (No credit cards.)**

**WREATHS \$25 GRAVE
PILLOWS \$30 GRAVE
BLANKETS \$40**

PARISH EVENTS

Ministry Appreciation Dinner - Our Ministry Appreciation Dinner will be on Friday, Dec. 6 from 6:30 to 9:00 p.m. Please contact the head of your ministry to RSVP to our annual Ministry Appreciation Dinner.

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

ST. ANTHONY'S INVITES YOU TO JOIN THE MARCH FOR LIFE 2020 DC BUS TRIP!

Mass at St. Anthony's in West Orange begins 7 am on January 24 with the bus departing 8 am for Washington D.C. and returning by 10:30 pm.

The fee is \$30 per passenger and the registration deadline is Dec 2.

For info, please call: Julius Pulmano (862) 220-5043 or email alleris@gmail.com. Registration Forms are posted on olqp.org.

ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY

olqprosarysociety@gmail.com



OUR MEMBERS, PRESENT AND FORMER:

We are going to make a scrapbook about the Society and are looking for any memorabilia that you may have for this...stories, articles, pictures or anything you think should go in this book.

Please either bring to the SOCIETY meeting on Dec. 2nd, or drop off at the Parish Office, labeled for the SOCIETY Scrapbook. Please include your name, phone number and/or e-mail.

Anything you can contribute will be greatly appreciated. Thank you. Pat Stanton



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS

www.maywoodkofc.org

TO THE MEN OF OLQP 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.

OLQP K of C Rockefeller Center Christmas Tree Bus Trip - Join us on Saturday December 7th.

We will meet at OLQP Church rear parking lot. Bus leaves Maywood at 5:30 pm and leaves NYC at 9:50 pm. Only \$20 a person. Limited seating, payment in advance only please contact Tom Buzzerio at 201-248-6460 to reserve or any other questions.



HUMAN CONCERNS NEWS

olqphumanconcerns@gmail.com

The Harrison House Ministry is in need of additional volunteers to prepare and deliver a meal for up to 8 individuals housed in this program located at New Bridge Medical Center. OLQP Is scheduled once a month, but cook volunteers rotate only serving a couple of times a year. Please leave a message at the Parish Center for Mary Menditto for more information. Thank you!

SOUP KITCHEN MINISTRY

Many thanks to all who donated coats, hats, gloves, shirts, etc to St. John's on 11/16. We filled a large van and a second car. God bless you and thank you for your kindness shown to the homeless of Newark. If interested in volunteering, contact Mary Flanigan at parish@olqp.org (Subject: Soup Kitchen).

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



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

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DECEMBER 2019

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| SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
|--|--|---|---|--|--|--|
| 1 After Masses Advent Giving Tree Wreath Sale NO CCD / NO LWC 9:00a Christmas Fair (A) 9-4 12:00n Baptism Prep Class /CH Followed by Class (PC) 7:00p Youth Group Mtg. (PC) | 2 7:00p Novena (CH) 7:30p Rosary Society Mtg. (A) Bible Study (PC) | 3 4:00p Youth Choir Practice (CH) 7:00p OLQP Choir Practice (CH) RCIA (PC) | 4 7:00p Alive in the Spirit (PC) Silent Night (CH) OMPH Novena (PC) | 5 7:00p Grupo de Oración Luz y Vida (PC) 7:15p BINGO (A) | 6 6:30p Ministry Appreciation Dinner (A) | 7 9:00a Eucharistic Adoration (CH) 1:00p Confessions (CH) 5:00p Advent Giving Tree Wreath Sale |
| 8 After Masses Advent Giving Tree Wreath Sale 8:30a CCD Classes (S) & (PC) 10:00a CCD & Rosary LWC (CH) 1:30p Baptism (CH) 7:00p Youth Group Mtg. (PC) | 9 THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION MASSES 8:30a, 12:15p, & 7:00p 7:30p Bible Study (PC) | 10 4:00p Youth Choir Practice (CH) 7:00p OLQP Choir Practice (CH) RCIA (PC) | 11 7:00p Alive in the Spirit (PC) Silent Night (CH) OMPH Novena (PC) | 12 7:00p Grupo de Oración Luz y Vida (PC) 7:15p BINGO (A) | 13 7:30p St. Pio Devotions (PC) | 14 1:00p Confessions (CH) 5:00p Advent Giving Tree Wreath Sale |
| 15 After Masses Advent Giving Tree Wreath Sale 8:00a Gr. 4 Families (CH) 8:30a CCD Classes (S) & (PC) 10:00a LWC (CH) 1:00p Advent Giving Tree Gifts Sorted & Delivered 7:00p Youth Group Mtg. (PC) | 16 7:30p Advent Penance Service (St. Philip, Saddle Brook) Bible Study (PC) | 17 4:00p Youth Choir Practice (CH) 7:00p OLQP Choir Practice (CH) RCIA (PC) | 18 7:00p Alive in the Spirit (PC) Silent Night (CH) OMPH Novena (PC) | 19 7:00p Grupo de Oración Luz y Vida (PC) 7:15p BINGO (A) | 20 7:00p Simbang Gabi (CH) / (A) | 21 1:00p Confessions (CH) |
| 22 8:30a CCD Classes (S) & (PC) 9:30a Rosary Recitation (CH) 10:00a LWC (CH) 4:00p Christmas Pageant & Concert (CH) 7:00p Youth Group Mtg. (PC) | 23 4:00p Youth Choir (CH) 7:00p OLQP Choir (CH) | 24 CHRISTMAS EVE PARISH CENTER CLOSED 5:00p MASS (CH) 10:00p MASS (CH) | 25 CHRISTMAS DAY A HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION PARISH CENTER CLOSED 8:00a MASS (CH) 10:00a MASS (CH) 12:00n MASS (CH) | 26 PARISH CENTER CLOSED NO BINGO | 27 | 28 1:00p Confessions (CH) |
| 29 NO CCD / NO LWC 10:00a K of C Mass 7:00p Youth Group Mtg. (PC) | 30 | 31 New Year's Eve PARISH CENTER CLOSED 5:00p VIGIL MASS (CH) The Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God 1/1/20 | 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. | | | |

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

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.