

Jesus directs Simon to take his boat
into deep water for a miraculous catch of fish”.

—Luke 5:1-11



Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

OUR LADY OF PEACE - FEBRUARY 9, 2025

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JOINING THE PARISH

New parishioners are welcome.
Contact the parish office to register.
Visit our website: olpww.org to print
out our registration form. Or stop by
the parish office Monday-Friday
(8:00am to 4:30pm)

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday (Vigil): 5:00pm
Adoration, Divine Mercy Chaplet 4:00pm
Confession, Rosary, Benediction
Sunday: 8:30am, 10:30am

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday: No Mass
Tuesday, Thursday: 8:00am
(followed by the Rosary)
Wednesday: 6:00pm
Adoration: 5:00pm
Confession, Rosary, Benediction
Novena following Mass
Friday: 8:00am (Summer)
School Mass: 8:30am (see bulletin)

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION AND PENANCE

Saturdays: 4:00-4:45pm
Wednesdays, 5:00-5:45pm
By appointment: 304-242-6575

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FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

February 9, 2025
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Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, "Whom shall I send? Who will go for us?" "Here I am," I said, "send me!" — *Isaiah 6:8*



Sacrament of Baptism

Parents should contact Father Joseph to make arrangements for the celebration of this sacrament. A preparation session is required for first-time parents.

Sacrament of Reconciliation and Penance

Celebrated on Saturdays from 4:00-4:45pm; Wednesdays from 6:00-6:45pm. Also make an appointment by calling the rectory.

Sacrament of Marriage

Engaged couples should contact Fr. Joseph at least six months prior to desired wedding date.

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

Individual reception of the sacrament can be arranged by contacting Fr. Joseph. Anyone who is anticipating surgery is encouraged to request this sacrament prior to entering hospital.

Becoming Catholic (RCIA)

Any non-Catholic interested in becoming a Catholic Christian can contact the parish office for information regarding The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults.

Catholic School

Information regarding enrolling your child at Our Lady of Peace Parish School, contact school office at 304-242-1383.

Parish School of Religion (PSR)

Classes meet every Sunday from 9:20-10:20 am from September to May. Registration in August. Receive your bulletin (by mail or email) Call 304-242-6579 or email at parish@olpww.org

Please Remember in Prayer
Infirm and Shut-ins, the Sick of our Parish
Continuous Care: Carla Ueltsch
Good Shepherd: Karen Simons, Julie Stocking
Joseph Bechtel

Last Weekend Collection	Env	Amount
Weekly Collections	97	\$5,457.00
Maintenance Reserve Fund	47	906.00
PayPal Online Transfer	1	120.90
DWC Ch. Dev. World	2	25.00
Total	147	\$6,789.90

WEEKEND MASS ATTENDANCE: 274

Second Collection

Feb. 9/10. DWC Church Missions within the U.S.
—Black and Indian (Native Americans) Missions
—Catholic Home Missions Appeal.
—Church in Africa

Mar. 2/3. Parish Building Maintenance Reserve. Funds help cover costs of maintaining church, and school property and grounds.

DATE	COUNTERS: 2025 SCHEDULE IN BINDER
FEB 9	Stacy Rohmann, George Hores
FEB 16	Sissy D'Cagna, Colleen Megna

Liturgical Ministers for this Weekend

February 8/9, 2025

Servers

Reader; EMHC (Body); EMHC/EMHC (Blood). Greeter

—SATURDAY (Vigil), February 8

5:00pm M.&A.Potts / S. & L. Kasserman

B.Cox; M.J.Keim; J.Sanders/L.Simon B.Cox

—SUNDAY, February 9

8:30am A.Cook / M. & J. Paulus

C.Schane; P.Schane; R.Schneid/T.Burke Moses

10:30am T.Schmitt/M.Braswell/A.Kurko/C.Miller

Grade 4; C.Donahoe; M.Gantzer/S.Wilson Sandy

Liturgical Ministers for next Weekend

February 15/16, 2025

Servers

Reader; EMHC (Body); EMHC/EMHC (Blood). Greeter

—SATURDAY (Vigil), February 15

5:00pm M. & A.Potts/N.&G.Thalman

S.Huggins;E.Yahn;C.Yahn/B.Pack Henrys

—SUNDAY, February 16

8:30am D.Lucas/B.&C.McLean

K.Castle;A.Castle;Becky D./C.Schane Roths

10:30am Gr.Bishop/E.Kime/J.Cox

G.Bishop;T.Morando;P.Gantzer/P.Bach Kempes

WELCOME FR. DOUGLAS SUTTON; HE WILL COVER MASSES FOR REMAINING MONTH OF FEBRUARY.

MASS DATE	TIMES	MASS INTENTIONS	READINGS
Saturday (<i>Vigil</i>), February 8 Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time	(4:00 PM) 5:00 PM	(Adoration/Divine Mercy/Confession) † Charlie Kleeh <i>by Family</i>	Is 6:1-2a, 3-8 Ps 138:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 7-8 1 Cor 15:3-8, 11 LK 5:1-11
Sunday, February 9 Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time	8:30 AM 10:30 AM	† Charles Shepherd <i>by Patti & Cork Schane</i> Parishioners of Our Lady of Peace	
Monday, February 10 <i>Saint Scholastica</i>	*No Mass 7:00 PM	(Rosary at 8:00am) Infant of Prague Novena	Is 1:1-19 Ps 104:1-2a, 5-6, 10, 12, 24, 35c Mk 6:53-56
Tuesday, February 11	8:00 AM	† Helen & Alex Siewney <i>by Becky Cox & Family</i>	Is 1:20—2:4a Ps 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 Mk 7:1-13
Wednesday, February 12	6:00 PM	Grade 2 First Reconciliation	Gs 2:4b-9, 15-17 Ps 104:1-2a, 27-28, 29bc30 Mark 7:14-23
No 6:00 Evening Mass / No Adoration/ Confession			
Thursday, February 13	8:00 AM	† Don Klug <i>by Mary Jo Keim</i>	Gs 2:18-25 Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5 Mk 7:24-30
Friday, February 14 <i>Saints Cyril, Monk & Methodius</i>	8:30 AM	† Dr. A.D. & Judy Ghaphery <i>requested by a friend</i>	Gs 3:1-8 Ps 32:1-2, 5, 6, 7 Mk 7:31-37
Saturday (<i>Vigil</i>), February 15 Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time	(4:00 PM) 5:00 PM	(Adoration/Divine Mercy/Confession) † Grace Kolibash <i>by Cecilia Donahoe</i>	Jh 17:5-8 Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 & 6 1 Cor 15:12, 16-20 Lk 6:17, 20-26
Sunday, February 16 Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time	8:30 AM 10:30 AM	Parishioners of Our Lady of Peace † Dr. John Jr., Carmella & Virginia Battaglino <i>requested by a friend</i>	

"In the sight of the angels I will sing your praises, Lord." --- Psalm 138

GOD'S SUMMONS

Confronted with God's power and majesty, the first response of the prophet Isaiah was to acknowledge his sinfulness. "Woe is me, I am doomed! For I am a man of unclean lips," he said aloud. Likewise, with his empty fishing nets dramatically filled at Jesus' instruction, Peter fell to his knees and cried out, "Depart from me, Lord, for I am a sinful man."

Next, Peter got up. He docked his boats then left to follow Jesus. Isaiah also had a dramatic change



of heart. When he heard the Lord say, "Whom shall I send? Who will go for us?" Isaiah answered, "Here I am, send me." We are summoned daily by the Risen Lord. We are reminded of the saving power of the gospel and know in our heart of hearts that, as St. Paul wrote, believing in anything else won't lead to anything

What will it take for you to move past your sinfulness? What will it take for you to get off your knees? What will it take for you to bring to dock what is unimportant and to accept your call to be God's messenger? Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.



Our Lady of Peace Parish Infant of Prague Novena

Monday, Feb. 10, at 7:00pm
Homilist: Rev. John Soplinski
Special intention:
"for all the unborn children"

"The More You Honor Me, The More I will Bless You"

Greeters: Adele Wilson
Reader: Mary Jo K. Music: Marilyn Schnupp
K of C Servers: Ray T, Mike G., Andy W.

Planning Meeting - Tues, Feb. 11, at 6:30pm

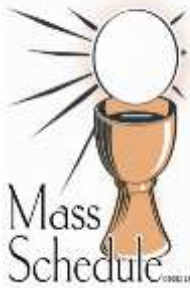
We are again coordinating a sit-down dinner for those who regularly have their supper at Catholic Charities 18th Street Neighborhood Center. Last year we served over 70 baked



Feast of Saint Joseph
March 19

steak/baked potato meals and dessert. We also provided "goody bags" of basic toiletry necessities. All are welcome to help prep, set up, serve and clean up. Sign up to help serve others.

MASS TIME CHANGE THIS WEEK



Wednesday, February 17
Grade 2 First Reconciliation
at 6:00pm

*No Wednesday evening Mass
*No Adoration/Confession

FEBRUARY 11 IS THE LAST DAY TO TAKE THE DISCIPLE SURVEY
GO TO DWC.ORG—CLICK BOX.
CLICK OUR LADY OF PEACE (paper survey in back of church)
Call parish office for more details.



Old palms around the house? Do not throw these blessed items away! Bring them to church to be properly disposed. Container is available in the back of church. Thank you.



Parish Office is closed Monday, February 17 for President's Day We resume regular office hours Tuesday.

SIGN UP IN BACK OF CHURCH FOR POTLUCK DINNER ON FAT TUESDAY (MARDI GRAS) MARCH 4 IN THE PEACE FAMILY CENTER. WATCH FOR DETAILS.

LET US FEAST ON TUESDAY
LET US FAST ON WEDNESDAY

Our Lady of Peace
THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 27
11am to 4:30pm
Peace Family Center
More details coming soon.



February 8-14 Birthdays

Cruz Fazio, Noah Knorr, Nichole Paulus, Tammy Wycherley, Carol Young, Creed Fazio, Allison Henry, Lorri Schodzinski, Megan Wise, Charles Adams, Patrick Henry, Cel Schneid, Mick Reilly, George Saseen, Nicole Droginske, James Pastorius, Joelle Tucker, Jerome Henry, Michael Tordella, Leah Zinn, Sophie Kasserman, Mark Kerwood, Ellen Shaffer, Hayden Stillion,

Our Lady of Peace Parish & School

AFTER MASS SOCIAL
March 1 & 2

GATHER US IN

GOOD FOOD, FUN & FELLOWSHIP



Knights of Columbus — Council 12195 — Grand Knight, Ed Yahn
MEETING. Next meeting March 4 at 6:00pm in Battaglino Hall.

SERVICE TO ONE - SERVICE TO ALL

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FAMILY OF THE MONTH: CONGRATULATIONS goes to Rick and Janet Campbell for service to better our council, parish, school and community.




Ladies Auxiliary of the K of C ★ President - Marilyn Thalman

MEETING: See you February 25 at 6:00 in Battaglino Hall
KEEP THE SHOES COMING! TELL YOUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS. BOX IN BACK OF CHURCH

Vice President: Sylvia Huggins · Treasurer: Marlene McGovern · Secretary: Marlene Klamut

WE WANT YOU....
IN MAROON
Central Catholic High School
OPEN HOUSE
Wednesday, Feb. 12, 2025
6:00pm until 8:00pm, CCHS Great Hall



We're the Maroon Knights! Learn more about our academic, extra-curricular and service-related programs, as well as financial assistance and the HOPE Scholarship!

Questions? Contact Mr. Rob Magruder at 304-905-6260 or rmagruder@cchsknights.org



The Knights of Columbus will be distributing baby bottles after all the Masses on weekend of:

MARCH 8 & 9

The bottles are to be filled with donations, loose change, check (payable to Knights of Columbus) and returned on the Palm Sunday weekend Masses or drop off at the parish office anytime.

All the proceeds from this collection are donated to The Gabriel Project which provides all necessary support for mothers in need, including pregnant mothers. Your cooperation with this project would be greatly appreciated.



Anyone interested in purchasing an ENJOY book? There may be some books coming our way! Possibly next week. Please call Marilyn at 304-312-1247.

OFFICE OF SAFE ENVIRONMENT

We have been informed from the Chancery that the 2025 on-site Safe Environment audit will be held during the week of March 10 at some of our parishes. We have up to that time to have all volunteers to be in compliance Office of Safe Environment: policy, background, Virtus 4.0.

Ladies Auxiliary are collecting new, gently worn shoes. Men, women, children; dress, casual, athletic shoes. Box available in back of church.




HELP US REACH OUR goal of 2,500 pairs!
We are off to a great start! Thank you.

Olive Wood Sale

Be sure to stop by the tables after mass to see a large variety of items from the Holy Land available for purchase.



March 8/9



Online: PayPal



GO TO: www.olpww.org
SCROLL to bottom on the left
CLICK DONATE button
PAY with Pay Pal account or credit card or debit card

2024 Tax Statements are available. Call parish office 304-242-6579 (mailed, emailed, picked up at the office). Thank you for your continual generosity.

World Day of the Sick

The Memorial of Our Lady Of Lourdes
Tuesday , February 11 6:00 p.m.
Join us all are welcome. Healing Mass with
Anointing of the Sick
At the Cathedral of St. Joseph
See Flyer in back of church



Bereavement Gathering 2025
Grief from a Faith Perspective
If you, or someone you know has
lost a loved one and may benefit
from a gathering those grieving.

They are held at Saint John Parish Center in
Benwood, at 6:00pm to 7:00pm.

Next meeting February 24, 2025



DIOCESE OF WHEELING-CHARLESTON

Discernment Retreat

Friday, March 7 to
Saturday March 8

Open to men
18 and older

flyer in back
of church



St. John XXIII
Pastoral Center
100 Hodges Rd,
Charleston WV

wvpriests.org

PRIESTHOOD



ARE YOU A MARTHA OR A MARY?
LIVING A BALANCED LIFE

The retreat will be held
on March 28-30, 2025 at the
St. John XXIII Pastoral Center
in Charleston WV.

Sponsored by DWC Office of Evangelization and
Catechesis. See brochure in back of church.

38 days until...

SPRING

MARCH 1, 2025

6:00PM

THE WHITE PALACE

You're Invited to Attend...

Hope GALA
15th Annual Catholic Charities

Enjoy an evening of dinner, drinks, dancing and celebrating
those we serve! A special highlight of the Gala will be
honoring an individual with our Charity in Action Award.

Proceeds from this Gala directly support our mission in 17
counties in northern West Virginia, including our Catholic
Charities Neighborhood Center on 18th Street in Wheeling, and
other programs and services for children, seniors and families.

Purchase tickets at <https://www.cwvva.org/event/gala/>



304-242-1383
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School News

- Feb 10-13 7/8 Boys & Girls Tourn at St. Mikes
- 10 Infant of Prague Novena 7pm
(9 consecutive Mondays)
- 12 Grade 2 First Reconciliation
- 14 PK3 & PK4 Valentine's Party
- 17 President's Day- No School
- 20 Midterms Sent
- 20 Diocesan Social Studies Fair @CCHS
- 20-27 WPL 5&6 Boys B'Ball Tourn @OLP
- 21 7/8 Grade Dance @SVS
- 28 K-Screening - No K Class

Parish School of Religion
Feb 9 Class Feb 16 Class
Feb 23 Class March 2 Mass



We need volunteer(s) to help co-teach, sub occasionally. If you, or someone you know is interested, call Marty.

Marty 304-312-8964 mmedovic@comcast.net

Kansas City Chiefs Vs. Philadelphia Eagles Super Bowl 2025 February 9th



\$10 and \$20 Boards are full! The Numbers have been picked. See boards in back of the church.

\$20 Board	1st QTR —\$125	2nd QTR —\$250
	3rd QTR —\$125	4th QTR —\$500

GOOD LUCK TO ALL!

\$10 Board	1st QTR —\$50	2nd QTR —\$100
	3rd QTR —\$50	4th QTR —\$300

Proceeds benefit Grade 8 trip to Washington, D.C.

MELAH PAULUS
RECIPIENT of the AQUINAS AWARD

Each year a Grade 8 student is chosen in recognition of their outstanding qualities of faithful discipleship, academic excellence, leadership and service to school, parish and community, reflecting the ideals of Catholic education epitomized by Saint Thomas Aquinas, Catholic patron saint of students.

CONGRATULATIONS MELAH!



Thursday, February 10. **Saint Scholastica:** twin sister of St. Benedict; eventually interred in the same grave with her brother; invoked against storms; patroness of Benedictine nunneries.

"Let us go on talking until morning about the delights of the spiritual life."



Friday, February 14. **Saints Cyril and Methodius:** brothers known as "Apostles to Slavs"; prepared Slavic liturgical texts; served as the "spiritual bridge between Eastern and Western traditions"; patrons of the Czech Republic, Slovakia, Slovenia, Croatia, Bosnia-Herzegovina, and of all Europe



Mardi Gras Party Friday, Feb. 28 School Fundraiser

Be sure to get your reservations and show your support of our school. Event starts with a 6:00pm Social; 7:00pm Dinner 8-10:00pm Dancing in Peace Family Center. Must prepay

Cost \$90/couple or \$50/single.

MAKE LENT COUNT in 2025

Class with the MOST MONEY collected (on average) receives PAWS Pass (dress down day), lunch, AND an activity with Fr. Joseph and group picture in the bulletin.

GIVE CHANGE TO MAKE A CHANGE

As part of almsgiving to the less fortunate, our OLP/PSR students are giving change in LENT. The total collected go to the Catholic Charities Neighborhood Center 18th Street to purchase necessary items to fill the freezer.

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 Virginia Park Drive, Wheeling 304-242-2543
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