



The Fourth Sunday of Easter

OUR LADY OF PEACE PARISH - APRIL 21, 2024

690 Mount Olivet Road, Wheeling WV 26003

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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: 6:00pm
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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April 21, 2024

See what love Father has bestowed
on us that we may be called the
children of God. — 1 John 3:1



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

Liturgical Ministers for this Weekend April 20/21, 2024

Servers

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

—SATURDAY (Vigil), April 20

5:00pm M. & L. & S. Komorowski/ Kasserman
A.Castle; E.Yahn; H.Nikolaus/J.Sanders A.Wilson

—SUNDAY, April 21

8:30am A.& J. Reynolds /C. Rogers
M.Thalman; M.Gaughan/ M.Zinn/Renee J.Smith

10:30am S.& A.Kurko/ T.Schmitt
PSR; T.Morando; M.Medovic/K.Castle Peg/Sheila

Please Remember in Prayer

Infirm and Shut-ins, the Sick of our Parish

Continuous Care: Carla Ueltschy

Good Shepherd: Karen Simons, Julie Stocking
Joseph Bechtel

| Last week's collections | Env | Amount |
|--|------------|--------------------|
| Weekly collections | 141 | \$ 5,699.85 |
| Confirmation Mass | 3 | 673.00 |
| Parish Bldg Maint Reserve | 13 | 215.00 |
| Memorial Contribution | 2 | 100.00 |
| Paypal Online Transfer | 3 | 294.72 |
| Diocesan Collections | 2 | 30.00 |
| TOTAL | 164 | \$ 7,012.57 |
| ATTENDANCE: 320 + 235 (Confirmation Mass) | | |

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MONEY COUNTERS

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| April 21 | Rick Wilson, Tiffany Hoffman |
| April 28 | Tiffany Hoffman, George Hores |

Liturgical Ministers for next Weekend April 27/28, 2024

Servers

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

—SATURDAY (Vigil), April 13

5:00pm A.Mattern/N.Weaver/N.Thalman
S.Huggins; A.Castle; B.Pack/C.Yahn Campbells

—SUNDAY, April 14

8:30am M.& J. Paulus/ A.Cook
M.Medovic; Becky D; C.Schane/K.Zinn Gaughan

10:30am C.Miller / E. Roth/ J. Cox
B. Roth; T. Roth; M. Gantzer/S.Wilson S.Wilson

First 50% goal supports ministries, outreach efforts in DWC. Everything over 50% goes to parish (free of assessment).

RAISED \$5,780 OF \$23,930 WITH 18 GIFTS

24%

| MASS DATE | | MASS INTENTIONS | READINGS |
|--|--------------------------------|--|---|
| Saturday (Vigil), April 20 Fourth Sunday of Easter | (4:00 PM) 5:00 PM | (Adoration/Divine Mercy/Confession) † Bill & Judy Pack <i>by Bill & Judy</i> <i>*57th Wedding Anniversary</i> | Acts 9:31-42 Ps 116:12-13, 14-15, 16-17 Jn 6:60-69 |
| Sunday, April 21 Fourth Sunday of Easter | 8:30 AM 10:30 AM | Parishioners of Our Lady of Peace Families of Parish School of Religion <i>(members living and deceased)</i> <i>by PSR</i> | |
| Monday, April 22 | 6:00 PM | † Kissy Bowen <i>by Ginny Butler</i> | Acts 11:1-18 Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4 Jn 10:1-10 |
| Tuesday, April 23 Saint George Saint Adalbert | 8:00 AM | † Charles Freitas, Jr. <i>by Cecilia Donahoe</i> | Acts 11:19-26 Ps 87:1b-3, 4-5, 6-7 Jn 10:22-30 |
| Wednesday, April 24 St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen | (5:00 PM) 6:00 PM | (Adoration/Confession/Novena) Rosary Altar Society <i>by RAS</i> <i>(members living and deceased)</i> | Acts 12:24—13:5a Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6 and 8 Jn 12:44-50 |
| Thursday, April 25 Feast of Saint Mark, Evangelist | 8:00 AM | † Steve Carter <i>by Sherry Sarcopski</i> | 1 Pt 5:5b-14 Ps 89:2-3, 6-7, 16-17 Mk 16:15-20 |
| Friday, April 26 | 8:30 AM | Intention of School | Acts 13:26-33 Ps 2:6-7, 8-9, 10-11ab Jn 14:1-6 |
| Saturday (Vigil), April 27 Fifth Sunday of Easter | (4:00 PM) 5:00 PM | (Adoration/Divine Mercy/Confession) † Carl & Evelyn Remick <i>by Andy & Patti, Val Wesolowski</i> | Acts 9:26-31 Ps 22:26-27, 28, 30, 31-32 1 Jn 3:18-24 Jn 15:1-8 |
| Sunday, April 28 Fifth Sunday of Easter | 8:30 AM 10:30 AM 1:00 PM | Parishioners of Our Lady of Peace † Jack Wycherley <i>by Family</i> First Communion Mass | |

"The stone rejected by the builders has become the cornerstone."—Psalm 118

Sacrament of Holy Eucharist **✝** Sunday, April 28, 2024 at 1:00pm



Adams, Olivia
Benedict, Steven
Braswell, Millie
Castle, Brayden
Corbin, Jaxon
Dalek, Lucas
Deel, Finley
Fazio, Canaan

Jack, Ella
Kime, Erica
Lucas, Daykota
McLean, Mira
Philipps, Emersyn
Poling, Dahlia
Rogers, Eli
Seidler, Camille

Thalman, Graham
Thiele, Charlee
Tucker, Joelle
White Haylyn
Wilson, Ryan
Womack, Riley
Zdilla, Isaac

*God bless our Communicants on their First Holy Communion Day.
May they always keep the joy of Jesus in their hearts. Amen.*

I PUBLISH  **Wedding Banns** BETWEEN

MARK DILL & HALEY ROBB

If any known cause, or just impediment, why this couple should not be joined together in Holy Matrimony, ye are to declare it. (2nd publication)

CCHS Jr. Knights/Knights — ARCHERY

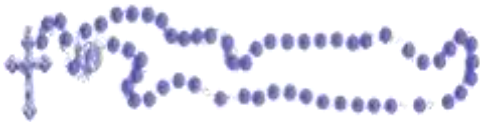
April 20 & 21
—after masses



Proceeds benefit the program and to send 2 Archers to Nationals this May. We wish them LOTS of LUCK !

50/50 RAFFLE - DRAWING MAY 1 Call Dana
1 TICKET/\$5 3 TICKETS/\$10 (304)
8 TICKETS/\$25 20 TICKETS/ \$50 650-2561

Rosary Altar
Society
Bake Sale



THANK YOU

for your continual generosity and your support of our bake sale last weekend. It was a success.

GROUNDS MAINTENANCE

Spring time is here. Please call the parish office at 304-242-6579 if you can help with the mowing / weed-whacking / weeding of the parish/school grounds. Thank you.

“many hands means light work”



March April 20-26 Birthdays

Mark Ueltschy, Collin Shepard, Jack Schellhase, Michael Uhly, Valerie Pickett, Linda Richards, Nolan Smith, Ryan Wilson, Sydney Zimla, Paul Braswell, Leighanna Wycherley, Isaac Zdilla, Mary Hewitt, Matthew Schmidt, Angela DiCocco, Parker Wharton, Tatum Wharton

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL NOMINATION WEEKEND

A brief description of the role of the council and of the qualities needed in a council member is included in this week's bulletin insert.

The council meets once a month. There are ten council members (Fr. Joseph, included) It is a three year term.

This weekend, it is time to submit names of qualified parishioners. You may submit up to three names. Thank you for your nominations.

—See bulletin insert—



DIOCESAN SECOND COLLECTION

Saturday/Sunday - April 20/21

Proceeds from this collection will support the long-term humanitarian and recovery efforts of Catholic Charities West Virginia. Their offices assist families long after other organizations have moved out. The role of Catholic Charities will last months and years as they help families and individuals in the rebuilding process to restore safe, secure, and sanitary living conditions. All of the money raised will stay in West Virginia to assist our neighbors.

Our Lady of Peace AFTER MASS
 Parish & School  **SOCIAL**
GATHER US IN MAY 4/5

GOOD FOOD, FUN & FELLOWSHIP



2024 CATHOLIC VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

WE HAVE A DATE — REGISTER NOW!

JULY 7 THRU 11, 2024

6:00-8:00PM

SUNDAY thru THURSDAY

<https://vbspro.events/p/events/e7a4fc>

Register your children — Volunteer to help



Knights of Columbus — Council 12195 — Grand Knight, Ed Yahn

MEETING. Next meeting Tuesday, May 7 at 6:00 pm in the Battaglino Center.

Knights of Columbus Family of the Month: CONGRATULATIONS to Mick & Sheila Reilly of service to better our council, parish, community.

JOIN US. As we continue to celebrate Blessed Michael J. McGivney's Beautification, enter PROMO code [BLESSEDMCGIVNEY](#) to join online for free. Go to [kofc.org/JOIN](#)



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

MEETING. Next meeting Tuesday, April 23 at 6:00pm in Battaglino Hall, It is time to celebrate January—June Birthdays! Come and enjoy a treat. Bring a friend or two.

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



let's play cricket!



Activities: group picture, card game of UNO, tour of sanctuary, sacristy, rectory, game of cricket, popsicle treat. Selfie with Fr. Joseph and lots and lots of pictures. Priceless...



making memories.



end of a GREAT day!



Infirm, Shut-ins, Homebound. Do you know any parishioners who may be confined to their home (temporarily, permanently) and may like to receive the Eucharist on regular basis? Please let parish office know.



Fr. Joseph will gladly pay a visit for communion, confession or just to talk. Contact parish office at 304-242-6579 of any parishioners in hospitals as well.

Our Communication Ministry sends out greetings cards (get well, 70+ birthday, sympathy, thinking of you, etc) and bulletins. Be a part of this great ministry.

We gladly accept donations of greetings cards. Drop off in parish office or leave in



SAVED BY THE ONE WHO WAS REJECTED

Some city teenagers often scorn and reject farm kids. Yet it's no exaggeration to say that humanity owes its life to farmers who care for the world's crops and livestock. This week's scriptures remind us that Jesus was as rejected as a shepherd, a farm boy, yet we owe our very lives to him. In this Sunday's reading from the Acts of the Apostles Peter tells the people that salvation comes through Jesus Christ, the one who was rejected. In John's letter we hear that we have become God's beloved children through Jesus, whom the world did not

know. Lastly, in the Gospel Jesus describes himself as the Good Shepherd who "lays down his life for the sheep" (John 10:11). Will you join Jesus in laying down your life for God's beloved flock?



Bereavement Gathering Grief from a Faith Perspective

If you, or someone you know has lost a loved one and may benefit from a gathering for those grieving, please join us 6:00pm at St. John's Parish Hall (700 Main St. in Benwood). Next meeting is on April 29

Catholic Neighborhood Center 18th Street Volunteer Opportunity

The center is in need of route drivers to deliver meals to shut-ins throughout Wheeling area. The center delivers hot meals six days a week. Call Tracey 304-232-7157, ext 2004 for details.



Saint George: tradition holds that he was decapitated perhaps in Palestine before the reign of Constantine; legend portrays him as a knight and dragon slayer; since the crusades, patron of England, Constantinople.

TUESDAY, APRIL 23.

Wednesday, April 24. St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen: from



Swabia; known as the "lawyer of the poor" before becoming a Capuchin; preached in the canton of the Grisons; protomartyr of Propaganda Fide.

"It is because of faith that we exchange the present for the future."

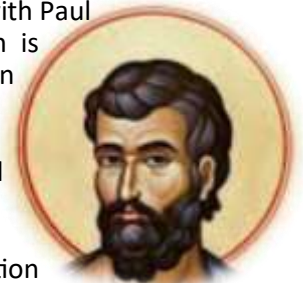


Saint Adalbert: born of a noble family in Bohemia; at age twenty-six elected bishop of Prague; forced to leave See twice due to political oppression; buried in Gniezo, first capital Poland; patron of Bohemia, Czech Republic, Prussia; patron of Poland.

The PRESENT is the only time you have to merit Heaven and escape Hell. The PAST you cannot recall, and of the FUTURE, you are not sure. Be sure to use the present well and decide daily whether you wish to be in Heaven or in Hell. ---Baltimore Catechism No. 4, #421

Thursday, April 25. Feast of Saint Mark, Evangelist:

cousin of Barnabas; associated with Paul and Peter; gospel ascribed to him is the oldest and shortest; collection of narratives that depict Jesus as being almost constantly active; presents Jesus as the Son of God whose ministry was marked by a series of mighty works, signs of God's power and kingdom; tradition hold Mark as the first bishop of Alexandria; portrayed as a winged lion; patron of Egypt, of Venice, of notaries. *"A humble man who lives a spiritual life, when he reads the Holy Scriptures, while relate all things to himself and not to others."*



PRAYER MINISTRY (request prayers)

Bonnie Henry: jake065@comcast.net
or call 304-639-4996.
Parish Office parish@olpww.org
or call 304-242-6579

*Rejoice always. PRAY without ceasing.
In all circumstances give thanks, for this
is the will of God for you in Christ Jesus.
—1 Thessalonians 5: 16-18*



Commemorating 100th Anniversary of Benwood Mine Disaster in Prayer

The Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston invites the public to a special prayer service at 4pm, Sunday, April 28, at Mt Calvary Cemetery, 1685 National Road, Wheeling, to commemorate the 100th anniversary of the Benwood mine disaster. The event will honor the lives of 119 men and boys, who lost their lives as a result of two explosions within the Wheeling Steel Coal Mine in Benwood on April 28, 1924. While the miners were from the surrounding communities on both side of the Ohio River, the majority were immigrants from Poland, Greece, Italy, Hungary, Russia, Serbia, Croatia, Lithuania, and Ukraine. Notably many were

also Catholic, belonging to St. John Parish in Benwood and St. Ladislaus in South Wheeling. The memorial on April 28th this year will take place at the site at Mt. Calvary, where the largest mass burial in Wheeling ever took place. In all 72 miners are buried at the Catholic cemetery. There are 65 buried at the Mass grave, where the gravesite service was conducted in three languages. Seven other miners were buried in other areas, including three Hungarian immigrant friends, whose families chose to have them buried together. Their names were Istvan Vargo, Ignac Orban, and Sandor Horvath. Victims of the disaster including those miners who were burned beyond recognition were buried in a mass grave at Greenwood Cemetery across the street.



info@olpschool.org
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SCHOOL NEWS

- Apr 20-May 10 NWEA Testing Window
25 WPL Golf Scramble
26 School Mass at 8:30
First Communion Retreat
28 First Communion Mass at 1:00pm
May 3 School Mass
Noon Dismissal for Grades 1-8
K 2024-25 Visit-No PK4/K Classes
Faculty Plan/Sched Mtg 24/25
5 10:30 Mass-May Crowning
—mass lead by Grades 2 & 8
9-11 Grade 8 Trip to Washington D.C.
TBA Middle School Orientation
14 Fine Arts Recital
15 Last Day for PK3
16 Last Day for PK4 & K-PK/K
—Special Ceremony
17 School Mass
Gr. 8 Last Day/Lunch/Walk-Through



Kroger Community Rewards

Enroll in this great program and you will earn rewards for Our Lady of Peace School EVERY TIME you shop, using your Plus Card (or alternate ID# like telephone#). Be a part of this great program. Everyone wins. (purchases excludes gas, gift cards, alcohol, pharmacy). Thank you for your support.

**THINK BEFORE YOU TRASH IT
RECYCLE IS THE WAY TO GO !**



POP TABS. Grade 6 is collecting Pop Tabs to be given to the Ronald McDonald House.

RECYCLE NEWSPAPER. Box in back of the church and is recycled every week.

SODA CANS. Bring to Quigley's 663 Fairmont Pike in Mt. Olivet. Remember to mention Our Lady of Peace to add to OLP account.

USED INK AND TONER CARTRIDGES: Bring in your used ink, toner cartridges to parish office or back of church; redeemed for coupons to purchase office supplies. Thank you!

Parish School of Religion

Apr 21 Class Apr 28 Class
May 5 Last Class



- April 21: PSR Mass at 10:30am.
All are welcome. Bring the whole family!
—GOOD LUCK MARIA! She and her school teammates are going to San Diego, CA to participate in the National LifeSmarts Championship this month. LifeSmarts is a national educational competition focused on personal finance and consumer topics.
—Keep Olivia, Steven and Lucas in your prayers. They will celebrate the Sacrament of First Communion on April 28 at 1:00pm

Tess Morando, PSR Coordinator 304-280-9282

Athletic Banquet

April 16, 2024

PANTHER PRIDE

Jackson Bell

STROPE AWARD

Brailyn Ghaphery

PAPPA AWARD

Aadan Ward

GR. 5 & 6 GIRLS BASKETBALL

Season Runner-up
Tournament Runner-up

GR. 7 & 8 VOLLEYBALL

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Tournament Champions

GR. 7 & 8 GIRLS BASKETBALL

Undefeated Season
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