



Fourth Sunday in Easter

OUR LADY OF PEACE - MAY 11, 2025

690 Mount Olivet Road, Wheeling WV 26003

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PARISH OFFICE

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 Cecilia Donahoe, Office Manager
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 Lorie Lipinski, Secretary

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

PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION

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*"I have made you a light
to the Gentiles,
that you may be an
instrument of salvation
to the ends of the earth."
— Acts 13:47b*



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 5:00-5:45pm. 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. Contact Fr. Joseph if anticipating surgery to request this sacrament prior to entering the 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 EDUCATION

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 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 Ueltschy
Good Shepherd: Karen Simons, Julie Stocking
Joseph Bechtel

Last Weekend Collection	Env	Amount
Weekly	111	\$5,582.00
Votive Candles	1	44.00
PayPal	2	266.07
Maintenance Collection	54	1,450.00
TOTAL	168	\$7,342.07
WEEKEND MASS ATTENDANCE: 357		

May Second Collections

May 22. Catholic Relief Services . Funds provide food to the hungry, support displaced refugees and bring Christ's love and mercy to vulnerable people here and abroad.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUAL PARISH SUPPORT

MAIL TO Our Lady of Peace Parish
690 Mt. Olivet Road, Wheeling WV 26003
DROP OFF at the parish office
call 304-242-6579 for office hours
ONLINE Personal Banking (checking acct)
add Our Lady of Peace to online banking

Liturgical Ministers for this Weekend

May 10/11, 2025

Svr; Reader; EMHC (Body); EMHC/EMHC (Blood). Grtr

—SATURDAY (Vigil), May 10

5:00pm L.Komorowski/S.&L.Kasserman/R.Williams
MJ.Keim;J.E.Yahn;C.Yahn/B.Pack Henrys

—SUNDAY, May 11

8:30am B.&C. McLean/O.&B. Castle
M.Thalman;BeckyD.;C.Schane/A.Castle Schanes

10:30am Lo&Li Wycherley/E.Kerr
P.Bach;S.Wilson;P.Gantzer/C.Donahoe Morando

DATE	MONEY COUNTERS
May 11	George Hores, Marlene Evans
May 18	Rick Wilson, Colleen Megna

Liturgical Ministers for next Weekend

May 17/18, 2025

Svr; Reader; EMHC (Body); EMHC/EMHC (Blood). Grtr

—SATURDAY (Vigil), May 17


5:00pm J.Hodgdon/A.Mattern/S.Kasserman
B.Cox;B.Pack;H.Nikolaus/J.Sanders Mary/Keith

—SUNDAY, May 18

8:30am R.Ross/D.Lucas/A.Glenn
L.Glenn;A.Castle;BeckyD./C.Schane Sechrest

10:30am A.Kurko/D.&I.Zdilla/E.Kime
D.Gantzer;C.Zdilla;M.Gantzer/S.Wilson Peg/Sheila

New Liturgical Schedule is complete. OLP students check Thursday May 15th packet. Schedule will be mailed to PSR students.

MASS DATE	TIMES	MASS INTENTIONS	READINGS
Saturday (Vigil), May 10 Fourth Sunday of Easter	(4:00 PM) 5:00 PM	(Adoration/Divine Mercy/Confession) † Marlene Tice <i>by Jennifer & Mark Jarrett</i>	Acts 13:14, 43-52 Ps100:1-2, 3, 5 Rev 7:9, 14b-17 Jn 10:27-30
Sunday, May 11 Fourth Sunday of Easter	8:30 AM 10:30 AM	Parishioners of Our Lady of Peace † Joanne Therese Driscoll <i>by Tom & Tess Morando</i>	 Acts 11:1-18 Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4 Jn 10:1-10
Monday, May 12 Saints Nereus and Achilleus Saint Pancras	(No Mass)	(Rosary at 8:00am)	Acts 11:1-18 Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4 Jn 10:1-10
Tuesday, May 13 Our Lady of Fatima	8:00AM	† Mark Jesionowski <i>by John & Donna Pastorius</i>	Acts 11:19-26 Ps 87:1b-3, 4-5, 6-7 Jn 10:22-30
Wednesday, May 14	(5:00PM) 6:00 PM	(Adoration/Rosary/Confession/Novena) Rosary Altar Society <i>by RAS</i> <i>(members living & deceased)</i>	Acts 1:15-17, 20-26 Ps 113:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 Jn 15:9-17
Thursday, May 15	8:00 AM	† Donald Sileo <i>requested by a friend</i>	Acts 13:13-25 Ps 89:2-3, 21-22, 25 & 27 Jn 13:16-20
Friday, May 16	8:30 AM	† Evelyn Ghaphery <i>by family</i>	Acts 13:26-33 Ps 2:6-7, 8-9, 10-11ab Jn 14:1-6
Saturday (Vigil), May 17 Fifth Sunday of Easter	(4:00 PM) 5:00 PM	(Adoration/Divine Mercy/Confession) † Dr. John Jr., Carmella & Virginia Battaglino <i>requested by a friend</i>	Acts 14:21-27 Ps 145:8-9, 10-11, 12-13 Rev 21:1-5a Jn 13:31-33a, 34-35
Sunday, May 18 Fifth Sunday of Easter	8:30 AM 10:30 AM	† Nancy Hinton <i>by Jane Mahlke</i> Parishioners of Our Lady of Peace	

SHEPHERDS LIKE JESUS

Each year this Fourth Sunday of Easter celebrates Jesus the Good Shepherd. Today's Gospel seems especially timely, for as Christians worldwide suffer persecution like Paul and Barnabas, Jesus promises his sheep enduring, invincible safety: "They shall never perish. No one can take them out of



my hand." But we who are free to live our faith peacefully sometimes take our membership in Jesus' flock for granted, wandering astray to seek our own pleasure and prosperity. The simple cross that Pope Francis always wears seems to show us how Jesus responds to that. Francis's cross features an image of Jesus, who has sought and found a lost sheep, then joyfully set it on his shoulders to carry it gently home. May Good Shepherd Sunday inspire us, so often lost and found ourselves, to assist Jesus in seeking, finding, and gently carrying

home our fellow precious lambs.

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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*





Sunday

May your days be marked with untold joy and peace for all that you are

Happy Mother's Day to all of you fantastic moms out there! Whether you're a mother, grandma, stepmom, adoptive mom, foster mom, godmother, mama to a fur baby, aunt, sister, like-a-mom, someone's second mom, mama to an angel baby, or aching to still fulfill your parenthood dream, today we celebrate YOU! Your love, kindness and sacrifice makes this world a better place.



A LITTLE CATHOLIC HUMOR



You may wish to offer a Mass for several reasons: for example, in thanksgiving, the intentions of another person (such as on a birthday), or most common, for the repose of the soul of someone who has died. Call parish office 304-242-6579 to schedule mass intentions for 2025 first come, first serve basis.

Weekend \$20
Weekday \$10



Mary brings us to her Son

Mary's life on Earth was dedicated to bring the Savior to humanity. Now that she is in Heaven, she continues to bring our concerns to her Son. Praying the "hail Mary" is a wonderful way to honor our Heavenly Mother.



Hail Mary, full of grace: Conceived without Original Sin, Mary's will and intellect were predisposed to holiness. Grace helped her to live a difficult life without sinning.

The Lord is with thee. Blessed are thou among women: Mary was honored to be chosen as Jesus' mother.

Blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus. Mary knew how great Jesus would be but she also knew what the prophets wrote about how he would suffer and die. As his mother, she wanted to share his joy and her sorrow.

Holy Mary, Mother of God. Mary loved her child even more than most parents because he was her Lord and Savior, too.

Pray for us sinners. When Jesus took his last breaths on the Cross, Mary's job of being Mother of the Savior broadened to become Mother of the world. Now she cares for all of us.

Now and at the hour of death. On Earth, Mary brought her Son to us. Now she brings us to the heart of her Son. She prays for us always because that is what a mother does. Amen.

Our Lady of Peace
Parish & School 
GATHER US IN

AFTER MASS SOCIAL
June 7/8

GOOD FOOD, FUN & FELLOWSHIP



May 10-16 Birthdays

Madison Denham, Brian Blake, Jeneane Miller, Steve Roth, Stephanie Russell, Rosie Braswell, Tom Burke, Jase Cox, Hanna Oliver, Marisa Tordella, Bradlee Clark, Brian Keys, Natalie Moses, Emersyn Roth, Kevin Schane, James Schnupp, Richard Hamilton, Steven Hilliard, William Hunnell, Zane Harvey, Julia Paulus, Stephanie Thompson, Emily Megna



Knights of Columbus — Council 12195 — Grand Knight, Ed Yahn
MEETING. Next meeting on Tuesday, June 3 at 6:00pm in the Battaglino Hall
SERVICE TO ONE - SERVICE TO ALL

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FAMILY OF THE MONTH: CONGRATULATIONS goes to
Nathan & Kirby Fazio for service to better our council, parish, school and community.



Ladies Auxilliary of the K of C ★ President - Marilyn Thalman
MEETING: Next meeting May 27 at 6:00pm in the 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

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



Watch for more information in upcoming bulletin about our parish picnic this year!



HELP US REACH OUR goal of 2,500 pairs!

We are off to a great start! Thank you.

May 12. Saints Nereus and Achilles: Pope St. Damascus states that they were Praetorian soldiers who converted to Christianity; their acta report that they were beheaded during the reign of Trajan on the island of Terracina.



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May 13. Our Lady of Fatima: the Blessed Virgin Mary appeared to three children near Fatima, Portugal. Mary asked the children to pray the rosary for world peace, for the end of World War I, for sinners and for conversion of Russia.



May 14. Saint Matthias: Chosen to replace Judas; qualified because he witnessed Jesus ministry and resurrection; said to have suffered martyrdom either at Colchis or in Jerusalem; mentioned in the Roman Canon.



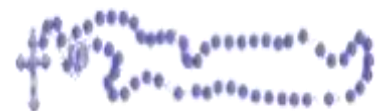
May 12. Saint Pancras: his 'acts' state that he was a Syrian or Phrygian orphan who came to Rome where he was converted to Christianity. "Though I am a child in body, my heart is old, and by the virtue of my Lord Jesus Christ, your threats and menaces move me no more than does the painting that I see upon the wall."

OFFICE OF SAFE ENVIRONMENT
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We need all Volunteers up to date by the end of May for the audit. If you are not UpToDate you will receive a letter in the mail with information on what needs completed. Thank you for your cooperation. The May bulletin is available in back of church.

Rosary Altar Society
Bake Sale
May 17/18



Remember to stop by the tables in back of church this weekend to purchase homemade baked goods. Proceeds help supply altar linens and other liturgical items for the parish. Thank you for your support.



Our Lady of Peace CSA 2025 goal is \$26,500. First 50% of the parish goal contribution goes to the diocese to support various ministries and outreach efforts.

As of date: \$9,785 collected — 32gifts — 37%



304-242-1383
info@olpschool.org
School News



May 15 Last Day for PK3
Last Day PK4 & K—PK/K
Special Cere. 6:30
16 Mass 8:30am
Gr. 8: Last Day/Luncheon/Walk Through
19 - 23 Grade 6-7 Exams
20 Graduation Banquet 6:00pm
21 Graduation Liturgy 6:30pm
23 Field Day
23 Closing Mass 8:30am
Report Cards/Awards/Noon Dism.
26 Memorial Day— No School
27 School Picnic
29 Last Day Faculty
June 13 School Office Closes

Have a great summer
Students & Staff !!!

**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!

"We are his people, the sheep of his flock." ...Psalm 100

Parish School of Religion



Thank you Teachers: Marty, Stephanie & Annie— Have a great summer students

Marty 304-312-8964 mmedovic@comcast.net

Vacation Bible School News

We would like to gather for a planning meeting soon. Bring your FUN ideas and talent. GREAT NEWS! We have two ladies stepping up to be co-leaders. Meeting date to be announced. We need help with setup, registration, pre-show, classes, aids, snacks, outdoor activities. *Attention High School/Confirmation students— help and earn service hours. Please call parish office 304-242-6579



May 15. Saint Isidore: Sent forth as a messenger. Paul proclaims the Lord's favor in his discourse in Antioch in Pisidia. "If a man wants to be always in God's company, he must pray regularly and read regularly."



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2025/2026 School Year Enrollment

Enrollment is now underway at CCHS for the new school year. We Want YOU in Maroon! Visit our website cchsknights.org click admission then apply now or please call the school at 304-233-1660 to get started. We look forward to hearing from you!



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#) Get (purchases excludes gas, gift cards, alcohol, pharmacy). Check the bottom of your receipt, look for Our Lady of Peace. A percentage will go towards tuition. Call office for information.

St. Alphonsus Rosary Procession - Help lead the Rosary Procession May 13th 7:00pm, see flyer in back of church.

Rosary Procession - Memorial Of Our Lady Of Fatima, Tuesday May 13, 7:00pm see flyer in back of church.

Rosaries For Vocations In West Virginia - Beginning in May 2025 and extending a full year to May 2026. See flyer in back of church.

Healing, Health, Hope Earth Festival— Sunday, May 18th, 1-5pm. Mount St. Joseph & St. Joseph Retreat Center. See flyer in back of church.

Bereavement Gathering Grief from a Faith Perspective - They are held at Saint John Parish Center in Bentwood, 6:00pm - 7:30pm Next Meeting May 19.

Pilgrimage Sites in West Virginia, Jubilee Year of Hope— Cathedral of St. Joseph, Wheeling, Basilica of the Co-Cathedral of Sacred Heart, Charleston. St. Patrick Church, Weston. St. Joseph Parish, Martinsburg. See flyer

TOGETHER IN FAITH Wheeling Vicariate - Two ways to join the group; one is to have current member invite someone or someone can search for "Wheeling Vicariate Together in Faith" and we will approve membership.

Father Sebastian Deasia Holy Year Italy Pilgrimage - September 2-11. Florence, Siena, Assisi, Rome. See flyer in back of church.

International Society of St. Vincent de Paul — **"It is better to give than to receive"**

This Catholic lay organization leads women and men to join together to service those who are needy and suffering. If you would like to attend a meeting, call Mary Lou Kent 740-298-535.

Saint Monica Group - Meet once a month, every first Wednesday Evening after Mass and Adoration. We are a support group for those who have loved ones that have left the Faith. See flyer



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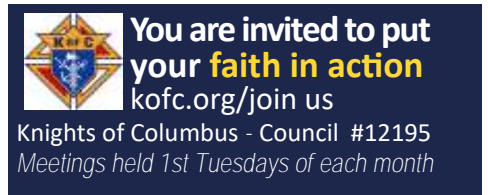
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Middle School Discernment Retreat
See Flyer



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