



May the strength of God pilot us,  
 may the wisdom of God instruct us,  
 may the hand of God protect us,  
 may the word of God direct us.  
 Be always ours this day and  
 for evermore. — St. Patrick



## Our Lady of Peace Parish - March 19, 2023

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Parish Office number: 304-242-6579 Business Hours: Monday-Friday, 8:30am-2:00pm

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### JOINING THE PARISH

New parishioners are welcome.  
 Contact the parish office to register.  
 Visit our website: [olpww.org](http://olpww.org) to print  
 out our registration form.

### SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday (Vigil): 5:00pm  
 -Divine Mercy Chaplet 4:00pm  
 Sunday: 8:30am, 10:30am

### WEEKDAY MASSES

Tuesday, Thursday: 8:00am  
 (followed by the Rosary)  
 Wednesday: 6:00pm  
 (Adoration: 5-6:00pm; Confession,  
 Rosary: 5:00pm; Benediction 5:45;  
 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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# Fourth Sunday in Lent Laetare Sunday

March 19, 2023

The LORD is my shepherd  
there is nothing I shall want.

— Psalm 23:1



### 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

Please Remember in Prayer  
Infirm and Shut-ins of the Parish

Continuous Care: Carla Ueltschy

Good Shepherd: Karen Simons

Please keep us informed of any parishioners in nursing homes, shut-ins, infirmed, hospitals, etc.

Last week's collections	Env	Amount
Last Week's collection	100	\$ 4,898.00
PayPal online transfer	4	410.76
Easter Flowers	7	140.00
Infant of Prague novena	—	85.00
Maintenance Reserve Fund	5	110.00
DWC Retirement Religious	5	379.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>121</b>	<b>\$ 6,022.76</b>
Mass 286 - THANK YOU!		

Parish Building Maintenance Reserve Fund.  
THANK YOU for your continual support. Funds have been used for the church painting, and replacement of church heating system which required major maintenance repairs.

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or credit card or debit card

**Fourth Sunday of Lent, "LAETARE SUNDAY,** is when the Church takes a bit of breather from Lenten practice and opens Mass with **Entrance Antiphon, "Rejoice, Jerusalem ... Be joyful, all who were in mourning!"** –

taken from Isaiah chapter 66.

Laetare Sunday, takes its name from the Latin word which begins the entrance antiphon (introit) for that day.

Laetare means rejoice, and this Sunday is marked by a relaxation of the penitential character of the Lenten season.

Laetare Sunday is meant to give us hope and encouragement as we slowly progress towards the Paschal Feast.

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MONEY COUNTERS	
Mar 19	Tiffany Hoffman, Colleen Megna
Mar 26	George Hores, Cecilia Donahoe

MASS DATE	TIME	MASS INTENTIONS	READINGS
Sat, (Vigil), March 18 Fourth Sunday of Lent	(4:00 PM) 5:00 PM	(Adoration/Chaplet of Divine Mercy) † Delores Christman <i>by Sylvia Molinivich</i>	1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a Ps 23: 1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 Eph 5:8-14 Jn 9:1-41
Sunday, March 19 Fourth Sunday in Lent —Laetare Sunday	8:30 AM 10:30 AM	† Charles Shepherd <i>by Cork &amp; Patti Schane</i> Parishioners of Our Lady of Peace	
Monday, March 20 Saint Joseph, spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary	*8:30 AM *6:00 PM  (7:00 PM)	Intention of School † John Callahan <i>by Ed &amp; Mary Ann Palmer</i>  (Infant of Prague Novena)	2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16 Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27 and 29 Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22 Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a
Tuesday, March 21	8:00 AM	† Cecelia Hooper <i>by Cecilia Donahoe</i>	Ez 47:1-9, 12 Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9 Jn 5:1-16
Wednesday, March 22 <div style="border: 1px dashed black; padding: 2px; display: inline-block;">No Wed 8:30am School Mass</div>	(5:00 PM) 6:00 PM	(Adoration/Confession/Rosary) † Robert Jones <i>by Family</i>  ADORATION 	Is 49:8-15 Ps 145:8-9, 13cd-14, 17-18 Jn 5:17-30
Thursday, March 23 Saint Turibius of Mogrovejo	8:00 AM	† Jeff Dougherty <i>by Pat &amp; Joe Trubiano</i>	Ex 32:7-14 Ps 106:19-20, 21-22, 23 Jn 5:31-47
Friday, March 24	*8:00 AM (7:00 PM)	† Cheryl Bringman <i>by Judy Miller</i> (Stations of the Cross)	Wis 2:1a, 12-22 Ps 34:17-18, 19-20, 21, 23 Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30
Sat, (Vigil), March 25 Fifth Sunday of Lent	(4:00 PM) 5:00 PM	(Adoration/Chaplet of Divine Mercy) † Dr. John, Carmella, Virginia Battaglini <i>requested by a friend</i>	Ez 37:12-14 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 Rom 8:8-11 Jn 11:1-45
Sunday, March 26 Fifth Sunday in Lent	8:30 AM 10:30 AM	† Barb Klug <i>by Ron Klug</i> Parishioners of Our Lady of Peace	

Distribution of the Sacred Cup at Mass will begin on Holy Thursday, April 6, which is the memorial of the Lord's institution of the Eucharist. *Read Bishop Brennan's letter in its entirety; the letter is posted on the community board.*



To all current Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion (EMHC) and anyone interested in joining this ministry, plan to attend this very important meeting on Wednesday, March 22 after the 6:00pm mass.

DATE	TIME	ALTAR SERVERS	READER	EMHC	GREETERS
<b>Mar 18</b>	5:00 PM	A. Mattern / N.Weaver/ N. Thalman	P. Bach	E. Yahn	B. Cox
<b>Mar 19</b>	8:30 AM	A. & J. Reynolds / S. Roth	T. Burke	B.Dougherty	S. Sechrest
	10:30 AM	Gia & Gr. Bishop / S. Kurko	T. Morando	P. Gantzer	S. Wilson
<b>Mar 25</b>	5:00 PM	N. Weaver / R. Williams / A. Mattern	R. Oliver	H. Nikolaus	Wilsons
<b>Mar 26</b>	8:30 AM	L & A. Glenn / R. Ross	W. Medovic	K. Zinn	Moses
	10:30 AM	Lor. & Lil Wycherley / C. Kerr	D. Gantzer	T. Morando	P.Kleinedler

**ATTENTION SERVERS, READERS, EMHCS: Easter schedules for Palm Sunday, Holy Thursday, Good Friday, Easter Vigil and Easter Sunday are posted in the back of church. Please sign-up if you are able to help out.**



### Our Lady of Peace Parish Infant of Prague Novena

March 20 at 7:00 pm  
Homilist: Fr. Jeeson Stephan

*This week's special intention:*  
-for all the unborn children-

*"The More You Honor Me, The More I Will Bless You"*

- Greeters: Mary Bonenberger
- Reader: Sylvia H. Music: Marilyn Schnupp
- Servers (K of C): Tom B., Rick W., Jerry M.

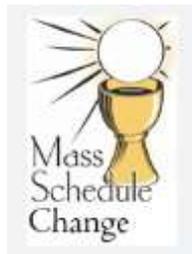
**LENTEN PENANCE SERVICE**  
 will be held Wednesday, March 29  
 at 6:00pm. Father Joseph, and visiting  
 clergy (Fr. Paul, Fr. Cyprian, Fr. Michael)  
 will be available for individual  
 confessions. Join us. Bring the family.



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.



**This Week Mass Time Changes**  
 Monday: Feast of St. Joseph  
 8:30am School Mass  
 (no school mass Wednesday)  
 6:00pm Evening Mass



Friday: 8:00am Morning Mass

**Pray the Rosary before Weekend Masses**  
 We would like to bring back the Recitation of the Holy Rosary, prayed 30 minutes before Mass time at our weekend Masses. Come early to pray or lead the rosary or help recite a decade. See the bulletin insert. *We also recite the rosary after the 8:00 morning masses on the weekdays.*



**Evening Mass  
 of the Lord's Supper**  
 Reception of Oils  
 Washing of the Feet

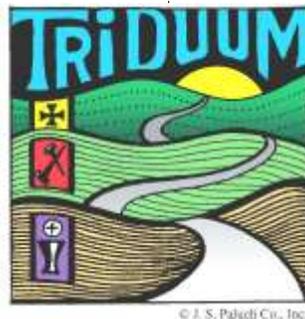
**April 6 at 7:00pm**

—followed by Chapel of Repose  
(in the gym until midnight)



**April 8 at 8:30pm**

Service of Light  
Paschal Candle



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**Good Friday**  
 of the Lord's Passion  
 Veneration of the Cross

**April 7 at 7:00pm**

**Stations of the Cross 6:00pm**



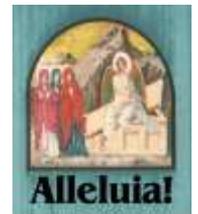
**Easter Sunday**

Resurrection of the Lord

**April 9**

**8:30 & 10:30am**

Easter Egg Hunt immediately follows the 10:30am Mass



### March 18-24 Birthdays

Ella Finley, Robert Francis, Denise Kinnick, Avery Lee, Rhett Schodzinski, Laurie Henry, Stephani Seidler, Ted Callahan, Jessica Cox, Matthew Uhly, Tyler Fox, Susan Berisford, Lila Cook, Zachary Higgins, Roy Huggins, Damian Zdilla, Nadene Thiele, Paula Zimla, Brian Ghaphery, Judy Kociban

Fr. Joseph invites all to get their house blessed.

**20 + C + M + B + 23**

Takes fifteen minutes, walking from room to room, sprinkling with holy water, reciting prayer. Scheduled visits have started Call parish office;

**Our Lady of Peace**  
 Parish & School  
**GATHER US IN**

**MASS SOCIAL**  
**Sat & Sun**  
**APR 1/2**

**GOOD FOOD, FUN & FELLOWSHIP !**



Knights of Columbus — Council 12195 — Grand Knight, Ed Yahn MEETING. Next meeting on Tuesday, April 4 at 6:00pm in the Battaglino Center. LENTEN FISH FRY. Fish Fry continues on Fridays in Lent (no Fish Fry on Good Friday). Dine in or Take out available. All are welcome.

CHANGE FOR LIFE BOTTLES. Baby Bottles will be collected April 1/2 or drop off at parish office or to a member of K of C. Please fill with change, bills or checks (make payable to K of C Council #12195). Proceeds will provide practical, compassionate aid for needy pregnant women and families with young children through the Gabriel Project of WV. More bottles available in back of the church.

FORTY CANS FOR LENT. Please fill containers in back of church during Lent of non perishable items. They will be dropped off at the Catholic Neighborhood Center 18th Street throughout Lent.

### IN SERVICE TO ONE — IN SERVICE TO ALL

The Knights of Columbus Family of the Month: Congratulations to the Bill Pack Family in recognition of service to better our council, parish and community. Great job !

—SIGN-UP SHEETS IN BACK OF CHURCH—

#### BREAD—MAKING

Help make bread for Holy Thursday. We will gather in the kitchen of the school to mix, knead, bake, and wrap a dozen. Sign up. All are welcome.

#### WASHING OF THE FEET

Sign up to get your feet washed at the Holy Thursday mass. Any gender, age. Be one of twelve this year. It will be an experience you will not forget.

#### CHAPEL OF REPOSE (until midnight)

Holy Thursday mass leads us to the Peace Family Center, transformed for the Chapel of Repose. Sign up to keep watch, sit and pray in the presence of the Sacred Host, consecrated at mass to be used tomorrow on Good Friday. All are welcome at anytime.

“Could you not watch one hour with me?”

Monday, March 20.

Saint Joseph, spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary: Joseph declared Patron of the Universal Church in 1870 by Pope Pius IX and Guardian of the Redeemer in 1989 by Pope John Paul II; patron of workers and carpenters; also of Austria, Belgium, Bohemia, Canada, México, Peru and (south) Vietnam.



Thursday, March 23. Saint Turibius of Mogrovejo: chief judge of the Inquisition at Granada; as archbishop of Lima, presided over the III Council of Lima; established the first seminary in the Americas; sought o alleviate poverty among native population; patron of Latin American bishop. “Time is not our own and we must give a strict account of it.”



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

MEETING. Join us on Tuesday, March 28 at 6:00pm in the Battaglino Center.

SHOE COLLECTION CAMPAIGN. We are up and running.! Looking for gently worn, used and new shoes from Feb. thru July. (This gives us 6 months to collect the required 2500 pairs of shoes). We have placed bins in the church and in the school for ease in helping us with this campaign. We did this twice already. First attempt collected 3,575 pairs of shoes and second attempt 3,165 pairs. We feel certain we will reach our required goal of 2500 pairs. Help us out!

BAKERS FOR FISH FRY. Thank you ladies for baking and selling a variety of delicious homemade baked goods at the Fish Fry on Fridays in Lent.

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



**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 Street in Benwood).

Next Meeting on March 27

**Prayer:** take steps to pray more during Lent

- pray the rosary every day
- weekday mass (Mon/Wed pm; Tue/Thur am )
- Infant of Prague Novena (Mondays)
- attend Stations of the Cross (Fridays)
- Adoration (Wednesdays and Saturdays)
- attend Chaplet of Divine Mercy (Saturday)
- go to confession (Wed., Sat., Penance Svc)



# Ask for grace to practice the works of God.

**Almsgiving:** take steps outside ordinary lives and routines

- Help Catholic Neighborhood Center 18th Street
- Donate food, clothing to a shelter
- Visit the sick, pray for the dead, visit a cemetery
- Donate canned goods for 40 Cans of Lent
- Sign up to help serve meals to the needy
- Give your Time—Talent—Treasure



Weekday Mass is canceled when there is a delay or a cancellation for Marshall County or Ohio County

Schools, Be safe. Stay home. Stay warm. Call 304-231-4053.

**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. Please contact the parish office at 304-242-6579 of any parishioners in the hospitals as well. Thank you.



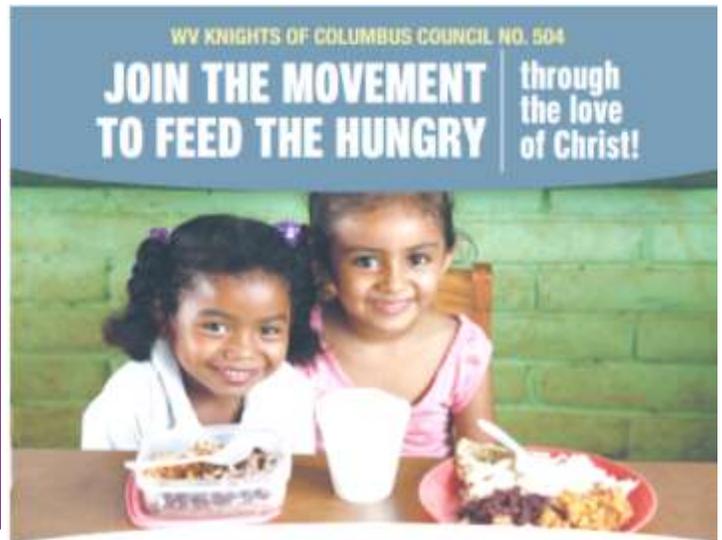
**Women's Retreat**

Co-sponsored with the DWC Office of Evangelization and Catechesis

Listening to Your Inner Voice:

Picture above: "I Prayed for the Heart of a Star" by Sr Mary Southard CSJ [www.ministryofhearts.org](http://www.ministryofhearts.org) with permission.

Grace Unfolding ented by Karen A. Vernal. Women's retreat will be held March 24-26 at St. John XXIII Pastoral Center in Charleston WV. Brochure in back of church for information on presenter, retreat schedule and contacts.



Provide nutritious meals for children and families in developing countries, and show God's love for them through your faith in action.

Come and pack **60,000** meals with us!

**Saturday, April 15, 2023**

8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Wheeling University | 316 Washington Ave., Wheeling, WV

**For more information contact Tom Burke at 304-281-6640 or email: [tburke1038@aol.com](mailto:tburke1038@aol.com)**



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