THE TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME

Our Lady of Peace Parish - September 17, 2023

690 Mount Olivet Road, Wheeling WV 26003
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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: olpwv.org to print out our registration form.

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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Tess Morando, Coordinator
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Rectory: 304-242-6575

Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 17, 2023

Forgive your neighbor's injustice; then when you pray, your own sins will be forgiven. — *Sirach 28:2*

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@olpwv.org

Liturgical Ministers for Next Week

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

—SATURDAY *(Vigil)*, September 23, 2023
5:00pm M. & A. Potts / Z. Grisell
A.Castle; E.Yahn; H.Nikolaus/J.Sanders: Greet

—SUNDAY, September 24, 2023
8:30am A. & J. Reynolds / S. Roth
C.Schane; B.Dougherty; P.Schane/K.Roth; Greet

10:30am D.Koehl/ Lor & Lil Wycherley
B.Roth; P.Gantzer; S.Wilson/T.Morando; Greeter

— **THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE** ON SIGN-UP SHEET
—SVR, RDR, EMHC SCHEDULE IN BACK OF CHURCH
—THANK YOU FOR YOUR TIME IN THIS MINISTRY

Please Remember in Prayer
Infirmed and Shut-ins, the Sick of our Parish

Continuous Care: Carla Ueltschy, Judy Fetty
Good Shepherd: Karen Simons, Julie Stocking

Please contact parish office of any parishioner who may like to have a visit from Fr. Joseph for confession, communion or talk. Thank you.

Last week's collections	Env	Amount
Weekend Collection	128	$ 4,886.00
Paypal online transfer	3	386.97
Maintenance Reserve Fund	11	270.00
TOTAL	**142**	**$ 5,542.97**
Attendance: 307— Thank you very much!		

September Second Collection

23/24 Catholic University of America. Funds provide scholarships for students enrolled from 50 states, approx. 100 countries in 12 schools.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUAL PARISH SUPPORT

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call 304-242-6579 for office hours

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MONEY COUNTERS	
Sept 17	Sherri Mason, Colleen Megna
Sept 24	George Hores, Rick Wilson

First 50% PARISH GOAL ($12,460) remains in the diocese for various ministries and outreach efforts. Amount over first 50% of the parish goal returns to parish, free of PHRA/Cathedraticum assessments.

35 gifts
$10,902
44%

MASS DATE	TIME	MASS INTENTIONS	READINGS
Saturday (Vigil), Sept 16 Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time	(4:00 PM) 5:00 PM	(Adoration / Divine Mercy / Confession) † M/M Robert "Herk" Henry, Sr. *by James and Debby Bryan Family*	Sir 27:30—28:7 Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12 Rom 14:7-9 Mt 18:21-35
Sunday, September 17 Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time	8:30 AM 10:30 AM	Parishioners of Our Lady of Peace † Dr. John, Carmella, Virginia Battaglino *requested by a friend*	
Monday, September 18	6:00 PM	(Rosary at 8:00am) The Legacy Society *(members living and deceased)*	1 Tm 2:1-8 Ps 28:2, 7, 8-9 Lk 7:1-10
Tuesday, September 19 Saint Januarius	8:00 AM	† Cheryl Bringman *by Joanne Quinn*	1 Tm 3:1-13 Ps 101:1b-2ab, 2cd-3ab, 5, 6 Lk 7:11-17
Wednesday, Sept. 20 Saints Andrew Kim Tae-gon, Paul Chong Ha-sang and Companions ADORATION 5:00pm	(5:00 PM) 6:00 PM	(Adoration/Confession/Rosary/Novena) † Bob Denning *by Steve, Kathie, Stephanie*	1 Tm 3:14-16 Ps 111:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 Lk 7:31-35
Thursday, September 21 Saint Matthew	*8:30 AM	Intention of School	Lk 7:31-35 Ps 19:2-3, 4-5 Mt 9:9-13
Friday, September 22	*8:00 AM	† David Swearingen *by M/M Robert Fialkowski*	1 Tm 6:2c-12 Ps 49:6-7, 8-10, 17-18, 19-20 Lk 8:1-3
Saturday (Vigil), Sept 23 Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time	(4:00 PM) 5:00 PM	(Adoration / Divine Mercy / Confession) Parishioners of Our Lady of Peace	Is 55:6-9 Ps 145:2-3, 8-9, 17-18 Phil 1:20c-24, 27a Mt 20:1-16a
Sunday, September 24 Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time	8:30 AM 10:30 AM	† Ed & Helen Mahlke *by family* † Montesquieu *by Matthew Schmidt*	

"The Lord is kind and merciful, slow to anger, and rich in compassion."--*Psalm 103*

FORGIVENESS

Nearly ten years before, a son and father had parted ways when the business they shared went bankrupt. The son blamed the father. They did not speak to each other again. ♥ Then the father became seriously ill. The mother called the son and told him he had better come soon. The son walked sheepishly into the hospital room. The father motioned his son to him and whispered: "Did you ever think you could do anything that would keep me from loving you?" ♥ Resentment and anger are foul things, the first reading from Sirach tells us. Remember the last things. Stop hating. Live by the commandments. As Saint Paul writes to the Romans, we are to live for the Lord and die for the Lord. Jesus' parable in today's Gospel reminds us of God's compassion. The immense sin of humanity has been forgiven and stricken from the record. We are to forgive others in the same way.

I PUBLISH Wedding Banns BETWEEN

Parker Henry and Allison Bauer

(2nd publication)

Jacob Auten and Madalyn Becker

(1st publication)

If any know cause, or just impediment, why either of these couples should not be joined together in Holy Matrimony, ye are to declare it.

Quarter Auction

Sunday, September 17. Plan to attend this fun-filled event sponsored by the Ladies Auxiliary. Doors open at noon, auction begins at 1:00pm. Tickets $5 (one paddle included; additional paddles $1 each; max 3 paddles) GREAT variety for Baskets Auction, vendors; concession stand available. enjoy the afternoon with good food, good fun, and good fellowship. All are welcome!

304 232-7157

Catholic Charities

Neighborhood Center

125 18th St. Whlg

27th Annual Spaghetti Dinner

DESSERT DONATIONS ACCEPTED!

September 17, 2023

11:00 - 5:00

Dine In or Carry Out

Tickets are $10 each

DROP OFF DESSERTS THUR/FRI

Auction & Raffle Tickets

$1 ticket or 6 for $5

Catholic Charities West Virginia

September 16-22 Birthdays

Douglas Fox, Jason Haller, Sarah Irvin, Mary Jo Keim, Zoe Kosek, Jace Narrish, Emily Scotka, Luke Snedeker, George Betras, Donna Milliken, Jennifer Nettles, Rose Nettles, Craig Nickerson, Keith Park, Allison Saseen, Craig Schneid, James Smith, Brandon Taylor, Joseph Ernst, Sarah Henry, Lindsey Tucker, Christopher Costain, Georgia Hull, Tom Cottrill, Lauren Deel, Abraham George, John Blackwell, Michael Hewitt, Brian Kent, II, Mark Simon *last week's correction:

Happy 8th Birthday to Olivia Adams, Oct 10!

*** BE IN OUR PICTORIAL DIRECTORY***

There is time to submit your photograph/image for the directory, if you send by September 22. Cost of $15 for submitted photo and directory. Call Sandee 304-639-6504 or Sherri 304-232-0406 for photograph/digital requirements.

MASS TIME CHANGE THIS WE

Thursday, September 21
School Mass at 8:30am

Friday, September 22
Morning Mass at 8:00am

- Interested in joining the Church?
- Know someone interested in joining the Church?
- Like to know more about the Catholic Faith?
- Are you a baptized Catholic who would like to complete all your sacraments?

RCIA

Have **YOU** thought about **BECOMING CATHOLIC?**

McKenna Moretz: mckenna.c.callahan@gmail.com
Fr. Joseph Augustine: jaugustine@dwc.org
Parish Office: parish@olpwv.org | 304.242.6579

ELECTION FOR VICARIATE COUNCIL

Weekend of Sept 30/ Oct 1, we will be electing two parish representatives to the Vicariate Council. Suitable candidates will be determined. Names of candidates will be announced soon and placed on the ballot. Watch for details.

NATIONAL Eucharistic Revival

PARISH YEAR- JOIN US AT OUR LADY OF PEACE

See what is happening in our parish See flyer in back of church for October and November!

Our Lady of Peace Parish & School

GATHER US IN

Good Food, Fun, & Fellowship

AFTER MASS SOCIAL Sept 30 & Oct 1

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

MEETING. Next meeting Tuesday, October 3, at 6:00 pm in the Battaglino Center.

GOLF SCRAMBLE Park Crispin Golf Club. Join us for a great day of sport, camaraderie and fun! Call Ed 304.215.2393 or Jermac 304.215.2952

K OF C FOOTBALL FRENZY (NFL) sweepstakes tickets are now available for $10 each. Buy 2 get 1 Free. Proceeds benefit Catholic Schools. Tickets available. Contact Tom Burke (304-281-6640) email: tburke1038@aol.com or the parish office. Money/Stubs must be returned by Oct. 10.

In Service to One, In Service to All

The Knights of Columbus Family of the Month: We send CONGRATULATIONS to the Jim and Peggy Blatt family in recognition of service to better our council, parish, community.

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

MEETING. Next meeting September 26 at 6:00 pm in the Battaglino Hall.

ENJOY BOOKS. Books will be available for sale in October. Reserve for family & friends.

We welcome our new members:

Cindy Burke, Stephanie Roth, Jane Mahlke, Cathy Jones, Sally Kleeh, Mary Jo Guidi

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

The Laymen's Retreat League

All Catholic Men of the area are invited to join us on Saturday September 30th at Saint Vincent de Paul Parish's Marist Center in Wheeling. It is a day of reflection with Reverend Justin Golna, J.C.L. from 8:00am to 5:00pm. The theme for the day will be *Reconciliation and Penance: The Love that is Greater than Sin.* Day includes light breakfast and lunch. Cost: $30.

Contact Don Klamut at 304-280-4626 or email at laymensretreatleague@gmail.com

Would you like to receive our weekly bulletin by mail or email? *Please contact parish office 304-242-6579 or parish@olpwv.org*

Tuesday, September 19. **Saint Januaris**: according to legend, thrown to bears at Pozzuolo under Diocletian; bishop of Benevento; as early as 1389, his blood has liquefied on this and other days each year; patron of Naples.

Wednesday, September 20. **Saints Andrew Kim Tae-gon and Paul Chong Ha-sang and Companions:** Andrew, born in Seoul, Korea, was a covert o the faith and was ordained Korea's first native priest. His father was a martyr. In 1846 Andrew was tortured and beheaded along with his lay associate, seminarian Pual Chong Ha-sant. 1839 -1867, 103 martyrs gave their lives for the faith in Korea.

" I practice my religion because it is true; it teaches me to know God, and brings me to eternal happiness: I know of no such thing as apostasy."

Thursday, September 21. Saint Matthew. *Tradition holds that Matthew preached in Judea and in Ethiopia where he was martyred; symbolized by the winged human being; mentioned in the Roman Canon; patron of accountants and customs officers.*

"You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind."

Catholic Neighborhood Center 18th Street

27th Annual Spaghetti Dinner

The spaghetti dinner will be held on Sunday, September 17, 11:00am to 5:00pm. Cost is $10 per person. Dine In or Carry Out. Auction & Raffle tickets available: $1 ticket or 6/$5.

Volunteer Opportunity

The center is located in downtown Wheeling. They are 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 of days, and route information. *See flyer in back of church.*

Wheeling Community Fall Festival

This festival is hosted by Cathedral of St. Joseph and Macedonia Baptist Church in Wheeling on Sunday, September 24 from 11:30AM-7PM on the streets surrounding the Cathedral (1300 Eoff St, Wheeling, WV). With over 20 artisan and craft vendors, a variety of food options, baked goods, games, live music, a pumpkin patch, and much more. *See flyer in back of church.*

Free Health Fair

Join us on Saturday, September 30 at Mount Olivet Methodist Church (162 Fairmont Pike, Whlg). See complete list of the vendors in the back of church. Refreshments and hourly door prizes. Sponsored by Mount Olivet Methodist Church and Mt. Olivet Lions Club. *See flyer in back*

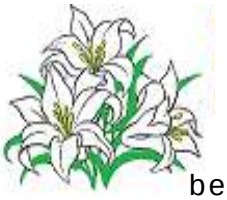
Infant of Prague Novena

Mondays at 7:00pm at Cathedral of St. Joseph

Theme: The Eucharist: Gift, Mystery and Reality

The Novena will be prayed on nine consecutive Monday evenings concluding on November 6. Each week consists of Exposition, Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament, a homily given by a guest priest, music, and prayers to the Infant of Prague. All are welcome. Bring a friend or two.

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 at 6:00pm on Monday at St. John Fellowship Hall in Benwood. Facilitators, Deacon Doug Breiding, Tom and Michele McFadden. Sponsored by the Mount Calvary Cemetery. Next meeting September 25

Congregation of St. Joseph Service Day

Saturday, October 7, come and partner with the Sisters of St. Joseph to fight local food insecurity with the Ohio County Family Resource Network! Drop off nonperishable foods and personal care items to two sites Saturday, Oct 7 9-noon at St. Michael Parish parking lot / Mount St. Joseph front door. Contact Rose Mathes 304-231-6440

ONE-DAY IN-PERSON SPIRITUAL RETREAT

October 14, St. Vincent de Paul Parish

A Catholic Ministry serving the spiritual needs of parents whose children of any age have died by any cause, no matter how long ago. Space is limited. When maximum number is reached registration will close. For information or to register: www.emfgp.org or call 800-919-9332

Catholic in Recovery

Catholic in Recovery Founder Scott Weeman will be speaking on "Finding Freedom from Addictions, Compulsions, and Unhealthy Attachments" on October 17 at St. Michael Parish. Catholic in Recovery is a parish-centered Catholic Sacramental approach to recovery. Please visit www.coatholicinrecovery.org to learn more. *See flyer in back of church.*

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SCHOOL NEWS

SEPT 17 Catechetical Sunday
Quarter Auction
21 School Mass (Thursday)
22 OLP Fun Run
7/8 Gr. Middle School Dance OLP
26 School Picture PK3 - GR8
28 WPL Golf Tournament
30 Grade 8 Car Wash

Grade 8 Carwash at Auto Zone in Elm Grove Carwash September 30 10:00-2:00 pm. Proceeds to benefit Grade 8 trip to Washington DC in May 2024. Auto rosaries available for purchase.

In Honor of St. Francis of Assisi

Blessing of animals, October 4 at 2:00pm in the church parking lot. All are welcome!

USED INK, TONER CARTRIDGES: Bring in your used ink and toner cartridges to in back of church. redeemed to purchase office supplies.
Pop Tabs. Grade 6 is collecting Pop Tabs to be given to the Ronald McDonald House.
Recycle newspaper. Box provided in the back of church; recycled weekly.
Soda Cans. Bring to Quigley's 663 Fairmont Pike in Mt. Olivet. Add to Our Lady of Peace account

Parish School of Religion

Sept 18 Class Sept 25 Class
Oct 2 Class Oct 9 Class

Congratulations to Olivia Adams!
Student of the Month at Hilltop Elementary

Tess Morando, PSR Coordinator 304-242-7820

Canned Food Drive

We will be collecting canned goods September and October. Drop off in school, parish office, or in boxes in back of church. Non-perishables accepted and taken to the Catholic Charities Neighborhood Center 18th Street, downtown Wheeling. Thank you.

2024 Confirmation

SERVICE HOURS: Record on sheet. Turn in when complete
5/church 5/school 10/family
2/ 18th Street Remember, volunteer hours are hours that go above and beyond your normal daily chores.

CONFIRMATION HOURS: Catholic Charities 18 St. needs help bussing tables, rolling silverware at the Spaghetti Dinner on Sunday, September 17. Call/text Mrs. Donahoe 304-231-4053 to sign up.
Call Parish Office 304-242-6579 for meal delivery

CONFIRMATION SPONSOR: start thinking about who will be your child's sponsor. Sponsor must have a Letter of Eligibility from the parish where they are registered parishioners (include priest signature and church seal). Call parish office 304-242-6579 if you have questions.

Confirmation Service Hours well earned. Thank you to Elliana, Caleigh, Samantha, Betty (18th St.), Aubree, Ella, Syhara for coming in (on Saturday morning) to help with the making of the meatballs for the Spaghetti Dinner. All together, with other volunteers over 5,000 were scooped, packed, rolled and trayed to be cooked. And we accomplished this great feat in half the time. Bravo!

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