# Our Lady Queen of Peace

A Country Parish with a Big Impact



We are a Roman Catholic parish family. We respond to Christ's call to proclaim the Gospel in both word and deed, and in all our relationships and responsibilities. We encourage our members to embrace a lifestyle marked by Stewardship of Time, Talent, and Treasure, engaging in active support of our ministries of the Word, Worship, and Service. We welcome everyone from Branchville, Frankford (Augusta), Lafayette and all who come to share the joy of Christ! All who wish to join us as new members please call the parish office for more information on becoming a member of our parish family.

# Sixth Sunday of Easter: May 9th

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# **Mass Schedule**

Saturday: 5:00 PM Youth Mass

(Homily Intended for Teens/

Young Adults)

Sunday: 8:00 AM (More Traditional)

10:00 AM (Children's Mass)

12:00 PM

Daily: 8:00 AM (Monday-Saturday)

Holydays: 8:00 AM and 7:00 PM

Traditional Latin Mass 5:00 PM First Friday

### Reconciliation:

Saturday: 4:00 PM-4:45 PM

After All Morning Masses

During Eucharistic Adoration (Mon & Fri)

Anytime by Appointment

## **Eucharistic Adoration:**

Mondays: 7:30 PM-8:30 PM

Fridays: 8:30-9:30 AM

24 HR Eucharistic Adoration First Friday



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### **MASS INTENTIONS**

### SATURDAY MAY 8TH

8:00 AM RICHARD NEALIS
(MARY EILEEN SCHOEN)

5:00 PM ALL MOTHERS OF THE PARISH

### SUNDAY MAY 9TH

8:00 AM ALL MOTHERS OF THE PARISH 10:00 AM ALL MOTHERS OF THE PARISH 12:00 PM ALL MOTHERS OF THE PARISH

### **MONDAY**

8:00 AM DOMINICK CAGNO
(MARY EILEEN SCHOEN)

### **TUESDAY**

8:00 AM INTENTIONS OF
THE SYTSEMA FAMILY
(THE RIVERA FAMILY)

### **WEDNESDAY**

8:00 AM INTENTIONS OF THE RIVERA FAMILY (MOM)

### THURSDAY

8:00 AM JANE ABER
(RITA WENNNING)

### **FRIDAY**

8:00 AM JAMES MCDONNELL
(THE FLAHERTY FAMILY)

### SATURDAY MAY 15TH

8:00 AM PROTECTION OF BABIES IN THE WOMB AND THEIR FAMILIES (THE STEINERT FAMILY) 5:00 PM DICK BURCHFIELD

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(THE FAMILY)
TED EHRENBERG
(THE DENNIS FAMILY)

### SUNDAY MAY 16TH

8:00 AM MARY ROSE SHEERIN
(TOM & AGATHA SHEERIN)
10:00 AM DENIS CORNAX
(THE KELLEHER FAMILY)

12:00 PM BLESSED MOTHER'S INTENTION
LARRY & MARY ANNE CONDIT



# **MEMORIALS**

The week of May 9th
Sanctuary Lamp burns for:
Lexi Faye



# ALTAR FLOWERS MEMORIALS

The week of May 9th the Altar Flowers are presented for: **Charles & Anna Meshinsky** 

Weekly Collection	
Sunday Offering 5/1& 5/2	\$ 2,449.00
Online	<u>\$ 1,392.00</u>
Total	\$ 3,841.00
Estimated Weekly Expenses	<u>\$ 4,500.00</u>
	(\$ 659.00)
Diocesan Assessment Collection	\$ 673.00
Assessment Collection Needed	\$ 1,250.00
Difference	\$ (577.00)

FYI: When we do not meet our Diocesan Assessment, the Diocese takes the money out of our Sunday Collection. Please continue to be generous.

Please Consider "Online Giving"

# **Online Giving**

An alternative for giving if you can't attend Mass.

Thank you to the families that have signed up for Online Giving! You can decide exactly when your gift is made and where it goes. You can even view your giving history and pledge progress at any time, just by logging in. Please visit www.olqpbranchville.org and click the Online Giving link to get started.



# **Eucharistic Adoration**

Eucharistic Adoration
Mondays
7:30pm—8:30pm
Fridays
8:30 am-9:30am

# Please remember in your prayers

Hap Rowan, Angelo Appice, Janice Miglin, Pete Lozar, Aylssa Morgan, Ann Romyns, Mike Galante, Richard Kopycienski, Brian Decker, Bill Klecha, Sherry Coleman, Sue Klecha, Charles Worthington, David Glowatski, Lee Iliff, Sharon Schmidt, Maria DeSilva, James Morris, Jimmy Lettorale, Patricia Walker, John Dudas, Jeff Novick, Shannon Skidmore, Michael Talmadge, Claudia Klecha, Liliana Hickok, Baby Sofia, Baby Mackenzie, John Luscik, Mary Walker, Susan Tangorra, Ed Turon, Fr. Brian DiTullio

# **Confirmation: Needed For?**

In my years as a Catholic, I have heard a lot of misinformation about the necessity of the Sacrament of Confirmation. For instance, I was told you could not get married without being Confirmed. False. Canon 1065 §1 states that one should be Confirmed before marriage, "if it can be done without grave inconvenience." However, if a person is not confirmed or even if they refuse to be Confirmed, this is not an impediment to marriage. Although, if they refuse, then there may be the need for the priest to enquire why they want to be married in the Church and yet not be a fully initiated member of the Church? Fair enough.

So, is Confirmation required for anything? Indeed, it is. Canon 241 §2 states that reception of the Sacrament of Confirmation is necessary before the reception of Holy Orders and before one can be admitted to the seminary. Slightly redundant, canon 1050 §3 requires documentary evidence of Confirmation before reception of the Order of the Diaconate. So, we see that the Sacrament of Confirmation must be received before one can be ordained.

Similarly, canon 645 §1 states that the Sacrament of Confirmation must be received before one can enter the stage of formation called "novitiate" in religious life. Interestingly enough, unlike with entry into the seminary, one can enter formation for the religious life before having received the Sacrament of Confirmation because the novitiate does not occur until after a minimum of one year as an aspirant and one year as a postulant.

The Sacrament of Confirmation is required for living in the consecrated state of life and Holy Orders. Although the Sacrament of Confirmation is not required for the Sacrament of Marriage or the single lay state of life, there is no doubt that this sacrament magnifies one's baptism, bestows and seals them with the sevenfold gifts of the Holy Spirit, and makes the recipient ready to serve the Church as a missionary and evangelist, defender and diffuser of the faith! In this day, who is strong enough in virtue to go through this life without the strength of the Holy Spirit?

# Happy Mother's Day



Blessing of Mothers
Almighty and Ever-Loving God,
In your divine plan for us you saw fit,
that through the Sacrament of

Matrimony, the gift of life would be granted us.
Our Mother's show-forth your divine love for us as gentle, pure, wise, strong and faithful parents to their children.

You blessed motherhood when the Blessed Virgin Mary became the mother of your divine Son,
Jesus Christ.

Therefore, Bless + and Sanctify + these mothers,
Grant them peace in their hearts,
Joy in the gift of their children,
And the strength to continue to forgive,
strengthen, teach and form their children in the
likeness of your Son, the son of Mary, Jesus Christ.

Amen.

# Ask the Pastor

# The Devil and His Power

**Question:** Can the devil perform miracles?

Response: The generic definition of miracle is a phenomenon beyond scientific explanation. However, the term in the Church signifies something "wonderful" done by God, an Angel or Saint. Since nothing that can be described as "wonderful" can be done by evil, then "No", the devil cannot perform miracles.

The devil, being an angel and an angel of the highest choir and rank: a Seraphim, does have natural power beyond that of any other created being. Though, by virtue of grace, a newly baptized infant can crush his head! #Loser!



# Protecting God's Children Training

All volunteers for events sponsored by the parish are required to attend one session.

Friday, May 14th 6:00 pm Saturday, May 15th 10:00 am

To register email Deacon Vince at **DcnVince@olqpbranchville.org** 

# **Sunday Mass Schedule Changes**

The 5PM SUNDAY VIGIL Mass, on Saturdays, will remain as is.

The 8 AM SUNDAY Mass will still be livestreamed until the Fall, at which time the usage of live-stream for Sunday Masses will be reassessed and likely totally discontinued.

**ALL SUNDAY 10 AM** Masses starting Easter Sunday (Apr. 4) through til it gets too cold in the Fall will be celebrated outdoors!

Due to being outdoors, the 10 AM Mass will no longer be able to be live-streamed.

The SUNDAY 12 NOON Mass will occur through to Pentecost Sunday inclusive (May 23). Starting on Trinity Sunday (May 30) the Noon Mass will be discontinued throughout the Summer months. The 12 NOON Mass will resume come the beginning of the school year next fall, September 13th.



Our Lady Queen of Peace R.C. Church

Altar Servers Training
Monday May 17th
or
Friday May 21st
6:00pm
in the Church

Please RSVP to 973-948-3185 x1 or email the office at office@olqpbranchville.org

\*Please rsvp, if we do not have anyone scheduled for that night we will not be holding the training.



- Morning Prayer
- Arts & Crafts
- Catholic Hymns
- Games
- Catholic Skits
- Water Day
- Closing Prayer



Location: Our Lady Queen of Peace Date: June 21st—June 25th Time: 9:00 am -12:00 pm

> Grades: K-5 Cost: Free

REGISTRATION: Online Registration is available on our website at www.olqpbranchville.org under the Religious Education tab or may be obtained at the parish office. For more information, please call Barbara at the parish office at 973-948-3185 x 3



# Don Bosco Knights of Columbus 40th Anniversary Mass



# Garden of Grace Children's Prayer Group Prayer Intention Box

In the statuary

ALL are welcome to put their prayer petitions in the box and the children will be praying the Rosary for the intentions at each meeting

# FOOD & LIVE TRUCK & MUSIC

a non-profit fundraiser at

Our Lady Queen of Peace Church

Branchville, NJ

June 5, 2021 12-8 pm

rain or shine!



\$ 7 IN ADVANCE \$10 AFTER MAY 1

children under 12 free with a paid adult

# 50/50 TICKETS

Sell those tickets and make this the Best 50/50 Ever!

# 10 FOOD TRUCKS

Hadez BBQ
Fit Chicks
Harry's Lil Kitchen
House of Cupcakes
Latin Bites
Mister Softee
Revolution Taco
Magic Mike's Meats
Cold Stone Creamery
Erving's Brisket

# **FAMILY FUN**

Pony Rides Face Painting Door Prize 50/50

# 4 LIVE BANDS

Prian St. John

10th Al Louis Band

Appl R.E.N.O.

6pm The Moving Co.

Bring your lawn chairs and picnic blankets



Beer & Wine Tent



Steamed Clams

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# We Are Living in a MARIAN AGE

There is a great need in our society for our children to be brought closer to Jesus and the Blessed Virgin Mary. The Blessed Mother has appeared to many individuals with her plea to bring everyone to salvation.

# Why aren't we LISTENING.



In the final vision of Fatima, October 13, 1917, Our Lady of Mt. Carmel appeared in the sky holding the Brown Scapular. Sister Lucia said this is because, "She wishes everyone to wear it; it is the sign of consecration of Her Immaculate Heart".

**Lucia saw additional visions** representing the mysteries of the **Rosary; Our Lady of Mt. Carmel** represented the Glorious mysteries.

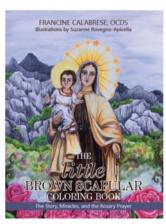
The last appearance of Our Lady to Bernadette Soubirous was on the feast of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel.

**Our Lady of Good Help** – October 1859 (The **only** approved apparitions in the US, Champion, WI, was on Dec. 8, 2010 The Feast of the Immaculate Conception.) Our Lady asked Adele Brise in these apparitions to teach children what they should know about salvation.

# The little Brown Scapular Coloring Book, The Story, Miracles and the Rosary

**Prayer** will teach children about the Brown Scapular and the benefits received by wearing it. In addition, children will learn how to pray the Holy Rosary Prayer. The Brown Scapular is Our Lady's garment and protection, and St. Padre Pio called the Rosary, "the weapon".

Each book includes a children's size Brown Scapular and a Glow in the Dark Rosary. The *little* Brown Scapular Apostolate, Inc. is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization that was formed to spread the devotion of the Brown Scapular to parishes, Catholic schools and anyone who has a heart for Jesus and the Blessed Mother. Presentations are available and volunteers are needed.



\$7.99

Discounted prices offered for parishes, Catholic schools, homeschoolers, and wholesale prices for ministries/ retailers and retreat centers. Parish discount prices are available to individuals interested in purchasing books for parishes or Catholic schools. <u>All tax deductible</u>.

On line purchasing donations - <a href="www.thelittlebrownscapularcoloringbook.com">www.thelittlebrownscapularcoloringbook.com</a> or call 973.229.5129 email: <a href="littlebrownscapularcoloring@gmail.com">littlebrownscapularcoloring@gmail.com</a>

"Say your Rosary everyday....Wear the Scapular devoutly and perseveringly. It is my garment. To be clothed in it means you are continually thinking of me, and I in turn, am always thinking of you and helping you to secure eternal life."

# Food Truck & Live Music Festival: Saturday, June 5, 2021

As Father Phil has announced, we are excited about a brand new fundraising event, the 2021 Branchville Food Truck Festival scheduled for June 5, 2021 from 11:30am until 8:30pm.

The event will include: 7-10 food trucks, Vendor Sponsorships, Wine Tasting and Beer Tents, OLQP Food Tables, 3 -4 Bands Performing, Craft Vendors, Horseback Rides and or Petting Zoo and activities to make for a fun day for everyone and more to come. We anticipate 1000 participants. We are in the process of creating a separate website, to market all our fundraising events now and in the future which will link to OLQP website. This also gives us an opportunity to use the site to attract sponsorships. In addition, we will identify another nonprofit company/agency in which we will donate a portion of our event profits.

We have a great deal of work to do in the next 4 months and we need everyone's help. This event will kick -off the summer and we CANNOT be successful without the help of all our parishioners and all their networks. We need each person to reach out to family, friends, neighbors, business partners and coworkers to participate in our event. To start we have to get major sponsorships for all items that will be a cost/expense to the event such as entertainment, marketing, safety and security, land usage requirements and administrative costs. When talking to potential sponsors remember to invite them to join this great event that will be an opportunity in marketing their own company verses begging for help. This event when done properly will benefit everyone who attends. So how can you help... get involved. Volunteer on committees utilizing your experience, expertise or interests. Committees will include: Financial, Marketing, Sponsorships, Vendors, Ticket and 50/50 sales, OLQP Food Sales, Safety and Security, Event Day administration and Coordination, Entertainment and more.

Keep in mind the day of the event we will also need approximately 40 volunteers for the day of the event. We will need volunteers to be available for at least 5 hour shifts to cover the day's event including set up and clean up.

So let's get started:

### Phase I:

Identify and Obtain all appropriate licenses and permits for Food Trucks. Secure participation of our Major Sponsorships and Large Vendors by February 28<sup>th</sup>. Sponsorship, Vendors and Volunteer Forms and applications are in the back of the church and eventually will be on our website to complete on line as well pay online.

### Phase II:

Continue to receive vendors, sponsorships and donations. Mass marketing of our event using radio, social media, flyers...Sell Admission Tickets, Sell 50/50 Tickets from March 1<sup>st</sup> thru June 5<sup>th</sup>.

Design a map of our property and how we are going to design the layout of the event: parking and traffic flow, fencing off property, food trucks, stage, vendor tables, beer tent and wine tasting tent. Entrance and exit to ensure only ticket holders are inside.

Financial processes and procedures to protect and ensure accuracy of all funds collected during the event.

Safety and security processes and procedures in coordination with onsite police, EMT assistance...

AS YOU CAN SEE THIS IS A BIG UNDERTAKING BUT WE BELIEVE WITH EVERYONES HELP IN WHATEVER WAY YOU CAN WILL MAKE IT A GREAT EVENT FOR EVERYONE INVOLVED. PLEASE HELP US!

For More Information and to Sign Up to Help Please Call or Email Deb Carter: call or text (862)266-1928 or email debbiepcarter@gmail.com

# **Bulletin Sponsors**



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PHILIP J. TANGORRA, PGK
FIELD AGENT

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1/2	\$25.00	\$80.00	\$175.00	\$225.00	\$350.00
Full	\$35.00	\$125.00	\$275.00	\$325.00	\$500.00

# **Policies:**

Proceeds: 50% operating budget; 50% Food Pantry & Charity

Must email ad to <a href="mailto:office@olqpbranchville.org">office@olqpbranchville.org</a> as a word or pdf document, preferably word.

Payment must be made upfront.

Inappropriate content will be censored.