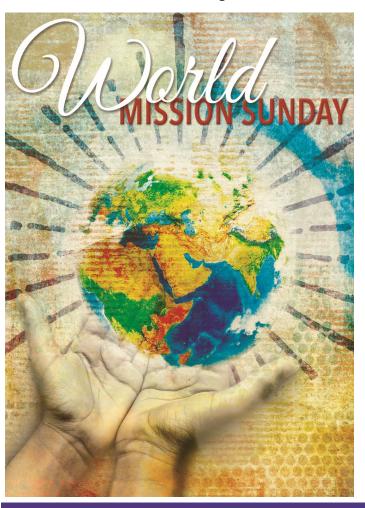


OUR MISSION

Nourished by the Word and Eucharist, we imitate Christ, the Prince of Peace, through unconditional love and service to others.



WELCOME!

A warm welcome to all our guests and visitors who have joined us at today's liturgy. We hope that you feel at home here.

Please let us know if we can be of any assistance
while you are among us.

HOLY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 5:00 pm (Sunday Liturgy) Sunday: 8:00 am, 9:45 am & 11:30 am

Monday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday: 8:00 am Tuesday, Wednesday: 6:30 am & 8:00 am

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CONTACT US

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Fri. 8:00 am - 12:00 pm

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NOTES FROM THE PASTOR - October 22, 2023

Dear family,



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"Then repay to Caesar what belongs to Caesar and to God what belongs to God." - Jesus

What does the pic have to do with this weekend's readings? Well, if you know, you know. In other words, IYKYK.

Finish the sentence: I try to live like ______. I am going to venture a guess that if you really thought about it, you could name a person or maybe a couple that you model your life after. In our gospel this Sunday, Jesus is asked about paying taxes to the Romans, trying to trap him. Hmm. If he says the tax is lawful, he is essentially a supporter of the Romans and betraying his own people. If he says don't pay the tax, well, then he is fomenting a rebellion against Rome. (Fomenting is a dollar word by the way.) Either way, he gets the answer wrong for some group. But Jesus avoids the question entirely, never actually answering if the tax is lawful, by telling his followers to pay the tax because it is Caesar's face on the coins. Then Jesus takes it a step further by telling all present to give back to God what has his image. At the point of creation of humanity described in the book of Genesis it says, "God created mankind in his image; in the image of God he created them; male and female he created them." We are literally made in the image and likeness of God. God permeates our life. Think about it. Saying "Good bye" is a shortened version of "God be with you." On our currency are the words "In God We Trust." We mention him in our pledge of allegiance, and on and on. Even though we might want to sometimes compartmentalize Him, thinking of Him only when we need something, or here at Church, "getting our religion on", the truth is that he's here, he's there, he's everywhere! He's everywhere we are and everywhere we want to be.

This weekend is the Annual Deacon Collection to benefit the Office of the Permanent Diaconate. We are so blessed to have two permanent deacons here at CPOP, Deacon Pat Belding and Deacon Greg Bialis. Their role is to assist the pastor and priests at Mass and other liturgies. The Diaconate is truly a vocation of service, just like the sacrament of marriage that both have been called to for many years. I am so grateful for all they do for me and for our parish! If you think God may be calling you to this vocation,

please see one of our deacons or me for more information!

October is Respect Life month. Being "pro-life" means much more than merely protecting the lives of the unborn, although this certainly holds primacy of place according to our Church's teaching. Please continue to pray for and work toward a greater respect for all human life, from the moment of conception to natural death. Sign up for the 40 Days for Life in the vestibule!

Looking ahead... Wednesday, November 1, 2023 is the Solemnity of All Saints, a holy day of obligation. Mass times are at 6:30 & 8:00 a.m. and 12:10 p.m. (All-School Mass) and 7:00 p.m. Hope to see you there!

Thursday, November 2, 2023 is the Commemoration of All Souls, when we pray for the souls of all of the faithful departed. We will have a special Mass of Remembrance that evening at 7 p.m., as we remember all of those who have had funerals at CPOP over the past 12 months. Members of those families have been personally invited to attend, but all are welcome as we pray for all of those who have gone before us. We invite you to write the names of deceased family members and friends in our book of the dead. We will also have an altar of remembrance set up in church, and we invite you to bring pictures, funeral cards, and other mementos of deceased loved ones to place on the altar of remembrance. Both the book of the dead and the altar of remembrance will remain in church for the duration of the month of November.

Upcoming Events:

This weekend! Deacon Collection Weekend- 2nd collection at all masses for the Permanent Diaconate. Next Saturday, October 28 – CPOP TRUNK OR TREAT! For our parish families! Come dressed in your Halloween costumes to 5 p.m. Mass and stick around for the fun starting right after! Families must be registered to attend! See info in bulletin!

Tuesday, October 31- ALL SAINTS EVE/ ALL HALLOWS EVE.

Rev. Omistop J. Dulgs

Wednesday, November 1- ALL SAINTS DAY – HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION- MASS TIMES ARE: 6 & 8 a.m. and 12:10 p.m. (All School Mass) and 7 p.m.

Thursday, November 2- ALL SOULS DAY- Commemoration of All Souls - Mass at 8 a.m. and Mass of Remembrance at 7 p.m.

Have a good week!

LET'S GO CITY SC!! Regular Season MLS Western Conference Champions! LET'S GO BLUES!

In Christ,

Fr. Chris Dunlap



Happy Birthday

Fr. Chris!

We hope you have a wonderful day of celebrations!

October 25, 2023



A big thanks and shout out to the St. Louis County Police Officers who visited our students to discuss safety during Faith In Blue week!

DEACON FORMATION COLLECTION

DEACONS: Caring for you since A.D. 33 Please support this year's Deacon Formation Collection.

Did you know that over the last four decades, dozens of Deacons of the Archdiocese of St. Louis have in addition to their parish service, volunteered countless hours of selfless, loving care for those in our midst who are suffering and in need? Deacons can be found sharing the Joy of the Gospel, offering us comfort in every facet of daily life in nursing homes, hospitals, prisons, schools, airports, businesses and more. You can help our future deacons be Christ's hands and feet with your charitable donation to this year's Deacon Formation Collection. Deacon formation in the archdiocese relies heavily on the support of this annual collection, held this weekend, Oct. 21-22. Please be as generous as possible. God bless you for your support!





The Solemnity of ALL SAINTS

A HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 1ST

Mass Times

6:30 AM 8:00 AM 12:10 PM 7:00 PM





The Feast of ALL SOULS

THE COMMEMORATION OF ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

Thursday, November 2nd @ 7:00 PM

Join us Thursday, November 2nd at 7:00 PM for the Feast of All Souls, where we will pray in a special way for all the deceased parishioners of the past year.

ALTAR OF REMEMBRANCE

Month of November

Did you know that November is the month we as Catholics remember our deceased family and friends in a special way?

Each year CPOP sets up an Altar of Remembrance for those who have lost someone special in this past year.

You are invited to bring a picture of your loved one (in a frame) and it will be placed on the Altar of Remembrance during the month of November, for us as a community to pray for and remember all those who have died. There will be a box located in the vestibule for picture drop off.

WHAT GOES ON AT MASS?

Are you curious about what happens at Mass?

Come Tuesday, October 24 at
7:00 PM in the Church Basement to
learn about the Holy Sacrifice of
the Mass and how to more fully
engage in it.



Christ, Prince of Peace Church Basement

OCT 24

7:00 PM

Presented by Dominic Richards





COMMUNITY OUTREACH

Baby items collection for Birthright

October 21-November 19

Birthright is a non-profit charitable organization that provides free, professional counseling and support for woman facing an unplanned pregnancy. They are in need of:

- *Sleepers, size newborn to 9 months
- *Onesies, size newborn to 9 months
- *Light weight receiving blankets
- *Sensitive skin baby wash

If you would like to donate any of these items, please put them in the basket in the vestibule, labeled "BIRTHRIGHT". Thank you very much!

Marsha Henning and Susan Nowak



Please Join Us

WHEN: Thursday, October 26

WHERE: Planned Parenthood, Fairview Heights

We have partnered with St. Joseph Parish to fill the sidewalk with pray-ers. Ask everyone you know to join us! Car-Pooling will be available.

Sign up sheet in the church vestibule or use the QR code attached to the sign up sheet.

Questions?? Contact Marsha Henning, tmrshenning@hotmail.com.



Come on Saturday, November 11 at 9 a.m. for a Funeral Planning Seminar. Here you will learn about what final preparations you should make, what a funeral entails, and a guided planning period to get you started on your "final preparations". Contact Dominic Richards for more info. drichards@christprinceofpeace.com.

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Please join our Men's bible study group! We meet on Thursday evenings from 7pm to 8:30pm in the rectory basement. Our next meeting will be on Thursday, October 26th and we will begin to read and discuss the book of Psalms. The Psalms are a beautiful expression of life in all its glory and sorrow.

We will read and discuss psalms of TRUST on October 26th – concentrating on psalms 23 and 91. We will also discuss psalms 11, 16, 27, 121.

Please contact Deacon Greg Bialis – 314.956.4305 or Paul "Dutch" Oberle – 314.973.8487 for more details.



There will be an indoor winter soccer camp for boys and girls of the parish, ages 5 to 12. The camp will be conducted at Vetta Manchester and will start in early December. For more information call Marty, 314-393-1164.

CHRIST, PRINCE OF PEACE

Parish Mission

DECEMBER 11 - DECEMBER 13 | 7 PM

MISSION LED BY Fr. Ronald J. Hoye, C.M.



Join us beginning on Monday, December 11th at 7PM for our three night Parish Mission featuring Fr. Ronald J. Hoye, C.M.

All are encouraged to attend, and Fr, Ron says, "The mission experience is one of scripture, laughter, reflection and prayer. It is designed to draw people into a deeper relationship with Jesus; an excellent opportunity for anyone struggling in or questioning their faith."



October 23-29

Mon. 10/23	8:00 a.m.	Int Harold Rakowitz*	
Tues. 10/24	6:30 a.m. 8:00 a.m.	Biggins Hederman Family Mary Clare Casey	
Wed. 10/25	6:30 a.m. 8:00 a.m.	Ken Litwak Buzz Dunaway	
Thurs.10/26	8:00 a.m.	Francis E. Harrington	
Fri. 10/27	8:00 a.m.	Charles & Debbie Klapp	
Sat. 10/28	8:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m.	Maureen Fisher Greg & Debbie Difani	
Sun. 10/29	8:00 a.m. 9:45 a.m. 11:30 a.m.	Parish Family Robert P. Cummins Johnny Stewart	

^{*}Intention of living person(s)



Please remember in your prayers the Benefactors of our Endowment Fund, those on our Parish Prayer Line, and those who are sick, especially our parishioners:

Kevin Bittner Doris Borgschulte
Jane Ryan Rayne Vega Bender
Joe Teipel Sean Higgins
Peg Dunlap Ron Hogue

Ray Thomas

If you would like to add or remove someone, please contact the Parish Office at 636-391-1307.

Eucharistic Ministers Oct. 28-29

Sat. 10/28	5:00 p.m.	M. Lane, J. Schlichting K. Suellentrop					
Sun. 10/29	8:00 a.m.	K. O'Brien, K. Palumbo, M. Shuleski					
Sun. 10/22	9:45 a.m.	M. Cummins, V. Viehmann M. McCadden Sr.					
Sun. 10/22	11:30 a.m.	Deacon Greg, M. Budd, M. Griffin					
Lectors							
Sat. 10/28	5:00 p.m.	M. Shea					
Sun. 10/29	8:00 a.m.	T. Heet					
Sun. 10/29	9:45 a.m.	P. Genovese					
Sun. 10/29	11:30 a.m.	M. Neely					

Ushers

Sat. 10/28	5:00 p.m.	T. Henning, R. Huelsmann, C. Schenk, D. Schenk
Sun. 10/29	8:00 a.m.	J. Bettag, D. Demeter, T. Lenger
Sun. 10/29	9:45 a.m.	W. Govern, V. Koury, T. Mueller, S. Stratmann
Sun. 10/29	11:30 a.m.	M. Smelser, T. Metzner,

K. Metzner, J. Kiburz

Altar Servers				
Sat. 10/28	5:00 p.m. J. Clark, C. Melka, G. Schlichting			
Sun. 10/22	8:00 a.m. H. Brown, K. Brown			
Sun. 10/22	9:45 a.m. T. Albert, M. Clever, J. Genovese			

Sun. 10/22 11:30 a.m. J. Budd, E. Metzner, W. Tessier

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	<u> </u>	ACTUAL	GOAL	<u>+ / -</u>
SUNDAY OFFERING	\$	17,684		
ONLINE	\$	8,843		
TOTAL 10-08-23		26,527	\$ 22,050	\$ 4,477
YEAR TO DATE	\$	322,197	\$ 352,800	\$ (30,603)
MAINTENANCE	\$	318	YTD	8,318

If you are receiving contribution envelopes and are contributing through on-line giving, contribute once a year, or no longer wish to receive envelopes, please contact Jeanene at the rectory office, 636-391-1307 or email jcrain@christprinceofpeace.com.





Sunday, October 22 Deacon Collection Anniversary Blessing

8:00 a.m. Mass

9:45 a.m. Mass Children's Liturgy

11:30 a.m. Mass

Monday, October 23

5:00 p.m. Evening School 7:00 p.m. Book Club

Tuesday, October 24

8:00 a.m. Mass grades 3-5

8:30 a.m. Adoration

6:30 p.m. Benediction

7:00 p.m. What Happens at Mass? CB

Wednesday, October 25 Happy Birthday Fr. Chris!

8:00 a.m. Mass grades 6-8 7:00 p.m. Troop 630 Mtg Cafe

Thursday, October 26

9:00 a.m. Fall Book Group CB 4:00 p.m. Parent/Teacher Conf. 7:00 p.m. Men's Bible Study RB

Friday, October 27 NO SCHOOL

8:00 a.m. Parent/Teacher Conf.

Saturday, October 28 StVdP Collection

4:00 p.m. Reconciliation

5:00 p.m. Mass

6:00 p.m. Trunk or Treat

Sunday, October 29 StVdP Collection

8:00 a.m. Mass

9:45 a.m. Mass Children's Liturgy

11:30 a.m. Mass

12:30 p.m. Baptism

5:00 p.m. Trunk or Treat rain date

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•SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM•

Baptisms are celebrated on the First and Third Sunday of the month immediately after the 11:30 a.m. mass . Parents must be registered, practicing Catholics and attend a baptismal preparation class. Please call the rectory to schedule, 636-391-1307.



SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday from 4:00 - 4:45 pm and anytime upon request.



SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Arrangements for the Sacrament of Marriage are to be made by the prospective bride and groom with the priest at least nine months before the wedding.



•DEVOTIONS•

Our Mother of Perpetual Help Devotions are conducted every Tuesday after 6:30 and 8:00 am Masses.

The Rosary is recited the first Saturday of the month for the Respect for Life Campaign before the 5:00 pm Mass and every Monday after the 8:00 am Mass in honor of Our Lady of Fatima.



•ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT•

The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed for Adoration from 8:30 am - 6:30 pm every Tuesday. All are encouraged to spend an hour with our Lord.

The Parish Prayer Line

The Parish Prayer Line consists of a group of fellow parishioners who will pray for your intentions. If you have a need of prayer or would like to join our prayer line, please email .

Connie Sorkin at csorkin@yahoo.com or Kasey Metzner at metzners@sbcglobal.net



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BULLETIN DEADLINE - PLEASE NOTE THAT ALL ANNOUNCEMENTS MUST BE RECEIVED BY 9 A.M. ON MONDAYS. WE THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION!

PULPIT ANNOUNCEMENT DEADLINE THURSDAY AT NOON

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