

JANUARY 7, 2024



THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

They were overjoyed at seeing the star, and on entering the house they saw the child with Mary his mother. They prostrated themselves and did him homage. Then they opened their treasures and offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh. - Mt 2:10-11

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What's New?

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PRAYER & WORSHIP

MASS Intentions

Saturday, January 6th, 2024

THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

5:00 PM **Sr. Marie Cimino (L)**
requested by Merry Eggerling
Sr. Mary Rita Paratore (L)
requested by Merry Eggerling

Sunday, January 7th

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8:00 AM **† Robert Campos**
requested by Arthur & Miriam Storbeck
9:00 AM **† Marian Dul**
requested by the Gryglik Family
Blessings and health for
Christopher Stopka (L)
† Emilia Sadej
11:00 AM **† Paul Nowakowski**
requested by Lucy Nowakowski
† Christopher Stussi
req. by Tim Sullivan & Michael Dwyer
† Kathleen Wolfrun
requested by Carmen Delcampo

Monday, January 8th

9:00 AM **Blessings for Sr. Michele**
Yakamovitch, S.S.M.I. (L)

Tuesday, January 9th

9:00 AM

Wednesday, January 10th

9:00 AM **People of the Parish**
† George McNamara
requested by Jean McNamara

Thursday, January 11th

9:00 AM **† David Hardin**
requested by Lucille Hardin

Friday, January 12th

9:00 AM

Saturday, January 13th

9:00 AM **† Patricia Olear**
requested by Mary Ann & Annette

Saturday, January 13th, 2024

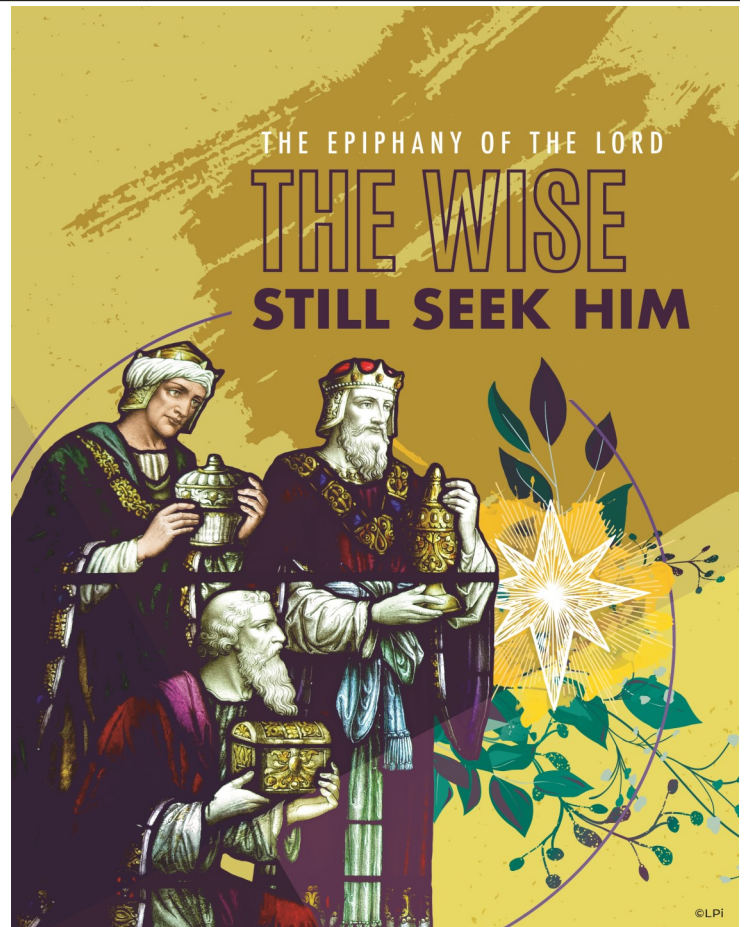
THE SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

5:00 PM **Eileen Gangi (L)**
requested by OLQP

Sunday, January 14th

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8:00 AM **Ed Cerino (L)**
requested by OLQP Food Pantry
9:00 AM **† Stanislaw & Edward Zlarkowski**
requested by Lucyna Galicki
Zbigniew Koszela
Blessings for Claudia Rataj
on her birthday (L)
11:00 AM **† Christopher Stussi**
requested by Tim Sullivan
and Michael Dwyer
† Paul Nowakowski
requested by Lucy Nowakowski
Mary Renna (L)
requested by OLQP



REMEMBER
in your prayers

Rose Armstrong, Anne Baron, Terrie Beyenberg, Sam Bracigliano, Baby Kaliyah Broton, Laurie Burton, Robert & Suna Cantu, Dominic Cappello, Tyneisha Clark, Patricia DeBoise, John DePietri, Anthony DiMascio, Adele Durr, Frank Floystad, Phyllis Fortunato, Eileen Gangi, Bill Gastrock, Laurie Gordon, Vasilica Goian, Luke Griffith, Kathy Holley, Baby Liam Jenkins, Kathleen Jobbagy, Tim Kelly, Scott Kossler, Cassandra & Leeora Lanza, Robert Lanza, Linda Lewandowski, Alan Litz, Paul Luccioni, Teresa Marczyk, Florence Masucci, Mac McCormick, Ro McCormick, Masucci Family, Evelyn McCabe, Kenneth McFarland, Joseph Miller, Mike Mooradian, Lydia Novinslaya, Cali O'Hern, Lillian Pepe, Brandon Riffard, Deacon Charles Roche, Darby Roche, Ellen Sabrack, Shawn Santo, Alice Schmalfeldt, Marget Stamper, Gail Vanhook, Mary Ann Van Oostendorp, Joe Verboys, Elaine Verò, Patricia Villano, Ann Weinschenk, Barbara Zaccaro, Barbara Ziegner

We remember our Beloved Dead:
Jessica Gomez & Joan Williams

LITURGICAL LIFE

SACRAMENTS

BAPTISMS

We celebrate the sacrament of Baptism most Sundays. Parents are welcome to have the Baptism celebrated either at a week-end Mass or at the Liturgy of Baptism at 2:00 PM two Sundays a month. To make arrangements for Baptism please call the Parish Office or e-mail baptism@olqpnj.org Godparents must be confirmed, be active members of the church and attend Mass regularly. A sponsor certificate is required from each godparent.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4:00 - 4:45 PM
(or by appointment with Fr. Kamil)

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Please contact Parish Office and set up an appointment. Any Catholic couple needs approximately a year to prepare for the Sacrament of Marriage, which includes sessions with the Priest celebrating the marriage and attendance at Pre-Cana conferences.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK / HOSPITAL VISITS

We are strongly committed to the spiritual care of the sick. Because of privacy laws, hospitals and nursing homes are not allowed to release the patient's religious affiliation. Therefore, we must depend on families of our sick parishioners to inform us of their whereabouts and condition. Please notify the parish office of any need for a home or hospital visit.

RCIA - THE RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

is a program for people who seek full initiation in the Catholic Church through the reception of the Sacraments of Baptism, Eucharist and Confirmation, which are received at the Easter Vigil.

Anyone interested in joining our program, please contact the Parish Office @ 973-728-8162 and leave your name and phone number. The starting date of the new RCIA program will be September 17th after the 11:00AM Mass. Meetings will be held in the gathering space.

Sacrament Preparation is available in Polish.

Sacramental Catechesis for First Communion and Confirmation is also available in Polish.

CONFIRMATION PROGRAM

The Confirmation Program is open to Grade 7 for (Confirmation Year 1) and Grade 8 for (Confirmation Year 2).

Classes meet on Thursday evenings from 6:30 - 7:45PM on the 2nd Floor of the School.

For any questions, please call the Parish Office @ 973-728-8162.

Knights of Columbus



SCAN THE CODE AND JOIN NOW!

SPECIFY COUNCIL: **6139**

WWW.KOFC.ORG/JOINUS

STEWARDSHIP

The Parish belongs to all of us, and only through the parish community can we achieve our goals.

The Challenge is Ours!!!

**Parish Debt
as of 01/01/2024**

\$308,600.00

Sunday Donations

Sunday Collection -
12/24/2023

\$4,593.00

Christmas Collection

\$20,223.00

Second Collection -
Church Renovations

2,820.00

Our Weekly Goal

\$10,000.00

SHOPRITE GIFT CARDS

Week Ending - 12/31/2023

Sold

\$1,390.00

Profit

\$69.50

**Total Profit since
July 1, 2023**

\$3,190.00

OUR PARISH COMMUNITY

OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE PARISH

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

OFFICE HOURS | Monday – Thursday: 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM | Office closed on Fridays.



Regular 9:00 AM Daily Mass **from Monday to Saturday**

Saturday Evening Mass

5:00PM (Mass in the Church)

Sunday Masses:

8:00AM (Mass in the Church)

9:00AM (Polish Mass in the Church)

11:00AM (Mass in the Church)

**(11:00 AM Mass will continue to be
LiveStream on Facebook)**

PARISH STAFF/ CONTACTS

Father Kamil Stachowiak
Pastor

Father Aleksander Bialas
Parochial Vicar

Deacon Charles Roche
Deacon

Patricia Golczewski
Business Manager

Caryl Romeo
Religious Education, Director

Lori Ann Wallace
Confirmation

Janet Scheil
Parish Bulletin

Alan Morales
Music Director

Artur Bratkowski
Organist for Polish Mass

Natalia Juszcak
Polish School Director

Patricia Callahan
Trustee

John Buechel
Trustee

PARISH MEMBERSHIP

We welcome all new parishioners! We ask that you register to ensure your full participation in the life of the parish. Registration forms are available at church exits, in the parish office or you can call and a form can be mailed or emailed to you.



LEAVING A LEGACY

We invite you to join us on Sunday, January 14th for a Women's Afternoon of Reflection entitled "**Leaving A Legacy**". We ask all participants to bring a picture that has special meaning for you and your journal, if you'd like. After the 11 AM Mass we will gather in the school cafeteria for a light lunch and the presentation. Bring your neighbors and friends. All are welcome! Fliers are located at the church exits. For more information or to register contact Mary Beth at 862-377-8008 or email marybetho62012@gmail.com.

PARISH LIFE

Second Grade CCD Students

(Important upcoming dates)

- ◆ Saturday, 1/20/24 - 10:30AM - First Reconciliation - Church (Snow date: 1/27/24)
- ◆ Saturday, 3/9/24 - 9:00AM - 12:00 Noon - Children's Workshop - School Cafeteria
- ◆ Saturday, 5/4/24 - 11:00AM - 1st Holy Communion - Church

Children's Family Masses

- ◆ 11 a.m. Sunday, January 21, 2024
- ◆ 11 a.m. Sunday, February 25, 2024
- ◆ 11 a.m. Sunday, March 24, 2024 (Palm Sunday)
- ◆ 11 a.m. Sunday, April 14, 2024 (Closing Ceremony for CCD)

FOOD PANTRY



The Pantry **REOPENS** on:
Wednesday, January 3rd, 2024
12:00 Noon.

Our Food Pantry thanks you for your donations, but CANNOT ACCEPT any expired food.

CURRENT & UPCOMING EVENTS

Saturday, January 6th, 2024
THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD
 5:00PM Mass

Sunday, January 7th, 2024
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 8:00AM Mass in Church (English)
 9:00AM Mass in Church (Polish)
 9:30AM - Religious Education-Grades K-6 School
 11:00AM Mass in Church (English)
 Live Stream Mass - 11:00 AM (On Facebook)

Monday, January 8th
 9:00AM Daily Mass - Monday to Saturday
 PARISH OFFICE - OPEN - 10:00AM
 FOOD PANTRY - OPEN - 10:00AM

Tuesday, January 9th
 PARISH OFFICE OPEN - 10:00AM
 FOOD PANTRY OPEN - 12:00 Noon
 4:30PM - Religious Education-Grades 1-6 - School

Wednesday, January 10th
 PARISH OFFICE OPEN - 10:00AM
 FOOD PANTRY OPEN - 12:00 Noon
 7:00PM - Pack 159 - Gym
 8:00PM - KofC Meeting - KofC Hall

Thursday, January 11th
 PARISH OFFICE OPEN - 10:00AM
 FOOD PANTRY OPEN - 12:00 Noon
 6:30PM - Confirmation 1 & 2 - School

Friday, January 12th
 PARISH OFFICE - CLOSED
 FOOD PANTRY - CLOSED

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 11:00AM Women's Afternoon of Reflection - Church
 Live Stream Mass - 11:00 AM (On Facebook)
 2:00PM - Christmas Caroling - OLQP Premises

The Legion of Mary will be meeting virtually on January 2, 9 and 16, 2024. If you are interested, please contact Cecilia Cassella @ 201-463-7623. We'd love to hear from you! Happy New Year!

PRAYER CHAIN



Your sisters and brothers of the Parish will gladly pray for your needs. Please call Jenelle Hopkins at 973-853-7240, or email her at prayer.chain@olqpnj.org.

BULLETIN DEADLINE

Please kindly submit all bulletin material to janet.scheil@olqpnj.org. Please note: - Articles to be published in next week's bulletin need to be submitted no later than 10 AM of the prior Monday.

Don't miss
the Bulletin
Deadline

Our Lady Queen of Peace Church
 1911 Union Valley Rd., Hewitt, 07421

Christmas Caroling

Sunday, January 14, 2024
 starts at 2:00pm

Music - Bonfire - Food - Fun

Our Lady Queen of Peace Church
 1911 Union Valley Road, Hewitt, NJ 07421

Presents



Friday, January 19, 2024
 starts at 7:00 PM

Door opens at 6:00pm



Prizes: ShopRite Gift Cards

Reserve your table: 973 728 8162

Donation: \$25 PERSON

Includes: 7 regular games and 3 special games

Food and drinks available for purchase