

OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE

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DECEMBER 28, 2025



THE HOLY FAMILY

He went and dwelt in a town called Nazareth,
so that what had been spoken through the
prophets might be fulfilled. - Mt 2:23

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What's New?

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PRAYER & WORSHIP

MASS Intentions

Saturday, December 27th, 2025

THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY & JOSEPH

5:00 PM † Deceased members of the Naimoli and Kane Families
requested by Jill & Michael Kane
† Ronald DellaPia
req. by Connie Ruscigno Kaufman
† Megaline Toscano
requested by Denise Grogan

Sunday, December 28th, 2025

THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY & JOSEPH

8:00 AM † Gerry Scheil
requested by Janet, Katy & Keith
9:00 AM † Zofia & Stefan Eker
† Wieslawa Balakowska
11:00 AM † Dolores Petruzzi
requested by Lucy Nowakowski
† Valerie Gagnon
requested by Pat Cedrone

Monday, December 29th

9:00 AM † Emilian Lemanski and the souls of the Stelmach Family

Tuesday, December 30th

9:00 AM † Grzegorz Rutkowski
† Jan Gniedziejko

Wednesday, December 31st, 2025

SOLEMNITY OF MARY,

THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD

9:00 AM People of the Parish
6:00 PM (Vigil Mass)

Thursday, January 1st, 2026

SOLEMNITY OF MARY,

THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD

8:00 AM
9:00 AM (Polish)
11:00 AM

Friday, January 2nd

FIRST FRIDAY

9:00 AM † Barbara Murphy
requested by Tom Murphy
† Dorothy & James Daniel Kelty Sr.
requested by the Kelty Family
† Dorothy & Salvatore Mazzella
requested by the Kelty Family
7:00 PM (Polish)

Saturday, January 3rd

9:00 AM The Living Tree Intentions

Saturday, January 3rd, 2026

THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

5:00 PM † Carol Koeltl-Kessler
requested by Wendy & Jeff Welch
† Grace Castellucci
req. by Connie Ruscigno Kaufman
† Fr. Joseph Quinn
requested by Betty & Charlie Roche

Sunday, January 4th, 2026

THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

8:00 AM † Linda Wilson
requested by her family
9:00 AM
11:00 AM † Paul Nowakowski
requested by Lucy Nowakowski



REMEMBER
in your prayers

Dolores Altieri, Rose Armstrong, Brandon Bove, Kate Brandl, Aaron Brady, Baby Kaliyah Broton, Laurie Burton, Suna Cantu, Tyneisha Clark, Patricia DeBoise, Vincent DeMuro, John DePietri, Anthony DiMascio, Adele Durr, Josephine Falzarano, Phyllis Fortunato, Alex Garcia, Bill Gas-trock, Vasilica Goian, Luke Griffith, Kathy Holley, Baby Liam Jenkins, Kathleen Jobbagy, Tim Kelly, Scott Kossler, Cassandra & Leeora Lanza, Robert Lanza, Alan Litz, Paul Luccioni, Florence Masucci, Ro McCormick, Masucci Family, Evelyn McCa-be, Kenneth McFarland, Joseph Miller, Mike Mooradian, Sean Murphy, Kim Murray, Lydia Novinslaya, Deanna O'Hern, Cali O'Hern, Ryan Ostrowski, Luis Pacquing, Mary Lou Perry, Mark Rice, Brandon Riffard, Deacon Charles Roche, Darby Roche, Caryl Romeo, Ellen Sabrack, Alice Schmalfeldt, Marget Stamper, Mary Ann Van Oostendorp, Betty Valentine, Joe Verboys, Elaine Vero, Patricia Villano, Joe Walker, Ann Weinschenk, Barbara Zaccaro, Barbara Ziegner

We remember our Beloved Dead:

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 2026.

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 October 12th 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).

Registration is open now for the 2025-2026 Class. You can pick up a registration form in the Parish Office.

Knights of Columbus



SCAN THE CODE AND JOIN NOW!

SPECIFY COUNCIL: 6139

WWW.KOFC.ORG/JOINUS

STEWARDSHIP

Faithful Stewards of God's Gifts Campaign 2025

as of September 15, 2025

Number of Families Contributing: 61

Total Parish Pledge: \$30,149.00

Total Amount Received: \$25,899.00

**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 10/20/2025	\$298,000.00
Sunday Donations	
Sunday Collection - 12/14/25	\$3,787.00
Second Collection - Diocesan Assessment	\$1,130.00
Our Weekly Goal	\$10,000.00
SHOPRITE GIFT CARDS	
Week Ending - 12/14/25	
Sold	\$1,410.00
Profit	\$70.50
Total Profit Since July 1, 2025	\$3,555.75

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 - (frkamilstachowiak@olqpnj.org)

Deacon Charles Roche

Deacon

Caryl Romeo

Religious Education, Director, LYPC - (carylromeo@olqpnj.org)

Lori Ann Wallace

Confirmation

Janet Scheil

Parish Bulletin - (janet.scheil@olqpnj.org)

Alan Morales

Music Director - (amorales@olqpnj.org)

Artur Bratkowski

Religious Worker

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.

SUPPORT OUR CHURCH THROUGH ONLINE GIVING!

Your generosity helps our parish grow and serve our community.

ONLINE GIVING is a simple, secure and convenient way to support our Church

– anytime, anywhere! It's easy!

Just scan the QR code below

or visit our website:

www.olqpnj.org (Online Giving)



WITH ONLINE GIVING, YOU CAN:

- ⇒ Set up one-time or recurring donations
 - ⇒ Give safely and securely
- ⇒ Ensure your support continues, even when you're away.

Thank you for your kindness and commitment to our parish.
May God bless you abundantly!

PARISH LIFE

Religious Education Classes/January, 2026

- ◆ Sunday, January 11, 2026
Children's Mass – 11:00AM
- ◆ Tuesday, January 13, 2026
- ◆ Sunday, January 25, 2026
- ◆ Tuesday, January 27, 2026

Second Grade CCD Students

(Important upcoming dates)

- ◆ Saturday, 1/24/26 - 10:30AM - OLQP Main Church
First Reconciliation Service
- ◆ Saturday, 1/31/26 - 10:30AM - OLQP Main Church
First Reconciliation SNOWDATE!

FOOD PANTRY

Our Pantry thanks you for your continued generosity.

We CANNOT ACCEPT any expired food.

Our Food Pantry is open:

Monday: 10:00AM to 12:00Noon

Tuesday to Thursday: 12:00Noon to 2:00PM

Closed on Friday, Saturday & Sunday

CURRENT & UPCOMING EVENTS



Our Lady Queen of Peace Church

Christmas

2025



December 24, 2025, Christmas Eve
4:00PM - Family Mass
9:30PM (Polish), 12:00AM - Midnight Mass

December 25, 2025, Christmas Day
8:00AM, 9:00AM (Polish), 11:00AM

December 28, 2025 – Holy Family Sunday
Sat.: 5:00PM, Sun.: 8:00AM, 9:00AM (Polish), 11:00AM

January 1, 2026, New Year
Dec. 31: Vigil Mass: 6:00 PM,
New Year: 8:00AM, 9:00AM (Polish) 11:00AM



This coming **Friday, January 2nd**, is the **First Friday** of the month. We will have Eucharistic Adoration following the 9:00AM Mass. A sign-up sheet is available at the side entrance of the Church.



THANK YOU to all who came out to help decorate the church for Christmas. **THANK YOU** also to the Knights of Columbus for setting up the crèche both inside and outside of the church. **A HUGE THANK YOU** to Battinelli Landscaping & Garden Center for the Poinsettias and pot covers.