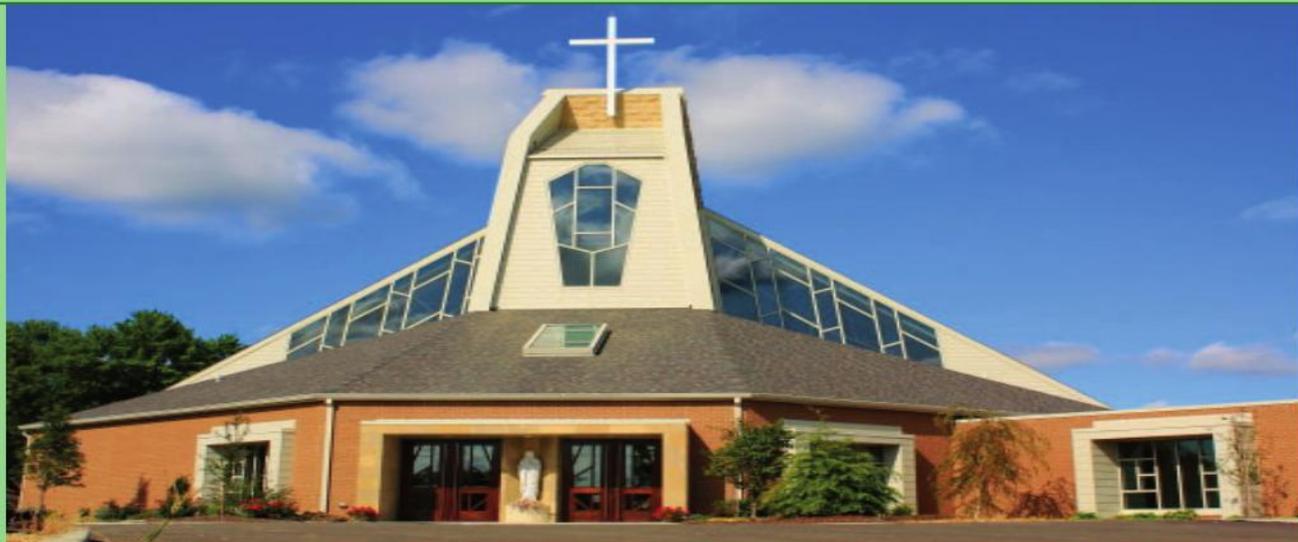


November 6, 2022—Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time
But the LORD is faithful; he will strengthen you and guard you from the evil one.
--2 Thessalonians 3:3



Our Lady Queen of Peace Church 708 Erie Street ~ Grafton, OH
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MASS SCHEDULE

Church

Saturday Vigil.....4:30pm

Sunday.....8:30am & 11:00am

Weekday Mass

Monday-Tuesday-Thursday-Friday....9:00am
(Chapel)

Wednesday 6:30pm (Church)

Confessions

Saturday..... 3:30-4:00pm

MISSION STATEMENT

We are a Roman Catholic family centered in the Eucharist, rooted in our immigrant traditions since the 1800's and devoted to our Blessed Mother. Humbly guided by the Holy Spirit, and with the warmth and hospitality that springs from a small community, we seek to share our faith in Jesus Christ through prayer, devotion, education, stewardship, and service to others.

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Parish Office Hours

Monday - Friday: 8:30am - 5:00pm



Monday, November 7 (Chapel)
9:00am - Dorothy Morley Kantosky - Bill Kantosky
Tuesday, November 8 (Church)
9:00am - Marie Gebbia - Betty Rozga
Wednesday, November 9
6:30pm - ALL Parishioners
Thursday, November 10 (Chapel)
9:00am - Marie Escobar - Joe & Pat Diedrick
Friday, November 11 (Chapel)
9:00am - Barb Link - Barb Schraff
Saturday, November 12
4:30pm - Margaret Miketo - Elizabeth Miketo
Sunday, November 13
8:30am - Living & Deceased members of the Holy Name Society
11:00am - Frances Walter - Family

Pray for the Sick: Kathy Borowy, Deborah Cormier, Cathy Cornish, John Cutter, Dennis Frabotta, Alyassa Frost, Don Gates, Michael Gilkeson, Marilyn Hamm, Dorothy Hannes, Joan Henschel-Blake, Traci Jacobs, Gloria Janosko, Pat Krutowiskis, Pete Krutowiskis, James Kwiatek, Debbie Listwak, Ron Listwak, Toni Long, Jose' Magiste, Michele Miller, Becca Mullins, David Myers, John O'Connor, Guy Page, Mark Petricevic, Jane Peyton, Jeff Pfeiffer, Adam Postelwait, Colleen Ray, Gladys Rising, Cristina Safille, George Schaefer, Monica Schaefer, Ken Schroeder, Rhonna Smith, Thomas Southam, Sandy Stewart, Al Traxler, Amy Woodburn, Pat Wracker, Brooke Wuilliez & Glada Wuilliez.

Please call the Parish Office 440-926-2364, or email us at info@olqpgraffton.org to have a name of a friend or relative included in this list.

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday - 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

2 Mc 7:1-2, 9-14; Ps 17:1, 5-6, 8, 15; 2 Thes 2:16-3:5; Lk 20:27-38 or Lk 20:27, 34-38

Monday Ti 1:1-9; Ps 24:1b-2, 3-4ab, 5-6; Lk 17:1-6

Tuesday Ti 2:1-8, 11-14; Ps 37:3-4, 18 & 23, 27 & 29; Lk 17:7-10

Wednesday Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; 1; 1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17; Jn 2:13-22

Thursday Phmn 7-20; Ps 146:7, 8-9a, 9bc -10; Lk 17:20-25

Friday 2 Jn 4-9; Ps 119:1, 2, 10, 11, 17, 18; Lk 17:26-37

Saturday 3 Jn 5-8; Ps 112:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Lk 18:1-8

Sunday - 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mal 3:19-20a; Ps 98:5-6, 7-8, 9; 2 Thes 3:7-12; Lk 21:5-19

just to let you know

WELCOME! If you are interested in joining OLQP, please call the parish office at 440.926.2364 or go to our website at www.olqpgraffton.org. Registration forms are on our website and by the bulletin board in the Gathering Area.

BULLETIN DEADLINES:

For inclusion in a weekly bulletin, please submit all announcements to Joanna at jblaz@olqpgraffton.org by the following dates:

Sunday November 13 by **5:00pm** Monday November 7
Sunday November 20 by **5:00pm** Monday November

FATHER JOHN'S CORNER:

As we continue to remember in a special way during this month of November those who have died, there will be a prayer service at the parish cemetery (St. Mary on Rt 57) **Sunday, November 6th at 2:00pm**. The 7-day forecast is predicting a beautiful day but if for some reason the weather turns, we will meet in the church for the service.

If you have not already done so, please sign the names of your loved ones who have died in the Parish Book of the Dead. At each Mass during November, we will be remembering those listed the book as well as those grieving their death. The number of deaths from the parish has almost doubled from pre-pandemic years. The Ministry of Comfort and Healing has formed over the past year to reach out to those who are grieving but there is something that all of us can do. And that is pray as well as reaching out personally through notes and phone calls. At a deathbed the other day the wife turned to me after her husband had died and exclaimed, 'Now I am alone.' There is a need to let her, and others, know that they are not alone.

What a great experience of community last Friday evening with the Fall Festival! The weather was great, and the spirit even better. There was a great turnout for this event with so many children in costume having fun. Now the challenge becomes how we can take that spirit of joy and community into future events and ministries in the parish. I wish to thank everyone who made this night so successful.

Looking for a way to become involved in the parish but not sure where to start? This **Thursday, November 10th at 6:30pm**, Joyful Disciples will be meeting. This ministry looks at ways to engage parishioners in the life of the parish. As such, it is a good overview of the opportunities that are available in the parish. It is also a place where you can bring your ideas and voice your needs.

And if you are more of a hands-on person rather than participating in a particular ministry in the parish, there will be a meeting on **Wednesday, November 16th at 7:00pm to plan the Reverse Raffle** which will be held on Saturday, February 18. Many hands will be needed to make this fund raiser a success and if you can spare some time planning or on the night itself, please join us for this meeting on the 16th.

Please keep in your prayers members of the Parish Council who will be meeting this Saturday, November 12th for a day of prayer and reflection. The council has many new members and from the first meeting last month, they are showing signs of being a highly energetic and dedicated group. On Saturday, we will be seeking to develop the bond between the members on the council and developing goals for the months and years ahead.

GOSPEL REFLECTION

Sunday Gospel Reflection will be meeting **Saturday, November 12th at 12:30pm in the hall**. Please note the time change from the regular meetings. We will be looking at the Gospels for the remainder of the liturgical year and the first two weeks of Advent. This would be a great time to start a new practice in your life by coming to these sessions as we end the year and begin the new liturgical year. We read the Gospel for the Sunday and spend some time reflecting upon what we hear. There is no need to know the Scriptures, just a desire to listen to how the reading speaks to your heart.

Join Us!

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 13TH | 5PM-9PM

"Date Night with Fr. Nate"
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Fr. Nathan Cromly
shares a message of hope and love that
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He uplifts and inspires with encouragement and
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SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Wednesday: Feast of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica in Rome
Thursday: Saint Leo the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church
Friday: Saint Martin of Tours, Bishop
Saturday: Saint Josaphat, Bishop & Martyr

WILL OF GOD

The will of God will not take you where the grace of God cannot keep you.
--Unknown

SYMPATHY to the families of **Janice Palmer, George Banjoff and Thomas Arno** who all passed away recently.

May they rest in the peace of Christ.

LITURGICAL MINISTER SCHEDULES (Dec-Feb)

All Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors, Greeters, Mass Coordinators, Servers & Usher Team Leaders are asked to submit requests for the December, January and February Mass schedule. Forms are available in the St. Joseph's room and on our website. If you do not request a specific Mass or request the date off, you may be scheduled for a weekend Mass. Christmas falls on Sunday this year. The Masses will be Saturday, December 24th at 4:30pm and 10:00pm. Sunday, December 25th at 8:30am and 11:00am. **Requests need to be submitted by Sunday, November 6th.**

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER TRAINING



Upcoming diocesan training sessions for Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion will be held at the following locations:

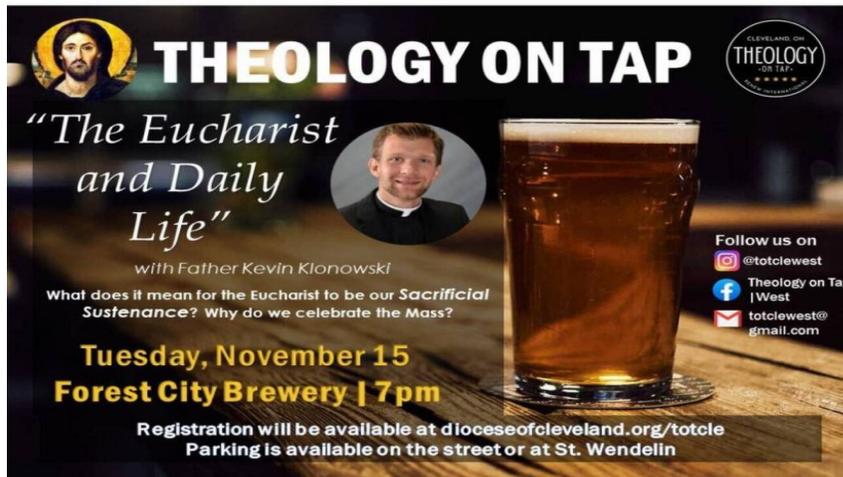
- ◇ **Sunday, November 6th** - Our Lady of the Lake in Euclid from 2:00-4:30pm
- ◇ **Thursday, November 10th** - Holy Martyrs in Medina from 7:00-9:30pm
- ◇ **Sunday November 13th** - St. Francis de Sales in Akron from 2:00-4:30pm
- ◇ **Tuesday, November 15th** - St. Mary of the Immaculate Conception in Wooster from 7:00-9:30pm

Registrations are now being taken for all sessions by calling the parish office.

FLOCKNOTE REMINDER

Our parish uses **Flocknote**, an email and texting tool, to communicate activities and events of interest to our parishioners. If you are not receiving a weekly email or text update from Our Lady Queen of Peace, and would like to, please call the parish office and let us know and we will gladly add you to Flocknote!

HOMEBOUND? If you or someone you know would like to receive communion please contact the parish office 440-926-2364. Also, if you are a Eucharistic Minister and would like to take communion to the homebound and those in local facilities and/or the hospital, please contact the office as well.



THEOLOGY ON TAP

"The Eucharist and Daily Life"

with Father Kevin Klonowski

What does it mean for the Eucharist to be our **Sacrificial Sustenance**? Why do we celebrate the Mass?

Tuesday, November 15
Forest City Brewery | 7pm

Registration will be available at dioceseofcleveland.org/totcle
Parking is available on the street or at St. Wendelin

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THE GOAL OF PRAYER

The goal of prayer is the ear of God, a goal that can only be reached by patient and continued and continuous waiting upon Him, pouring out our heart to Him and permitting Him to speak to us. Only by doing so can we expect to know Him, and as we come to know Him better we shall spend more time in His presence and find that presence a constant and ever-increasing delight.

--E.M. Bounds

HOLY NAME SOCIETY MEN'S NIGHT OUT KIELBASA DINNER

The OLQP Holy Name Society Kielbasa Dinner is back after a two-year hiatus! The **Men's Night Out** Kielbasa Dinner will be held **Saturday, November 12th from 5:30pm – 8:00pm in the parish hall.**

Dinner is \$10.00 and includes: All you can eat Kielbasa, Sauerkraut, Mashed Potatoes, Roll & Butter, and various condiments. **Take out is available.**

There will be a 50/50 Raffle, Browns Club Seats (4) Raffle and The Wheel Raffle throughout the evening. A cash bar is available.

Raffle tickets are \$2.00 each or 3 for \$5. 1st Prize is \$250, 2nd Prize is \$100. Tickets are also good for the Door Prize drawing.

For more information, please call the parish office at 440-926-2364.

VETERAN'S DAY - November 11th

The Holy Name Society would like to recognize Veterans and those that served in uniform. We are looking for pictures from your time in service to be displayed at all masses in the Gathering Area. Pictures may also be of family members you want to recognize.

If you submitted a picture in the past and it was encased in a frame, please re-submit. Also, if you have identification information, submit that as well. Be sure to identify the person and service time if possible and include your name & number for contact purposes. Pictures can be submitted to the Parish Office. Any questions, please contact Ken Shifferly at 440.926.2506



PARISH NURSES SPOTLIGHT WEEKEND

The Parish Nursing Program extends the healing ministry of Jesus to our community by embracing our core values of compassion, human dignity, justice, excellence, sacredness of life, and service. We strive to improve the health and well-being of those in our Parish community. Our activities include monthly blood pressure and blood sugar checks, free yearly lab event, yearly flu shots, education, and First Aid at Parish events. Stop by our display in the Gathering Area on **November 12th or 13th** for a chance to win a First Aid kit, pick up some educational handouts or coloring sheets for the kids, get a blood pressure or blood sugar check, or grab a healthy snack!



Congratulations to Matthew & Kimberly Conley whose daughter **Madison Avery Conley** was baptized last weekend.

May she grow as a child of God with the support and witness of our parish community.

PRAYER FOR THE CHURCH IN TRANSITION

O faithful God, as your people, we cherish our memories and our history as a sacred gift. We also ask you to guide us in our time of transition. We need your wisdom that we might be receptive to change, conversion and growth. We need your grace to redirect our hearts that we may be willing to offer ourselves in joyful service.

Do not allow fear, ignorance or pride to limit the work of your spirit, nor custom to prevent the creativity within us from bearing fruit. Open our hearts to the call of the Gospel. Give us courage and renewed hope that we may meet the challenge of being the Church in our time. Amen

REMEMBERING THOSE WHO HAVE DIED

The Church traditionally observes the month of November as a special time to remember the faithfully departed. The following are some of the events and ways we will be recalling those who have died and praying for those who grieve their death:

CEMETERY SERVICE: There will be a prayer service at St. Mary Cemetery (Rt. 57) at 2:00pm on Sunday, November 6. We will be remembering in prayer all those buried at the parish cemetery in the past year as well as all those who have died. In case of inclement weather, we will hold the prayer service in the church.

NOVEMBER MASSES: During the month of November, we will be remembering at all the Masses those who are listed in the parish Book of the Dead. You may add the names of loved ones who have died to the book and they will be included in the petitions at each Mass.

LADIES' NIGHT OUT

We're happy to report that our "Sunflower" Celebration was a success! Profit amount will be announced when all expenses have been received. Thank you to our guests and everyone who donated the unique items and gift cards needed for our raffles. Thanks to the vendors at our event: *A Secret Garden Floral Design, Busy Bird Creations, Finishing Touches, Pink Daddy's Cookies, Sunflower and Pines, Tammy Mae Chocolates, Cupcakes & Cookies, Tastefully Simple, Three Ukrainian Ladies, Tricia Nejman/Silpada Jewelry*. Thanks also to *Marco's Pizza and Grafton Crews Thru*. Everyone enjoyed the delicious dinner, appetizers and desserts prepared by our committee members and Ukrainian ladies. We appreciate everyone who volunteered - family and friends alike - who helped where needed, setting up, selling tickets, serving food and drinks. Thank you to everyone on the Planning Committee who donated many items and spent numerous hours sharing their time and talents to ensure everyone enjoyed a fantastic time!

ADORATION

Adoration this month will be **Wednesday, November 16th from 2:30pm-6:30pm in the church**. Come and spend some time in private prayer before the Blessed Sacrament. As it falls a week before Thanksgiving, use this time to reflect upon the blessings in your life and give thanks to God for them. At the same time praying for those who are going without.



PSR / RCIA UPDATES

*"Lord, when your glory appears, my joy will be full."
Psalm 17*

Which of these words from this week's Responsorial Psalm speak to your heart? Are we able to see God's glory in our daily life moments and embrace the joy? With the changing of the clocks from Daylight Savings time, it is easy to grumble about the switch up of daylight hours. Perhaps, this Psalm can help challenge us to see the glory of the moment and live out the joy God has placed in our hearts.

Faith at Home will take place this weekend. All PSR families should have received their Faith at Home Fun email this past week. The Faith at Home Fun document is intended to have resources for all members of the family to learn more about and discuss the Gospel of the week, dive into some Catholic teachings, and learn about some saints. There are resources for not only our students, but their parents and guardians to learn more as well. We will gather back in person the next two



BEST BUDDIES PROM coming to OLQP!

Interested in helping us create a community prom experience for those with special needs? We are looking to gather a planning committee to see about making this wonderful experience a reality! Join us, **Wednesday, November 9th at 7:00pm in the Parish Hall** to find out more!

THANK-YOU for your generous support of OLQP, and your help with the needs of the community through your ongoing participation in our various ministries.

	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Goal</u>	<u>Difference</u>
Sunday, Oct 29/30:	\$9,035.75		
E-Giving:	\$3,448.80		
Total:	\$12,484.55	\$12,282.00	\$202.55
YTD:	\$207,341.31	\$221,076.00	(\$13,734.69)
Mortgage:	\$236,077.86		

THIS WEEK at Our Lady Queen of Peace:

Sunday, November 6

9:40am-10:50am - PSR - Faith At Home
2:00pm - Cemetery Service (St Mary's Cemetery)

Monday, November 7

7:00pm - Choir Practice
7:00pm - RCIA

Tuesday, November 8

Election Day

Wednesday, November 9

7:00pm - Best Buddies Prom Planning Mtg.

Thursday, November 10

6:30pm - Joyful Disciples

Friday, November 11

Veteran's Day

Saturday, November 12

8:00am-12:30p - Parish Council Retreat
12:30pm - Gospel Reflection
5:30pm - Parish Nurses BP & Sugar Screenings
5:30pm - HNS Stag Kielbasa Dinner

Sunday, November 13

Parish Nurses BP & Sugar Screenings
8:30am - First Grade Class Mass
9:40am-10:50am - PSR
11:00am - RCIA Rite of Acceptance Mass
12:00pm - Women of Faith

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- ◆ Nov 12 - HNS Men's Night Kielbasa Dinner
- ◆ Nov 12/13 - Spotlight: Parish Nurse BP & Sugar Screening
- ◆ Nov 19/20 - Spotlight Ministry: Ministry of Care
- ◆ Nov 26/27 - First Sunday of Advent

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If you are 70 ½ or older, you may be able to make a gift of a Qualified Charitable Distribution from your IRA that will help us in our ministry and reduce your taxable income. Talk to your advisors and IRA administrator for more information and to be sure that your IRA Qualified Charitable Distribution gift is made directly from an IRA to a qualified charity such as our parish. Questions? Contact Joanna Blaz in our parish office at 440.926.2364 or Jean Ann Montagna of the Catholic Community Foundation at 216-696-6525 x8070 or visit:

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