

# St. Mary Queen of Peace October 16, 2022

Rev. Michael Woempner

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## MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil Mass  
4:30 p.m.

Sunday Masses  
8:00 & 10:00 a.m.

Confessions Saturdays  
at 3:00 p.m.  
Or by appointment

Daily Mass (Tues. - Fri.)  
8:00 a.m.

**Office email:**

[qofpoffice@gmail.com](mailto:qofpoffice@gmail.com)



## OFFICE HOURS

**Monday/Tuesday/Thursday**

7:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

**Wednesday**

7:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. &

3:45 p.m. - 7:45 p.m.

**Friday**

7:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

**Religious Ed email:**

[mcasanova@chartermi.net](mailto:mcasanova@chartermi.net)

## 29<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“Because this widow keeps bothering me I shall deliver a just decision for her lest she finally come and strike me.”  
- Lk 18:5

**Please Pray for  
Our Sick & Shut-Ins**



**PRAYERS WILL BE APPRECIATED FOR:**

Nancy Culver, Jack & Mary Andreini, Christine St. Louis, Bev McDermott, Ida Nord, David McKee, Christine Printz, Al Erickson, Les & Margaret Loper, Ruby & Ruth Marchaterre, Betty Larson, Mary Raketich, George & Sue Hardy, and all who are homebound.

We pray for all those who are sick, who are in nursing homes, and those who are being cared for by their loved ones at home or those who receive ongoing treatment for terminal and life-threatening diseases. May God bring them healing and sustain them in hope...and all who have asked for our prayers.

Do you have a prayer request? Call the parish office, at 774-6122, and they will be put on our prayer line.

Please remember in prayer all those men and women who serve in the Armed Forces.

**~ OUR ATTITUDE IS GRATITUDE ~**  
*A weekly share of our family income to support our Church and School*  
**Weekend of October 9th**

Adults .....	\$5,192.00
Loose .....	\$119.00
Youth .....	\$3.00
Mass Stipends .....	\$50.00
Donations .....	<u>\$50.00</u>
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>\$5,414.00</b>

  
**Thank you!**

**Words of Wisdom  
Bishop Frederic Baraga**



Wanting of many comforts and often in destitute of the bare necessities of life, Fr. Baraga would console himself at the thought, "Oh, how I thank God for calling me to this laborious but highly consoling missionary state."

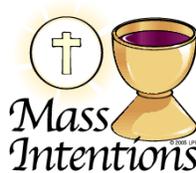
**Eucharistic Adoration Chapel  
Adorers Welcome!**

For more information or to sign up, please call:

Lu Menghini, at 282-6909 or Barb Broullire, at 221-9707

[www.theadorationchapel.com](http://www.theadorationchapel.com)

*Mass Intentions for the Week*



**MONDAY, OCTOBER 17 - ST. IGNATIUS OF ANTIOCH**  
NO MASS

**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 18 - ST. LUKE**  
8:00 AM †Peter Gidlund - Req. by Deb & Jeff Uren

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 19 - STS. JOHN DE BREBEUF AND ISAAC JOGUES**  
8:00 AM Christine Printz - Req. by Friends

**THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20 - WEEKDAY**  
8:00 AM †Robert & Beverly Chartier - Req. by JJ & Lisa Richtig

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 21 - WEEKDAY**  
8:00 AM †Doris Farrington - Req. by Gene Farrington

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22 - THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN OT**  
4:30 PM †Walter Girardi - Req. by M/M Larry Kempamy

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 23 - THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN OT**  
8:00 AM †Earledene & Roy Johnson - Req. by Friends  
10:00 AM Living & Deceased Members of Our Parish Family

**Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**4:30 PM - OCTOBER 22**

Lector: Barb Gauthier  
 Eucharist: Roger Krebsbach  
 Servers: Bryce Davis & Deb Uren  
 Ushers: Dan Davis & Tom Gauthier  
 Hospitality: Richard & Gloria LaSovage / David & Elaine Wagner



**8:00 AM - OCTOBER 23**

Lector: Dale Close  
 Eucharist: Buck LaVigne  
 Servers: Laura Rhode & Joel Sommerfeld  
 Ushers: Beth & Brian Waitrovich  
 Hospitality: Dave & Deb Brisson / Jerry & Sue Sanders

**10:00 AM - OCTOBER 23**

Lector: Victoria Wills  
 Eucharist: Tom Wills  
 Servers: Sheila & Ellyce Doenier  
 Ushers: Bill & Mary Paupore  
 Hospitality: Brian Brouillette & Sharon Scholke / Keith & Karen Dennis

Money Counters: Jerry & Sue Sanders

*Please be faithful to your assigned ministry of service. It is your responsibility to get a substitute. Please let the office know the name/(s) of your replacements. Thank you!*



## Scripture for the Week of October 17, 2022

**Mon** Eph 2:1-10 / Lk 12:13-21  
**Tues** 2 Tm 4:10-17b / Lk 10:1-9  
**Wed** Eph 3:2-12 / Lk 12:39-48  
**Thur** Eph 3:14-21 / Lk 12:49-53  
**Fri** Eph 4:1-6 / Lk 12:54-59  
**Sat** Eph 4:7-16 / Lk 13:1-9  
**SUN** Sir 35:12-14, 16-18 / 2 Tm 4:6-8, 16-18 / Lk 18:9-14

## SUNDAY'S READINGS

**FIRST READING:** As long as Moses kept his arms raised, Israel had the advantage.

(Ex 17:8-13)

**SECOND READING:** This is how the man of God becomes equipped and ready for every good work.

(2 Tm 3:14—4:2)

**GOSPEL:** God will see those who cry to him vindicated.

(Lk 18:1-8)

### VOCATION VIEWS:

Gratitude leads to praise. For what are you thankful? Share your gratitude.

Pray for an increase in vocations to the priesthood and religious life in the Diocese of Marquette.

### STEWARDSHIP BY THE BOOK:

Today's theme is perseverance - Moses keeping his hands up-raised throughout the battle Paul urging Timothy to stay with the task of preaching and teaching, and the widow appealing to the corrupt judge. To be faithful stewards of God's gifts, we, too, must preserve in the roles to which we are called.



### A MESSAGE FROM THE BISHOP:

Proposal 3 would amend our State Constitution to include the most extreme "abortion rights" law in the United States. Please take the time to read the bulletin inserts and other materials provided on Proposal 3 that have been prepared by Michigan Catholic Conference. It is important for us to be well informed about the gravity of this proposal and its threat to the dignity of human life.

Prayer and fasting are the most important and most powerful means at our disposal to defeat this initiative.

From now through election day, I encourage all Catholics to join with me in praying a daily rosary and fasting for the defeat of Proposal 3. We have the noble practice of giving something up for Lent. Now let us embrace that spiritual practice to give up something as a form of fasting for the defeat of this initiative.



## UPCOMING EVENTS

**November 4th-6th:** Youth Encounter Weekend

**November 5th:** November Basket Raffle Starts

**November 19th & 20th:** Rosary after all Masses

### CHOOSE LIFE

Lost indeed are those who kill their own children out of folly, with no basis in knowledge, forbidding what God has provided for them...Life is a gift from God and the future of our nation. Protect the unborn today.

Pray and work to end abortion and euthanasia; as well as, praying for all life, especially the elderly and the unborn.

### FUNERAL MASSES / BURIALS

It is a policy of St. Mary Queen of Peace Church that all funerals and burials MUST be arranged through the funeral home. The funeral home will then call the pastor to finalize the arrangements. Thank you.

### DEAR PADRE

**I'm a recovering heroin addict. Do I need to confess my addiction? Addiction is a disease, not a sin, right?**

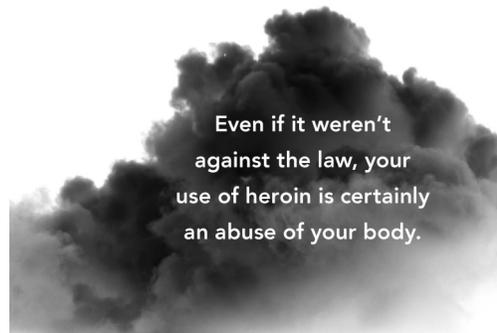
**Right, but addiction and using drugs are two different things.** As you know, recovering addicts who don't use drugs are still addicts, and that in itself isn't a sin. But it's against the law to use heroin in the United States, so even if you never committed a secondary crime to get it, the "getting it" was a crime.

More important, though, the body is a temple of the Holy Spirit, and it's a sin to abuse ourselves in any way. Even if it weren't against the law, your use of heroin is certainly an abuse of your body.

The sacrament of reconciliation is more than just receiving absolution for sins. It also helps us look more deeply at our lives. Before you go, examine your conscience: Ask yourself how your addiction has affected your body, your life, your relationship with God, and the welfare of others.

If you bring honest answers to those questions as well as an open heart and an open mind, your conversation with your priest at reconciliation will help you heal your relationship with God and others. You will also receive the grace to improve your life and do things like overcome addiction so you can be a better person.

Fr. Patrick Keyes, CSSR  
Sundaybulletin@Liguori.org



### October 19th

Classes K-5th: 5:10 - 6:10 pm  
6-11th: 6:20 - 7:20 pm

### October 26th

Classes K-5th: 5:10 - 6:10 pm  
6-8th: 6:20 - 7:20 pm  
YG 9-12th: 6:20 - 7:20 pm

### SAVE RECEIPTS

Please save your complete Tadych's and Super One receipts, as they will give us 1% of the total spent, to use towards our CCD program. You may drop them, compiled neatly, in the weekly collection basket. Thank you!



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### Words From Pope Francis



I encourage all of you...to pursue your commitment to increasing awareness and offering support to those who have emerged from the tunnel of drug addiction...They need our help and accompaniment so that they in turn will be able to ease the pain of so many of our brothers and sisters in difficulty.

ADDRESS TO CONFERENCE  
ON DRUG ADDICTION,  
DECEMBER 1, 2018

## Parish Family Membership

We welcome you to the Catholic Christian Community of St. Mary Queen of Peace. Please contact the parish office to register at the earliest opportunity.

### PARISH STAFF

Pastor	Rev. Michael Woempner
Admin. Assistant	Becky Couper
Dir. Religious Ed K-8th	Mary Beth Casanova
High School/Youth Group	Duane Mrozinski / Becky Couper
Janitor/ Grounds	Dennis Nelson

### MASS ORGANISTS

Saturday 4:30 p.m.	
Sunday 8:00 a.m.	Daniel Steinbrecher
Sunday 10 a.m. Folk Choir	Cathy Spice



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## Sacraments

### RECONCILIATION

Confessions are heard on Saturday beginning at 3:00 p.m., or anytime by appointment.

### BAPTISM

Parent(s) must be registered and active members of the parish for at least six months and are expected to attend one session with the pastor on the meaning of Baptism prior to the celebration of the Sacrament. Godparents (one man and one woman), if not from the parish, must have a letter from their pastor stating that they are practicing Catholics and able to serve as sponsor. It is encouraged that both Godparents be Catholic, but one may be a non-Catholic and serve as a Christian witness.

### MARRIAGE

The Catholic Church maintains the teaching of Jesus Christ, that marriage is a permanent and unconditional commitment between one man and one woman.

For a marriage to take place at Queen of Peace, one or both parties (or their parents) must be registered active members for at least 6 months before beginning marriage preparation. *Registration in the parish for the sole purpose of being married here is not permitted.* Once preparation begins, no date will be set until the initial information is gathered by the pastor. The Diocese requires 6 months prior to the wedding to ensure adequate time to prepare properly for the Sacrament. There are options for preparation, but some sort of preparation is required. Call the Parish Office to make the arrangements with the pastor. Saturdays are the usual day for weddings.

Times for weddings: For a Wedding Mass, no later than noon. For the Liturgy of the Word, no later than 12:30 p.m.

### ANOINTING & SICK CALLS

Anointing of the Sick is available upon request. Please call the rectory when anyone is sick, in the hospital, or shut-in and unable to attend Mass. In an emergency situation, call immediately.

### FUNERALS

When there is a death in the family, contact a Funeral Director, who will in turn make arrangements with the Parish. Please note that the Diocesan Guidelines state that wakes and visitations are to take place in the Funeral Home, not in the Church. While exceptions may be made by the pastor, it will only be for special pastoral needs and/or circumstances.