PARISH MEMBERSHIP
Welcome to new members. Parishioners entering, leaving or moving within the parish should contact the Church Office.

MARRIAGES
Arrangements should be made at the Church Office at least six months prior to the marriage. Latest time on Saturdays, 2:00 p.m.

BAPTISMS
Prior to the Baptism of your first child, a 90-minute Parent Preparation Course is required. The course is offered on the second Wednesday in: January, March, May, September and November, at 7:00 p.m. Baptisms are scheduled for the fourth Sunday of each month at 12:15 p.m. To register for the parent class, or to schedule a Baptism, please contact the Parish Office.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION
First Thursday of the month, September through May, beginning at 9:00 a.m. and ending with Benediction at 6:45 p.m.

SICK CALLS
Notify the Church Office for visits and/or Communion calls to the sick or shut-ins.

BULLETIN DEADLINE
Please e-mail notice to olpbulletin@rrohio.com Deadline Monday at noon.
MASS SERVERS
SATURDAY, APRIL 9
4:00 p.m. M. Nussbaum, A. Swint, R. Walker
SUNDAY, APRIL 10
8:30 a.m. A. France, N. George, M. Ogden
10:00 a.m. C. Benson, J. & R. Ulibarri
11:30 a.m. A. & M.K. Bertsch-Jones, G. Carmona
EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST
SATURDAY, APRIL 9
4:00 p.m. K. Brosmer, M. Heininger, C. Herman,
J. Kabealo, R. Kramer, L. Zeyen
SUNDAY, APRIL 10
8:30 a.m. D. Klemm, K. Savely, D. & V. Songstad,
10:00 a.m. W. Bumbico, D. Canlas, M. Fields, P. Huck,
11:30 a.m. S. Bowen, M. Devine, M. Hutson,
LECTORS
SATURDAY, APRIL 9
4:00 p.m. R. Baxter, P. Zeyen
SUNDAY, APRIL 10
8:30 a.m. R. Giesken, J. Hrach
10:00 a.m. T. Farmer, D. King
11:30 a.m. L. Griffith, S. Hutchinson
READINGS APRIL 17, 2016
First Reading: Acts 13:14, 43-52
Second Reading: Revelation 7:9, 14b-17
Gospel John 10:27-30

OFFERTORY TOTALS for April 3, 2016
Regular
Electronic ......................................................... $ 11,100.07
Envelopes and Holy Days............................... $ 6,814.09
Total .................................................................. $ 17,914.16
Diocesan Tax .................................................... $ 1,074.85
Net ..................................................................... $ 16,839.31

Please be sure to include your envelope number on your check. Thank you!

Our Lady of Peace recently received a gift from the estate of Catherine and Arthur Lewis. They were generous in support of their parish in life, and now in death. The proceeds from their gift have been forwarded to the Parish Endowment Fund at the Catholic Foundation. Please continue to pray for Catherine and Arthur Lewis and all of the people who have remembered Our Lady of Peace Parish so generously in their estates.

Our Lady of Peace Beautification Day

What is Beautification Day?
Beautification Day is being established to beautify or to “spruce up” Our Lady of Peace Parish grounds. Some of the tasks include: raking leaves, pulling weeds, trimming bushes and trees, planting flowers, repair chain link fence, mulch flower beds and around trees, plant grass seed, grind tree stumps, repair the Mary statue between church and school, clean out gutters, power washing, and edging. It is a great way for the whole Our Lady of Peace Community to get together and support OLP.

When and where is it going to take place?
Beautification Day will be held on Saturday, April 23rd, from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. To sign up, please visit http://goo.gl/IXUgnM. Please contact Kim Lordo for additional information at 614-784-8255 or klordo@aol.com.

Men’s Breakfast with Father John: All men of the parish are invited to join us Saturday, April 16th, in the old rectory space for breakfast with Father John, fellowship, and to learn about the many opportunities to participate in the growing number of men’s programs and ministries at OLP and in our diocese. Breakfast and fellowship will begin at 7:30 a.m. in the old rectory meeting room, followed by the presentations.

Diocesan Senior Citizen Celebration: The 39th annual diocesan Senior Citizens Celebration will be held Monday, June 6th, at St. Edward the Confessor in Granville. Bishop Campbell will celebrate Mass at 10:30 a.m., followed by a luncheon. The cost is $10.00 per person. This annual event is a great opportunity for prayer, food and fellowship with seniors from our Diocese. To register, please send a check to the Office for Social Concerns, Catholic Diocese of Columbus, 197 E. Gay Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215. Registration deadline is June 1st. For additional information, please call 614-241-2540 or email socmailbox@columbuscatholic.org.

Answer the Call – On April 30th, the staff will be providing training for Liturgical Ministers. If you are a Catholic in good standing and would like to assist the community by proclaiming the readings at Mass or by serving as an Extraordinary Minister of Communion, please let Sister Barbara know by email at BrbrKol@aol.com or her office phone number is 614-263-4271.

Prayer Line – If you have a petition you would like the Prayer Line to join in praying for, please call Bunni Cosimati at 614-847-1826. Prayers are kept confidential.
WHAT’S COMING UP AT OLP SCHOOL

Sunday, April 10
Scrip Store Open, 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Wednesday, April 13
All-School Mass

Thursday, April 14
Grade 4 to Freedom Museum in Cincinnati and Newport Aquarium
Partners in Conservation – Grades 1 & 7

Save the Date for the OLP Vacation Bible School, June 20-23, 6:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m. Registration begins May 1st. Cost is $25.00 per child for ages Pre-K-2nd grade. We are also looking for incoming 6th-12th grade volunteers to help in several areas. If interested or if you should have any questions, please contact Heather Hagman at (614) 203-5157.

Education Improves Lives! Be a part of the miracle! Tutors are needed for adults seeking literacy and/or GED and immigrants seeking ESL instruction. The Dominican Learning Center will hold its next Tutor Training session on Saturday, April 16, from 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at 1111 E. Stewart Avenue, Columbus. Those interested, please call 614-444-7330 or email ktrucco@oppeace.org to sign up. We especially need Reading/Math tutors for Basic Education and GED preparation at the DLC weekday mornings and Tuesday afternoons and evenings. ESL tutors generally work with their learner at their mutual local library. So, it is not necessary that a tutor live close to the DLC in order to help. Volunteers with Finance, Marketing, or Fund Raising backgrounds are needed for our Advisory Council. Thank you for any help you can give!

JUBILEE YEAR OF MERCY

This Is Unacceptable
Today, unfortunately, the speculative economy makes the poor ever poorer, depriving them of the essentials, such as housing and employment. This is unacceptable! Those who live solidarity don’t accept it, and they take action.

And this word, “solidarity,” many people want to eliminate it from the dictionary, because some cultures see it as a bad word. No! Solidarity is a Christian word! And this is why you are the family of the homeless, friends of disabled persons, who—when loved—express great humanity.

Pope Francis, Address to the Sant’ Egidio Community, June 15, 2014.

REFLECTION: How can you be in solidarity with the poor? Are you willing to open your eyes and really see the poverty in your area? Are you willing to consider how you can serve?

(Our Sunday Visitor)
Thank you for your generosity!! Rice Bowls are now being collected in a yellow bucket in the Gathering Space.

High School Retreat
Saturday, April 23rd
9:00am—10:00pm
Cost: $10

Pope Francis shows us the best way to learn about mercy is to go out into the world! OLP and St Michael are teaming up for a day-long retreat, traveling all around Columbus. This includes making lunches for the Community Shelter Board, spending time with youth at Run the Race Club, visiting Resurrection Cemetery, and more! In the evening we come back to OLP for pizza, Glow in the Dark Dodgeball, Gaga Ball and hang out.

Sign up or request more information by filling out the form below and dropping it in the collection basket.

Can’t make it for the whole day? No problem! You can still come by and hang out in the gym in the evening. 6pm-10pm.

Mercy Retreat
Student Name __________________________________  Student School & Grade _____________________________

Parent Email: __________________________________ Parent Phone Number: ______________________________

Preferred method of communication? ( ) Email ( ) Phone

* Please return to Maggie Weeks, Director of Youth Ministry | OLPCyouth@gmail.com | 614-263-8824 ext 204
EVENTS AT BWHS

BWHS presents Bye, Bye Birdie! – The Bishop Watterson Theater Department will perform Bye, Bye Birdie! on April 14, 15, 16, 22 and 23 at 7:00 p.m. A matinee performance to benefit Hope Hollow will be held on Sunday, April 24, at 2:00 p.m. For ticket information, go to bishopwatterson.com.

Eagle Sports Camps – It’s time to sign up for Bishop Watterson summer sports camps! Registration forms are available now at bishopwatterson.com. We’re hosting camps for boys basketball, girls basketball, baseball, cheerleading, field hockey, football, girls volleyball, weight training and wrestling. For more information and registration, go to bishopwatterson.com.

Eagle Arts Camps – BWHS will be hosting a Summer Theatre Workshop August 8-13. A morning session will be held for students in grades 2-8 and an afternoon session will be held for high school students. Cost is $100.00 with $50.00 deposit due by June 22. For more information and registration, go to bishopwatterson.com.

The Bishop Watterson band program will hold a summer camp. Watch bishopwatterson.com for information coming soon!

St. Charles Summer Programs

St. Charles is holding a number of Academic and Athletic programs this summer for interested grade school students. The school will offer readiness courses in Math and English for upcoming 7th and 8th graders, June 13 through July 8. Visit the “Upcoming Academic Programs” post at www.stcharlesprep.org to learn more about these summer classes. To learn more about upcoming summer athletic programs, visit the “Athletic Camps” post at www.stcharlesprep.org. They include: Speed & Agility Clinic (June 13, 15 and 17); Lacrosse (June 6, 8, 13 and 15); Baseball (June 13-15); Football (June 20-22); Soccer (June 27-30); Basketball (July 5-8 for 8th and 9th graders and July 18-21 for 5th, 6th and 7th graders); Basketball Shooting Camp: Three sessions (July 12 and 14); and Volleyball, Open to boys and girls (August 1-4).

DESALES SUMMER CAMPS – Looking for something fun to do this summer? Sign up for a SFD Camp (or two!). Our camps are a great way to meet new friends while improving your skills, whether it is in the classroom or on the athletic field. Check out the camps taking place this summer at SFDHS by visiting www.sfdstallions.org/summercamps.

ANGEL OF THE AMAZON – a New American Opera

About Sister Dorothy Stang
St. Christopher Church
1420 Grandview Avenue, Columbus
Saturday, April 16 at 1:00 p.m.
Requested donation: $25.00

Ohio native Dorothy Stang was murdered in Brazil in 2005, by loggers. Her story is dramatized musically in this 45-minute concert opera. It will be introduced by Sister Dorothy’s brother, David Stang, accompanied by Evan Mack, the composer, and performed by talented opera singers. Proceeds benefit the Sisters of Notre Dame de Namur. Visit angeloftheamazon.com for additional information.

Angel of the Amazon

Jesus’ resurrection isn’t something that happened two thousand years ago. It has significance for your life, here and now. You are invited into the growing and ever-changing circle of women and men who have come or are coming to embrace this reality. The light in our window is welcoming you. Bethesda Healing Ministry Post-Abortion Healing Program information confidential lines: 614-309-2651 or 614-309-0157 or visit our website at bethesdahealing.org. We look forward to meeting you.

The Martin de Porres Center, a place for spirituality, education, and the arts, will host an Open House on Sunday, April 24, from 2:00-4:00 p.m. Explore our space and art! Experience our programs and community! Staff and volunteers will be on hand to answer questions about upcoming programs, space rental, art exhibits, and much more. The Center is located at 2330 Airport Drive, Columbus. Call (614) 416-1910; or for more information, check our website (www.martindeporrescenter.net).

Prayer Shawl Ministry will meet Tuesday, April 12th, at 7:00 p.m. in the Old Rectory. Bring your knitting needles, crochet hooks and yarn and join us!