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MIGHT I BORROW THE BIG “?” FROM ALPHA TO ASK “WHAT IS PARISH COUNCIL?”

We are a group of 10 parishioners who regularly advise Father John on items affecting Our Lady of Peace Parish. We meet monthly, usually on the third Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. We have recently tackled topics that include a review of all the ministries in place at OLP, supporting the success of Alpha, how parishioners of the Church and parishioners with school-aged or younger children might work together to form disciples, and analyzing present facilities and future needs. Since we are responsible for advising Father John, we are tasked with listening and gathering questions as well as input and ideas from you, the parishioners of OLP. So we are attempting to help you find us by making ourselves more visible. I’ve listed below the 10 current members of Parish Council.

Parish Council Members:
Paul Casper, Sister Barbara Kolesar O.P., Katy Flynn, Toni Brehm, Maria Mercurio, Simon and Denise Maynard, Tim Fast, Ed and Kathy Price

ATTENTION, ALL WOMEN OF THE PARISH

Please join us for a Catholic women’s Bible Study that will be taking place at Our Lady of Peace starting this fall. The first eleven week session of Walking with Purpose will begin on September 6, 2017. This year’s program will be centered on the book Opening Your Heart. The course looks at some of the questions surrounding our relationship with Jesus as well as important topics within our Catholic faith. Meetings will be held on Wednesday evenings from 7:00-8:30 p.m. in the Old Rectory. Cost of the program is $10.00, which includes the book. Come and join other women and grow in faith through personal study and small group discussions. Previous participants as well as new comers are all welcome!

There will be an informational meeting at 7:00 p.m. on Monday, August 7, in the Old Rectory if you would like to learn more about the program. You can sign up for the September program online at http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c054eafab2ca1fa7-walking.

Contact Teresa George at (614) 459-4167 or ctgeorge.413@gmail.com or Debbie Mahler at (614) 263-8824 or olp@rrohio.com with any questions.
Our Lady of Peace 2017 Vacation Bible School
Retreat Registration
August 12, 2017
9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.
Ages Pre-K-5th grade

Participation Fee $10.00

Name ____________________________________________________________

Birth date __________________________ School grade just completed ______________________________

Street address ______________________________________________________

City ___________________________ State _____________ Zip ____________

Home phone ( _________________ ) ______________________________________

Cell phone ( _________________ ) ______________________________________

E-mail ____________________________________________________________

Parent(s)/guardian(s) name(s) __________________________________________

In case of emergency, contact _________________________________________ Phone __________________________

Allergies or other medical conditions ______________________________________

I hereby GRANT DO NOT GRANT (please circle one)

permission for Our Lady of Peace to use pictures of my child ____________________________ (name of child) in online communications, including the parish website or parish social-networking sites, for informational or promotional purposes.

__________________________________________
Parent/Guardian signature Date

(Office use only)

Cash Check #_______________

Return Form with payment to Our Lady of Peace Church, 20 East Dominion Boulevard 43214

Questions: Heather Hagman at 614-203-5157.
CONGRATULATIONS!
We welcome Grayson Charles MacMillan, son of Andrew and Alisha, who was recently baptized.

FREE BOOK in GATHERING SPACE
Abby Johnson’s book, Unplanned, follows her life from idealistic college student wanting to help women in crisis to her assuming the position of director at a Planned Parenthood abortion clinic. Her dramatic change of heart about women and abortion became a national news story. A limited number of free copies are available in the Gathering Space on a first-come-basis. Please take one, read and share with family and friends. Thank you Greater Columbus Right to Life for the gift of these books.

BLOOD DRIVE
Our Emergency Blood Drive will be August 20, 2017, from 9:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. The Blood Drive will be held in the OLP Old Rectory (door to the right of main church doors). To schedule an appointment, please call the Red Cross at 1-800-733-2767 or book online at redcrossblood.org. Right now, the American Red Cross is experiencing a severe blood shortage and has issued an emergency call for blood donations. All donors who come to donate will receive an email for a $5.00 Target eGiftCard™ after their attempted donation.

THE SACRAMENT OF THE SICK
We are celebrating the Sacrament of the Sick communally at the 11:30 a.m. Mass on Sunday, August 20. All who are seriously ill or who, though not seriously ill, are at risk of serious illness because of weakness or age are welcome to receive the Sacrament.

STEWARDSHIP EMPLOYMENT MINISTRY
Stewardship Employment Ministry is an independent volunteer and faith-based ministry located in Central Ohio. They base their employment ministry on the principles of prayer, education, training, networking and through job fairs.

Through all aspects of Support, they will help those who have suffered from a job loss, or impending job loss, or find themselves under-employed. They will assist and implement our Christian-based sense of Stewardship and Charity throughout Central Ohio.
Learn more at stewardshipemploymentministry.org.

PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION
Do you want to learn more about your faith?
Do you like volunteering with kids?
Do you feel a call towards teaching?
You could be a great fit as one of our PSR volunteers!

This is a big transition year for us but we are very excited to watch our program grow in faith, unity, music, and joy! PSR is looking for lead teachers in Preschool, First Grade, Third Grade, Fourth Grade, and Fifth grade and Co-Teachers in Seventh Grade. We could also use assistant teachers for Third Grade and Fifth Grade.

Please email the youth minister at OLPCyouth@gmail.com or call the parish office to inquire more.

We provide a weekly curriculum for each grade. Teachers look over that curriculum prior to class and execute the lesson. Moreover, we have staff support that will help you in any way we can. We also have substitute teachers in place to try and make the commitment easier on your family. Lead teachers should be at least juniors in high school while assistant teachers can be in 8th grade or higher. (This is wonderful way to get service hours!!)

This is a very rewarding ministry filled with joy and community! Thank you for having a servant heart for our young students!

FAITH AND FAMILY NIGHT
AT CREW STADIUM!
Catch great soccer action at the Catholic Family Night with the Columbus Crew SC on Saturday, August 26, 2017; kick off is at 7:30 p.m. Seats are available for $18.00. All tickets are subject to a $3.00 processing fee, are limited, and subject to availability. Deadline to order tickets is Thursday, August 17! For ticket information, contact Wynston McMartin at wmcmartin@columbuscrewsc.com; for other questions, visit the Recreation Association website at www.cdeducation.org/diocesanrecreation or contact Marty Raines at 614-241-2580.

For additional information regarding this announcement, please contact Marty at mraines@columbuscatholic.org.
Are you ready for some Eagle Football? Join us for the 2017 Eagle Football “Game Day Countdown.” Tailgate at the Bogey Inn on August 12, from 6:00 to 10:00 p.m. We’ll have the grill fired up and the drinks on ice. Meet Head Coach Brian Kennedy and the football staff and feel the electricity as they look to re-energize the program. Silent Auction will be held and 100% of the proceeds benefit the BWHS football program. Admission is $25.00 per person. For more information and to register, please use the following link to team web page and click on Register under Football Team Fundraiser: [https://www.bishopwatterson.com/athletics/football/](https://www.bishopwatterson.com/athletics/football/).

**BISHOP WATTERSON ATHLETICS EAGLES SUMMER SOFTBALL TRYOUTS**

The Bishop Watterson summer softball program is holding tryouts for their 2018 10U and 12U softball teams. Tryouts will be Sunday, August 20, from 2:00-4:00 p.m. and Thursday, August 24, from 6:00-8:00 p.m. at Ridgeview Middle School. Registration will open 20 minutes prior to tryout time. If you have any questions, please, email Coach Emily Manahan at [manahanemily@gmail.com](mailto:manahanemily@gmail.com).

**ATHLETIC HALL OF FAME**

Bishop Watterson will induct its fourth class into its Athletic Hall of Fame on August 25-27. Inducted this year will be Frank Biancone ’61, Bill Boyle ’70, Mike Durant ’88, Gracie Finnegan ’10, Dr. James Good and Lerron Moore ’02, Michael Mulligan ’88, and Andrew Theado ’97. The group will be honored at halftime of the BWHS vs. Whitehall-Yearling football game at Hagely Field on Friday, August 25. A Mass, brunch and induction ceremony will be held at Bishop Watterson on Sunday, August 27. Tickets for the brunch and induction ceremony are $30.00 per person or $210.00 for a table of eight. Registration is available at [bishopwatterson.com](http://www.bishopwatterson.com).

**LEGENDS GOLF OUTING**

The annual Bishop Watterson Legends Golf Outing will be held on Sunday, September 10, at 1:30 p.m. at the Golf Club of Dublin. Proceeds benefit BWHS tuition assistance. Individuals may register for $125.00 at [bishopwatterson.com](http://www.bishopwatterson.com). Tee sponsorships ($150.00) and corporate sponsorships ($600.00) are also available on the website.

**THANK YOU** to many parishioners who recently joined the Our Lady of Peace Electronic Contribution Program or have increased their electronic giving. May God richly bless you for your generosity.

**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. Prayer requests are kept confidential.

**SPANISH LANGUAGE OPEN-AIR MASS**

The Our Lady of Guadalupe Center and Christ the King Catholic Church invite you to a Spanish Language Open-Air Mass with Father David Schalk. Mass will be at noon on Sunday, August 13, at the Columbus Cultural Arts Center garden, 139 W. Main Street, Columbus. Parishioner parking will be available at the corner of 2nd and Noble Street and Mound Street.

**NOTRE DAME FOOTBALL**

St. Mary Magdalene is sponsoring a bus trip to South Bend, Indiana, for the Notre Dame Vs. North Carolina State football game on Saturday, October 28th. Cost $189.00 per person, which includes Bus, ticket, snacks, and soft drinks. Only 50 spots available. Children accompanied by adults are welcome. To reserve your spot, contact Julius Palazzo at [jmpalazzo@juno.com](mailto:jmpalazzo@juno.com) or call 614-276-9373.

**MARRIAGE TIP**

Sometimes, when we complement each other well, our spouse can seem like an angel. Other times, our differences can cause struggles and harsh words. Remember the former when you are in the latter state.