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SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION
Saturday, 3:00-3:45 p.m.
and by Private Appointment
Contact Fr. Dooley to schedule.

Masses
Saturday – 4:00 p.m.;
Sunday – 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 a.m.
Holy Days:
See Bulletin Article for Mass Times
Weekdays:
Tuesday – 5:30 p.m.;
Wednesday-Friday – 8:30 a.m.
FROM THE DESK OF FATHER DOOLEY

This past Friday, the universal Church celebrated the Memorial of St. Francis of Assisi. I’m a very biased individual, but I believe that St. Francis is one of the greatest saints in our messy and grace-filled Church. There have been countless books, pieces of art, and movies that have portrayed the life of St. Francis. The Church during Francis’ time may seem to have been a long time ago. However, we do see some similarities between the Church of 1200s and the Church of today. For instance, as Francis was running around Italy in his pre-conversion days, the Church was experiencing confusion and a dramatic decline in attendance. The formation of the clergy was rather poor, especially in rural areas. In addition, some members of the hierarchy were acting more like emperors instead of shepherds. Today, we have seen a general decline in church attendance (Catholic and Protestant) here in the United States. Moreover, the Church of the 20th and 21st centuries has experienced scandals of clergy sex abuse and in some cases, cover-up from the hierarchy. We know that St. Francis of Assisi was the right person at the right time to start this holy awakening to simplicity and respect of creation. In a dream, God told St. Francis, “Go and repair my church, which, as you can see is in ruins.” Of course, God was not talking buildings, but starting a new life in following the Divine Son, Jesus Christ. We even see St. Francis marching to Rome to remind the hierarchy that the Church should mirror the life of Jesus Christ. How can we help to rebuild the Church in our own spiritual lives? What are some concrete steps we can take to follow the Holy Spirit? As a reminder, please join us this Sunday, October 6th at 3:00 p.m. for the St. Francis of Assisi Blessing of the Animals near the front doors of the Church. Bring your dog, cat, goldfish, llama, or any pet, as we honor God’s creatures! See you around the neighborhood!

Under the guidance of Our Lady of Peace,
Father Dooley
OCTOBER 6, 2019

TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

CHILDREN’S LITURGY
LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS

Starting in October we will once again be celebrating the Children’s Liturgy of the Word during 10:00 a.m. Mass. This year, we are inviting all children from ages of 4 years old through second grade (during their preparation for First Communion).

Please prayerfully consider helping in this ministry. It is a wonderful way to help explain the Readings and Mass to some of the youngest members of the Church. We are in need of individuals or families who are willing to spend some of their time leading or assisting the children in the Liturgy of the Word for Children in language they will understand. **We are not looking for a full-time commitment, perhaps once a month or once every other month.**

Leaders will lead children to the classroom during Mass before the Readings begin and will return to the congregation after the intentions. Please contact Margaret Allen at 217-218-6274 if you are interested. Thank you.

THIS WEEK IN ALPHA:
Why and How Do I Pray?

Prayer is the most important activity of our lives.

“For through [Jesus] we both have access to the Father by one Spirit.”

– Ephesians 2:18

“Alpha has helped me to pray better and to deepen my relationship with God.”

– Joe

Got Questions? Try Alpha!

ALL NEW SPEAKER SERIES AT OLP

All are welcome to participate in the first installment of the new speaker series sponsored by Our Lady of Peace Parish as we begin the journey of discussing Church teaching and its relevance in today’s world. **The Agora: A Catholic Marketplace of Ideas** series will commence at OLP on November 3, 2019 at 6:00 p.m. Dr. Perry Cahall, noted speaker, Professor and Academic Dean at the Pontifical College Josephinum, will be presenting on the recent scandals within the Church and their impact on Catholics and society. The event will commence with Eucharistic Adoration followed by Dr. Cahall’s presentation and a question and answer session. A light reception will follow. All are encouraged to participate in the discussion. **Additional speaker series events are planned for January 12, 2020, March 15, 2020 and May 17, 2020, so save the dates on your calendar.**

Hope to see you there!

Bishop Brennan is coming to Our Lady of Peace!

Bishop Robert Brennan will be making his first visit to Our Lady of Peace Parish and School!

Bishop Brennan will be celebrating the 8:30 a.m. All-School Mass on Wednesday October 16th. All in the parish are invited!

McARTHUR, OHIO, CLOTHING DRIVE
AND HOUSEHOLD GOODS
OCTOBER 19 & 20
SPONSORED BY THE
OLP KNIGHTS of COLUMBUS,
SVDP and BOY SCOUTS

Your gently used clothing and household goods are needed for the annual clothing drive for the St. Francis Center in McArthur, Ohio. We need men’s, women’s and children’s coats, boots, sports equipment, as well as skates, bikes, trikes and helmets.

Please sort your household items: bedding, towels, dishes, small appliances.

The St. Francis Evangelization Center is part of the Department of Catholic Charities and Social Concerns of the Catholic Diocese of Columbus. As a Catholic outreach center, St. Francis promotes family stability by providing food, clothing and shelter in an effort to ease the pain of poverty in the Vinton County area.

Are you suffering the loss of a loved one? Are you looking for friends to share in your grief and healing? Please join us at our Seasons of Hope Bereavement Ministry meetings. This is a Christ-Centered peer support group that meets for six weeks, four times per year. Each session includes Scripture, prayer, reflection, and sharing. During the fall season the remaining dates are October 6, 13, and 20 at St. Michael Church, located in Worthington at 5750 North High Street, 43085. Registration is from 1:30-1:55 p.m. each Sunday, with group sharing following from 2:00-4:00 p.m. You may join us for any or all of our sessions If you have any questions, you may contact Rose Daiga at rose.daiga@gmail.com or at 614-565-0795.
THE 76TH PIZZA SALE
FOR OUR LADY OF PEACE
SCHOOL IS CURRENTLY
UNDERWAY!

The items for sale include bake-at-home pizzas, buckeye candies, OLP spice, and gift certificates to local restaurants. The proceeds are used to pay for all school field trips, a variety of curriculum enrichment programs, and other items used by the students.

You may place orders until Monday, November 4th.

For your convenience, the 8th grade class will be taking orders before and after the Masses on the weekends of October 12-13 and October 26-27. Payment is due at pick up in the OLP Cafeteria on Friday, November 15th.

Please arrive prior to 6:00 p.m. on Friday, November 15th to receive your order.

We thank you for your generosity and support of the school children!

PARISH REMEMBRANCE SERVICE

On Sunday, November 3, 2019, 4:00 pm, Our Lady of Peace Parish will celebrate a special rite of remembrance during Vespers, or Evening Prayer. We invite you to join this parish celebration. During Vespers, special recognition will be given to those families who have lost a loved one through death since November 2018. If your family has had a loved one die since November 2018, your family and friends are invited to participate in the Light Ceremony. We need to order and prepare the candles ahead of time, so please complete the form located in the Gathering Space by Thursday, October 31.

PLEASE NOTE THAT YOU MUST COMPLETE A FORM IN ORDER TO HAVE A CANDLE PREPARED FOR YOUR LOVED ONE. If you have any questions, please contact Deacon Jeffrey Fortkamp at 614-578-5420 or jdfortkamp@gmail.com.

SACRED HEART CONGRESS

Please join us for the 8th Annual Sacred Heart Congress on Saturday, November 16th at St. Michael Church in Worthington, OH from 7:30 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.

Registration: $10.00 for individuals, $20.00 for families, and scholarships available. Sign up at www.sacredheartcolumbus.org or call 614-468-3959.

Doors Open at 7:00 a.m., with registration available, Rosary at 7:30 a.m., Mass at 8:00 a.m., followed by the Speakers.

OUR GUEST SPEAKERS THIS YEAR ARE:

Bishop Robert Brennan, Bishop of the Diocese of Columbus, will be the principal celebrant of the Holy Mass and homilist.

Emily Jaminet will be the Emcee of the congress. She is the Executive Director of The Sacred Heart Enthronement Network, an author and Catholic radio contributor.

Bill Messerly, Executive Director of Saint Gabriel Catholic Radio AM 820 and Sacred Heart Enthronement Network Board Member.

Father Stash Dailey, Spiritual Director of Sacred Heart Columbus, and Sacred Heart Enthronement Network, Pastor of Holy Family Parish, and Vicar for Religious in the Diocese of Columbus.
WHAT’S COMING UP AT OLP SCHOOL

Sunday, October 6
St. Francis of Assisi Blessing of the Animals, 3:00 p.m. outside church

Wednesday, October 9
All-School Mass, 8:30 a.m.
YES Program, Grades K, 1 & 4
Robotics Club, 2:40 p.m.

Friday, October 11
No School – Staff Development

OLP PARISH CALENDAR
FOR THE WEEK AHEAD

Sunday, October 6
Knights Donut Sunday, 8:30 a.m., Old Rectory, large
Blessing of the Animals, 3:00 p.m., Field
High School Youth Ministry, 7:00 p.m., Other

Monday, October 7
Wild Goose Meeting, 6:30 p.m., Old Rectory, large

Tuesday, October 8
Alpha Meeting, 6:30 p.m., Cafeteria
Prayer Shawl, 7:00 p.m., Old Rectory, large
Finance Committee Meeting, 7:00 p.m., Old Rectory, medium

Wednesday, October 9
Walking With Purpose, 7:00 p.m., Old Rectory, large
Choir, 7:00 p.m., Church

Thursday, October 10
Senior Alpha, 9:30 a.m., Old Rectory, large
Busy Person’s Choir, 7:00 p.m., Church

Saturday, October 12
That Man is You!, 6:30 a.m., Old Rectory, large

To access the OLP Calendar on the Webpage, go to http://olp-parish.org.
Then choose CALENDAR (TEAMUP)

FAMILY ROSARY DAY
The Diocesan annual Family Rosary Day is Sunday, October 13, at 3:00 p.m. at St. Joseph Cathedral, 212 E. Broad Street.
All are Welcome.

HOLY LAND TOUR
Encounter Christ in a profound and life-changing way by walking in His footsteps in the Holy Land with Father Don Franks and Father Tom Gardner. Every stop on our tour will bring the scriptures into a new light, and deepen your faith, your prayer life, and your relationship with Jesus Christ.
This faith-filled pilgrimage will take place in October, 2020. For more information, contact Katy Wyatt at kwyatt@jerusalemtours.com or call 614-501-6714.

Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5, 2019
4:00 p.m. Frank Fancelli
(American Italian Golf Association)

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2019
8:30 a.m. Our Parishioners
10:00 a.m. Joe Price (Jim and Mary Ellen O’Brien)
11:30 a.m. Ray Prendeville (Judy Prendeville)

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 8, 2019
5:30 p.m. Rosemary Peabody
(Judy Prendeville and Claudette Pfeifer)

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 9, 2019
8:30 a.m. Margaret Kolesar
(Sister Barbara Kolesar)

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2019
8:30 a.m. Eleanor Walker
(Bob and Terry Borchlewicz)

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 11, 2019
8:30 a.m. Dick Spires (Family)

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12, 2019
4:00 p.m. Schuerger and Wehner Families
(Ron and Marilyn Wehner)

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 13, 2019
8:30 a.m. Our Parishioners
10:00 a.m. Rose and Elsie and Joseph Peck
(Doug and Joyce Hagge)
11:30 a.m. Charles Yockel (Yockel Family)

ST. MARTIN DE PORRES
2330 Airport Drive, Columbus, OH 43229
(614) 416-1910

QPR Training
Wednesday, October 23; 6:00-8:00 p.m.

QPR stands for Question, Persuade, and Refer: the 3 simple steps anyone can learn to help prevent suicide. QPR is designed to help any and every one learn how to recognize the warning signs of suicide, offer hope, and help save lives. Participants will learn how to intervene with an individual at-risk, persuade them to get help, and guide them to the appropriate resources. Contact us with questions or to register.

Building a Culture of Life Conference: Leadership, Bioethics, Respect Life is Saturday, October 19, 2019, from 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. at St. John Neumann Church, 9633 E. State Route 37, Sunbury. Cost is $25.00/Students $10.00. Register by October 14. For a list of speakers and to register, visit https://bclc2019.eventbrite.com or call 614-241-2540.