



March 7, 2021  
3rd Sunday of Lent

In  
Faith | Hope

We Journey To You

LENT 2021



Our Lady of Peace  
Shaker Square's Catholic Church

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Temporary Office Hours

Monday-Friday 10:00am-4:00pm

Weekend Mass In The Main Church

*Saturday Vigil 4:00pm*  
*Sunday Morning 11:00am*

Daily Mass In The Main Church

*Monday-Friday 8:00am and 5:30pm*  
*Livestream at 8:00am and on demand*

Livestream/Recorded Masses

*Weekend Mass Streams*  
*Saturday 4:00pm-Sunday 11:00am*

Daily Mass Posts Online at 8:00am

Visit [www.olpchurch.com](http://www.olpchurch.com) and click on the Mass  
Links or visit [www.youtube.com](http://www.youtube.com)  
and search "Our Lady of Peace Cleveland"

A note from Sr. Miriam...

We, in the RCIA, begin the next phase in our journey to Easter and receiving the Sacraments of Initiation: Baptism, Confirmation, and the Eucharist. Now is the Time of the Scrutinies. Like the word says, the Rite is "meant to uncover, then heal all that is weak, defective or sinful in the hearts of the elect; to bring out, then strengthen all that is upright, strong, and good."

With the Elect, we too, look within ourselves to find anything that keeps us from Christ. Then we, "look to Christ to heal those weaknesses and strengthen us when we face temptation." Usually the Church celebrates these Rites on three Sundays in Lent, but this year because of the pandemic, these Rites will only be done for just one Sunday coming up. We meditate on Jesus the Living Water; the Light of the World; and finally on Jesus Christ, the Resurrection and the Life.

Let us hold our Elect, Wendy, Gillian, and all in our Diocese and around the world in our prayer that these Rites will "deepen their resolve (and ours) to hold fast to Christ and to carry out (our) decision to love God above all."

*Blessings always, your sister in Christ Sr. Miriam.....*

# Our Lady Of Peace Church | What's Happening This Week

## Mass Intentions

### Sunday, March 7 | 3rd Sunday of Lent

**11:00am** +Parishioners of Our Lady of Peace

### Monday, March 8 | Lent Weekday

*St. John of God, Religious*

**8:00am** +Jerri Garard

**5:30pm** +Eternal Rest-Domma Herbas & All Souls

### Tuesday, March 9 | Lent Weekday

*St. Francis of Rome, Religious*

**8:00am** +Birthday Blessings for Geraldine

**5:30pm** +In Memory of Mike Bouman

### Wednesday, March 10 | Lent Weekday

**8:00am** +Steven Zarenda

**5:30pm** +Health of Family and Friends

### Thursday, March 11 | Lent Weekday

**8:00am** +Helen Indriolo

**5:30pm** +John Herbert Harding

### Friday, March 12 | Lent Weekday-

**8:00am** +Lillian Kilrain

**5:30pm** +Blessings for Cindy Knowles Family

### Saturday, March 13 | Vigil Mass

**4:00pm** +Vincent and Evelyn Francioli

### Sunday, March 14 | 4th Sunday of Lent

**11:00am** +Parishioners of Our Lady of Peace

## Parish Financial Report

Please remember, during the pandemic, **we prefer that you use Faith-Direct.** It requires less paper handling and less trips to the bank (which is a 2-4 hour wait!). If you are unsure or would like us to help you set it up, please **call Kim or Father Gary at the office.** As always, **thank you** for your kind, continued support.

Last Month (January) Totals	Amount	Current Month (February) Weekly	Amount
Budget	\$27,500	Weekly Budget	\$5,500
Actual	\$22,273	02/21/21 Sunday Actual	\$3,353
Surplus/(Deficit)	(\$5,227)	4-Week Average	\$4,394
Repair Fund and One-Time Gifts	\$1,920	4 Week Average Surplus/(Deficit)	(\$1,106)

## This Week at OLP

### Monday, March 8, 2021

Lent Prayer (Online)

### Tuesday, March 9, 2021

Lent Prayer (Online)

### Wednesday, March 10, 2021

Lent Prayer (Online)

Adoration (Online)

Book Club (ZOOM 6:30pm)

### Thursday, March 11, 2021

Lent Prayer (Online)

Zoom Rosary Online 6:30pm

### Friday, March 12, 2021

Lent Prayer (Online)

Stations of the Cross (Online All Day) Live at 6:00pm in

## Mass Intentions

We have **many openings** for **Mass Intentions** for both the Daily Masses and Weekend Masses. What a great way to have a prayer and Mass offered for your intentions, such as health, family, remembrance of deceased, or for a friend or idea. **Please contact Kim in the Office 216-421-4211 ext. 302** or by way of **email: office@olpchurch.com.** Intentions can also be scheduled from the parish webpage, **www.olpchurch.com** and clicking on the **online office tab.** We hope to hear from you!

## Fish Friday's at Edwin's

Here's another **GREAT local business**, doing wonderful things in our community. Join **Edwin's Butcher Shop on Friday** for an amazing fish meal. Please support our local businesses in our community, especially during these trying times. Orders are available for pick-up. **visit: www.edwinsrestaurant.org** for the Butcher Shop and all the other tasty foods that are available in the Edwin's Family of restaurants.



## "Called For More"

Parishes in the Diocese of Cleveland are together taking part in the **"Called For More" Parish Survey**. The results of this survey program will allow each parish to gather very useful information to reflect, prepare and renew our offerings to the parishioners and community. These results also allow the Diocese to help in future planning.

**Please consider helping us by participating in this 10-15 minute online survey.** What is really great about this survey is that no registration is required, and your submitted answers require no name, and are therefore anonymous. Please go to the link below, and if you have any questions, feel free to contact us in the Parish Office.

<https://portal.catholicleaders.org/dmi/survey/d85gddpb4d>

## 2021 Virtual Run For Peace

This year, our **Annual Run For Peace will be held virtually the weekend of May 1- May 2, 2021**. Our team is working hard to make this a spectacular online event with video, messages and lots of fun. **Here's how you can participate:** Just **run at least three miles, walk at least two miles,** or do any **exercise you like for 30 minutes**. Send us a **photo or cell phone video** of your action and we will include them in our virtual day! We will also have a **Tot Trot** category for children in grades K-3 who can **exercise for 30 minutes** in any way that they want. Entrance fees are \$20.00 for participants and \$5.00 for Tot Trot. All participants will **receive a special event mask!** We are **gearing up for our online registration**, so watch for that very soon.

## John Carroll Passover Celebration

"The Department of Theology and Religious Studies at John Carroll University invites you to the following Zoom lecture: **Signs & Wonders: The Shared Story of Passover and Easter**. Join Dr. Noah Bickart (John Carroll University) for an online exploration of the origins of the Passover celebration. Learn about the religious world of the first century, and how Jews and Christians today look back on their shared history. **Tuesday, March 23, 7:00pm**. The webinar is **free** and open to the public. To register, go to **"www.zoom.us and enter meeting code 967-9124-3198."**

## Pope Francis Lent Prayer

**Fast from hurting words and say kind words. Fast from sadness and be filled with gratitude**

**Fast from anger and be filled with patience. Fast from pessimism and be filled with hope.**

**Fast from worries and have trust in God. Fast from complaints; contemplate simplicity.**

**Fast from pressures and be prayerful. Fast from bitterness; fill your hearts with joy.**

**Fast from selfishness and be compassionate.**

**Fast from grudges and be reconciled.**

**Fast from words; be silent and listen.**

## The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell; on the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God, the Father almighty; from there he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.