

**This Week**

**Today**

9:30AM OLQP Rosary & Altar Society Mass followed by meeting in Fr. Hopkins Hall

**Monday**

7:30PM Miraculous Medal Novena

**Thursday**

7:00PM Legion of Mary Meeting – Rectory

**Sunday**

9:30AM Holy Name Society/Fathers Club Mass

**LECTOR SCHEDULE  
SUNDAY, June 9, 2019**

**Saturday**

4:00PM Edwin Hall-Clarke

7:00PM Ana Sanchez

**Sunday**

7:30AM Graceann Morawek

9:30AM Edward LaMura, Aileen Fox

11:30AM Theresa Gargano

1:15PM Paula Mitkowski

10:00AM OLL – Rosanne Allen

**SPECIAL MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST  
SUNDAY, June 9, 2019**

**Saturday**

4:00PM Toni Castelli, Tina Bove, Nancy Kinzler

7:00PM Dan Clifford

**Sunday**

7:30AM Ann Lautner

9:30AM Kelly Illuzzi, Cathy Lavelle

11:30AM Francesca LaSpina

1:15PM Cathy McGill

10:00AM OLL – Dolores Widlund

**ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY CARE COMMITTEE**  
On-duty the week of June 9 to June 15 – Joe

**THE 2020 MASS BOOK IS OPEN**

Mass offering is to be made when the Mass is arranged in the Rectory during office hours. Weekend Masses and Holy Days of Obligation Masses are still \$25 and Monday through Saturday morning Masses are \$15.

**The Cenacle of Life Prayer Group meets every Friday at 4:00PM in the Chapel to recite the Rosary.**

**7<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter**

**June 2, 2019**

Our Spiritual Life is a Journey – following the Call of the Master to “Come, Follow Me.” Say “Yes” over and over again. If you would like to be a priest or have questions about the priest-hood, please contact the Vocation Office at (914) 968-1340 or [www.NYPRIEST.COM](http://www.NYPRIEST.COM) “The World Needs Heroes”

**SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

**First Reading: Acts 7:55-60**

Stephen was filled with the Holy Spirit, and described seeing Jesus standing at God’s right hand. Then he was dragged away and stoned to death before many witnesses who did not believe his words. Before dying he cried, “Lord, do not hold this sin against them.”

**Second Reading: Revelation 22:12-14, 16-17, 20**

John hears a voice saying, “Remember I am coming soon!” This messenger for Jesus says that he will come to reward those who are deserving. Those who hear the call of the Spirit are encouraged to answer by accepting Jesus.

**Gospel: John 17:20-26**

Jesus prays for all the people who will believe in him through the words of his disciples. His prayer is that the world will live in unity, with Jesus living in us as he lives in God. Although we have not known God, we know Jesus was sent by God because of his love for us. He prays that this love will live on in all people.

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**Our Sanctuary Lamp**

The Sanctuary Lamp, which is next to our Tabernacle, is a sign of the Real Presence of Jesus, the Light of the World, in our Parish Church. In accordance with tradition, this candle may be dedicated in honor or in memory of a particular person or persons, or for a special intention. The customary offering for this weekly dedication is \$20. There are several dates still open for dedication in 2019 Book. Anyone who would like to plan for dedicating the Sanctuary Lamp should contact the Parish Office.

The Sanctuary Light for this week is donated for Stella and John Tasso requested by Marion Tasso.

**BREAD AND WINE**

We are accepting offerings for the Bread and Wine for the week in memory of your loved ones. The customary offering for this weekly dedication is \$20. Any questions, please call the Parish office 718-351-1093.

The Bread and Wine for this week are donated for Stella and John Tasso requested by Marion Tasso.

**THE FATHER’S DAY NOVENA OF MASSES**

will begin on Sunday, June 16<sup>th</sup>, Father’s Day. Special cards are available in the back of the Church. Please put the enrollment envelope in the collection basket or return it to the rectory during the week.

## From the Pastor's Desk ...

Today's readings are about people's bearing heroic witness to Jesus through life and death, and the source of the inspiration behind such witness-bearing. They urge us to work for greater unity and to consider the power of Christian witness. The first reading describes the martyrdom of Stephen and how he bore witness to the forgiving love of Jesus by his last prayer. In today's Responsorial Psalm (Ps 97) the Psalmist prays that all creation may rejoice in the Lord Who is King, and that all peoples may see His Glory. In the second reading, taken from the Book of Revelation, Jesus, the Alpha and the Omega, is pictured as having all the forces of Heaven and earth at his disposal, standing ready to help us in our Christian witness-bearing. It is relatively easy to acknowledge our oneness with Stephen, and to long for the experience of eternal oneness with *"all those who have washed their robes in the blood of the Lamb."* But to remain truly one with *all* of our brothers and sisters continues to be a daily challenge. Today's Gospel is the last part of the *"priestly prayer"* of Jesus after the Last Supper. This chapter of John has been called "The Testament of Jesus" or "Jesus' High Priestly (or Intercessory) Prayer." During that long prayer, Jesus prays first for himself - for his own glorification (vv 1-5) - as he faces the cross. Then, he prays for his disciples that they may be unified and protected in the face of opposition from the world (vv 6-19), and finally he prays for those in distant lands and far-off ages, including ourselves, who will enter the Christian Faith. Thus, this is Jesus' prayer for each one of us. We have complete Faith and certainty because Jesus put his confidence in God to whom he entrusts us all.

Good news - we are ready to use our chapel for weekday Mass. A gentle reminder, out of respect for those in prayer in the church, some conversations occasionally become very loud, the sacristy included. If you have something to share, please wait until Mass is concluded. One other note as a reminder, as a sign of respect, proper dress is requested in Church, especially if you are doing a ministry in the Mass.

We are preparing for the Cardinal's Mass with us on the feast of Corpus Christi. If you are able kindly consider assisting us in preparations to make this a solemn and proper feast. White flowers were planted around the Church grounds which will look beautiful for our Eucharistic procession.

This is graduation time! Let us pray for all graduates, wish them well that they may have a safe summer and brilliant futures.

Many people are on vacation this time of year, may God be with you and keep you safe.

Fr. Dominic.



His Eminence, Cardinal Dolan, has accepted our invitation to celebrate Mass for the Feast of Corpus Christi, June 23, 2019 here at Queen of Peace Church.

This is a great honor for our parish. I hope you will all share this news with your fellow parishioners, friends and neighbors.

More details will follow. Anyone interested in helping with the planning process, please contact the parish office at 718-351-1093.

### PARISH STEWARDSHIP

**We are grateful to all who contribute so generously each week.** We do recommend that you use parish envelopes or **Weshare**. Please call the rectory to register.

Sunday Collection (May 26 <sup>th</sup> )	\$6,790.00
Shrine Candles	\$100.00
Poor Box	\$189.00

**Thank you for your support and generosity.**

**Parish Weekly Expense: \$11,156.00**

### FATHER GANNON SCHOLARSHIP FUND

This Fund helps students who attend OLQP School to remain in school when their family suffers a long term set back, such as death, illness, or unemployment. Please make checks payable to:

**OLQP/ Father Gannon Scholarship Fund**

### 2019 Cardinal's Appeal

The 2019 Annual Cardinal's Appeal is up and running. We would like to thank those who have made their pledge and for their continued support of the Parish. There is still time to make a pledge, please go to the website [www.cardinalsappeal.org](http://www.cardinalsappeal.org). Our Parish # is 307.

Our Goal: \$114,000.00 Pledge to date: \$71,905.00  
Paid to date: \$62,005.00 # of Families Pledged: 286  
Average Gift: \$251.42

## ANNOUNCED MASSES

### Monday, June 3 – Saint Charles Lwanga and Companions, Martyrs

7:00AM Helen and Albert Bossert  
8:30AM Nicholas Chiarulli

### Tuesday, June 4

7:00AM Anna Assa  
8:30AM Joseph Picataggio

### Wednesday, June 5 – Saint Boniface, Bishop and Martyr

7:00AM  
8:30AM Diane Maher and Helene Rago

### Thursday, June 6 – Saint Norbert, Bishop

7:00AM Peter Santangelo  
8:30AM Theresa Angela Franconeri

### Friday, June 7

7:00AM Nancy Correale  
7:00PM Catherine Fitzgerald

### Saturday, June 8

8:30AM Moira and Fred Lecl  
4:00PM Stella and John Tasso  
7:00PM Agreppina Fagoni

### Sunday, June 9 – Pentecost Sunday

7:30AM Robert Conroy  
9:30AM Deceased Members of the Holy Name Society/Father's Club  
11:30AM Larry DiSalvo  
1:15PM Charlotte Barca  
10:00AM OLL People of the Parish

### PLEASE NOTE

If a Mass is being said for a member of your family on Saturday evening or Sunday, it would be most fitting if someone from the family would bring up the gifts at the Offertory. Please let one of the ushers know **before Mass**.



*Rest In Peace*

Eternal rest grant unto their souls, O Lord, And let perpetual light shine upon them.

May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen

**Michael Celic**  
**Ronald Joseph Holck II**  
**Rosanne Desendorf**



### VISITS TO THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND

Please contact the rectory if you know of anyone who is sick at home or in the hospital and or homebound who would like a visit from one of the priests or deacons at Our Lady Queen of Peace Church. Please call 718-351-1093 or email [olqpchurch@verizon.net](mailto:olqpchurch@verizon.net)



## PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Matilda Costanza, Jeremy Castillo, Leila Idelfanso, Lorraine Costa, Jodiann Altamura, Rose Mattered, Pauline LaFonte, Angela Ricca, Sophia Madeline Sanzone, Jeanne Stern, Lillian Bilotti, Violet Buzzanca, James Remias, Melodi Roy, Marie Diloia, Suzzane Astuo, Pauline Cipriano, Katherine Nikatas, Kriss Murphy, Michael Cianci, Jr., Andre Bocchiario, William Gonzalez, Amy Altuna, Craig Inducci, Concetta Friscia, Marlene Olivieri, Jenna Esposito, Anthony Bocchetti, Steve Sgarlato, Katherine McHugh, Thomas Keenan, Alanna Shea, Thomas Gaither, Baby Cameron Helmuth, Kejsi Mesutllari, Josephine Dediccos, William Cianci, Anna Vetter, Mary Pollina, Gabriela Surowiec, Rita Scalzo, Janet Logon, Victor Raimondi, Nicholas Ilijic, Michael Spatola, Yolanda Mazza, Rosina Agunzo, Kathleen Fusco, Andrew Biancomano, Muriel McKeon, Salvatore Turturici, Antonia Pistone, Nicky Focchillo, Robert Arnold, J.R., Robert Antonucci, Baby Juliette Tighe, Alfonso De'lia Vicky Sgarlato, Meg, John Rizzo, Cathy Sartzetaks, Maria Guzman, Peter Petosa, Joseph Sgarlato, Carol Iacobelli, Philip Defonte, Marie Pernice, Clifford Fusco, Susan Piscopo, Michael Bochetti, Fr. Ronald Lee Green, Michael Hansen, Marie Presto, Ralph Romano, Enrique Soto, Karen M., Geri Wahren, Catherine Davis, Walter Drake, Victoria Saraceno, Steven Daquieno, Gabriella Acosta, Marie Natoli, Daniell Cavaluzzi, Michael Riganti, Palma Milano, Ashley Gagliotto, Keran Billmann, James Martinez, Jr. Annemare Smith, Daniella Briann Woodard, Carol LaBroca, Deacon Ralph Rios, Tara LaBarca, Anthony Alfano, Nancy Wetmore, Xavier Castelli, Richard Buonato, Jane Miller, Christopher Nash, Baby Sofia Trombetta, G. Fraschilla, Robert Provenzano.

**Members of our Legion of Mary are willing to visit the sick at home, in the nursing home or hospital. For more information please contact Edwin Hall-Clarke at 347-538-5680.**

### ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE

#### **SUNDAY June 2, 2019**

#### **Saturday**

4:00PM M. Cinelli, Maeve Sheehan, R. Sheehan  
7:00PM M. Lopiano, M. Lopiano

#### **Sunday**

7:30AM C. Boyle, N. Boyle, E. Plotkin  
9:30AM A. Scafuri, M. Scafuri, J. Cerda  
11:30AM O. King, J. Maldonado, J. Milillo  
1:15PM J. Riley, K. Giarrusso, L. Giarrusso  
10:00AM OLL N. Eger, J. Tredici

#### **SUNDAY June 9, 2019**

#### **Saturday**

4:00PM K. Petrik, K. Petrik, E. Petrik  
7:00PM A. Arico, E. Rodriguez, C. Smith

#### **Sunday**

7:30AM J. Drew, N. Drew, T. Procida  
9:30AM T. Ivers, I. Fuller, N. Eralte  
11:30AM S. Gambino, C. Churuba, D. Churuba  
1:15PM A. Capobianco, G. LaGrua, B. Raftery  
10:00AM OLL R. Eger, B. Edling

### 50<sup>th</sup> Reunion – Msgr. Farrell Class of 1969

**The Msgr. Farrell Class of 1969 is planning their 50<sup>th</sup> Reunion this October here on Staten Island. For more information, please contact: Vic Cenci at 908-693-0924.**

# OLQP SCHOOL NEWS

## Congratulation

Our 8<sup>th</sup> grade students entered a New Dorp Civic Association Citizenship Essay Contest.

Casey Boyle won the best essay. She received a certificate and an Ipad.

Vanessa Griffin, Jason Bova, Jack Martin, Jason Bova received an honorable mention certificate.

Olivia Hanratty won the Readers Are Leaders Challenge sponsored by the Borough President.

Alexandria Mucciariello came in third place in the CYO Art Contest.

We are so proud of our children at Our Lady Queen of Peace.

## Adult Confirmation Program Winter / Fall 2019

The Archdiocesan Adult Confirmation Program is designed for practicing adults (18+) Catholics seeking the sacrament of confirmation, who have been baptized, have received their first Holy Communion, and have been educated in the Catholic faith through Catholic Schools or religious education programs.

Register at [adnyconfirmation.eventbrite.com](http://adnyconfirmation.eventbrite.com)  
Registration deadline: first day of class

Our Lady of Pity Church – Staten Island  
1616 Richmond Avenue, Bull's Head. 718-761-5421  
Mondays – 7:00p.m. to 8:30p.m.  
Eight sessions: September 30. October 7, 21, 28.  
November 4, 11, 18, 25.

Confirmation Mass: Monday, December 2 at Our Lady of Pity Church, Staten Island

For more information, contact the office of Adult Faith Formation, Archdiocese of New York, 1011 First Avenue, New York, NY 10022 – 646-794-2851 – [RCIA@archny.org](mailto:RCIA@archny.org)



To keep expenses down, we are asking that any parishioner with experience in areas such as plumbing, electrical work, concrete work, and general construction, who can volunteer a few hours of their time. Please contact the rectory at 718-351-1093 or email: [olqpcchurch@verizon.net](mailto:olqpcchurch@verizon.net). Thank you!

# RELIGIOUS ED. NEWS

## Parish Religious Education Program Registration

Registration for September 2019 First Grade and transfer students will take place on the following day:

**Monday, June 3<sup>rd</sup> and Monday June 10<sup>th</sup>**

Registration will be held in the Rectory Religious Education Office from 11am to 2pm. Evening registration is by appointment. Please call 718-979-0989 and speak with or leave a message for Mrs. Barbara Orleman, coordinator.

Religious Education Classes are currently held on the following days:

**Wednesday- Grades 1 through 4: 4:00pm to 5:30pm**

**Thursday- Grades 5 through 7: 4:00pm to 5:30pm**

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Bring the following when you come to register your child:

- Original Baptismal Certificate
- Current Church Envelope

### PLEASE NOTE:

You must be a registered parishioner of OLQP using your Church envelopes.

The catechetical fees are:

\$200 for one child, \$250 for two children, \$275 for three or more children

There is a \$25 Bible fee in 6<sup>th</sup> grade and there are Sacrament activity fees in the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> grades.

(If you cannot pay in full, a non-refundable deposit of \$100 is required at registration.)

Attention: Parents of

**Catholic Academy Students**

(St. Dorothy, St. Joseph Hill, Notre Dame, the Genesis Program)

**Communion 2020 and Confirmation 2020**

Please call the Parish Religious Education Office to make an appointment for registration of your 2<sup>nd</sup> grader (Sept. 2019) or 7<sup>th</sup> grader (Sept. 2019) at 718-979-0989.

Registration must be done no later than June 30<sup>th</sup>.

### PLEASE NOTE:

You must be an active registered parishioner of OLQP  
You must be attending Mass (Saturday evening or Sunday) and using your Church envelopes regularly.



## Congratulations

To Our Newlyweds

Mr. & Mrs. Christopher Vanname  
Mr. & Mrs. Sean Meagher



2. Dana Ferreri & Daniel Wittich

**Mass time changes for  
Sunday June 23<sup>rd</sup>  
Feast of Corpus Christi**

**Our Lady of Lourdes**

Mass will be at **5pm** on **Saturday June 22<sup>nd</sup>** **instead** of 10am on Sunday June 23<sup>rd</sup>.

**Our Lady Queen of Peace**  
**Sunday Masses on June 23<sup>rd</sup>**  
**are 7:30am, 9:00am and 11am.**  
**There will be no 1:15 Mass.**

**FEELING STRESSED?  
THIS PRAYER'S FOR YOU!**

Father, you are Lord of all creation, of time and space, help me to tackle the stresses and struggles I encounter today, whether in school, at home or with my friends. Give me the grace to know you are with me at every moment, in the ups and the downs. Let me never forget to speak to you and to speak about you to others in my life. Amen.

– Your friends at The Office of Youth Ministry,  
Archdiocese of New York

St. Jean de Lalande, pray for us.



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MOVING? NEW TO THE PARISH? Our warmest welcome to all who worship with our parish family, whether long-time residents or newly arrived in the parish. If you are not registered, or need to update our records, please complete this form and place it in the collection basket or mail it to the rectory.

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY/STATE \_\_\_\_\_ TEL \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

**Cluster News**

**Holy Child, 4747 Amboy Road, 10312 (718-356-5890)**  
**Ave Maria Gift Shop** - Sat., 4:00-7:00pm; Sun., 8:00am-2:00pm; 1<sup>st</sup> Sun.; 5-6:30pm  
**Widow's Conversation Group** - Tues.; 1:30pm  
**Youth Group** - Sunday (Selected); 6:30pm  
**Legion of Mary** – Mon.; 7:15pm and Wed.; 2pm

**St. Charles, 644 Clawson Street, 10306 (718-987-2670)**  
**Adult Faith Formation** – Wed.; 1:30pm  
**Baptism Classes** – 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday 8pm  
**Bereavement Group** – Thursdays; 7:30pm  
**Book Club** – 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursdays; 4pm  
**Caregivers Support Group** – Thursday; 9:30-11:30am  
**Eucharistic Adoration** – Mon – Fri; 12-5pm – Chapel  
**Food Pantry** – 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesdays – 11:30 -1:30pm  
**Legion of Mary** – Wednesdays; 4pm  
**Prayer Group & Holy Hour** – 1<sup>st</sup> Monday 7:30pm  
**St. Vincent de Paul Society** – 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday 1:30pm  
**Teen Club-Sunday** - Sunday 7pm  
**Women's Worship** – Wednesday 7:30pm

**St. Clare, 110 Nelson Ave, 10308 (718-984-7873)**  
**Catholic Daughters of America** – 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday 12noon  
**Employment** – One-on-one employment advisement, 718-984-7873  
**Venture Crew 41** - Thursday 7-9pm; call Richard Ricco at 917-803-5669

**St. Patrick, 53 St. Patrick Pl. 10306 (718-979-4227)**  
**55+ Club** – Wednesday 1:30-4:30pm  
**Baptismal Class** – 1<sup>st</sup> Monday – 7:30pm  
**Bereavement Group** – Tuesday 10am and 7:30pm  
**Bible Study** – Wednesdays 7pm  
**Chair Yoga** – Wednesdays 3:45-4:45pm  
**Divorced & Separated Group** – Thursdays 7pm  
**Eucharistic Adoration** – Friday 7pm  
**Healing Mass** – Tuesday 8pm  
**Pre-Cana Class** – Sunday; school building; 8am-4pm  
**RCIA** – Wednesday 7-8p , For those Enrolled  
**Woman's Prayer Group** – Rectory; 7:30pm TBA

**Here at Our Lady Queen of Peace (718-351-1093)**  
**Eucharistic Adoration** – Daily after the 7:30am Mass to 8:15am and 1<sup>st</sup> Fridays after 7am Mass to 6pm  
**Baptism Classes** – 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday 7pm  
**Legion of Mary** – Thursday 7pm  
**Cenacle of Life** – Fridays 7pm  
**Charismatic Prayer Group** – 2<sup>nd</sup> Friday 7:30 to 9pm  
**Healing Mass** – First Friday, Common Holy Hour 6p followed by Healing Mass at 7pm.

**Please call each Church's rectory for more information**

**50/50 Monthly Drawing**

The 50/50 drawing will be held on the last week of every month. Yellow 50/50 envelopes are provided in your envelope package and in the back of the Church. The cost is \$5.00. To be eligible to win, please be sure to get your entry in soon! Good Luck to all.

**Congratulations**  
**to our May 50/50 Winner!**  
**Mr. & Mrs. Malgorzata Gumiela - \$367.50**