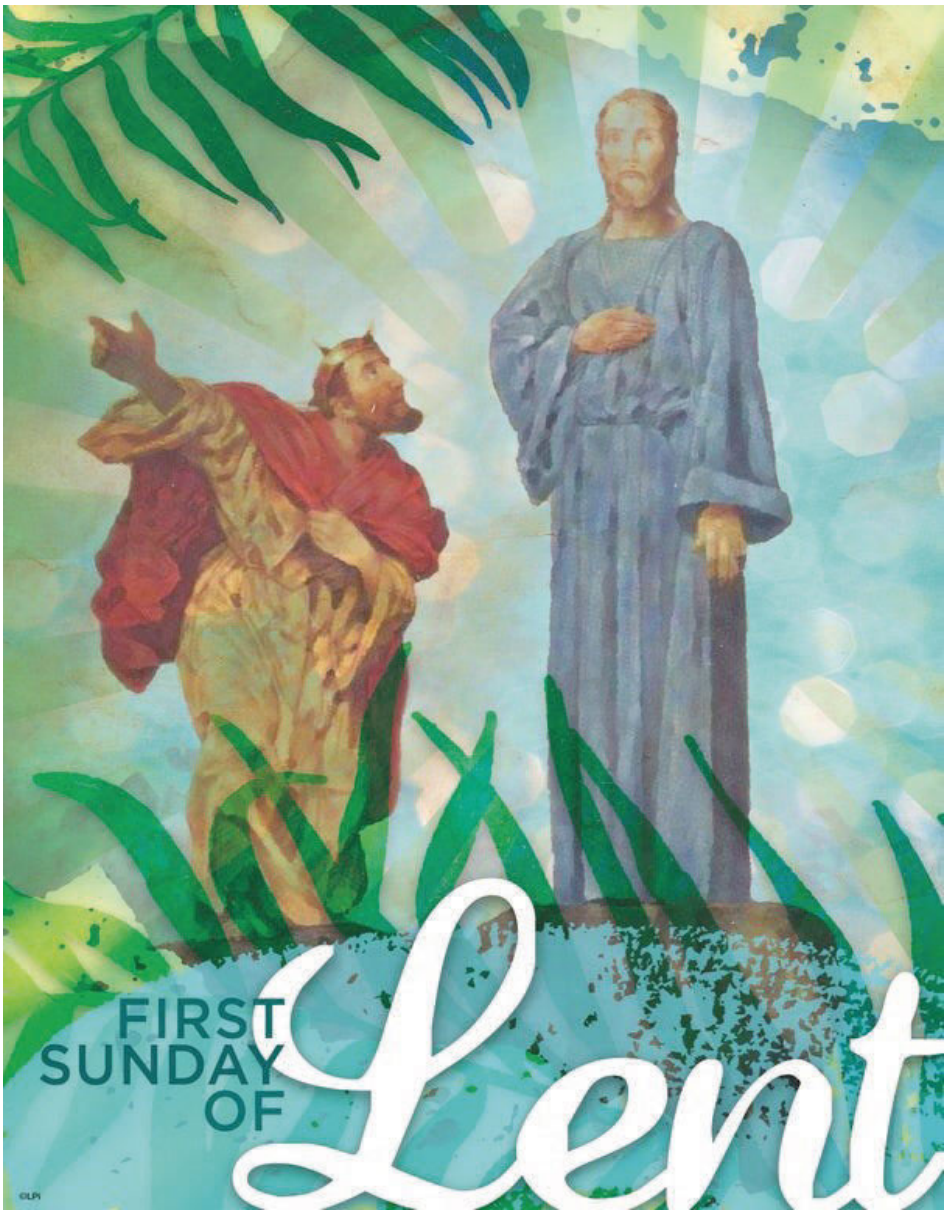
Queen of Peace

Welcome!

We, the Catholic community of Queen of Peace Parish, centered in the Eucharist, strive to grow in our faith and our relationship with God as a welcoming people, working for peace and justice through service to others.



February 26th, 2023

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Sunday:	10:00 am

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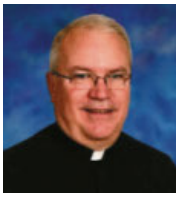
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Masses:

Monday:	9:00 am
Wednesday:	9:00 am
Friday:	9:00 am
Saturday:	8:30 am
Confessions	4:00 pm
Sunday Vigil Mass:	5:00 pm
Sunday:	8:30 am
	11:30 am

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Monday:	4:00 pm - 6:00 pm
Benediction:	5:45 pm



From the desk of Father Rich Yanos



This past week, with the observance of Ash Wednesday, we began the Season of Lent. In many ways this 40-day period which the Church sets aside is intended to be used for our personal and collective spiritual preparation for Easter. As Jesus went to the desert to find peace and solitude, he prayed for the strength to carry out His Father's will in the days that would follow. May these days that lie ahead for us be an opportunity for our renewal and penance as well. May the Lenten activities we partake in help us in our efforts to seek forgiveness in our lives where we need it most. May the Lenten practices of prayer, fasting and almsgiving also assist us in reconciling ourselves with God, our Church and with all those who make up the body of Christ. I encourage everyone in our parish to do all that you can to make this Lenten Season and upcoming Holy Week, an opportunity for your faith to be strengthened and renewed.

So often I hear people say that Lent is a somber and sad time. I suppose there is some truth to the sadness we feel as we walk with our Lord to His impending death upon the cross. Let us not forget, though, that the cross was not the end. It was the means by which Jesus died for the sake of the world's human sinfulness, but which also culminated in his rising from the dead, so that we might be able to share in the eternal glory and everlasting life Christ won for us.

Lent teaches us that there is joy even in our darkest moments. So, decide on your own plan for the upcoming Lenten Season that will help you to develop a more joyful approach to Lent. Perhaps you might start by being willing to admit your own sinfulness and the need for a change of heart in your life. In the process, fill your life with love God's love for all those you meet. If you can achieve this on your Lenten journey, it will indeed be a more joyful and meaningful 40 days.

This weekend we celebrate the 1st Sunday of Lent and today, Saturday, February 25th, I and our group of pilgrims also depart for our journey to the Holy Land with an additional visit to the country of Jordan. There were so many in our parish who had shared with me that you would have liked to join us but either your physical health or having to wait until the kids are out of college prevented you from doing so. There were also so many in our community who wanted to know where we were going and what we will be seeing. For this reason, I thought I would give all in our parish an opportunity to journey with us on our pilgrimage to the place of Jesus' birth, life, death, and resurrection. The following is a little travelogue of our adventure that will keep you caught up with our journey. I hope you enjoy walking with us.

Saturday, February 25 - Our journey begins today as we make our departure from the International Terminal at O'Hare on Turkish Airlines. Our flight takes us directly to Istanbul, Turkey where we have a short layover until our final flight to Tel Aviv, Israel.

Sunday, February 26 - Upon arrival in Tel Aviv on Sunday night we will head to the city of Netanya which is near the Mediterranean Sea for a good night's rest after our 12 hours of flying.

Monday, February 27 – This morning we will visit the seacoast city of Caesarea, the place where Peter preached, and Paul was imprisoned for two years. This city was also the residence of Pontius Pilate and the home of Philip the Evangelist. Later we will visit Mt. Carmel, Nazareth, (where we will celebrate Mass in the Church of the Annunciation), and Cana. We will end our day in Tiberius which is located on the shores of the beautiful Sea of Galilee.

Tuesday, February 28 – Today we start our day with a cruise across the Sea of Galilee to the town of Capernaum and visit the synagogue where Jesus preached and the home of Peter's mother-in-law. We will also spend some time at the Mount of Beatitudes and Tabgha where Jesus fed the over 5,000 and where Jesus appeared to his disciples after his resurrection and where we will celebrate Mass. From here we'll head to Mt Arbel, which offers breathtaking views of the Sea of Galilee and the Golan Heights. After a long day we will return to Tiberias for our dinner and overnight.

Wednesday, March 1 – After breakfast this morning we will drive south through the Jordan Valley to Bet Shean whose Biblical history covers the Canaanites, the Philistines (who hung Saul's body on the town walls), the mRomans, and the Byzantines. Later we will continue to the city of Jericho where we will renew our Baptismal promises at the Jordan River and visit the excavated Tel of the ruins of ancient Jericho. Here we will also be able to enjoy the beautiful views of the lush green Jordan Valley from atop the Mount of Temptation. Our day will conclude with us "going up to Jerusalem" for our dinner and overnight.

Thursday, March 2 – We begin our day with a delicious breakfast and then on to the town of Bethlehem where we will visit the Basilica, the Grotto of the Nativity, and the Shepherd's Field. Here we will celebrate Mass together. This afternoon our program includes a visit to the famous Holocaust Museum known as (Yad Vashem), the Israel Museum and Model City and then back to our hotel in Jerusalem.

Friday, March 3 – During or morning tour today, as we spend some time on the Mount of Olives, we will visit the Church of the Ascension, the Church of the Pater Noster (where Jesus taught his disciples the Lord's Prayer), the Garden of Gethsemane, (where we will celebrate Mass), and the Church of All Nations. We will then cross the Kidron Valley to Mount Zion. We will pass by the Tombs of Absalom and Zechariah. Here we will visit the Church of St. Peter's in Gallicantu (the high priest, Caiaphas' House) and the Upper Room. This afternoon we will enter the Old City of Jerusalem through the Dung Gate to visit the Western Wall (Wailing Wall) and its tunnels … one of the most popular tourist sites in Jerusalem. These underground tunnels connect the Western Wall prayer area to the northwest side of the temple mount and are under the present-day houses in the Old City. Along its path are the remains from the second temple period, as well as structures from later periods. The experience of walking along the tunnels is like taking a time machine back to the time of the second temple. Today, a small area is preserved with some of the original Roman columns. Just beyond the columns is an underground mall with several Jewish stores and art galleries. We end our day tonight in Jerusalem.

I am always so moved by the experience that all who make this trip to the Holy Land have. What we experience here completely broadens our horizons and changes our views and perspectives on the Scriptures we read and hear proclaimed every weekday/weekend at mass, because now all who have been here are able to see first-hand the places we have heard and read about over our lifetimes.

In next week's bulletin I will share the exciting details of the remaining days of our pilgrimage. I hope the weather back home is not too cold. Our temps are predicted to be in the 60's all week. Please keep us all in your prayers as you are remembered by us at every Mass we celebrate here in this holy place.

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Station of the Cross will be offered each Friday throughout Lent at 7:00 p.m. in St. Eugene church. The Living Stations of the Cross with our school children will also be offered every Friday in Lent at 2:15 p.m. in church except for Friday, March 17th. On Good Friday, April 7th, Stations of the Cross will be prayed at both St. Eugene Church and Our Lady Mother of the Church at 3:00 p.m.



Fr. Rich Yanos

Lent & Easter 2023



Stations of the Cross

Fridays at SE Church - 7 pm - March 3, 10, 17, 24, 31
Good Friday, April 7 at 3 pm **SE & OLMC**

Living Stations of the Cross

Fridays at SE Church - 2:15 pm - March 3, 10, 24, 31



The Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays at SE Church - 4:00 pm - March 4, 11, 18, 25 & April 1
Parish Reconciliation Service, Tuesday, March 28 at SE - 7 pm
No Confessions will be heard on Holy Saturday, April 8

St. Joseph`s Day Mass

Monday, March 20 SE at 7:00 pm



St. Joseph`s Day Table

Saturday, March 18 SE
1st Seating: 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm
2nd Seating: 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm
Admission by tickets only.

Fish Fry (at SE)

Friday, Feb. 24,
March 3, 24 & 31
from 4:30 pm - 7:00 pm
Please see bulletin for details.

Holy Week Schedule



Palm Sunday
Saturday, April 1 5:00 pm **SE** (Mass of anticipation)
Sunday, April 2 8:30 am & 11:30 am **SE**
10:00 am **OLMC**



The Triduum Services

Holy Thursday, April 6
Mass of the Lord's Supper - 7:30 pm **SE**



Good Friday, April 7
Stations of the Cross - 3:00 pm **SE & OLMC**
Celebration of the Lord's Passion - 7:30 pm **SE**





Holy Saturday, April 8
Blessing of Easter Baskets - 1:00 pm **SE & OLMC**
Easter Vigil Mass - 7:30 pm **SE**



Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord
Sunday, April 9 7:30 am, 9:00 am & 11:30 am **SE**
9:00 am & 11:00 am **OLMC**

Mass Intentions

Saturday, February 25, 2023

5:00 pm Saturday Vigil Mass - Mass at St. Eugene Church

Tessie Cabal, Joseph Cwiklik,
Juan Diaz, Elmer & Grace Frelka,
Angeline Komperda,
Faustine Noronha,
Gary Serpico, Frederick Tomzik

Sunday, February 26, 2023

8:30 am Mass at St. Eugene Church

Jan & Stanislawa Bazula, Ted Fornek,
Raymond & Edie Gale, Helena Mazek,
Maria & Matthias Rempala,
Martha & Alex Wrobel

10:00 am Mass at Our Lady, Mother of the Church

Mario Agosta, Ann Finland, Edith Girardi,
Jozef & Frances Miszaszek, Anna Nardulli,
Pietro Pisello, Mr. & Mrs. Waterstradt & Family,
Josef Subsits, Calogera & Caterina Vivacqua,
Bill Wire, Nicola Troiano, Salvatore Camiliere,
Wieslawa Karczmarczyk, Antoni Gumkowski
Janet Benanti, Ray Tenuta,
Alex Zemont, Joe Magyar

11:30 am Mass at St. Eugene Church

People of the Parish,
Teofil Cabaj, James W. DeCastris,
Richard Oberheim, Rodelio Ochoa,
Frank Solak, Jesus Vitug

Monday, February 27, 2023

9:00 am Mass at St. Eugene Church

Purgatorial Society
Dorothy & Elmer Chanski,
Bernice Padewski,
August Samp, Jr., Joe Saldanha,
Paul & Annetta Simonetti, Martha Zanotti

Tuesday, February 28, 2023

7:00 am Mass at Our Lady, Mother of the Church

S.I. for Matthew , Nicole & Damian,
Antoni Gumkowski,
Wieslawa Karczmarczyk,
Johnny Rogers

Wednesday, March 1, 2023

9:00 am Mass at St. Eugene Church

Vito Calabrese, Barney Hunsinger,
Killmer & Black Fams.,
Raymond & Carole McKenzie,
Martha Zanotti, Robert DeGiuseppe

Thursday, March 2, 2022

7:00 am Mass at Our Lady, Mother of the Church

Sr. Mary Noel Kelly,
For gift of love for Matthew & Nicole

Friday, March 3, 2023

9:00 am Mass at St. Eugene Church

Chester & Grayce Gjondla, Merino Mendoza,
Frances & Margaret Petrovic, Rev. Ted Stone

Saturday, March 4, 2023

8:30 am Mass at St. Eugene

Joe Baio, Josephine Bastian, Jude & Minn Fams.

Saturday, March 4, 2023

5:00 pm Saturday Vigil Mass - Mass at St. Eugene Church

Bishop Conway - Birthday Remembrance,
Juan Diaz, Elmer & Grace Frelka,
Lucas Kaleta, Zofia Sroka
Rosemarie Kingston,
Hillard (Mike) Michalek, Michael Michalek,

Sunday, March 5, 2023

8:30 am Mass at St. Eugene Church

People of the Parish
Eusebia Bermas,
Jean & Ted Fornek,
Helena Mazek, Joseph Sparacino,
Jesus Vitug, Martha & Alex Wrobel

10:00 am Mass at Our Lady, Mother of the Church

Mario Agosta, Eileen Amoroso,
Salvatore Camiliere,
John Catanese - 10th Anniv., Franca DeFonte,
Dan Girardi, Wieslawa Karczmarczyk,
Fr. Wally Krempa, Angelo Larucci, Angela Lepore,
Martha Maczes & Fam.,
Deacon Ted & Mary Marszalek - Good Health & Blessings,
Pietro Pisello, Roman Placzek.
Edward Rebacz,
M/M Carl Snyder & Fam.,Jadwiga Swider,
Nicola Troiano, Vince Evola,
Bill Wire, Emilio Zanatta

11:30 am Mass at St. Eugene Church

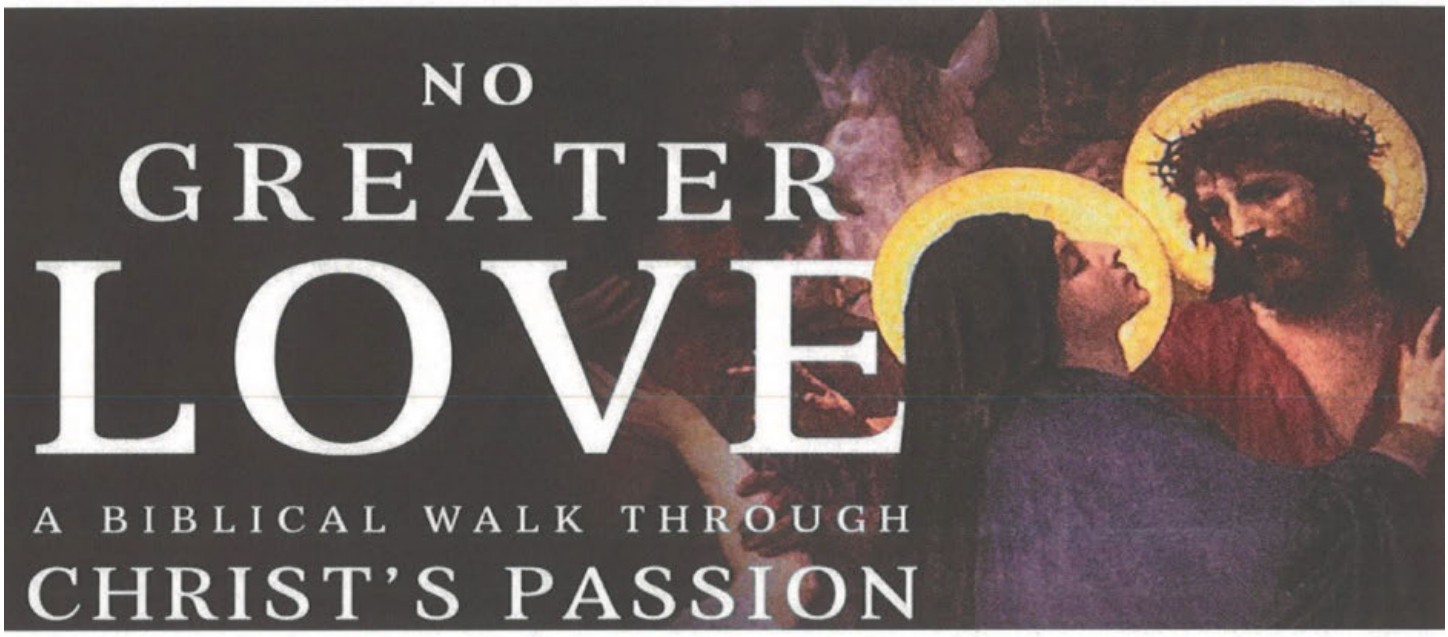
Maria Brunetti & Fam.,
Stanislaw & Franciszka Chabura,
John Gnat, Simon Gnat,
Angela & Cristina Greco,
Diodato & Ilde Iannotta,
Renee Pinter & Mbrs of Piatek & Pinter Fams.,
Rocco & Carmela Savaiano, Zorica Stefanovska

Schedule of Liturgical Ministers

Date	Celebrant	Extraordinary Minister	Altar Server	Lectors
Saturday, 3 / 4 5 pm - St. Eugene	Rev. Greg Rom	C. Lim - WB M. Lim - B T. Swiderski - C L. Feist - O MB Glynn - WO		T. Swiderski
Sunday, 3 / 5 8:30 am - St. Eugene	Rev. Greg Rom	M. Cozzo - WB B. Czubek - B J. Cardella - C M. Egan - O M. Unger - WO		J. Imburgia
Sunday, 3 / 5 10:00 am - OLMC	Rev. Jacek Dada Deacon Chris Virruso	R. Molas - C P. Peterson - T	D. Flynn T. Molas	J. Molas - 1st K. Kelch - 2nd
Sunday, 3 / 5 11:30 am - St. Eugene	Rev. Ed Pacocha	M. Tomzik - WB P. Tomzik - B J. Pomis - C F. Pacia - O P. Paetsch - WO		School Lector



ST. EUGENE CHURCH
MONDAYS 4 - 6 PM. BENEDICTION AT 5:45 PM



Dates - Times - Location - Cost

5 Weekly Sessions Beginning

Thursday March 2, 2023

in

St. Eugene's school building room 110, from 6:30 PM – 8:00 PM

Student study sets are $30 and registration is required. Make checks out to "St. Eugene Church" with memo: "No Greater Love"

Please contact

the rectory office at 773 775 6659 or

jdada@st-eugene.org for information and to register.

Thousands sought Jesus during his life. Only a few followed him to Calvary.

What will you do?

Filmed on location in the Holy Land, No Greater Love is a biblical pilgrimage that reveals Christ's amazing love for us. Best-selling author Edward Sri guides you through the last hours of Christ's life, from the garden of Gethsemane to Mount Calvary. Every step of the way, Old Testament prophecies, messianic expectations, biblical symbolism, and historical context shed light on the mystery of Christ's suffering and death. Experience a deeper understanding and appreciation of God's immeasurable and unconditional love for you—grow closer to Jesus than you ever have before.

We pray for our loved ones who are serving in any branch of the Armed Forces during this time of conflict.

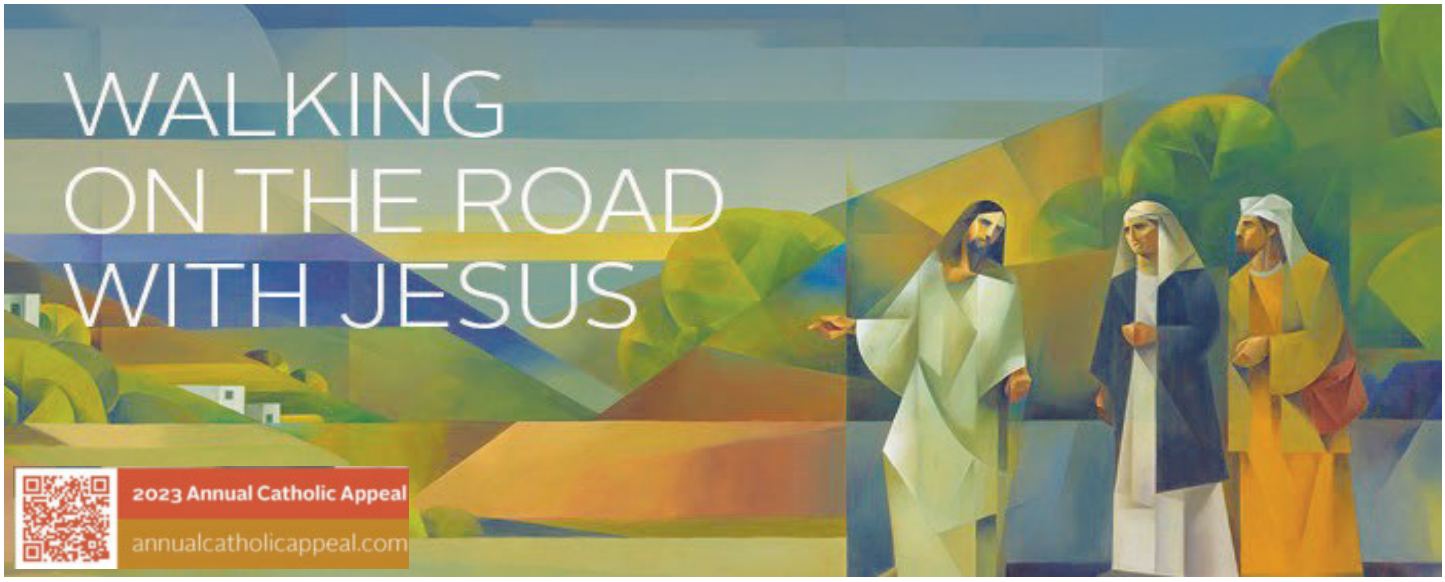


Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands.
Protect them as they protect us.
Bless them and their families
for the selfless acts they perform for us
in our time of need. We ask this in the
name of Jesus our Lord and Savior. Amen

Major Adamczyk
Joseph Antosh, Jr.
Ghaleb Azroui
Donald Bellisario
Matthew Calderisi
Timothy Emmett Carolan
Melissa Rose Cortese
James Vincent Degrazia
Patrick Edward Dillon
Zbigniew Dudkowski
Kurt Feiereisel
Matthew Scott Forrest
Dirk Haller
Andrew Hopkins
Christopher Jenkins
Bernard Edward Kusinski
Antonio James Lim
Payne Manczko
Chris Marchiori
Daniel Meaney
Keith Miller
Michael Morales
Mike Mroszczak
Thomas Neuhengen
Eric Norwood
Elliott O'Claire
Vincent Page
Chad Pritchard
Nicholas Ranch
Adam Roberts
Joseph Saineghi, Jr.
Holly Schippers
Michael Schippers, Jr.
Sean Sherlock
Sharon Sherlock
Phillip R. Simonsen
Tony Strzalka
Dominic John Guerrieri, Jr.

We ask all of our parishioners, if you have a loved one serving in the military, to please contact the rectory office to give us the name of the soldier, so the whole parish can pray for your loved one.
Also, please call the rectory when your loved one returns home.

A book in the church vestibule is available for inscribing the names of all military personnel.
This book will be part of the offertory procession from now until the war is over.



Queen of Peace Parish

Invites you to Our St. Joseph Table



Date: Saturday, March 18, 2023

Where: The Shaunessy Center, 5220 N. Canfield

1st Seating: 3-5pm
2nd Seating: 6-7:30pm

Admission by tickets only. Seating is limited for each session.

Tickets available : at St. Eugene Church Rectory Office during regular office hours.
And after weekend Masses at SE & OLMC

Donation: Adults - $10
Children 4 to 14 - $5
Children 3 and under - Free

A traditional meatless St. Joseph's Dinner, featuring a variety of pasta, fish, side dishes, pizza and desserts, with all proceeds from the event are supporting our Social Concerns Ministry, which benefit many people in our community who are struggling. The table blessing will be at the start of each seating.
The following items are needed for the creation of the Saint Joseph's Table:

Dried Goods:	Ditalini	Cans/Jars/Bottles:	Crushed Tomatoes
	Farfalle		Olive Oil
	Spaghetti		Artichokes Hearts
			Black Olives
Beverages	Juice (any kind)		Italian dressing
	Coffee (regular and decaf)		
	Wine		
	Bottled water		

Other Perishables Homemade breads and desserts . Your favorite dish and favorite recipes are welcome.

- Drop off at the Shaunessy Center after 3:30PM on Friday, March 17 or 11:00AM Saturday, March 18
- Any business wishing to sponsor the St. Joseph Table, contact any committee member or the rectory.

Thank you for your generosity!

For More Information Contact:

Sal Sparacino – 630.768.8375 Russell Sparacino – 708.557.5059

Donations may be brought to the rectory. For pick-up call the rectory or committee member.

Living Rosary

People pray a decade of the Rosary each day for the triumph of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, and in honor of the patron of the Living Rosary, Saint Philomena. The next available decade is the fifth Sorrowful Mystery, Jesus Dies on the Cross. If you would like to pray this decade every day, please contact the rectory office.

Rosary Guild

Our Rosary intention this week is for the Church in Central and Eastern Europe. The Rosaries prayed for this intention during the week will help the spread of the Gospel in these countries.

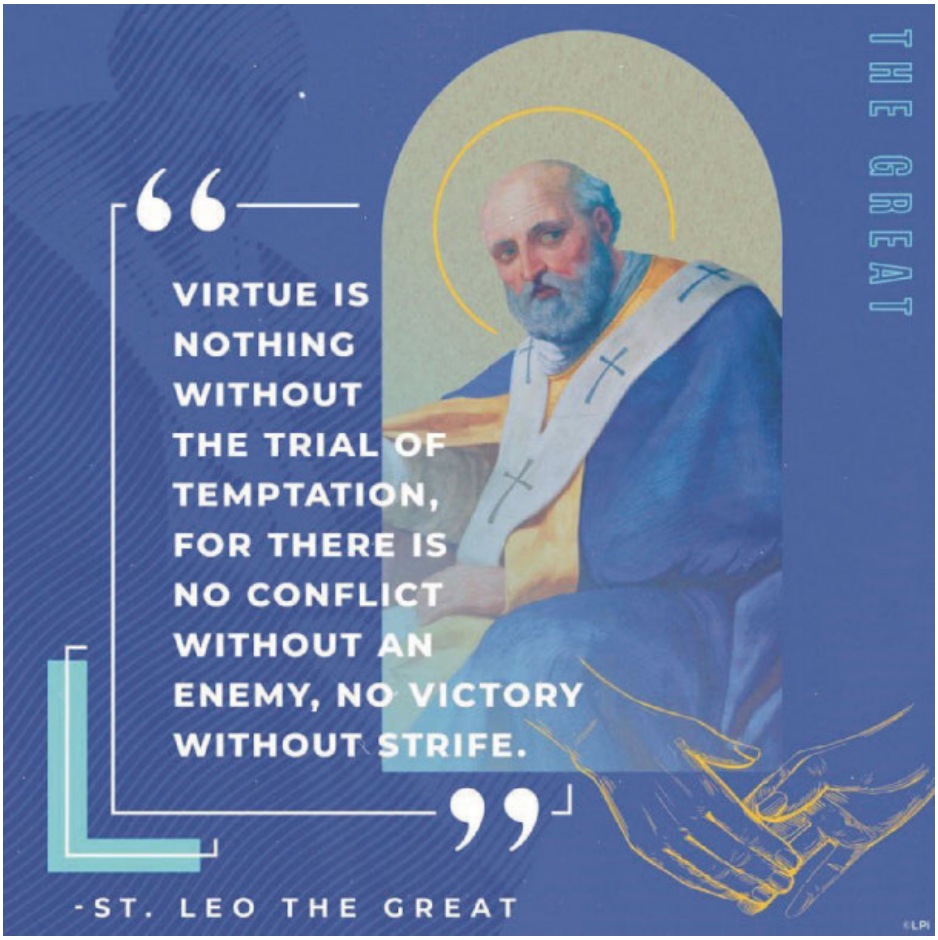


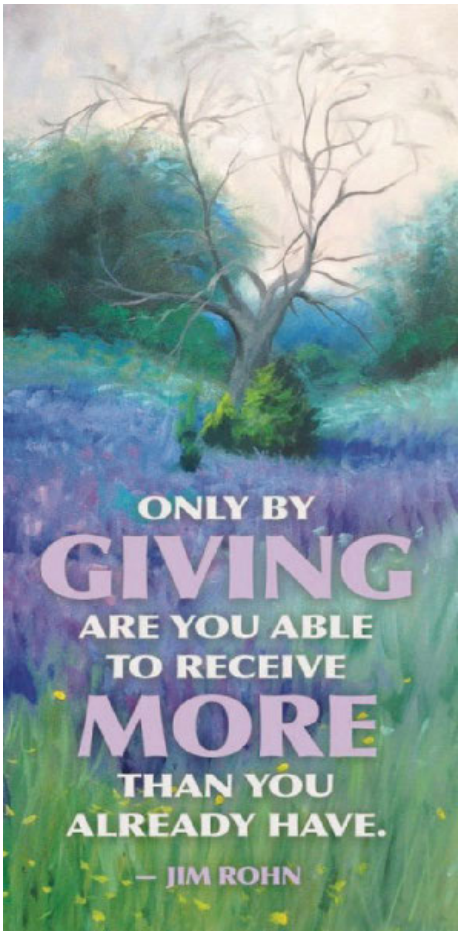
Blood Pressure Screening will take place in the Narthex after the Masses as listed below.



- Our Lady, Mother of the Church after 10:00 am Mass - March 12th
- St. Eugene before/after 5pm Mass - March 11th
- St. Eugene after 8:30am and 11:30am Mass - March 12th

Please stop by and learn more about your heart health.





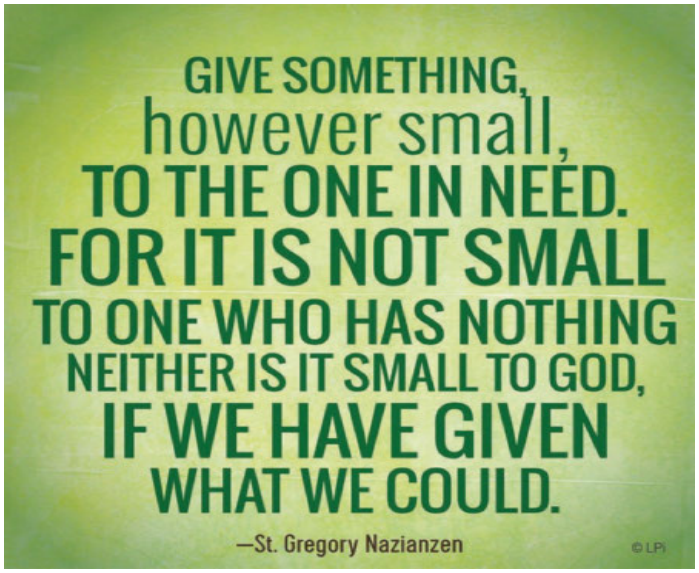
PARISH SUPPORT

February 18 - 19, 2023

5:00 SE	$2,972.00
8:30 SE	$2,171.50
10:00 OLMC	$2,860.00
11:30 SE	$2,572.00
Mail SE	$1,464.28
Total Physical	**$12,039.78**
GC DS	$541.01
CG OLMC	$225.00
GC SE	$1,981.00
Total Online	**$2,747.01**
Grand Total	**$14,786.79**

Please continue your contribution
in the usual way,
until we finalize the merger of the databases
And electronic giving accounts.

Also, if you are registered parishioner of OLMC,
DS or St. Eugene Church
you don`t need to re-register.
Thank you for your support!



Please Pray for our Deceased Parishioners:

† Joseph Cortese
† Ronald Wade

May the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace.



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Knights of Columbus Fish Fry

Saint Eugene's Shaunessy Center



The Knights of Columbus Father Breen Council 1899 is hosting its first fish fry for Queen of Peace Parish.

We will be serving various fried and baked fish along with delicious side dishes.
You may dine in or take out. Please come and keep this great Catholic Lenten tradition going which was initiated by our brother knights, Council 14008 from many years ago.

2023 Fish Fry Dine In and To Go Menu

March 3, 24, 31 4:30 to 7:00 Fridays

Cod Dinner

2 pieces of battered fried cod served with French fries, coleslaw, bread and butter, and tartar sauce
$14.00 adult **$7.00 child** (12 and under - 1 piece of fish).

Shrimp Dinner

½ lb. breaded popcorn shrimp served with French fries, coleslaw, bread and butter, and cocktail sauce
$13.00 adult **$7.00 child** (12 and under).

Tilapia Dinner

1 piece baked tilapia served with roasted potatoes, coleslaw, bread and butter, and lemon slice
$12.00 adult **$7.00 child** (12 and under).

On the Side

Cheese Pizza by the slice - **$3**
Soup of the Day by the bowl **- $4**
Cod, Tilapia, piece - $4.00 for each piece
½ lb. Shrimp basket with cocktail sauce- $6 French Fries or Roasted **Potatoes** - $3
Mozzarella Cheese Sticks (6) with marinara sauce- $4.00
Beverage (Coke, Diet, Sprite, or Water) - $1
Coffee included with all meals
Dessert - $1

Take-out orders available on the dates above from 4:30 to 7 PM

What Do 125 Bags of Groceries and the Super Bowl Have in Common?

On Sunday, February 12, a group of volunteers, including some new friends from our Queen of Peace Parish, held a special pre-Super Bowl party at the Quinn Center of St. Eulalia. Rather than enjoying pre-game munchies, they were making sure that families in the Maywood area would have enough to eat for the week. They filled 125 bags with staples – pasta, sauce, soup, chili, ravioli, vegetables, fruit, beans, rice, ramen and the like. Nothing fancy, just basics that would help stretch the recipients' food dollars.

On the following Tuesday, February 14, those bags were distributed to 114 families, comprised of 484 people. Some of those families had eight to ten members; the average size is four people. Since last Fall, groceries have been distributed once a month. Each week, take home and eat-in meals are also provided by the Quinn Center, averaging 110 to 120 families receiving assistance.

St. Eulalia is now our Sharing Parish, and we encourage you to become involved with this ministry. What can you do? Financial support is, as always, imperative. You can donate to a specific Food Pantry account via Give Central, drop off a check at the Rectory marked for the food pantry, or just drop a contribution in a plain envelope **marked** Quinn Center Food Pantry in with your weekly offering. Our shoppers are expert at getting the most for your dollars. (Remember, our monthly Sharing Parish offerings are sent to St. Eulalia/Sacred Heart Parish. Contributions for the Food Pantry must be specifically marked for that purpose.)

Additional shoppers and packers are always needed. And this isn't an adults-only ministry. As you can see in the pictures, children as young as four and five have become really expert in the process of organizing and packing groceries! It's a good opportunity for young people needing service hours. If you're interested in joining our weekend efforts, please contact Jan Magnuson at 312-806-7210 or email her at jan7744@comcast.net. We can always find work for willing hands. Come join us and have some fun while helping others! **Our next packing session will be Sunday, March 12.**







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YOUNG ADULTS

Lenten Book Discussions:

Jesus of Nazareth: From the Baptism of Jordan to the Transfiguration and Jesus of Nazareth:
Holy Week: From the Entrance into Jerusalem to the Resurrection
By Pope Benedict XVI

After discussing Pope Benedict XVI's book, Jesus of Nazareth: The Infancy Narratives, in December for Advent, the **Queen of Peace Parish Young Adults Group** will continue to discuss the other books in Pope Benedict XVI's series in honor of Lent. The other books examine Jesus' adult life, beginning with his baptism in the Jordan River to the Resurrection. No need to have attended The Infancy Narratives event in December!

The book discussions will be held approximately once a week on Thursdays during Lent (February 23, March 2, March 9, March 23, and March 30) at 8:00 PM. We will meet virtually on Google Meets. The specific reading schedule and Google Visit https://www.facebook.com/StEugeneYoungAdultsGroup for the most current information or email us with any questions at youngadults@st-eugene.org

March 9
Jesus of Nazareth, Chapters 7-10
(The Message of the Parables through Jesus Declares His Identity).
To join the video meeting, click this link:
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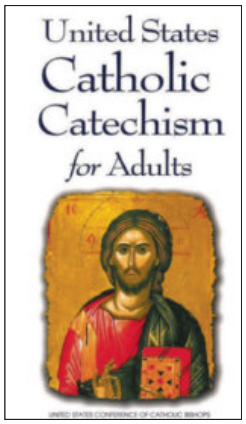
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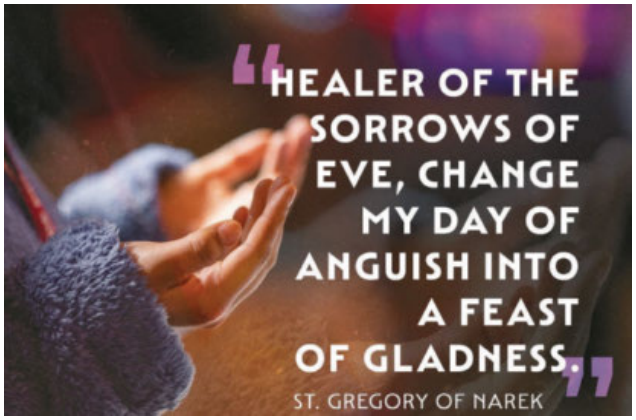


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Weekly Prayer

Sunday's Readings

First Reading:
The LORD God formed man out of the clay of the ground
and blew into his nostrils the breath of life. (Gn 2:7)

Psalm:
Be merciful, O Lord, for we have sinned. (Ps 51)

Second Reading:
For just as through the disobedience of the one man
the many were made sinners,
so, through the obedience of the one,
the many will be made righteous. (Rom 5:19)

Gospel:
At that time Jesus was led by the Spirit into the desert
to be tempted by the devil.
He fasted for forty days and forty nights. (Mt 4:1-2)

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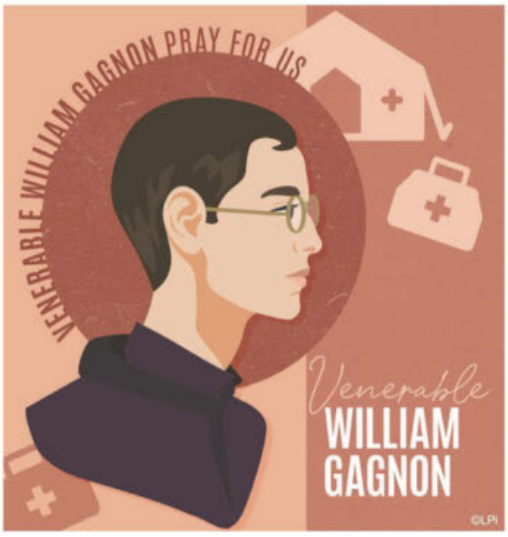
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Inspiration of the Week

We worship a God who understands human limitation. A God who has felt the pangs of fasting and the enticements of the tempter. Our God, hungry and tired and weakened, has stared into the face of the devil and said: "I am stronger than you."

Observances for the week of February 26, 2023

Sunday:	1st Sunday of Lent
Monday:	St. Gregory of Narek, Abbot and Doctor of the Church
Friday:	St. Katharine Drexel, Virgin
Saturday:	St. Casimir
Next Sunday:	2nd Sunday of Lent



Saint of the week

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Prayer

Prayer for Venerable Brother William Gagnon's intercession

Lord, Jesus, your mercy inspired the Venerable William Gagnon, O.H., to live hospitality with the ill, the refugees and the poor. Grant that we may always minister to all suffering people with charity, as did this son of St. John of God. Lord, hear the prayer that we address to you [personal intention] by the intercession of the Venerable William Gagnon, in order that we may be affirmed in our faith and that your glory and the joy of the Church be proclaimed.

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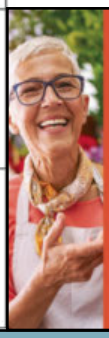
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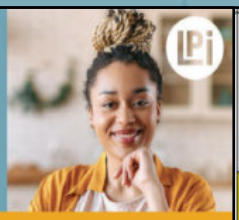
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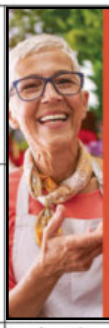
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