



OUR LADY OF PEACE

Bulletin

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

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Our Lady of Peace School

... BUILDING ON THE FOUNDATION OF FAITH, SOCIAL JUSTICE AND CIVIC RESPONSIBILITIES...

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As I wind up my first year as principal of Our Lady of Peace I pause in the wonder of a Catholic school...it is a place where culture and faith meet in the lives of our students. Let me share with you some happenings and contributions that addressed the spiritual, educational, social and cultural needs of our students this year!

The staff who are...professionals committed to helping students learn and achieve...dedicated and involved in the community of Our Lady of Peace...hard working...fun...and ALL returning for the next school year!

The newly formed School Advisory Committee...Pam Cleary, Tom Litecky, John Paquette, Todd Johnson, Katey Bean, Debbie McCabe, Sheila Waters and Megan Rowe who together with Father Paul and myself will help maintain the viability of the school while helping shape its future.

The students who were...challenged by a new, K-4 math curriculum to become better problem solvers and critical thinkers...engaged in service by a leadership program that involves 5th through 8th graders in civic, liturgical, school and servant leadership...supported through life's challenges by the assistance of Dr. Kahn and his colleague, Molly Fisher...

Looking ahead to next year...growing and changing with the addition of a preschool and preschool extended day...Monday through Friday, three-five year olds will find a home in a newly remodeled space currently used by the K-5 extended day students. The program has filled with fifteen children each day. The teacher, Mrs. Anita Dick, comes with years of preschool experience from Trinity Catholic School and the special gift of \$25,000 from Archbishop Flynn brings with it his many prayers and blessings for this successful addition to Our Lady of Peace!

You are invited to hear many more details that will be shared at the First Annual State of the School address on Monday evening, May 18th in Pates Hall at 6:30 p.m.

I thank you, the entire parish, for your commitment to the School Ministry. Your support in these challenging times is a response of faith and vision in the belief that the Catholic's school mission is vital to the future of our young people, our nation, and most especially our Church.

— Dr. Lori Glynn, Principal



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THE MISSION OF OUR LADY OF PEACE CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

- arising from our communion
in the Sunday Eucharist -
is to proclaim the word of God,
to celebrate the presence
of the Risen Lord in our midst,
and to recognize the gifts
of the Holy Spirit among us
and use them to transform
our lives and the world
according to the pattern
of life Jesus has shown us.

Pastoral Staff

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FAITH FORMATION

FAITH FORMATION HIGHLIGHTS FOR MAY

- RCIA Sessions: Mystagogia
- Infant Baptisms
- Dead Theologians
- Mission Trip Training and Fundraising begins
- VBC Registration Continues

FAMILIES, CHILDREN AND YOUTH

Vacation Bible Camp

Grand Canyon Adventure: Exploring the Wonders of God's World

Friends and Neighbors Welcome!!!

When

- June 22 -26
- Ages 3 years to completing 1st Grade • Morning session
- Completing Grade 2 -5 • Morning & Afternoon with Field Trips

How To Register

- Downstairs in Pates Hall after Sunday Mass
- Call and we can mail a registration flyer to you.
- Flyers at Church entrances
- Pick up a registration form in school or at the parish office
- Go to our website www.olpmn.org and click on Vacation Bible Camp • Download the registration form and volunteer form.
- Complete and return via mail, Parish office, school office, collection basket (att: Joy B.)

Can I help? YES !! Volunteers Needed!!!

- Grades 6 -8 Assist or leading in the morning and go on field trips in the afternoon
- High School and Adults Lead for half or whole day. Welcome on Field Trips
- Adults: Volunteer ALL Weekday Mornings and your Child goes for a reduced rate (See Flyer)

Is there still Space? Yes! But.....

- Because of the expense of ordering materials at the last minute and space considerations it is necessary to set a firm date and number deadline.
- **DEADLINE for ALL registrations Sunday, June 14**
- **Limit on number of campers we can accept • 125** (This does not count Grades 6 – adult)

FAMILY GOLF OUTING

OLP Parishioners Friends and Family Golf Outing

June 6, 2009 • Hiawatha Golf Course

Cost: \$50 (includes round, cart, and 19th Hole Event)

All are welcome!

Please contact Kris Knodle at wildfan01@yahoo.com or 612.869.8960 for details.

Worship Schedule

Weekend

Saturday Eucharist 5:00 pm
 Sunday Eucharist 9:00 am*
 11:00 am*

* Nursery and Children's Liturgy of the Word

Weekday

Tuesday Eucharist 8:15 am
 - Friday
 Sacrament of Penance
 Saturday 4:00 pm

Baptism Schedule

June 14 • After 11:30 am Mass
 July 19 • After 11:30 am Mass
 August 16 • After 11:30 am Mass
 September 19 & 20 • During 5 pm,
 9:00 am & 11:00 am Mass

Congratulations to

Yana Pavi who made her Profession of Faith into the Catholic Church and her First Eucharist on May 7

Phoebe Cuyun who celebrated her First Eucharist on Sunday, May 10 at 11:00 am Mass.

LOST AND FOUND

Please check the Lost and Found closet for items you may be missing.

LEISURE CLUB

Final Meeting • May 26 • 12 Noon • Pates Hall

This will be a catered picnic lunch. Entertainment will be Paul Burkhorst. If you have any questions, please call Loretta at 952-821-3046 or Bernie at 612-724-4547.

FAITH FORMATION

SUMMER STRETCH SENIOR HIGH VOLUNTEERS

High School age Mentors and leaders still needed.

When is Summer Stretch?

Summer Stretch will be from 9:00 am – 5:00 pm on July 14, 16, 21, 23, 28, and 30th.

What is Summer Stretch

A combination of service and fun with incoming 7th, 8th, and 9th grade youth. Typical days consist of a service experience in the morning and a social event in the afternoon.

What would I do as a Youth Leader?

Commit to the entire time –full days as you lead a small group in service, faith discussions and going on field trips. You will receive a great T-Shirt and free entrance to all field Trips

Interested?

Open to incoming Juniors and Seniors in High School or older.

To apply as a Youth Leader, contact Joy Biedrzycki (jbiedrzycki@olpmn.org) or Erica Riehm (erihm@olpmn.org) for an application. Space is limited!

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MISSION TRIP TO RED LAKE ON JULY 19 -24

Take stock in our Youth • Become a Mission Trip Stakeholder

HERE IS AN INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITY WITH GUARANTEED PAY OFFS!

A \$50 or greater investment gives the stockholder:

- The satisfaction of directly supporting this important ministry.
- A remembrance in daily prayers of the missionaries
- A handwritten postcard from Red Lake, MN
- An email from Ashley Whitman-Hurd giving you updates on the trip
- An invitation to an appreciation dinner prepared by the missionaries in

August when we tell you all about our story!

Please complete the information below

Name _____

Address _____ Phone _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email address _____

Investment Amount

- \$50
 \$100
 Other \$ _____

Return to

Attn: Joy Biedrzycki
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Prayers

To receive and pass on prayer requests, please call Dorothy at 729-9588.

Hospitality

May 17 Vacation Bible Camp
 May 24 Memorial Day Weekend -
 No Hospitality
 May 31 Pastoral and Administrative
 Councils

Infant Baptisms

We welcome the newest member of the Catholic Church and also congratulations to the families of:

Mia Rochelle Simones • daughter of John and Nicole Simones

Andrew Scott Jack • son of Robert and Sarah Jack

PARISH COOKOUT

Sunday, May 31 • 12 pm

Food provided – free will offering

Bring a lawn chair or blanket

A few families or adult volunteers are needed to work a shift (Cook • Serve • Help)

Shifts • 11:00 am -12:00 pm

12:00 pm -1:00 pm

1:00 pm 2:00 pm

See Joy Biedrzycki or Pam Beckman to volunteer for a shift.

JUSTICE & CHARITY

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Habitat for Humanity – 2009

This summer on from July 27 to August 7, members of OLP and 5 other south Minneapolis churches will help build a house in St. Paul for Habitat for Humanity. Registration is open to all parishioners including youth. We need help not only in construction but also in food preparation, hospitality and photography. **Sign-ups will be on the weekends of May 30-31 and June 6-7.** Sign up will also be taking place at the other churches those weekends so it is first come first served. Mark your calendars for one or all of those days.

JustFAITH begins this fall

Did your religious formation essentially stop with confirmation in your teen years? Are you ready to encounter your faith and the Church's social mission through adult eyes and with adult experiences as your lens? If so, then JustFaith can help you take that next step. JustFaith is a thirty-week program that uses books, videos, conversations about the most difficult topics of the day, face-to-face encounters with the poor, and an exploration of what the Catholic tradition says about addressing injustice in our world. Sign-up will begin the weekends of May 30-31 and June 6-7. For more information about this life-changing program, contact Deacon Paul at 612-824-3455, ext. 513.

PASTORAL CARE

South Minneapolis Coalition for Grief Support – Thursdays this Spring

Are you or someone you love experiencing a loss or a major crisis in your life? If so, you are invited to one or all of the sessions of this ten-week series on Thursday evenings beginning May 14, from 6:30 – 8:00 PM. All sessions will be held in the Whalen Room. No charge – free will offering. This program is designed for adults who have experienced a loss or major crisis in their life; caring and support from others who care; information about the grieving process by professionals; facilitated by trained leaders; and is confidential. For more information contact Deacon Paul Tatone, 612-824-3455, ext. 513.

Thursday, May 14, Grief & the Quest for Meaning, presented by Jean Greenwood.

UPCOMING VIRTUS TRAINING

UPCOMING VIRTUS TRAINING - ONLY SESSIONS OFFERED 'TIL AUGUST.

Wednesday, June 10 • 6:30 pm and Saturday June 20 • 12:30 pm

Both of these sessions will be facilitated by Joy Biedrzycki

Register on line www.Virtus.org

Required for anyone 18 years of age or more who will be volunteering this summer in any capacity with children and youth

- Summer Stretch: Driving or Chaperone
- Vacation Bible Camp
- Coaching
- Coordinating events where children are present
- Recommended for anyone who wants to learn more about how to keep our children safe and the expectations you should have of anyone who works with children and youth.

Stewardship

Jesus' commandment is that His disciples love one another, even to the point of laying down their lives, if necessary. What gifts of myself – my skills and talents, my time and resources – will best demonstrate my love for God's people?

Week ending 5/11/2009

	Actual	Budget	Variance
Stewardship	\$6,804.04	\$7,962.10	(\$1,158.06)
Plate	513.74	519.23	(5.49)
TOTAL	\$7,317.78	\$8,481.33	(\$1,163.55)

Year to Date

	Actual	Budget	Variance
Stewardship/Holy Days	\$535,517.57	\$557,125.44	(\$21,607.87)
Plate	33,248.59	26,365.38	6,883.21
TOTAL	\$568,766.16	\$583,490.82	(\$14,724.66)

Year to Date

Memorials	7,135.00
Support A Student	7,093.03

Special Collections to

Food Shelf	3,203.26
Good Friday/Holy Land	773.51
Religious Retirement	2,032.00
Missionary Cooperation	8,081.95

2009 Pledge Updates

Thank you to all who have returned the commitment form.

"Power of the Hour" Stewardship

Returned	329
Pledged	\$414,519

"Securing Foundations"

Pledged	\$322,240
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If you need a new form, please visit our website at www.olpmn.org.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48 | 1 Jn 4:7-10 | Jn 15: 9-17

SATURDAY, MAY 16

- OLP Rummage Sale (P)
- 4:00 pm Sacrament of Reconciliation (C)
- 5:00 pm Mass - **John & Doris Shoultz †**
Infant Baptism - the Simones family
- 7:30 pm Kenwood Symphony Concert (C)

SUNDAY, MAY 17

- 9:00 am Mass - **Patrick Boyle (birthday)**
Infant Baptism - the Jack family
Liturgy of the Word for Children
Sunday Nursery
- 10:00 am Blood Pressure Screening (W)
Mission Trip Bake Sale
- 11:00 am Mass - **OLP Parishioners**
Liturgy of the Word for Children
Sunday Nursery
- 12:00 pm Usher Meeting (C)

MONDAY, MAY 18

Acts 16:11-15 | Jn 15: 26-16: 4a

- 7:55 am Rosary (C)
- 8:15 am Word & Communion Service - **OLP Parishioners**
- 1:00 pm St. Matthew's Bridge Club - B (L)
- 6:30 pm State of the School Address (P)

TUESDAY, MAY 19

Acts 16:22-34 | Jn 16: 5-11

- 7:55 am Rosary (C)
- 8:15 am Mass - **Jim Bennett †**
- 6:00 pm SPA Meeting (CB)
- 7:00 pm Joint Council Meeting(T)

WEDNESDAY, MAY 20

Acts 17: 15, 22-18: 1 Jn 16:12-15

- 7:55 am Rosary (C)
- 8:15 am Mass - **Tom Martinson †**
- 8:45 am Women's Faith Sharing Group (W)
- 6:00 pm Boot Camp Starry Night (G)
- 7:30 pm Ensemble Rehearsal (C)
- 8:00 pm Adult Basketball (G)

THURSDAY, MAY 21

Acts 18: 1-8 | Jn 16: 16-20

- 6:00 am Men's Faith Sharing (P)
- 7:55 am Rosary (C)
- 8:00 am OLP Rummage Sale setup (P)
- 8:15 am Mass - **Brown Family**
- 9:30 am All School Mass (C)
Mothers & Others (W)
- 6:00 pm Sports Night - Starry Night (G)
- 6:15 pm So. Mpls Coalition for Grief's Support (SPT)

FRIDAY, MAY 22

Acts 18: 9-18 | Jn 16: 20-23a

- 7:55 am Rosary (C)
- 8:00 am Social Justice Day
- 8:15 am Mass - **Henry Ketels †**
- 8:45 am Fatima Prayer (C)

ASCENSION OF THE LORD

Acts 1: 1-11 | Eph 1: 17-23 | Mk 16: 15-20

SATURDAY, MAY 23

- 4:00 pm Sacrament of Reconciliation (C)
- 5:00 pm Mass - **OLP Parishioners**

SUNDAY, MAY 24

- 9:00 am Mass - **Johannes & Lisa Soltermann (anniversary)**
- 11:00 am Mass - **Thomas Larson †**

SUMMER MASS SCHEDULE

JUNE 6 – SEPTEMBER 6

- 5 pm Saturday, beginning June 6
- 10 am Sunday, beginning June 7

C =	Church
CB =	Classroom Building
CBC =	Classroom Building Cafeteria
D =	Discovery Room - Classroom Building
ED =	Extended Day Room
G =	Gymnasium
L =	Leo Room
M =	Media Center
N =	Nursery
OC =	Off Campus
P =	Pates Hall
SPT =	St. Peter/St. Paul Room
T =	Trinity Meeting Room
W =	Whalen Room