



OUR LADY OF PEACE

Bulletin

TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

AUGUST 16, 2009

Summertime Happenings

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Summer is moving quickly and so I am grateful to have had some time off these last two weeks for some rest and relaxation, spending some time with friends and family at "the Lake" - a term which still confuses those outside of Minnesota and Wisconsin.

During my absence we had a visiting mission priest, Fr. Antony Punnassery of the Archdiocese of Ernakulam/Angamaly, in India. When I welcomed him at the rectory where he would stay for the week, I could see some fear and confusion as he realized there would be no cook or a way to get around. So I set him up as best I could with tour of the neighborhood and food that he could at least throw into the microwave. As I talked with him during and after his stay Fr. Antony could not have been more complementary about how gracious and welcoming this community was to him. During the week, parishioners took him out to eat and spent time with him and at the Weekend Masses he commented how friendly everyone was. The collection for the mission totaled over \$2,600 which is a successful amount for the weekend. Father Antony wanted me to convey how grateful he was for everyone's support and was happy to briefly be a part of this parish community. I am very grateful as well.

NEW PARISH BUSINESS ADMINISTRATOR ANNOUNCED

Another reason for a better vacation was that before I left, on the recommendation of a search committee and my agreement, I offered and received an acceptance for the position of Parish Business Administrator. I am happy to announce that Jennifer Hovland will be joining us on September 8 as Parish Business Administrator. Jennifer comes to us from St. Joseph Parish in Lino Lakes, Minnesota where she has served as Parish Administrator for the last several years. She brings a wonderful passion and a wealth of experience not only in administration but also in other areas of ministry as well.

Here, Jennifer's focus will be administration and the very term "administration" means "toward ministry" (*ad* – "toward" or "to"; *ministratio* (ministry)). As Parish Business Administrator, Jennifer joins the pastoral staff in helping us to carry out our parish mission and as she acknowledged she is a minister to the ministers. She will help empower others and let them know what resources they have to work with to meet their goals. Jennifer will oversee and provide communication in the areas of finances, facilities and property management, office services and human resources so that all of our ministries can operate at their maximum potential. She will work with the staff, councils, other parish leaders and me in developing and monitoring of strategic and pastoral planning, fund raising and stewardship. You will have an opportunity to learn more about Jennifer in the upcoming weeks but we are very excited for her arrival. Although she will miss



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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.

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St. Joseph's and they will miss her, Jennifer is very happy to join Our Lady of Peace.

As we prepare for change of rhythm and season, I wish everyone the very best in these last weeks of summer. It's going to be a good year at OLP.

– Fr. Paul

JUSTICE & CHARITY

JustFAITH

It is not too late to sign up!! JustFaith is an intensive thirty-week program that provides participants opportunities to explore Catholic social teachings in a deliberate and engaging way through reflection, study, prayer and community. JustFAITH will be offered on Monday evenings beginning October 5th. If you are interested please contact Deacon Paul at 612-824-3455 ext. 513 or at ptatone@olpmn.org.

Habitat for Humanity.

If you missed the opportunity to participate in our Habitat for Humanity work camp this summer, Annunciation has openings for volunteers any and all days during the week of September 28 – October 10. This is an excellent opportunity to partner with our neighbors at Annunciation to help a deserving family live the American Dream. For more information or to sign up contact Deacon Paul at 612-824-3455 ext. 513 or at ptatone@olpmn.org.

Check out our website – www.olpmn.org

See pictures of our Habitat for Humanity work camp.
See a slideshow of our Youth Mission Trip to Red Lake, MN
Check our other valuable information on school and parish activities.

FAITH FORMATION

FAITH FORMATION HIGHLIGHTS FOR AUGUST

- Wednesday Morning Bible Study Continues
- Men's Faith Sharing Group Continues
- OLP Book Discussion Group Continues
- Virtus Training: Annunciation Parish
- Catechists Planning Meetings Begin
- Senior High Youth Planning Meeting
- Faith Formation Materials sent out to all Households end of August

NO SUNDAY NURSERY OR LITURGY OF THE WORD FOR CHILDREN IN THE MONTH OF JULY & AUGUST

Worship Schedule

Weekend

Saturday	Eucharist	5:00 pm
Sunday	Eucharist	10:00 am

Weekday

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

Baptism Schedule

August 16	• During 10:00 am Mass
September 19 & 20	• During 5 pm, 9:00 am & 11:00 am Mass
October 18	• After Mass at 12:30 pm
November 21 & 22	• During 5 pm, 9:00 am & 11:00 am Mass
January 17	• After Mass at 12:30 pm
February 14	• During 5 pm, 9:00 am & 11:00 am Mass

LOST AND FOUND

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

FAITH FORMATION

FAMILY, CHILDREN AND YOUTH

Faith Formation Registration for Programs and Sacrament Preparation

Plans are in place for fall programs. Look for information and registration forms to be coming in the mail by the end of August.

Wednesday Night Religious Education

- Pre-K through Grade 8: Begins September 23rd
- Senior High Formation Sessions Begin in October
- Registration Required for both

Sacrament Preparation

- Please Note: Involvement in OLP School or DOF does not automatically register you for sacrament preparation. Families need to register for and indicate they want this preparation
- Eucharist/ First Penance – Begins October 8th
 - First Penance Celebration • December 3rd • 6:30pm
 - First Eucharist Celebration • May 1 & 2 • During All weekend Masses
- Confirmation Grades 8 - 12 • Begins November 12th
 - Confirmation Celebration • April 17 • 10:00 am
- RCIA & RCIA & Infant Baptism Contact Joy Biedrzycki

Youth

- Check bulletin, website and calendar for monthly Youth Group meetings and upcoming Social and Service events

Adults

- Faith Sharing, Book Discussion Group, Mother and Others, MOMS
- Bible Study: The Letters of Paul and the Historical Books of the Old Testament.
- Women's Retreat • November 21st
- Men's Retreat • January or February
- Wine and Dash: The Gospel of Luke • November 19th
- Eating Our Way through the Gospel of Luke • Begins in January
- Celebration of Marriage • February 13th
- Faith Matters

Family Events

- Pumpkin Party, Advent/St Nicholas Day Event, Winter Picnic

Registration forms will be available through home mailing, the parish office, school office, church entrances and on-line at www.olpmn.org under the Faith Formation link. Questions can be addressed to Joy Biedrzycki in the parish office. 612-824-3455, ext 511 jbiedrzycki@olpmn.org.

OFFICE HOURS

AUGUST 20, 21 AND 24

During our parish office staff transition, there are some reduced office hours.

- Thursday, August 20 • 10:00 am - 2:00 pm
- Friday, August 21 • 9:00 am - 12:00 Noon
- Monday, August 24 • 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

Prayers

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

Wedding Banns

PLEASE PRAY FOR

The following Banns of Marriage are announced with our prayers and best wishes ...

Evan Benedict and **Sara Whelan**

• August 21, 2009

Infant Baptisms

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

Eleanor Catherine Kortas •

daughter of Jamison & Kimberly Kortas

Lily Anne Hopkins • daughter of

Brian & Allison Hopkins

Lycia Brynn Winkler • daughter of

Joseph & Jill Winkler

FAITH FORMATION CONTINUED

PRE-SCHOOL SESSION IN RELIGION FOR AGES 3 -5

(Not yet in Kindergarten)

Families have been asking about the possibility of preschool sessions on Sunday mornings during Mass time. Thus far children have remained at Mass with parents, been a part of the Nursery, or come to Liturgy of the Word for Children. This has seemed to work well. We are beginning a pre-school option on Wednesday Night for families who bring children to DOF and have younger children with them.

We could consider the Sunday Morning idea if:

- At least 10 children are signed up as consistent attendees
- Volunteers are in place: We would need at least three adult catechists with two teen helpers – so leaders are not committed week after week and they can rotate leadership. The curriculum would be laid out. Resources, training, and support would be provided.
- This would be held in one of the rooms behind Pates Hall.

If there is interest in supporting such a program on Sunday morning – either in leadership or participation - email or contact Joy Biedrzycki at jbiedrzycki@olpmn.org or 612-824-3455 x 511

We will go forward if:

There is enough interest to warrant this

There are adult leaders in place.

If I do not hear from anyone by the end of August, I will assume we have sufficient options and a Sunday Morning preschool is not a priority for families at this time. Let me know, Joy Biedrzycki

ONE LARGE PARTY IS COMING!



New Dates • Friday and Saturday only • October 2 & 3, 2009

New Carnival Rides • Outdoor Food Tent • Little Kids' Games • Big Kids' Games
Bingo • Fun Run • Sweets & Treats • Beer • Vendor Sales • Food Booths
OLP Gear & Gift Shop • Book Store • Fat Lorenzo's Spaghetti Dinner • Adult Dance
Silent Auction • LIVE Auction • Stage Entertainment • Raffle – Prizes!!! Prizes!!! Prizes!!!

We are shortening the One Large Party to just Friday and Saturday, so that means you need to mark your calendars now so you don't miss all the fun!

As all of you already know, a party is a lot of fun, but a lot of work too. We need lots of people to help out...in big ways and little ways...before the party, during the party, and even after the party. We still need a few leaders for some of the venues listed above. If you would like to help run the Stage Entertainment, Vendor Sales or the Raffle, please contact Karin Dulka at 612-823-0614 or kdulka@mail.com.

Some of the ways that you can help are: lead a venue that's listed above, work a venue for a couple of hours, or work a couple of venues for multiple hours! If you like to bake, we'll need some of your treats. If you have gently used books, CDs, DVDS, and videos that are cluttering your shelves, we can take them off your hands, and get them to other readers in the community through our book store. We can use your donations of new items for the silent auction. If you can give a couple of hours to help pull this party off, we'll take them!

Todd Scott, Jim Loye, T.J. & Karin Dulka are coordinating the party for you this year, but we can't do it alone! "Many hands make light work"...so please help out any way you can. More details to follow in upcoming bulletins.

Stewardship

“Those who seek the Lord want for no good thing,” says today’s Psalm. But in the second reading St. Paul reminds us that, thus blessed by the Lord, the good steward should “give thanks to God the Father always and for everything in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.”

Week ending 8/10/2009

	Actual	Budget	Variance
Stewardship	\$6,352.80	\$7,962.10	(\$1,609.30)
Holy Day	5.00	-	5.00
Plate	365.30	519.23	(153.93)
TOTAL	\$6,723.10	\$8,481.33	(\$1,758.23)

Year to Date

	Actual	Budget	Variance
Stewardship/Holy Days	\$66,391.51	\$72,16.32	(\$5,774.81)
Plate	3,086.28	3,115.38	(29.10)
TOTAL	\$69,477.79	\$75,281.70	(\$5,803.91)

Year to Date

Memorials	
Support A Student	20.00

Special Collections to

Food Shelf	
Religious Retirement	
Missions	2,405.87

2009 Pledge Updates

Thank you to all who have returned the commitment form.

“Power of the Hour” Stewardship

Returned	330
Pledged	\$414,839

“Securing Foundations”

Pledged	\$321,040
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If you need a new form, please visit our website at www.olpmn.org.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

SATURDAY, AUGUST 15 • ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Rv 11: 19a; 12: 1-6a, 10ab /
I Cor 15: 20-27 / Lk 1: 39-56

9:00 am Assumption Mass - **Alan Nicklaus (Birthday)**

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Prv 9:1-6 / Eph 5:15-20 / Jn 6:51-58

SATURDAY, AUGUST 15

4:00 pm Sacrament of Reconciliation (C)
5:00 pm Mass - **John and Doris Shultz †**

SUNDAY, AUGUST 16

10:00 am Mass - **OLP Parishioners**
Infant Baptisms - Hopkins, Kortas,
Winkler families

MONDAY, AUGUST 17

Jgs 2:11-19 / Mt 19: 16-22

7:55 am Rosary (C)
8:15 am Word and Communion Service –
OLP Parishioners

TUESDAY, AUGUST 18

Jgs 6:11-24a / Mt 19:23-30

7:55 am Rosary (C)
8:15 am Mass – **Ed Komoroski †**
6:30 pm Virtus Training (OC)

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 19

Jgs 9:6-15 / Mt 20: 1-16a

7:55 am Rosary (C)
8:15 am Mass – **Margaret Boyle (ill)**
9:00 am Women's Faith Sharing Group (W)
6:30 pm Pre-K and K Ice Cream Social (P)
BE-Attitude Catechist Meeting (T)

THURSDAY, AUGUST 20

Jgs 11:29-39a / Mt 22:1-14

6:00 am Men's Faith Sharing (P)
7:55 am Rosary (C)
8:15 am Mass – **Jeff and Bonnie Brang (Anniversary)**
4:00 pm School Uniform Sales (P)
5:30 pm Benedict/Whelan Wedding Rehearsal (C)

FRIDAY, AUGUST 21

Ru 1:1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22 / Mt 22: 34-40

7:55 am Rosary (C)
8:15 am Mass – **Leo D'Andrea †**
8:45 am Fatima Prayer (C)
5:00 pm Benedict/Whelan Wedding (C)

TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Jos 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b / Eph 5:2a, 25-32 /
Jn 6:60-69

SATURDAY, AUGUST 22

4:00 pm Sacrament of Reconciliation (C)
5:00 pm Mass - **Lucia Grace Nicklaus (Birthday)**

SUNDAY, AUGUST 23

10:00 am Mass - **OLP Parishioners**
11:30 am Eagles Court Honor Ceremony (P)

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

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