

Please continue to pray for the sick of our Parish. To add someone to the prayer list, call Fr. Jim or email Mary Niagro at mcniagro@gmail.com.

Jodi Aerts
Dylan Anderson
Terry Brennen
Julie Byron
Toni Capute
Riordan Cavooris
Justin Curtis
Carol Donato
Irene Dombrowski
Islea Duncan
John Evans
Earl Fishback
Lynn Goss
Kathleen Hamilton
Jeanne Harper

Jane Hayes
Bill Hines
Felice Iannaco
Jeannine Iannaco
Meja Irvin
Margaret MacDiarmid
Kathleen Moore
Beverly Moyer
Chris Moyer
Ray Moyer
Mary Niagro
Victor Niagro
Patsy Notestein
Angel Ortiz
George Perry

Isabel Perry
Frank Powell
Nelson Sanchez
Princess Sanchez
John Seaquist
Ray Servis
Jane Sliwinski
Margaret Smith
Fred Toth
Amy Tracy
Charles Watson
Laura Williams
Michael Williams
Travis Williams
Betty Jo Wolfram

Our Lady of Peace Catholic Cemetery

Plots are available in the cemetery for \$500.00, or you may purchase crematory urn plots for \$250.00. These prices include perpetual care. For more information, contact one of the following **Cemetery Committee Members**:

Joe
Gardner

Dorothy
Garcia

Donald
Notestein

Chuck
Hirtz

Kevin
Hirtz

CEASA Chat

Zero Tolerance: Our OLP parish action plan to eliminate sexual abuse of children, young people, and all vulnerable people includes a "Zero Tolerance" policy. What does zero tolerance mean in this case? One definition is, "refusal to accept criminal behavior, typically by strict and uncompromising application of the law". As we strive for zero tolerance, we parishioners are all encouraged to be aware if we see behavior that does not look right. We then need to accept the responsibility to report the suspect behavior to the proper authorities. The OLP website has a short document that addresses reporting procedures. You can find it on our OLP website under the CEASA tab.-Blessings, Your CEASA

Our Lady Of Peace Roman Catholic Church



So then the Lord Jesus, after he spoke to them, was taken up into heaven and took his seat at the right hand of God. Mark 16: 19

Our Lady Of Peace Catholic Church

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Pastor: Father James Gallagher 434-352-0104
For emergencies: Fr. Jim cell number: 434-238-7030
or Holy Cross Roman Catholic Church 434-846-5245
www.olpcatholicchurch.org

**Holy Eucharist: Sunday 8:30 AM and Tuesday 10:00 AM
Tuesday 7:00 PM Thursday 12:15 PM**

Bulletin news to: Mary Niagro at: mcniagro@gmail.com
Requests for mass cards to: Bonnie Toth at: bonnie3871@gmail.com

**May 16 2021
The Ascension
of the Lord**



Scripture Readings:

1st Reading:
Acts 1:1-11
2nd Reading:
Ephesians 1:17-23
Gospel:
Mark 16:15-20

Reconciliation

Fr. Jim offers the Sacrament of reconciliation before Mass or by appointment.

Our God Reigns!
Alleluia!

Upcoming Meetings and Events

Appeal Update

Congratulations! You Surpassed the Appeal Goal! Our goal was \$3840. You raised \$4170. That is 109%. We will receive at least \$2,085 back from the diocese.

CEASA Meeting

The Committee for Education and Action on Sexual Abuse will be meeting on Wednesday, May 19, 2021 at 6 pm at OLP. This will be the first "in-person" meeting of the committee in 15 months. Any parishioners who wish to attend are welcome.

Thank you/Gratitude from Fr. Jim

Lots of gratitude from Fr. Jim for all the cards and gifts he received on his 34th Anniversary of his ordination. Thank you for your generosity.

COVID Sanitizing Team Needs Volunteers

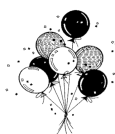
As you may or may not know, the governor's and the bishop's COVID guidelines require our church to be sanitized each week as a condition of remaining open. A small team of people has been handling these

Happy May Birthday!

07 - Carolyn Maples
10 - Jeremy Hounsell
12 - Jean Roberge
14 - Bonnie Toth
15 - Anneliese Garcia Dot Mazulaitis
19 - Emily Heady
21 - George Perry
25 - Jane Hayes

Happy May Anniversary!

02 - Kelsey & Andrew Brown
16 - Fr. Jim Gallagher (Ordination)
22 - Cathy & Pete Zdziebloski
23 - Diane & Steve Bradish



Parish Notices and Announcements

sanitation duties for over a year now. We are hoping that, with so many people returning to in-person worship, we might be able to get more volunteers and lighten the work load for everyone. The sanitizing only takes 20-30 minutes. At present, each volunteer is in charge of sanitation for one Sunday service a month; if we could get more volunteers, the work load would be even lighter. Please consider joining our work keeping the church both open and safe. If you are interested, please contact Bonnie Toth at: bonnie3871@gmail.com.

The Christian does not think God will love us because we are good, but that God will make us good because He loves us. — C.S. Lewis



Ready to Change a Child's Life?

Commonwealth Catholic Charities is looking for loving individuals & families to provide long-term or short-term care to children who are in the U.S. without their parents. We also have volunteer & tutoring opportunities available. To learn how you can change the world for a child in need, please contact our Foster Care Specialist Bebe Tran via email (bebe.tran@cccova.org) or by phone (804.545.5949).

Our Lady, Queen of Peace

God our Father, Creator of the world, You established the order which govern all ages. Hear our prayer and grant us peace in our time as we rejoice in your glory and praise you without end.

Mary, Queen of Peace, look upon us kindly. Through your prayers obtain for us the gift of peace which your Son promised.

We ask this through the same Lord Jesus Christ, Prince of Peace, Son of God, Son of Mary, who lives and reigns with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.

From: Prayers for all Occasions From the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception