

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](mailto: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  
James Sheets  
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

#### Nice Selection of Books and Tapes For All Hoping to Start a Library

Our Lady of Peace is giving away a nice selection of books for spiritual reading and also many instructional videos. Feel free to borrow or take from the table in the commons area.

We hope to soon set up a bookcase in the commons area as a small lending library.



## *Our Lady Of Peace Roman Catholic Church*



*So Jesus said to them, "Amen, amen, I say to you, it was not Moses who gave the bread from heaven; my Father gives you the true bread from heaven."*

*John 6:32*

#### **Our Lady Of Peace Catholic Church**

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For emergencies: Fr. Jim cell number: 434-238-7030

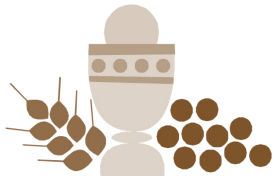
or Holy Cross Roman Catholic Church 434-846-5245

[www.olpcatholicchurch.org](http://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](mailto:mcniagro@gmail.com)  
Requests for mass cards to: Bonnie Toth at: [bonnie3871@gmail.com](mailto:bonnie3871@gmail.com)

**August 1, 2021  
Eighteenth Sunday  
in Ordinary Time**



**Scripture Readings:**

1<sup>st</sup> Reading:  
Exodus 16:2-4,  
12-15  
2<sup>nd</sup> Reading:  
Ephesians 4:17,  
20-24  
Gospel:  
John 6:24-35

**Calendar**

August 4  
St. John Vianney  
August 6  
The Transfiguration  
of the Lord

**Reconciliation**

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

**Upcoming Meetings and Events**

**Fr. Jim Expresses  
His Gratitude**

Fr. Jim says, *Thank you!* for all the cards, gifts and greetings on his birthday.

**Calendar Planning**

There will be a calendar planning meeting Tuesday, August 17, after mass. Anyone who would like an event put on the calendar, is interested in events, or has any ideas for events, please come and join in.



**Successful Social  
Event on Saturday**

We had a wonderful time at our Social Event. It was a surprise Formal Tea. Many ideas were joyfully expressed for events and working together. I would like to thank all those who attended for all their great ideas and also those who could not attend but supplied ideas and comments to help strengthen our community. We truly were unified in bringing our community ways to be together.

**Happy August  
Birthday!**

04 - Islea Duncan  
10 - Sheila Seaquist  
14 - Joseph Schimek  
16 - John Seaquist  
17 - Joanne Clark  
19 - Janice Callahan  
21 - Joe Gardner  
Fran Lecco  
25 - Andrew Brown  
31 - Melissa Clark



**Happy August  
Anniversary!**

03 - Chere & Jim Tew  
09 - Joanne & Matthew Clark  
22 - Carolyn & Gary Conner



**Parish Notices and Announcements**

✦Looking forward to many happy social events in the coming months.

**Donate to Our Lady of  
Peace Online**

The E-Giving donation system is up! You can make donations right online, including regular, recurring, or anonymous donations, or donations for special purposes. For more information Click on the DONATE link on the homepage at <http://olpcatholicchurch.org>

*Private prayer is like straw scattered here and there: If you set it on fire it makes a lot of little flames. But gather these straws into a bundle and light them, and you get a mighty fire, rising like a column into the sky; public prayer is like that.*

*St. John Vianney*

**Come Let us  
Adore Him**

Come and spend time in Eucharistic Adoration in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament. Beginning Tuesday June 1, Our Lady of Peace will be offering this special opportunity from 6:00 p.m. to 6:50 p.m. prior to the beginning of the Tuesday evening mass.



**Witness Crock**

We have all been made by the Potter. He has made each of us beautiful vases, crocks, pitchers or whatever shape He has chosen. But, beauty needs to come from within. One side is the perfect side we wish we were. Someone who has gone through life without any hurts. Now see the cracks, the small slits, the holes and the dents. This is the mental or verbal abuse we endured. This is the divorce. This crack is the death we did not understand that wounded us so badly. The devil says, "what good are you, you cannot even hold water, you have been rejected so much who would want you?" God loves you and wants you. When you yield to Jesus, you will never be lost and alone again. When you accept Jesus, you become part of a family that will love you, stand beside you and teach you.

Now watch the miracle of God's love as a candle is lit. God's love shines through the cracks and holes. His love for us is a protection that nothing can ever hurt us as badly, again. He wants our love to shine through the cracks and reach a lost world that feels they are too broken to be loved by such a wonderful God. Tell your healing. Tell the love you have felt. Let God's love shine through you to reach his lost children.

Sally Lufkin Saylor

