

The Parish Community of
OUR LADY OF PEACE

Rev. John V. Polyak, Pastor
David DeFrango, Deacon
Francis D'Mello, Deacon

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Evenings: 5:30 PM
Sunday: 7:45, 8:45, 10:00, 11:15 AM
Holyday Eve: 7:00 PM
Holydays: 7:00 AM, 12:15 PM, 7:00 PM
Weekdays: 8:00 AM

CONFESSIONS:

Saturdays, 4:00 to 5:00 PM or by appointment.

Church/Rectory Phone: 732-297-9680

CHURCH:

1740 US Highway Rt. 130
North Brunswick, NJ 08902

RECTORY:

277 Washington Place
North Brunswick, NJ 08902
(Address ALL MAIL To The Rectory)

WEB SITE: www.KofC11378.org

BAPTISMS:

Baptisms are held on Sunday afternoons at 12:30 PM. Arrangements must be made in advance. Godparents are expected to be practicing Catholics. Godparents from other parishes are asked to obtain a letter from their parish priest indicating that they are practicing Catholics. A baptized Christian can serve as a Christian witness for Baptism in place of one of the Godparents.

MARRIAGES:

Arrangements must be made at least six months in advance. Participation at Pre-Cana Conference or the Engaged Encounter Weekend is required.

CCD CLASSES:

Classes for Grades 1 thru 4 are held on Sunday mornings. Classes for Grades 5 thru 8 are held on Wednesday evenings.



MISSION STATEMENT:

We, the faithful of Our Lady of Peace, are a people of prayer, love, and joy, reflecting diverse cultures, philosophies, attitudes, abilities, age and a strong sense of family. We find ourselves united in the One Lord.

As believers of Our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, we are committed to proclaiming the good news and strive to grow in faith, hope, love and service to others.

Empowered by the Holy Spirit in our pursuit of effective discipleship, we express our faith and love through celebration of the Eucharist, fellowship, faith formation, social services, and charity to our parish and community.

NEW PARISHIONERS:

New parishioners should register as soon as possible after moving into the parish. Registration is our only means of certifying anyone as a member of our parish. It is also important for testimonial letters regarding sponsorship for the sacraments, recommendations for positions, schools, character references, etc. Please notify the office of change of address.

HOSPITAL VISITS:

Notify the rectory so that sick parishioners can be visited.

CHURCH SUPPORT:

Our Lady of Peace Parish is entirely dependent on its parishioners for support. All wage earners are asked to use the weekly envelopes faithfully.

SICK CALL:

Holy Communion will be brought to the sick on request. In case of dangerous illness, call the rectory any time day or night.

**Mass Intentions
For the Week of : March 6, 2016
Fourth Sunday of Lent**

- Saturday**
8:00 am Frances Sacerdote r/o Poppe Family
- Saturday**
5:30 pm Carmen Parillo r/o Diana Vitanza
- Sunday**
7:45 am Helen Schiffner r/o Ann Marie Burke
8:45 am Charles Zaabadick r/o Van Der Veer Family
- 10:00 am Felice Bevilacqua r/o John & Mary Chester
- 11:15 am Frances Cunha r/o OLOP Choir
- Monday**
8:00 am Joseph Faraci r/o Pat Mueller
- Tuesday**
8:00 am Michael Freda r/o Josephine Freda
- Wednesday**
8:00 am Margaret & Michael Butterworth r/o Family
12:15 pm Sandra Edly r/o Anne Casey & Family
- Thursday**
8:00 am Marilyn Dunne r/o Kosmo Family
- Friday**
8:00 am James Quirk r/o Vito F. Puleio
- Saturday**
8:00 am James Nardini r/o Mike, Maria, Tim & Zack Forgione
- Saturday**
5:30 pm Oscar Walen r/o Cox & Remm Families
- Sunday**
7:45 am James Schneider r/o Children & Grandchildren
8:45 am Ronald Hyers Jr. r/o Joe & Carol Lagowski
10:00 am Thomas Laskowski r/o Kinelski Family
11:15 am Frances Cunha r/o Carole & Ed Dinapoli

Looking for a spiritual activity for Lent? Increase your understanding of our faith by reading the Gospel of Luke with the help of a self-study program posted on our Knights of Columbus website. The program consists of background articles, section by section; short commentaries, pictures and maps. You can go through the program at home at your own pace. Go to www.KofC11378.org/lecturer-corner/year-of-st-luke



Wednesdays during Lent
12:15 Mass


Fridays during Lent Stations
of The Cross 7:30 pm

Confessions are held on
Saturday's from 4:00 pm to
5:00 pm.



YOUTH CHOIR - Does your child love to sing? Students learn to sing and gain valuable performance experience while singing awesome choral repertoire for our congregation. Youths from 3rd through 8th grades who enjoy singing are encouraged to join. Rehearsals are Thursdays from 7-8PM in church. *Like us on Facebook at OLOP Youth Choir.* Contact Music Director Joseph Suchocki for information at (732) 297-7950 or email: jsuchocki@optonline.net.





Eucharistic Adoration
March 14, 2016
3:00 to 7:00 pm
Rosary at 5:00 pm
Chaplet of Divine Mercy at 6:45 pm
Benediction at 7:00 pm

Unfortunately, our Fish Dinners have been cancelled for this season. Thanks for joining us for the first dinner!



Due to the unexpected suspension of our annual Fish dinners the Knights of Columbus will be running our annual **Fish Dinner Basket Raffle to support the North Brunswick Food Bank** after every mass until the drawing date of **March 20th**. As always three great baskets are offered. Please stop by to help support the most needy of our community. Your support is greatly appreciated.

✠ Sacrificial Giving

First Collection

Second Collection this Sunday is for Repair & Maintenance of the Parish.

March 13 will be the Diocese Spring Collection for Native & Black Americans and Catholic Relief Services. March 25 will be for the Holy Land Collection. We ask your generosity for both of these collections.



Knights of Columbus Annual Easter Egg Hunt



will be held **Saturday March 26th** at the Church. Meet the Easter Bunny starting at 10:30 am, bring your camera for pictures! **Egg Hunt starts at 11 am for ages 2-5 and 11:30 am for ages 6-9.** Please sign up on the sign-up sheet located in the back of church or call 732-821-6420. Rain or shine event. In case of rain will be held in the

Parish Center.



The Church needs a new defibrillator which costs \$1,200. The Knights of Columbus #11378 will hold CPR training classes instructed by North Brunswick First Aid Squad. The classes will be in First Aid Squad Building and proceeds minus cost of each card will go to the cost of the defibrillator. For info on classes email Nicholas Arico at Treasurer@nbfars.org for details or to make a donation.



Single non-smoking retired woman (OLOP parishioner) seeks a one-bedroom apartment locally-North Brunswick, South Brunswick, East Brunswick, Milltown, Monroe, Jamesburg. Call OLOP with info 732-297-9680.



Year of Mercy Jubilee Pilgrimage September 12-22, 2016 to Poland, Czech Republic, Austria, Hungary. Cost \$3839 /pp includes round trip airfare from Newark, 3/4 star hotels, breakfasts and dinners, guided land tours, taxes, etc. Call for itinerary Juliet Banaag Hobson 732-439-2835.



CCD Calendar

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Sun	6	Class & distribute candy
Wed	9	Class & distribute candy 4th Gr Mass Practice 7 pm
Sat	12	4th Grade Mass 5:30
Sun	13	Class



Dear Parishioners: **Update: OLOP Columbiette's Indoor Garage Sale, Saturday, April 2, 2016:** There are only two weeks left to purchase your table to help support. Our "Legs for Lenny" fundraiser. **Tables are \$20 and going fast.** If you are not able to purchase a table, you can help by donating a goodie (cakes, cookies, candies, cupcakes) for our bake sale which is part of the Indoor Garage Sale. The Columbiettes will be at the back of the church the weekend of March 5th -6th and March 12th - 13th so please stop by to **sign up to buy a table**, sign up to **donate a goodie**, or If you are not able to help out with the indoor garage sale, **give a donation.** We will use the funds from the IGS and any donations to help Lenny get a new pair of leg braces to help him walk again and get a new lease on life! For further information, please contact Janet Pinto 732 236-1807, jmpinto52@yahoo.com or Joanne DeLuca 732 937-6935.



Spaghetti Dinner sponsored by The Italian American Social Club North Brunswick. Featuring spaghetti, meatballs, salad, coffee, tea and dessert. **Sunday March 13, 2016 12:00 noon to 4:00 pm** Italian American Club, Cozzens Lane. Adults \$12, Children (under 12) \$5. For info or to purchase tickets call Tony Puleio 732-249-387 or Sam Caramela 732-247-7240.



Lenten Retreat, March 6th from 1:15 pm to 6 pm at our Lady of Peace Church. Fr. Jim Jackson from Delaware will preach on the Passion Narratives, followed by Mass. Come, Prepare, Celebrate.



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