

TWENTY EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – OCTOBER 11, 2015

SATURDAY: OCTOBER 10TH

8:00 AM THE NACINOVICH FAMILY
5:00 PM DICK BURCHFIELD

REQ. BY THE FAMILY
REQ. BY ANNA MAE MASCIO

SUNDAY: OCTOBER 11TH

8:00 AM MARGARET TOMEHUK
9:30 AM PETER DIVINCENZO
11:00 AM GLORIA OPITZ

REQ. BY THE FERNANDEZ FAMILY
REQ. MR. & MRS. CATALANO

MONDAY

8:00 AM THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH

TUESDAY

8:00 AM REV. SALVATORE IOVINO

REQ. BY THE FAMILY

WEDNESDAY

8:00 AM PATRICK DIMICCO

THURSDAY

8:00 AM JAMES HAGERMAN

FRIDAY

8:00 AM ROSE DIMICCO

SATURDAY: OCTOBER 17TH

8:00 AM CATHERINE GUARNACCIA
5:00 PM PATRICIA GILL

REQ. BY THE FERNANDEZ FAMILY
REQ. BY KEVIN & EMILY WOOD

SUNDAY: OCTOBER 18TH

8:00 AM MICHAEL BIRON
9:30 AM ROSE ROBINSON
11:00 AM DALLAS SWINGLE

REQ. BY THE FAMILY
REQ. BY MR. & MRS. DUNLEAVY

Please remember in your prayers all the sick of the parish and of our families.

SHOP-RITE, WEIS, STOP & SHOP GIFT CARDS

Cards in \$25, \$50 & \$100 denominations are available.

Please support this worthwhile fundraiser.

FLEA MARKETS

Last Saturdays of the month (Apr through Oct). For info & registration call Joe Zidek 973-948-5752.

Bake Sale: Sat, Oct. 17 at the flea market - baked goods may be dropped off in the hall on Fri., Oct. 16th between 9am & 2pm or Sat morning.

CAMP AUXILIUM SCHOOL

Now accepting registrations. School serves ages 6 weeks through Pre-K 4 (ages 4-5) Hours 6:30am – 6:30pm. Visit our website at

www.campauxilium.org or call 383-2621 x1 for info.

PARISH CRUISE

Panama Canal – March 4-14, 2016 – Reserve now and save!!! Contact Regina @ UNIGLOBE Travel Partners (973)810-8025

LECTORS

October 10TH and 11th

5:00 pm Nancy Fernandez
8:00 am Ruth Tauriello
9:30 am Tom Lapinski
11:00 am Patricia Pfeil

October 17TH and 18th

5:00 pm Tom Hudak
8:00 am Barbara Bayles
9:30 am Rick Hahn
11:00 am Michelle Teitsma

ALTAR SERVERS

October 10TH and 11th

5:00 pm Alex Albanese
8:00 am Paul Corazza
9:30 am Jon-Paul Devetori
11:00 am Maddie Kelleher

October 17TH and 18th

5:00 pm DJ Kelleher
8:00 am Tim Mitchell
9:30 am Remy Hautau
11:00 am Xavier Munoz

From the Desk of Father Ed:

Dear Parishioners,

In this week's bulletin we have placed a copy of the profit and loss statement for the parish for the fiscal year ending on June 30, 2015. The statement noted that we ended the year with a loss of \$9,091. It is a concern that we lost a substantial amount of money this past fiscal year. However, the parish is not in debt thanks to the good care and shepherding of my predecessor, Msgr. Bill Stober, and the generosity of so many of our parishioners at Our Lady Queen of Peace Church. I have recently met with our newly formed parish finance council. The role of the council is to aid the administrator/pastor to *properly manage the parish's financial resources so that the parish may effectively pursue its proper mission*. As you can see from the profit and loss statement that the parish survives on your financial help. We need your generosity to keep the parish vibrant and alive, so that we can live out the Gospel message and that our parish will remain a place of worship and a place to gather together as brothers and sisters, children of the One Father. We need your support to help the parish be a beacon of light to all those who are in need of the Truth that they can find what their hearts are seeking, that is, the Catholic Church the sacrament of Salvation.

In our Gospel today a man approached Jesus knelt down before him and asked him, "*Good teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?*" What a perfect question to ask Jesus, "*What must I do to inherit eternal life?*" That question should always be near to our hearts so that we are reminded to constantly examine our lives to see if we are heading in the right direction; if our lives are consistent with what our Lord is asking us to do and what our Church teaches us. Jesus responded by asking the man "*Why do you call me good? No one is good but God alone*". Jesus questioned the man to see if he had the faith to believe that the one he was talking with was all Good because he is God.

Jesus answered his question and told the man that he must follow the Jewish Law, that is, the Commandments that Moses gave: *You shall not kill; you shall not commit adultery; you shall not steal; you shall not bear false witness; you shall not defraud; honor your father and mother*. The man responded to Jesus that he had observed all these commandments from his youth. "*Jesus, looking at him, loved him and said to him, you are lacking in one thing. Go, sell what you have, and give it to the poor and you will have treasure in heaven; then come, follow me. At that statement his face fell, and he went away sad, for he had many possessions.*" The man left saddened because it was too difficult for him to part with his wealth. He was sad because he was unable to respond with openness to Jesus' call to follow him. When we miss out on the moment of the Lord's call it leaves us with an emptiness and a deep sadness. The opposite is true when we say "yes" to the Lord and respond to his call it fills us with meaning and fulfillment in our life and pure joy. The many possessions that the man in our Gospel was so attached to that he could not easily part with left him with this deep sadness.

Jesus reminds us that when we are not selfish but generous with our time, talent, and money we are storing up treasure in heaven. People who are generous with their resources are always filled with joy because they are not attached to the things of this world rather they recognize Jesus as all Good, as our God who is the only one who can save us; not our possessions.

Our Gospel reminds us our responsibility to be generous with what we have and not to be selfish. We are all called to answer Jesus' call to care for our brothers and sisters in need. This is an opportune time to look at how well we support our parish. I have included our parish's profit and loss statement so that you would see our expenses and the cost to keep the Church running. Please consider being more generous in your weekly contribution. We can only make the parish grow and remain vibrant if you support it. The Church traditionally asks members to "tithes", which means making a contribution of 10% of your income to the Church. I realize that not everyone can do this but please relook at your weekly contribution to see how you can store up more treasure in the kingdom of heaven by helping the parish financially. The next few weeks we will be moving forward with the Bishop's annual appeal. Please be supportive and generous to the appeal, know that for every dollar over our goal the parish keeps 50%. Thank you for supporting and helping our parish remain vibrant and financially stable.

Our Lady Queen of Peace pray for us,

Father Ed

Administrator

Our Lady Queen of Peace Financial Report	June 30, 2015
Revenues	
Sunday Collections	216,952.09
Christmas & Easter Collections	28,167.00
Debt Reduction Collections	26,177.04
Special Parish Collections	717.00
National Collections	2,866.00
Bishop's Annual Appeal Rebate	28,861.00
Partners in Faith	8,073.75
Bequests	5,000.00
Religious Education	7,420.00
Mass Stipends	600.00
Interest Income	11.52
Total Revenues	324,845.40
Expenses	
Payroll Expenses	161,695.53
Health Benefits	27,956.10
Pension Benefits	27,294.96
Rectory Expenses	2,353.92
Building and Grounds	21,848.84
Property Insurance	9,930.48
Religious Education	3,636.79
Utilities	23,554.66
Liturgical Expenses	15,101.07
Diocesan Assessment	29,675.44
Office Expenses	3,312.55
Support to Diocesan Schools & Entities	7,577.00
Total Expenses	333,937.34
Net Income (Loss)	(9,091.94)

Calendar Events

Oct. 12 Columbus Day office is closed
 Oct. 12 No Eucharistic Adoration/Benediction
 Oct. 17 Rel. Ed Classes 8:30-10:30am
 Oct. 17 Confirmation Retreat 9:15am-2:00pm
 Oct. 17 Flea Market
 Oct. 19 Eucharistic Adoration/Benediction 7:30pm
 Oct. 22 Healing Mass 7:30pm
 Oct. 26 Eucharistic Adoration/Benediction 7:30pm
 Oct. 30 Parish Halloween Party and Trunk or Treat 6pm
 Oct. 31 Rel. Ed & Confirmation Classes 8:30-10:30am
 Oct. 31 Last Flea Market
 Nov.1 Coffee and....gathering after all Masses.



Memorials:

The week of October 11th the Sanctuary
Lamp Burns for:
Jim Hagerman

Eucharistic Adoration



7:30 pm – 8:30 pm Monday
and 8:30 am -9:30 am Friday
(after the 8:00 am Mass)
Come join us and spend some
quiet time in prayer before the
Lord.

*No Adoration on Columbus Day 10/12/15

Collections

Oct. 3 rd & 4 th	\$3,942
Diocesan Assessment	<u>\$1,455</u>
Total	\$5,397
Weekly Goal:	\$6,500
Envelopes Mailed:	219
Envelopes Received:	133

*If you are not already doing so, please use your envelopes each week. Only contributions in your numbered envelope are recorded for documentation required by the IRS. Please contact the parish office if you are not receiving envelopes.

Second Collection

Today is World Mission Sunday! In Scripture, we read that St. Paul asked the Gentile Churches to take up a collection to support the Church in Jerusalem. Now we are asked to reach out and support the young churches throughout our world. Your prayers and generous gifts to the Society for Propagation of the Faith in the collection today will help missionaries offer the poor of these areas practical help as they share the mercy of God. It will ensure the development of local diocese, and support the work of priests, religious and lay leaders who serve those on the margins and in most need. Go out to the whole world through your gift in today's collection!



The Knights of Columbus would like to express their gratitude towards the parishioner's generosity. \$444 was raised during last weekend's Right to Life Fundraiser. Thank you for your continued generosity and support.

2015 Bishop's Annual Appeal Diocese of Paterson



Our Catholic Charities agencies continue to serve tens of thousands of people in profound need each year. These people could be your neighbors, co-workers, and friends or loved ones. As Catholics, we are committed to serving Christ among us, especially those who are hurting and lost. The largest percentage of Appeal funds each year is used to help our Catholic Charities agencies do their essential work. Please make a pledge to the 2015 Appeal today. For your convenience, you can make an online gift at www.2015appeal.org.

4th Annual George Flynn Memorial Family Bowling Night

Saturday October 17 6:00 to 8:00 PM Sparta Lanes
\$15 per person includes shoe rentals

Sponsored by Don Bosco Knights of Columbus
All proceeds to benefit Prostate Cancer Research
Keep Dad in the Game

Space is limited Call Linda Flynn now to reserve your lanes
973 383 5203

OPEN HOUSE

Pope John XXIII Regional High School

Incoming 9th Grade

Tuesday, October 13, 2015 at 7:30 PM

Incoming 8th Grade

Tuesday, October 20, 2015 at 7:30 PM

Any questions please contact Mrs. Anne Kaiser at 973-729-6125 ext. 255 or admissions@popejohn.org



MARCH for LIFE

Education & Defense Fund

The Men's Club will be sponsoring a free Bus trip to Washington DC for the March for Life.

Come and experience the largest peaceful march on Capitol Hill. Join hundreds of thousands of Enthusiastic people who give witness to the great gift of life. For more information and to sign up call the office. 973-948-3185



Save the Date!!!!

**Friday, October 30th at 6 P.M.
Parish Halloween Party**

**&
Trunk or Treating**

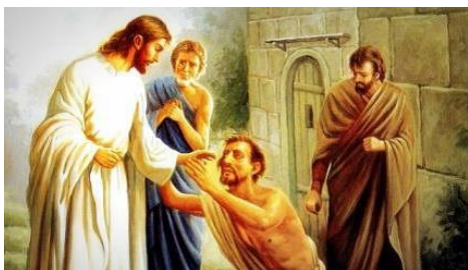
Fun for all ages!

Looking for parishioners to help make this a great event. We need trunks for the kids to go trunk or treating. Decorate your trunk, park it in the church parking lot and hand out treats to the kids!! **Prize for the best decorated car!!** If you are interested in helping or want more information please contact Linda @ 973 250-4272



Miraculous Medal Novena

The Blessed Virgin Mary manifested the image of the Miraculous Medal to St. Catherine Labouré in 1830, generously entrusting it to us, her children, and bestowing upon us a mission to bring others to her for the many graces she bestows. **Please join us in praying the Miraculous Medal Novena Monday mornings before 8am Mass**



Healing Mass

The Mass will be celebrated on Thursday October 22, at 7:30 PM in the Church. The healing service will take place immediately after Mass; Father Ed will be celebrating the Mass. Light refreshments will be served in the parish hall at the completion of the healing service. Healing has always been a part of the Church. Jesus healed the blind man, the deaf man, and the leper. We find in Sacred Scripture physical healings, healing of relationships, psychological healing, financial healing, and spiritual healing. Come with expectant faith and join us, and experience the Lord's healing power.