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SUNDAY OFFERING

Our Gifts to God and Parish Last Week

Special Collections

Permanent Diaconate	\$	30.00
World Mission Sunday		703.00

New Building Fund

Lavender Envelopes	\$	3,106.00
Total Received to date	\$	452,390.41

Offertory

Sunday Envelopes	\$	9,059.00
Sunday Loose	\$	392.54
Above and Beyond	\$	75.00
Present and Future	\$	35.00
Total Offertory	\$	9,561.54
Offertory Goal	\$	12,500.00

Thank you for your generosity.

As of October 20, 2008

Contributions Year To Date	\$	184,351.36
Projected Year to Date Budget	\$	200,000.00

Together We're Better Certificates

Sales	\$	825.00
Profits for this week	\$	25.22

TWB Certificates are available in the Rectory Office from 8 am to 4:30 pm Monday through Friday and every weekend after Mass.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

October 26 through November 2, 2008

Sunday:	Ex 22:20-26 Ps 18:2-4,47,51 1 Thes 1:5c-10 Mt 22:34-40
Monday:	Eph 4:32-5:8 Ps 1:1-4,6 Lk 13:10-17
Tuesday:	Eph 2:19-22 Ps 19:2-5 Lk 6:12-16
Wednesday:	Eph 6:1-9 Ps 145:10-14 Lk 13:22-30
Thursday:	Eph 6:10-20 Ps 144:1b,2,9-10 Lk 13:31-35
Friday:	Phil 1:1-11 Ps 111:1-6 Lk 14:1-6
Saturday:	Rv 7:2-4,9-14 Ps 24:1b-4b,5-6 1 Jn 3:1-3 Mt 5:1-12a
Sunday:	Wis 3:1-9 Ps 23:1-6 Jn 6:37-40

**A word from _____
— your Pastor...**

Fall dinner: I was just given the numbers and it appears as though we have cleared about \$3,000 on the Fall Dinner.

Thank you to so many who worked and did so much to pull off our dinner. We served about 650 dinners in just under 6 hours. That's not bad. If I try to thank everyone by name I will inevitably forget someone, but THANK YOU for so much effort and so many hours of planning, preparing, cooking, serving, cleaning... And a special word of thanks to Jane Saggio who chaired and pulled together this entire event. Next year, perhaps it will be even larger – and we will cook more chicken.

Are there some folks who might be interested in a weekend retreat this Fall? If you have already been on a CRHP retreat, you might enjoy trying an ACTS retreat. There is a weekend available for us to use some slots that are open in November for the women and December for the men. An ACTS retreat begins on Thursday evening in the hosting parish's church and then concludes there on Sunday morning with Mass. The retreat itself is held at a retreat center (thus the cost of \$150 per person) and transportation is provided to and from Church. I AM NOT ATTEMPTING TO UNDERMINE CRHP! This is just simply another retreat program that is available to those in the parish who might be interested. We are not starting ACTS here at OLQP, it is just too expensive at this point. Plus, CRHP has done a great job of bringing people together, praying, learning, sharing and being together as a small Christian faith community. CRHP is an excellent program that works well here and my hope is that we will fill the Spring retreats here with men and women of the parish who have not yet experienced a retreat or, who have not been on one in many years. The date for the ACTS retreats are Nov. 20th to 23rd for women and December 11th to 14th for the men.

Finally, due to November 1st, All Saints Day, falling on a Saturday this year, it is not a holy day with an obligation. Therefore, we will have only the one morning Mass that Saturday at 8:00 am. The feast of All Souls will supercede the 31st Sunday of Ordinary Time.

Have a Blessed Week,
Fr. PC

In your kindness pray for the repose of the soul

Lucille B. Mackiewicz,
friend of Fred Plake

Ruth Brooks,
sister-in-law of Judy Winfrey

Orville Nelson,
father of Gerry Reimer

May God welcome them home, fill them with peace, and bless those who will miss them.



YOUTH MINISTRY

Saints Were Teens Once

All Saints Day is next Saturday, November 1st. As parents we can encourage sainthood in our children by being a credible Christian example. After working with the teens at OLQP for the past 9 ½ years as Youth Ministry coordinator, 8 ½ years teaching Religion in our school and coordinating Confirmation, and remembering my teen years, I am convinced that many teens are looking for great Christian examples in their lives that will challenge them to grow in their faith. Teens are encouraged when they see their parents and/or other adults living a life of care and compassion filled with the peace and joy that comes from living the gospel life.

I heard Mother Teresa speak at a convention in St. Louis when I was 17 years old. Someone from the audience asked her how she felt when people called her a "living saint". She very simply replied, "Isn't that what we are all supposed to be doing." That made such an impact on me as a teenager. I think sometimes we underestimate our teenagers wanting to live a life in line with the gospel values. Saints were once teenagers, too.

It is important to remember, Saints were not perfect people. They were people who drew their strength from God, never gave up and knew how to seek forgiveness when they failed. Enjoy your journey to sainthood while inspiring your children to become saints also.

Our Sunday Youth Night this week is the Hayride and Bonfire. We will be back at OLQP next Sunday evening from 6:30-8:30 pm.

Confirmation Candidates

There will be a Confirmation candidate and sponsor meeting on Wednesday, October 29th from 7-8:30 pm in the Church cafeteria. This is a very important meeting for all 8th grade youth that are preparing for Confirmation and their sponsors.

Terry Ostlund, Youth Minister
636-671-0302 or
leave a message 314-566-8363

**RCIA
meets every Monday evening
at 7 pm in the Cafeteria.**

STEWARDSHIP

How do you show your love for God? Do you give your

time, talent and treasure to keep His word?"

whoever loves me will keep my word, says the Lord, and my Father will love him and we will come to him."

(John 14:23)

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION Wed, October 29, 1 pm-8 pm

Before the Eucharist, there is great adoration and devotion for Jesus the Christ, the Anointed One, the King of Kings, Prince of Peace, the Bread of Life, the Light of the World. It is right to give Him thanks and praise!

He is also your Good Shepherd, guiding you, protecting you, calling you home. Come to Him and offer your most precious gift, your heart! His unending love and mercy will saturate you completely.

In the stillness of the sanctuary, Jesus waits for you. Jesus, in the Blessed Sacrament will be exposed for Adoration this Wednesday, from 1 pm - 8 pm. This time spent with Him is most intimate and holy.

There is a great need for people to visit the Blessed Sacrament, especially between the hours of 4pm and 6pm. If you haven't visited our Lord in Eucharistic Adoration before, please consider this memo your personal invitation! If you would like to join the Ministry of Faithful Adorers, please contact Andrea at 285-7520.

**Scripture Study
meets every
Tuesday evening at 7 pm
in the Activity Center.
All are welcome!!**

Young at Heart Meeting Monday, October 27th

– Brown bag lunch and meeting 11:30 am—Knights of Columbus building. Fun to follow!

Fall Parish Dinner

On behalf of the Fall Festival committee we would like to thank everyone who came out to enjoy the day with us. Our gross profit for the dinners, Craft and Religious Booths and the Wheel Barrel of Cheer was \$5,579.40, our expenses were \$2,636.68, showing a net profit of \$2,942.72 to date. Keep in mind that success isn't always measured by how much profit we make. Everyone works very hard to have a great dinner for the people of the parish and for our fellow neighbors. I have always been convinced advertising is the answer and we had someone from south county who saw our dinner ad in the St. Louis Review. Our dinners sold out this year which was terrific and the hall was decorated as cute as could be. The pies and cakes looked really great and we thank everyone for being so generous. OLPQ family is one of the best in my eyes and your time and talents are always needed.

Jane Saggio, Chairperson



We would like to thank all the parishioners for their hard work in the Dining Room. A big thanks to the Knights of Columbus and the Ladies Auxiliary for their help and generosity: the great kids of the parish, who are always ready to help: thanks to Linda Grither and Denise Bufka for all their help on Saturday: thank you Jane Saggio for all you do, and thanks to everyone for the wonderful desserts. You all make our job easier.

Larry & Sue Whitworth

Thank you to Jane Saggio, our chairperson and everyone who helped in anyway to make our 2nd Fall Parish Dinner a total success – we sold out on Beef and Chicken!! Our goal was 600 meals and we served 663 delicious roast beef and fried chicken meals. Thanks to Marvin Shaffrey, Jr. and all the beef men – these men are up before sunrise cooking The Best Roast Beef!!! Thank you to Dave Salamone and all the chicken men for that finger-licking good chicken! Thanks to those who helped Stacy Shaffrey with ticket sales and everyone that helped Susan and Larry Whitworth in the dining room. Thanks to those in the Library with the Religious items, Mary Anne Brandt with the craft items, and Joanne David with the OLPQ mugs and wheel barrel of liquor items that were raffled. I had excellent help on Friday and Saturday for setup by the James Bufka family and of course my faithful Geneva Freihaut. Thanks to Knights of Columbus for all their time and use of their tables, etc. Thank you especially to Ray Brune for rescuing me on Sunday morning with a much needed can opener! I appreciate “all my volunteers” in the kitchen who year after year give me 2 hours or more of their time and talent, especially Sandy Munzlinger and my daughter, Deanna Grither. A big thank you to all who got carry outs or stayed and dined and enjoyed Our Lady Queen of Peace Hospitality!!!!

Linda Grither

**Winner of “Barrel of Cheer”
Mary Jo Dawson**



St. Vincent De Paul

Loving is the art of caring

Caring is the art of sharing

Sharing is the art of living

Living is the art of loving

Living, share your loving care with the needy by your contributions to St. Vincent de Paul.

Pro-Life

Faith teaches us that we are God's creatures, made in his image and likeness, endowed with an inviolable dignity, and called to eternal life. Wherever man is diminished, the world around us is also diminished; it loses its ultimate meaning and strays from its goal. What emerges is a culture, not of life, but of death. How could this be considered “progress”? It is a backward step, a form of regression which ultimately dries up the very sources of life for individuals and all of society.

~Pope Benedict XVI~



Stephen Ministry

To learn how you can help a friend receive care please call Margaret, 636-274-2269. All calls and sessions are confidential.

God bless you!

First Sunday Breakfast November 2 after all Masses

Scrambled Eggs

Sausage

Hash Browns

Biscuits and Gravy

Fruit cup

Cereal

Coffee, Milk and Juice

The October raffle was won by one of our Bingo players, Kay Bryan. Thank you to all who supported the monthly raffle together we are adding \$208 to our fund to help the Parish.

Sincerely,
The Knights of Columbus Ladies Auxiliary

PARISH PRIDE WORK DAY

Join us on Saturday, November 8th for Parish Grounds Work Day. Bring your shovels, rakes, blowers, trimmers, gloves, etc. We will begin at 8:00am.

If you can join us for one hour or all day, we would greatly appreciate your help. Can't make it at 8:00am, stop by any time during the day and spend a little of your time with us. If you can't join us on Parish Work Day, maybe you have a little free time during the week to help out.

Here is a list of projects that we would like to accomplish:

- Campus leaf blowing
- Campus gutter cleaning
- Hedge trimming - church and school buildings
- Hedge and weed trimming - highway fence
- Removal of shrubs behind rectory
- Removal of fence behind rectory
- Fix leak in rectory basement
- Grading and seeding of rectory yard
- Caulk maintenance shed
- Seal the black top sidewalk at Field House
- Seal the black top sidewalk at Modular buildings
- Miscellaneous painting (weather permitting)

If you can't help out, maybe you would consider donating some much needed supplies - dirt hauling, grass seed, straw, black top sealer.

Show your PARISH PRIDE and join in on the fun! Any questions, please contact:

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| Butch 274-2665 | Debbie 274-2601 |
| Tom 677-1095 | René 274-2284 |

SCHOOL NEWS



Did you know that . . .

- OLQP students have been learning about different countries as part of their Enrichment classes this year?
- The countries studied were the United States, Switzerland, India, Ireland, Kenya, Australia, Italy, Brazil, Greece, South Africa, China, and Germany?
- The study of the different countries culminated with International Day on October 22? Students had an opportunity to sample foods from the different countries, make crafts, etc. as they "toured" the classes' presentations of their chosen country.

Sixth Annual Trivia Night Sponsored by Am. Legion Post #783 Saturday, November 1 Doors open 6:00 pm Game begins 7:00 pm Knights of Columbus Hall House Springs

Eight players per table allowed. Player fee: \$15.00
Beverages included in admission price. Tables may bring their own snacks.

For information and reservations: call (314) 406-6490 or (636) 677-6746.

Make checks payable to: American Legion Auxiliary & mail to : Chairperson AL Trivia Night, 2337 Mickey Drive, High Ridge, MO 63049.

Seven Days of Inspiration

Take one a day...
and feel great all week!

Someone is proud
of you!

Wear your happiness
on the outside today.

There is always a
way to make your
life better.

You were made
to be loved.

Stop. Breathe.
Relax. Restore.

To friends, you are
proof that angels exist.

Spread some hope!
It works miracles.

Found!

Someone found a ring on our Parking Lot . Please call the Rectory Office at 671-3062 if you lost one!

November 2008

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1 8 am Mass
1st Sunday Breakfast Ladies Aux. Raffle Sales after Masses Daughters Mass 11:30 am 6:30 Youth Night Activity Center	3 PSR, 6:15 pm 7 pm RCIA, Field House 7:30 pm Rosary for Peace	Devotions - 8am Mass Quilters-8am-3pm/6- 8:30pm, Activity Cntr. 7 pm Scripture Study, Activity Center	5	6 Choir, 7 pm Daughters, 7:30 pm, Cafeteria	7	8
9 Children's Lit., 9:30 am Youth Mass, 6 pm	KC Vocations Rosary after 8 am Mass PSR, 6:15 pm RCIA, 7 pm, Field House Rosary for Peace, 7:30 pm	Devotions - 8 am Mass Quilters-8am-3pm/6- 8:30pm, Activity Cntr. Scripture Study, 7 pm Activity Center Parish Council, 7 pm	12 Home and School Meeting, 7 pm, Café	13 4th Grade Play, 7 pm, Cafeteria Choir, 7 pm	14 8th Grade Fundraiser, 3-6 pm, Cafeteria	15 8th Grade Fundraiser, 9 am -2 pm, Cafeteria
Hospitality Sunday Children's Lit., 9:30 am Blood Pressure Screening, Library Flu Shots, (\$20), Lib. Youth Night, 6:30 pm, Activity Center	17 PSR, 6:15 pm RCIA, 7 pm, Field House Rosary for Peace, 7:30m	Devotions - 8 am Mass Quilters-8am-3pm/6- 8:30pm, Activity Cntr. Scripture Study, 7 pm Activity Center 7 pm—1st Penance Ser.	19	20 RIGHT Start Mtg., 7-8:30 pm, Cafeteria Choir, 7 pm	21 3-7 pm – Fish Fry – cafeteria	22 9:00 am – Proclaimer and Eucharistic Minister training – church
23 Youth Night, 6:30 pm, Activity Center	24 PSR, 6:15 pm RCIA, 7 pm, Field House Rosary for Peace, 7:30 pm	25 Devotions - 8 am Mass Quilters-8am-3pm/6- 8:30pm, Activity Cntr. Scripture Study, 7 pm Activity Center	26 Eucharistic Adoration 1-8 pm	27 Happy Thanksgiving Mass, 9 am	28	29
30 Youth Night, 6:30 pm, Activity Center						

**HAPPENINGS
OF THE
WEEK**

Mon	Oct 27	PSR, 6:15 PM RCIA, 7 pm, Cafeteria Rosary for Peace, 7:30 pm, Church
Tues	Oct 28	Devotions after 8 am Mass Quilters, 9 am - 3 pm, 6 - 8:30 pm, Activity Center Scripture Study, 7 pm, Activity Center
Wed	Oct 29	Eucharistic Adoration, 1 - 8 pm Sponsor Candidate Mtg., 7-8:30 pm, cafeteria
Thurs	Oct 30	Choir, 7 pm
Sun	Nov 2	First Sunday Breakfast Ladies Auxiliary selling Raffle Tickets

Please remember in your prayers those who are ill

Dan Smentkowski
Jackie Nappier
Kathryn Anderson
Ed and Joyce Clayton
Vince Ferrara
Tracy Creighton
Margie Mertsch
Red Parkinson
Jim Pearson
Jo DeWitt
Paul Eichelmann
Abbi Grimwood
Jeanne Neugent
Arlou Marquardt
Lillian Koerber
Dorothy Shaffrey
Paul Krautmann
Mariella Crowder
Mike Luebbert
Norma Nenninger
Dean Stegmann, Sr.
Dean Stegmann, Jr.
Marie Henning
Wayne Thome
Stephen Thome

the homebound, shut-ins of the parish and all in nursing homes. To add a name please call the Rectory office, 671-3062.

OLQP Web Site!!

www.olqphousesprings.org

submit articles for bulletin

olqpbulletin@yahoo.com

Deadline Tuesday at 4:30 pm

Inserts - Monday at noon

Mass Intentions

Mon	Oct 27	8:00 am	Vincent Steinman
Tues	Oct 28	8:00 am	Helen and Edwin Wiswall
Wed	Oct 29	8:00 am	Bessie Wencker
Thurs	Oct 30	8:00 am	Alice Nahlik
Fri	Oct 31	8:00 am	Laura Williams
Sat	Nov 1	8:00 am	Ferdinand Hluzek
		5:00 pm	Dave & Jeff Davis
Sun	Nov 2	7:30 am	Barbara Ellison
		9:30 am	Joan Wieschhaus
		11:30 am	People of the Parish

November 1st and 2nd**Proclaimers**

5:00 pm	Barb and Joe Nenninger
7:30 am	Ruth Haen, Dave Mills
9:30 am	8th Grade PSR
11:30 am	Margaret Gerling, Ruth Haen

Special Ministers of the Eucharist

5:00 pm	Sharon Alderson, Bev Gregory, Shirley Tenny, Ralph & Sandy Munzlinger, Maryann Turek, Katie Tutass
7:30 am	Ken Bohnert, Vicki De Long, Ann Riley, Phyllis Smith, Joyce Stenger, Marie Strayhorn, Linda Weber
9:30 am	Dale Andrews, Carl Boyer, Mary Copeland, Joanne David, Carol Delue, Barb Perez, Deb Pigue, Sharon Reineri
11:30 am	Carol DeClue, Jeanne Bradow, Fran Corley, Nancy Wilfong, Angie Ecker, Joan Ross, Glenda Clayton

Servers

5:00 pm	T. Fischbach, Kelly Reeves, Alicia Whitehead
7:30 am	Becca Beck, Andrea Brown, Hanna Osborne
9:30 am	PSR Students
11:30 am	Jaclyn Conley, Hannah Mraz, Dylan Robb

Ushers

5:00 pm	Larry Bottchen, Arnie Lohbeck, Jerry Sheets, Ken & Ralph Munzlinger, Wayne Thome
7:30 am	Ray Brune, Donna Clifton, Wally Freihaut, Ted Hempen, Steve Morlock, Vince Rocchio
9:30 am	PSR students
11:30 am	Judy Winfrey, Thom Ecker, Richard Ross, Jim Winfrey, Gene Corley, Ernie Bradow

NO Children's Liturgy of the Word**Heavenly Dusters**

Cathy Morlock, Debbi Stephens,
Chyree de Roode, Kathy Kerr and Joyce Stenger

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