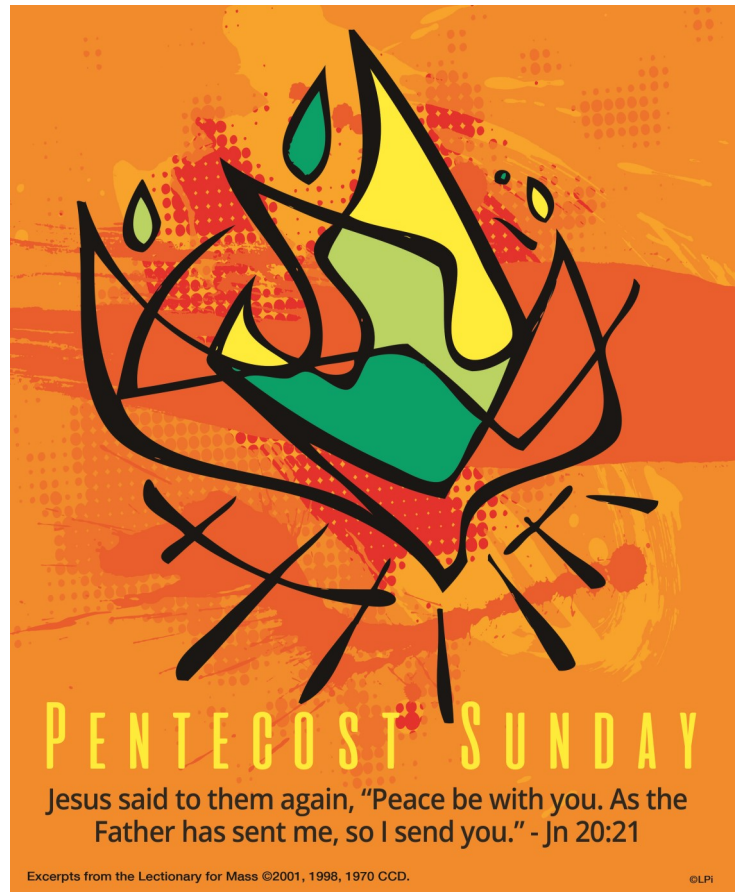


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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Evening: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday Morning: 8:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.
Weekday Mass:
(Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri & 1st Sat) 8:00 a.m.
Holy Days: 8:00 a.m.
Vigil: 6:30 p.m.

RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4PM, or anytime by appointment

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION INFORMATION

Please call the Parish Office

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
CLOSED FRIDAY

BULLETIN DEADLINE

By 3:00 p.m. Monday

COMMUNION CALLS

Please call the Parish Office

SACRAMENTS OF MARRIAGE & BAPTISM

The couple must meet with the Pastor *before* setting a date *and* at least 6 months in advance of an anticipated wedding in order to complete the preparation process.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP

Call the Parish office (form on back of bulletin)

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF

ADULTS (RCIA): Individuals interested in learning about the Catholic Church and/or becoming Catholic, please contact the Parish office. Inquiries welcomed at any time. 814-382-7252

SAT, JUNE 3 5:00 PM	SAINT CHARLES LWANGA & COMPANIONS, MARTYRS Ronald Zotter (Dan & Dolly Werner)
SUN, JUNE 4 8:00 AM 10:30 AM	PENTECOST SUNDAY Andy Morandini (Morandini Family) The Parishioners
MON, JUNE 5 8:00 AM	SAINT BONIFICE Charles & Kathy Frey (Bernie & Irene Frey)
TUE, JUNE 6 8:00 AM	SAINT NORBERT, BISHOP Ann V. Lucas
THU, JUNE 8 8:00 AM	WEEKDAY Father Steve Anderson (Memorial Mass)
FRI, JUN 9 8:00 AM	SAINT EPHREM, DEACON & DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH Tom Hirshmann (Hirschmann Family)
SAT, JUN 10 5:00 PM	WEEKDAY Beth Frey-Teal (Bernie & Irene Frey)
SUN, JUN 11 8:00 AM 10:30 AM.	THE MOST HOLY TRINITY Mary Groger (Memorial Mass) Joseph Borkowski (Carolyn Melby)



**LIVE THE LITURGY -
INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK**

As we gather on this very beautiful feast of Pentecost we are reminded that God has not abandoned us but has left us the gift of the Holy Spirit as an advocate and guide. Negotiating our lives and living the Gospel can sometimes be difficult tasks. We are not always sure how to act or where to turn. We stand a better chance of obtaining greater clarity and focus and discerning what direction to take when we use the gifts of the Holy Spirit that we have been given

The Week Ahead

MONDAY	Exposition & Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament
TUESDAY	Altar Rosary Society meeting 6:30 PM
SATURDAY	9AM Purple Martin Society

Attention

Due to Memorial Day, Liturgical Publications has requested early transmission for the bulletin dated Sunday, June 4th (May 26). As a result, if your request is not in this bulletin, it will be in the week of June 11.

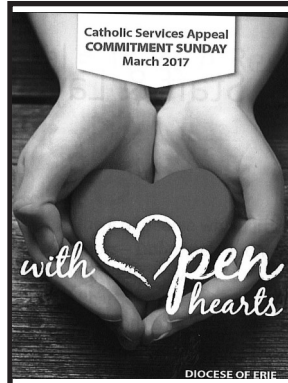
PENTECOST SUNDAY

"He breathed on them and said to them, 'Receive the Holy Spirit.'" What did the disciples think at this moment? They had witnessed a lot of astonishing things in their time with Christ: healing the sick, multiplying the loaves and fishes, turning water into wine, walking on water, and now the Lord's resurrection from the dead, among other things. But Jesus had never breathed on them before. And in this case, nothing dramatic seemed to take place. Perhaps the disciples wondered if anything had actually happened. Jesus spoke about the Holy Spirit, but other than the breeze from his breath, they didn't experience anything unusual. Until Pentecost. Then, the wind changed. "Suddenly there came from the sky a noise like a strong driving wind," the first reading tells us. Now the drama unfolded as the Holy Spirit was revealed in "tongues as of fire," and the once fearful disciples began to proclaim the Gospel with courage and conviction. Clearly, something had happened when Jesus gave the gift of the Holy Spirit to his disciples. But they didn't really put the gift to use until later, "When the time for Pentecost was fulfilled."

What gifts have we received that we haven't put to use? What graces lay dormant in our souls? At baptism, we receive the Holy Spirit and at confirmation, the gifts and fruits of the Spirit are given to us in their fullness. These sacraments are like receiving the breath of Christ. But have we experienced our own personal Pentecost? Have we allowed these supernatural gifts to rise to the surface of our lives? On this anniversary of the Holy Spirit's arrival, may we follow St. Paul's advice and "stir into flame the gift of God that you have" (2 Tm 1:6).

Baccalaureate Mass in honor of our parish graduates is on **June 11, 2017** during the 10:30 Liturgy!

Your OLQA Family would like to recognize you and your accomplishments. If you are graduating from High School, College (Associate's, Bachelor's, Master's or PhD.), Technical or Vocational School; **DON'T FORGET** to call the office, 814-382-7252, to let us know you are attending so we can recognize you. This includes any graduates of programs since June 2016.



Due to an "early" publication date, the May 28th offertory is not available at this time



CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL
Diocesan Goal: \$41,895.00
Pledged to date: \$66,062.00
Amount Received to Date: \$30,786.00



Due to an "early" publication date, the 300 Club winner will be in the June 11 bulletin.... Thank you

OLQA Book Club's pick this month is, *For Whom The Bell Tolls* by Ernest Hemingway
Join us at 6PM, **Wednesday June 7th** at **Walt's Tavern** for what is always a lively discussion!



1PM Shotgun Start
\$65 per golfer/ \$260 per team
Flyers at both Church doors

We are also looking for "**volunteers**" to help that day!
For more information, please call Barb Mulligan 814-720-8709 or the Parish office 814-382-7252

The next meeting of the Altar Rosary Society is **TUESDAY, JUNE 6, 2017** and is open to all women of the parish 18 years of age and older. We will begin with the Rosary at **6:30 PM**



followed by the monthly meeting in the hall.

DID YOU KNOW 383 sets of offertory envelopes are mailed to our parishioners at a cost to the parish of **\$234.42** per month?



Please don't forget to use your envelopes.

This small gesture on your part will also ensure that your offering is correctly credited to your account.

31 Club—Please pray for vocations...

- 5th: B Smith
- 6th: H Biemer
- 7th: R & BJ Starn
- 8th: P Taylor
- 9th: L Conlin
- 10th: J Haylett
- 11th: M Purnell



If you would like to join the 31 Club, call Terry Conlin @ 814-720-6041.

PLEASE REMEMBER YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR FINDING YOUR OWN REPLACEMENT						
JUNE		ALTAR SERVERS	LECTORS	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS	USHERS	GREETERS
SAT	5:00 PM	S Kiser C Kiser R Kiser	C Waldron J Waldron	B Bazylak K Bazylak M Donegan J Lauffer T Lauffer T Tobolewski	T Donegan (H) M Donegan J Haylett G Humes J Mushrush	B Smith Side door
SUN	8:00 AM	P Morian P Karastury H McCoy	A Darke S Treacy	H Biemer J Brown M Brown D Conroy T Predis M Staahl	S Miller (H) H Lewis R Barton G English J Treacy	T English Side door
SUN	10:30 AM	J Jacobs D Jacobs D Ellis MEllis	Audra Brown Aaron Brown	P Jacobs K Jacobs R Mumau S Ragozine P Taylor B Vemo	J Arnett (H) T Bost E Gross J Meyerhoff D Perfett	Volunteer Side door
OFFERING COUNTERS		June 4 P Hilton A Andres	June 11 K Ittle J Elwell	June 18 L Joyce R Bullock	June 25 L Helch J Smock	

BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS THIS WEEK TO:
Jun 4: Ethan Grocé, DeWayne Groger
Jun 5: Marlene Koteles, John Rowles, Theodore Styborski, Stephen Yoney, Elaine Zicarelli **Jun 6:** Paula Amuso, Tessa Bazylak, Rebecca Hillman, Helen Pieszak, Mark Torisky **Jun 8:** Russell Duffy, Theodore Miller, Veronica Pollus, **Jun 9:** Janice Corner, Joan Kozlowsky, Zachary Parker **Jun 10:** Zachary Carlson, Bryan Gorney

ANNIVERSARY BLESSINGS THIS WEEK TO:
Jun 4: Kevin & Rebecca Parker, Richard & Kathleen Rendulic, Dennis & Bernadette Luoma **Jun 5:** John & Alice Maddigan **Jun 7:** David & Cynthia Perfett, Charles & Paula Amuso **Jun 8:** Jason Hull & Renee Peterson, Marco & Krista Longoria **Jun 9:** Robert & Linda Prenatt **Jun 10:** James & Michelle McCaune, Gerald & Erica Ellis, Ethan & Beth Grocé

If you find an error in any of these listings, please call the office to update your records

Jesus stood up and exclaimed,
 "Let anyone who thirsts come to me and drink.
 As Scripture says:
 Rivers of living water will flow from within him who believes in me."
 He said this in reference to the Spirit that those who came to believe in him were to receive. - Jn 7:37b-39a



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RELIGIOUS FORMATION NEWS
 For more information, contact **Amanda Darke & Denise Thomas**
 olqaeducation@zoominternet.net or 814-382-7252
Office Hours: Wednesday 1- 6PM, or by Appointment

Holy Smoke
BBQ DINNER

SUNDAY, AUGUST 6

SAMARITAN
HOLY GROUND THRIFT SHOP
 814-382-4487
 Monday 9AM-12 Noon & 5:30-7:30PM
 Thursday 9AM-6PM



Mon, June 5	5PM Catechist end-of-year gathering @ Vacavi
Sun, Jun 11	10:30 AM Baccalaureate Mass

Calling all High School Students. Start on your hours for next year!
 We need help cleaning the tables in the annex. Please call the office or Miss Amanda and Miss Denise. We would like about 4 people for the first or second week of June. Should only take about 2-3 hours.

Service Hours

Child Protection and Creating Safe Environments
Online Safety Tips for Parents & Kids:

Talk to your children about never, for any reason, agreeing to meet someone face to face that they met online. This could potentially be very dangerous. You simply just don't know who you are talking to online. Over the course of two years, one social media site removed 90,000 known registered sex offenders off its website. To see what the Diocese of Erie is doing to help create safe environments, check out <http://www.eriercd.org/protectyouth.htm>



The Pregnancy Center NEEDS YOUR HELP with the following:
 Summer boys clothes 18-24 mos, socks 18mos and up, diaper bags, receiving blankets, bottles and brushes, sippy cups newborn diapers, 4,5, or 6 diapers, crib sheets, baby detergent, nursing pads, feminine hygiene products, paper towels, toilet paper.

HOLY BIBLE
Readings for the Week
<http://www.usccb.org/bible/books-of-the-bible>

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