

# Our Lady Queen Of the Americas Church

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SINCE THE PASSOVER OF THE JEWS WAS NEAR, JESUS WENT UP TO JERUSALEM. HE FOUND IN THE TEMPLE AREA THOSE WHO SOLD OXEN, SHEEP, AND DOVES, AS WELL AS THE MONEY CHANGERS SEATED THERE. HE MADE A WHIP OUT OF CORDS AND DROVE THEM ALL OUT OF THE TEMPLE AREA.

— JN 2:13B-15A

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## MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Evening: 5:00 PM

Sunday Morning: 8:00 AM & 10:30 AM

Holy Days: 8:00 AM; Vigil: 6:30 PM

### WEEKDAY Schedule: Monday—Friday

6:30 am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

6:45 am Vigils

7:15 am Lauds (Morning Prayer)

7:35 am Holy Rosary

7:50 am Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

8:00 am Holy Mass

8:30 am Confession

**SAT, MAR 3**

5:00 PM

**SAINT KATHERINE DREXEL**

Paul Brandenstein † (Nawrath Family)

**SUN, MAR 4**

8:00 AM

**THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT**

Intentions of the Carl Vyrostek Family

10:30 AM

Parishioners

**MON, MAR 5**

8:00 AM

**LENTEN WEEKDAY**

Bernadette Evanovich † (Evanovich Family)

**TUE, MAR 6**

8:00 AM

**LENTEN WEEKDAY**

Barbara Molnar † (Memorial Mass)

**WED, MAR 7**

8:00 AM

**SAINTS PERPETUA AND FELICITY**

Tressa Lawlor † (Anderson Family)

6:30 PM

Jim Govola † (Dick & Bonnie Smith)

**THU, MAR 8**

8:00 AM

**SAINT JOHN OF GOD**

Joseph Molnar † (Frank Molnar)

**FRI, MAR 9**

8:00 AM

**SAINT FRANCES OF ROME**

Barbara Molnar † (Gene & Marie Schreckengost)

**SAT, MAR 10**

5:00 PM

**LENTEN WEEKDAY**

Knights of Columbus, Council 6037, 50th Anniversary

**SUN, MAR 11**

8:00 AM

**FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT**

Mary Leora Slater † (Carolyn Agnew & Family)

10:30 AM.

Betty Adams † (Don & Bobbie Schroll)

**Parish Secretary, Rosann Bost**

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814-382-2407

**Pastoral Council President, Vicki Leap**

814-382-7681

**Prayer Request**

814-382-8765

Chuck Dolnosich and JoAnn Elwell

**PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

Monday-Thursday 9AM—3PM

**CLOSED FRIDAY**

**BULLETIN DEADLINE**

BY 3:00 PM, Monday

### RECONCILIATION

Saturday 3:30—4:30 PM, or by request

### ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please phone the Church Office if you have family members in the hospital, or who are seriously ill, or elderly, and are confined to their homes. It is important that all of our sick be anointed by a priest, on a regular basis. I am always available to anoint our Sick

### SACRAMENTS OF MARRIAGE & BAPTISM

Call Parish Office for information.

### 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. Sessions begin September of each year.

### SISTER PARISH

St. Anthony of Padua, Tekit, Yucatan, Mexico

St. Isidore, Ochil

Our Lady of the Assumption, Mama

St. John the Baptist, Sabacche

*The Week Ahead* March 4—march 10, 2018

SUN, Mar 4	Religious ED—Grade 3 ONLY Nite at the Races ticket sales after ALL masses
MON, Mar 5	6P The Gospel of St. John
TUES, Mar 6	6P Mass for Altar Rosary Society 7P—Altar Rosary Society Meeting
WED, Mar 7	6:30 PM—Lenten Mass—Jim Govola
THURS, Mar 8	6:30P Liturgy Meeting
FRI, Mar 9	6P Soup & Bread—KofC 7P Stations of the Cross



**A reminder from your Priest**  
In addition to weekly Confessions on Saturdays from 3:30 – 4:30 p.m., and our Communal Penance Service, which will be on Tuesday, March 20, 2018, at 7:00 p.m., I will also hear Confessions **AFTER EVERY MASS**, from now until Palm Sunday. Come experience the reconciling love of our good and gracious God in the Sacrament of Mercy.

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**BUY TICKETS NOW!**  
OLQA's Second Annual Night At The Races will also feature this year's **Kentucky Derby**. Festivities begin at 6PM Saturday, May 5th. Ticket sales begin after mass on Saturday March 3rd and will continue after all masses until sold out.




**Bible Study FOR LENT**  
It is not too late! Please join us for **"Follow Me: Meeting Jesus in the Gospel of John"**  
We will be meeting at 6PM on March 5, March 12, March 19, April 9, April 16 and April 23. Registration fee is \$10 and includes the participant's guide. Please take this journey with us during Lent, and bring a friend. If you miss any session you can keep up by watching the videos on line!



OLQA BOOK CLUB is now reading, Picking Daisy by Kimberly Miller. The Book Club will be discussing this book at Silver Shores Restaurant on Tuesday, April 27th beginning at 6PM.




OFFERTORY, Feb 25th = \$3,241.00



**CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL**  
Diocesan Goal: \$42,508.00  
Pledged to date:  
**Amount Received to Date: 2018 Campaign Feb 11, 2018 thru Jan 31, 2019**


**Congrats..** #293 was the 300 club number drawn this week, but it is an UNSOLD number which means that you can still purchase a number(s) for this year.




**LENTEN SOUP AND BREAD—6:00 PM Anderson Hall**  
March 9 Knights of Columbus March 16 Choir  
March 23\* Parish Council & Book Club  
\* Grades pre-K to 5 will have Stations following Soup and Bread in Anderson Hall. Parents will participate in stations in the church.  
**Stations of the Cross Friday's at 7:00 PM**

**LENTEN LUNCHEAS AND SPEAKERS**  
12:00 NOON AT THE FOLLOWING CHURCHES  
March 7 Trinity United Methodist Father Carter  
March 14 OLQA-Anderson Hall Pastor Guthrie  
March 21 Presbyterian Church Pastor Sterling

It has been over four years since **Bishop Persico** has celebrated Mass at OLQA, so the members of Knights of Columbus Council # 6037 are humbled that he will be the celebrant at our **5:00pm mass on March 10th** as his way to recognize our 50 years of faithful support of St. Philip's parish and Our Lady Queen of the America's parish, as well as our countless community endeavors.




**Baptism Preparation Class** for new Parents will be held at OLQA on Sunday, March 18, 2018 from 1pm to 4 pm in the Religious Education Meeting Room. This is a requirement for all parents of children being baptized. We welcome both expecting parents as well as parents planning on a Baptism within the next year. Please contact [olqaoffice@zoominternet.net](mailto:olqaoffice@zoominternet.net) or 814-382-7252 to pre-register. There is no cost for this program.



**31 Club—Please pray for vocations...**

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

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						
MARCH		ALTAR SERVERS	LECTORS	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS	USHERS	GREETERS Side door
SAT	5:00 PM	M c K e n n a Longoria M Longoria T Wheaton	D Haylett J Verno	B Slevin	J Haylett G Humbles B Irwin J Mushrush	J Haylett
SUN	8:00 AM	G Byler A Wurdock	M Hornfeck	T English	R Bullock K Novosel D Reese G English	R Bullock
SUN	10:30 AM	H Grove R Carlson J Juracko	S Karastury B Zello	P Jacobs	T Bost E Gross V Leap D Perfett	T Bost
OFFERING COUNTERS		Feb 25 K Little J Elwell	Mar 4 P Hilton R Jezak	Mar 11 L Helch J Smock	Mar 18 K Ittel J Elwell	Mar 25 L Joyce A Andres

**BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS THIS WEEK TO:**

**Mar 5:** Lincoln Gilliland, Paula Greco, Saige Karastury, Lana Kroniser, Thomas Wheaton  
**Mar 7:** Frederick Dombrowski, Kaitlin Wilson  
**Mar 8:** Elaine Grieser, Marcia Vyrostek  
**Mar 9:** Harry Casbohm, II, Lanie Murray  
**Mar 10:** Dustin Eaton, Anthony Sherry, Lynn Sobieski

**ANNIVERSARY BLESSINGS THIS WEEK TO:**

**Mar 9:** David & Susan Keas (33)

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

**RELIGIOUS FORMATION NEWS**

**Amanda Darke & Denise Thomas**  
 olqaeducation@zoominternet.net 814-382-7252  
**Office Hours: Wednesday 1- 6PM, or by Appointment**



We have clothing of all sizes and for all ages. The thrift store is open Mondays from 9am-noon and 5:30-7:30pm as well as Thursdays from 9am-6pm. It is located behind Our Lady Queen of the Americas Church. Please call 814-382-4487 during store hours for more information.  
**FYI:** the mailing address for the Samaritans is now 155 S. Ninth Street, Conneaut Lake, PA 16316-7205



March 1	<b>ALL CONFIRMATION REQUIREMENTS MUST BE MET</b>
March 2-15	Confirmation candidates <b>MUST</b> meet with Fr. David. Make your <b>OWN</b> appointment. Contact the Church Office olqaoffice@zoominternet.net; 814-382-7252;
Sun, Mar 4	<b>NO</b> Classes 11:30AM- 1:30 PM 3rd grade First Communion Retreat #2 <b>WITH PARENTS</b> in <b>PEC meeting room</b>
Sun, Mar 11	Class, BOTH sessions; <b>Senior Class meets</b> Grades 3,4, and 5 Penance service Grades 7-12 Adoration & Penance service
Sun, Mar 18	Class BOTH sessions; <b>Senior Class meets</b> Elementary Adoration (pre-K thru 6) 1-4PM Baptism class for new parents
Fri, Mar 23	6PM Soup and Bread 7PM Children's Stations of the Cross during adult stations
Sun, Mar 25	<b>Palm Sunday—NO CLASS</b>
Sun, Apr 1	<b>Easter, No Class</b>
Sun, Apr 8	Class, BOTH Sessions <b>Senior Class Meets</b>
Sat, Apr 14	Spring Service Day for Grades 6-12

**IT'S NOT TOO LATE!** **BOYS AND GIRLS CHILDREN'S CHOIR NOW FORMING**  
 We are hoping to have our children provide music for the upcoming Easter liturgies. Contact Mrs. Melby at 382-3421 or the church office, olqaoffice@zoominternet.net to register your child.

**Liturgical Ministers**  
 Please take the time to notify the office at olqaoffice@zoominternet.net, or 814-382-7252 if you are willing to participate in any one of the many ministries here at OLQA. Also if you are no longer able to participate in the ministries or if you will be away for an extended period of time.  
 Thank you for your help

OLQA will be burning any palms that you bring in from last year. You can drop them off at the alter after mass or in the office, Monday thru Friday between 9AM and 3PM. Contact us with any questions.  
 olqaoffice@zoominternet.net or 814-382-7252



A special thanks to Sis Lane and everyone that donated to the socks for kids campaign. 1059 pairs of socks were collected, all of which were given to needy children. This campaign continues throughout the year so keep up the good work.



**Readings for the Week**

<<http://www.usccb.org/bible/books-of-the-bible>>