

Our Lady Queen Of the Americas Church

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February 11, 2018



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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, FEB 10

5:00 PM

SAINT SCHOLASTICA

Msgr. John Lucas † (Pat Billingsley)

SUN, FEB 11

8:00 AM

10:30 AM

SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

The Parishioners

Joseph Cicero † (Tony & Sandy Ragozine)

MON, FEB 12

8:00 AM

WEEKDAY

Bob Miller † (Joe & Margaret Staahl)

TUE, FEB 13

8:00 AM

WEEKDAY

Margaret & Harvey Anderson † (Anderson Family)

WED, FEB 14

8:00 AM

12 Noon

6:30 PM

ASH WEDNESDAY

Kenneth Carter † Ashes distributed

Mass with ashes distribution

Shirley Carter † Ashes distributed

THU, FEB 15

8:00 AM

WEEKDAY

Louis & Mary Capretti † (Bey Family)

FRI, FEB 16

8:00 AM

WEEKDAY

Barbara Molnar † (Larry & Eleanor Mineweaser)

SAT, FEB 17

5:00 PM

THE SEVEN HOLY FOUNDERS OF THE SERVITE ORDER

Debbie (BeeBee) Pomposelli † (Family)

SUN, FEB 18

8:00 AM

10:30 AM

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

Caroline F. Slater † (Carolyn Agnew & Family)

Valarie Miller † (Cole, Roberts & Miller Families)

6th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

A leper came to Jesus and kneeling down begged him and said, "If you wish, you can make me clean." Moved with pity, he stretched out his hand, touched him, and said to him, "I do will it. Be made clean." - Mk 1:40-41

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Chuck Dolnosich and JoAnn Elwell

814-382-8765

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 Feb 11 thru Feb 18, 2018

SUN, Feb 11	CSA Campaign begins Religious ED—class BOTH sessions 5PM CHWC meeting—MANDATORY attendance
MON, Feb 12	6:30 PM Ablaze team meeting
TUES, Feb 13	12:30 PM 55+ luncheon
WED, Feb 14	Ash Wednesday 8 AM Mass with ashes distribution 12 Noon—Mass with ashes distribution 6:30 PM Mass with ashes distribution
FRI, Feb 16	6 PM Soup & Bread 7 PM Stations of the Cross 7 PM Children's Stations of the Cross (Hall)




Anointing of the Sick

At this time of the year, it is especially important to notify me if you or a loved one are hospitalized or at home and would like to be anointed

Fr. David

Won't you please lend a hand?

We are beginning to organize committees for the **Night at the Races**, but we need your help! If you are interested in volunteering for this event that benefits our parish, please contact Tim Bost, rbost@zoominternet.net, or 724-629-0002. There will be an organizational meeting on **Thursday, February 16, 6 PM, in the Hall.** Please plan to attend





OLQA's Second Annual Night At The Races will also feature this year's **Kentucky Derby.** Festivities begin at 6PM Saturday, May 5th. More details to follow on our website and in the weekly bulletin.

LENTEN SOUP AND BREAD BEGINS THIS FRIDAY
6:00 PM Anderson Hall
Stations of the Cross at 7:00 PM

February 16	Rel Education *
February 23	RCIA & Cursillo
March 2	Altar Rosary Society
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.

PLAN TO ATTEND



OFFERTORY, Feb 4 = \$3024.00



CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL


Diocesan Goal: \$41,895.00

Pledged to date: \$70,431.00

Received to Date: \$60,935.00


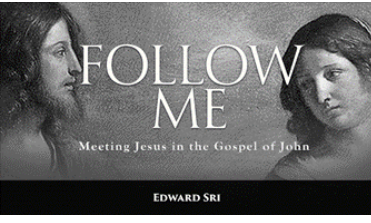


2018 CSA Campaign
Feb 11, 2018 thru Jan 31, 2019



FRED BLOOM was the lucky winner of week #25 of our "300 Club" for \$200, #123. Congratulations, Fred!

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Bible Study for Lent: We have just finished "Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible", and the response was wonderful. Being Catholic takes more than simply believing in God or doing what he asks of us. Jesus wants you to be more than just a believer, he wants you to be his disciple and friend. To help you answer this call to deeper friendship with Christ, OLQA will begin **"Follow Me: Meeting Jesus in the Gospel of John"** Monday February 19 at 6PM. For more information, or to register, contact the office at olqaoffice@zoominternet.net, or 814-382-7252. Participating in this program will help us grow in fellowship as a parish, as we grow closer to Christ together. Registered participants of *Follow Me* will receive a workbook and will meet weekly to view an engaging video presentation followed by a time of lively group discussion and fellowship. The eight 30 minute videos, presented by Dr. Edward Sri, will guide you through the Gospel of John. Dr. Sri will explain how Christ's encounters with others in the Gospel are examples how he lovingly and persistently calls each of us to a more intimate and life-changing relationship with him. Registration Fee is \$10 and includes the participant's guide. **Please take this journey with us during Lent, and bring a friend!**

31 Club—Please pray for vocations...

12th: S Treacy	16th: R Bullock
13th: S Drexler	17th: M Addison
14th: P Gilfoyle	18th: D McQuiston
15th: S Ragozine; T Tobolewski	

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

FEBRUARY		ALTAR SERVERS	LECTORS	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS	USHERS	GREETERS Side Door
SAT	5:00 PM	S Kiser C Kiser R Kiser	C Waldron J Waldron	P Billingsley	M Donegan T Donegan P Greco B Greco	M Donegan
SUN	8:00 AM	S Karastury H McCoy	A Brown J Cunningham	H Biemer	R Barton F Cunningham S Miller D Vincent	R Barton
SUN	10:30 AM	D Ellis M Ellis C Dickey	G Ellis S Kiser	R Mumau	J Arnett E Gross J Meyerhoff P Taylor	J Arnett
OFFERING COUNTERS		Feb 4 L Helch P Gilfoyle	Feb 11 M Staahl R Bullock	Feb 18 L Joyce A Andres	Feb 25 K Little J Elwell	Mar 4 P Hilton R Jezak

BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS THIS WEEK TO:

Feb 11: Roland Mariani
Feb 14: Sydney Walker
Feb 15: Linda Bazylak, Samantha Harrison
Feb 16: Maryann Maddigan, Robert Pastor,
Randy Shelatz
Feb 17: Christian Styborski, John Treacy

ANNIVERSARY BLESSINGS THIS WEEK TO:

Feb 13: Rich & BJ Starn (47)
Feb 15: Richard & Bonnie Smith (26)

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

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

Sun, Feb 11	Class BOTH sessions; Senior Class meets 5 PM CHWC Meeting—MANDATORY Attendance
Wed, Feb 14	Ash Wednesday
Fri, Feb 16	6 PM Soup and Stations 7PM Children's Stations of the cross during adult stations
Sun, Feb 18	NO Class 10:30 AM Confirmation retreat #2 starting with mass Students only NO parents or sponsors
Sun, Feb 25	Class, BOTH sessions; Senior class meets Coffee and Donuts after morning masses
March 1	ALL CONFIRMATION REQUIREMENTS MUST BE MET
March 2-15	Confirmation candidates MUST meet with Fr. David. Make your OWN appointment. Contact the Church Office olqaoffice@zoominternet.net; 814-382-7252;
Sat, Mar 3	6 PM Pancake dinner - Hall (Religious ED Fundraiser)
Sun, Mar 4	NO Class 9AM-12 Noon Pancake Breakfast (Rel ED Fundraiser) 1-3 PM 3rd grade First Communion Retreat #2 WITH PARENTS
Sun, Mar 11	Class, BOTH sessions; Senior Class meets Grades 3,4, and 5 Penance service Grades 7-12 Adoration & Penance service
Sun, Mar 18	Class BOTH sessions; Senior Class meets Elementary Adoration (pre-K thru 6)
Fri, Mar 23	6PM Soup and Bread 7PM Children's Stations of the Cross during adult stations
Sun, Mar 25	Palm Sunday—NO CLASS

*IF YOUR
READING
THIS IS NOT
TOO LATE*

We need your help. We have a need for a **Children's Choir** to provide music for the Easter liturgies. Practice is on Wednesday evenings from 6:30 until 8:00 PM. Father David and I would like to see a large number of children become involved in this music ministry. If your child or children are interested in joining the **Children's Choir** please contact Mrs. Melby at 382-3421 or the church office, olqaoffice@zoominternet.net. I look forward to having the beauty of the children's voices enhance the liturgies, but I need your help! Thank you, Carolyn Melby

**CHWC Meeting, TODAY , February 11, 2018 @ 5pm.
Mandatory Attendance**

Please remember that your next payment for Workcamp is due February 14, 2018. The amount due is \$140.00 per camper. Thank you!!



will be hosting a retreat on Saturday March 3rd, 8:30—2:00., titled **CONTEMPLATING THE SORROWFUL MYSTERIES AND THE WAY OF THE CROSS**

Breakfast and Lunch will be provided and is open to all women of the parish. Contact the office to register; olqaoffice@zoominternet.net or 814-382-7252



Stations for grades K-5 will be **February 16 and March 23, 2018**, beginning at 7pm following soup and bread. Parents can feel free to attend the adult stations in the church. This is considered class times for the students; **so attendance is strongly encouraged.**



Readings for the Week

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

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