



Our Lady of the Lake Catholic Church

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May 7th, 2017

4th Sunday of Easter

***“And Peter said to them, ‘Repent,
and be baptized, every one of you,
in the name of Jesus Christ...’”***

-Acts 2:38

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

This week a number of our young people take important steps in their lives of faith. This Sunday we have our First Communion Mass. It is always a joy to see the excitement and happiness on the faces of our children as they receive the body and blood of Jesus for the first time. This past Thursday at the Basilica, our young people received the sacrament of Confirmation. A special thank you to all of you parents who have diligently led your children to these important milestones. A special thank you also goes to our staff, Kathy Hejna and Theresa Rider, for their hard work in preparing our children.

In our Catholic tradition, the month of May has been one dedicated to honor the blessed mother. The Catechism says that: “The Virgin Mary most perfectly embodies the obedience of faith.” And so, if we want to know what true faith looks like, we look to our mother who is the perfect example of it. She is the one who definitively said her “Yes” to God; her “fiat” meaning let it be done to me. John Paul II in his encyclical “Mother of the Redeemer” says: “Mary uttered this fiat in faith. In faith, she entrusted herself to God without reserve and ‘devoted herself totally as the handmaid of the Lord to the person and work of her Son.’” This is a great summary of the faith of Mary; She entrusted herself to God without reserve and she devoted herself to the person and work of her son. And this also serves as our model as disciples of Christ; That we entrust ourselves to God without reserve and we devote ourselves to the person and work of Christ.

Let’s make a special effort to honor the blessed mother this month. If you are not in the habit of it, I recommend praying the rosary. It is a beautiful way to reflect on the gospels and a special way to ask for the grace to be a disciple like our blessed Mother.

God bless,

Fr. Tony



Living in Peace Program

**Tuesday, May 9th • 7:00pm
Presentation Room**

Please join us this Tuesday, May 9th, at 7:00pm for a presentation about managing your financial resources, preparing for medical care in the event of surgery or illness, and pre-planning your funeral needs. Life can take unexpected turns. This seminar will provide information on how to be ready for any of these events so that you can live peacefully, knowing that your desires will be carried out by your loved ones. The meeting is in the Presentation room after the 6:30pm Mass, with snacks and refreshments provided.

**We are in need of more
volunteers to help at
Lake Minnetonka Shores
on Thursday mornings. If
you are interested in this
very rewarding ministry,
please call Sr. Carrie at
952.472.1284 ext. 168.**

Thanks!

Memorial Day Mass

**Monday, May 29th 9:00am
Our Lady of the Lake Cemetery**



OLL Cemetery is located one mile north of the Church, at the corner of Game Farm Road and Commerce Blvd. (County Road 110). In the event of rain, Mass will be in the Church.

Adoration of Our Lord

Praise and thank the Lord for His Divine Mercy! Where? In His Presence in the Eucharist. How? By being really present to Him, as He is really present to us.

We are looking for Adorers on Thursdays: 12-1pm, 1-2pm, and 3-4pm. You can commit to coming once or twice a month, or every week-- whatever works for your schedule! Please call Jane at 952.472.3825 to sign up.

Banns of Marriage

First Time Printed:

*Julie Thilgen &
Alexander Yanik*

May 26, 2017



Rosary Intention:

Follow Our Good Shepherd

If you would like to honor a loved one with a Mass intention, please stop by the Church Office.

Mass Intentions beginning Monday, May 8th

Monday - 8:00am

Communion Service

Tuesday - 6:30pm

✠ Mary Fleischhacker

Wednesday - 9:00am

✠ Gus Knott

Thursday - 8:00am

Protection of Life and
an End to Abortion

Friday - 8:00am

The Archdiocese of St. Paul & Mpls.

Saturday - 5:00pm

✠ Mary Fleischhacker

Sunday

8:30am ✠ Dorothy Smith

10:30am Parish

Calendar for the Week of May 7th, 2017

Sunday - May 7th

10:30am First Communion Mass - Church

1:00pm Our Lady's Spring Tea - Presentation Room

Monday - May 8th

10:00am Prayer & Playtime - Library/Gym

6:00pm PTO Meeting - Church Library

7:00pm Boy Scout Meeting - School Cafeteria

Tuesday - May 9th

8:30am Eucharistic Adoration - John Paul II Chapel

7:00pm Living in Peace Seminar - Presentation Room

Wednesday - May 10th

6:30pm Adult Choir Rehearsal - Church

Thursday - May 11th

8:30am Eucharistic Adoration - John Paul II Chapel

9:00am Communion Ministry at LMS - Faith

6:00pm Liturgy Committee Meeting - Fireside Room

Sunday - May 14th

10:30am Children's Liturgy of the Word - Church

OLL OPEN Come out and join us for our 4th annual Golf Tournament on Friday, June 9th, to raise money for Our Lady of the Lake School. 100% of all proceeds raised from this event will be used to fund the School and enhance its educational programs. This event is always a fun time, but we are changing things up a bit this year:



- The event is at Pioneer Creek in Maple Plain
- The format is a 2-person scramble
- Cost of event has been lowered to \$135 per golfer
- We'll still have a prize for the team with the lowest score, but we'll also have low score prizes for the following:
 - Senior Team (both players over age 65)
 - Ladies Team (both players are female)
 - Parent-Child Team (Fathers, Mothers, Daughters or Sons of any age)

Register online at ollopen.com.

CCW Annual Retreat at King's House Thursday, May 11th



All women of the parish are invited as guests of the CCW for the Annual Retreat at King's House in Buffalo on Thursday, May 11th. If you would like to carpool, please meet in the Church parking lot at 8:30am. The day begins at 9:00am with refreshments and the retreat is at 9:30am. Lunch is included.



Pastoral Ministry

West Suburban Grief Coalition

Meets at Spirit of Hope United Methodist Church
7600 Harold Avenue, Golden Valley • 763.545.0239
The group meets on Thursdays from 4:30 - 6:00pm.

May 11th: *Is it Grief or Something More?*
May 18th: *Picnic at Parkers Lake North Picnic Shelter,
15500 County Road 6, Plymouth 55447*
May 25th: *Small Group Sharing*

**We pray for those in need.
Please keep the following
individuals in your prayers:**

*Chris A., Bob Blake, Dan Entinger,
Kathy Gnitka, Dolores Kelly,
Andra Olson, Maddie Poranski,
Bobby Reil, & Adam Richardt*

We pray for those in the Military:
Travis B., Nicholas J., & Darrell V.

Liturgy and Life: How does the Good Shepherd help you when you are in a dark valley of your life? The reading from the First Letter of Peter tells us that we have been called to suffer for what is good. Have you sometimes sought to evade such suffering? What does it mean to you to have abundant life?

The gathering of First Communicants, all dressed in white, reminds me of a little flock of lambs. Our Good Shepherd guards them by day and at night, in fact laying across the gate to the sheepfold to guard against intruders. We pray our precious little ones are protected and attune to the gentle voice of Christ.

Annulments: Fact vs. Fiction

Sunday, May 21st • 6:00pm • OLL Church

Isn't an annulment just a Catholic divorce? Will my children be considered illegitimate if I seek an annulment? I heard an annulment can cost thousands of dollars, is that true? Didn't Pope Francis just change the annulment process? How quickly can I get an annulment?

There are a lot of misconceptions about declarations of nullity (often called "annulments"). Recently, Pope Francis instituted some changes to the annulment process and many people are wondering how those changes might affect them. This presentation will focus on explaining the annulment process, including the recent changes, and dispelling some of the more common misunderstandings. This presentation will be given by a canon lawyer who works with people seeking declarations of nullity. Come with questions!

Priesthood Ordinations for Deacon Jeremy Bock, Deacon Bryce Evans & Deacon Nick Froehle



Deacon Bryce Evans and **Deacon Nick Froehle** are being ordained on Saturday, May 27th, at 10:00am at the Cathedral of St. Paul, 239 Selby Avenue, in St. Paul. **Deacon Jeremy Bock** is being ordained on Friday, June 9th, at 4:00pm at the Cathedral of Our Lady of the Rosary, 2830 East 4th Street, in Duluth. If possible, OLL parishioners are encouraged to attend the ordination. Please pray for them as they begin their ministry as priests.

Sale!

PennyWise Thrift Shop News

BAG SALE

Men's & Women's Clothing & Shoes Tuesday, May 9th - Saturday, May 13th

OLL Cemetery Information Cut flowers & plants may be placed on the graves of your loved ones ten days before Memorial Day. Please remove the cut flowers & plants within ten days after Memorial Day. Thank you.

**Free fill dirt at the OLL Cemetery. You must contact Rick Blackowiak
at 952.215.7300 prior to picking up any dirt. Thank you!**



Faith Formation

Congratulations to the 28 children receiving our Lord in the Eucharist for the first time! It is wonderful to welcome you to the Table of the Eucharist and that you can now receive Jesus in Holy Communion!

Children's Liturgy of the Word will return on Sunday, May 14th, and conclude on May 21st. We will not be providing it during the summer months.

Family Faith Formation meets on Sunday, May 21st, at 9:30am in the School Cafeteria. Our topic for May is the "Holy Spirit." Please bring your completed workbooks with you on our last day of class.



Just one week left to get a free T-shirt & music CD! Sign-up for Vacation Bible School by May 15th and join in the fun at Hero Central coming to OLL June 12th - 16th from 9:00am - Noon. Registration forms are available in the Parish Office and online at www.ourladyofthelake.com/vacation-bible-school. For more information, contact Kathy at 952.472.1284 ext. 147.

FORMED • Online Catholic Resource

Parish Code: **P Y W Y W J**

The following resources are suggested for the month of May:

May 1st – St. Joseph the Worker

Program: Disciple Training: Important Message for Dads

Video: Joseph of Nazareth

Audio: St. Joseph: Patron of the Universal Church

May 2nd – St. Athanasius

Book: Christians Courageous

May 3rd – Saints Philip and James

Program: Lectio: Evangelization, Session 7:
Leadership in the Church

May 8th - Anniversary of the Birthday of Venerable Archbishop Fulton Sheen

Video: Archbishop Fulton Sheen: Servant of All

Audio: Three to Get Married

May 10th - St. Damien of Molokai

Book: Christians Courageous

May 13th - Our Lady of Fatima

Program: The Bible and the Virgin Mary

Program: Divine Mercy, Episode 6: Fatima

Video: The Day the Sun Danced

Audio: Our Lady of Fatima

Is your child graduating from High school this year? OLL would like to honor all parishioners who are seniors graduating from High School. We will include their names and future plans in the bulletin for the weekend of May 28th. If you would like us to include your child, please provide the following information by Noon on Wednesday, May 17th:

- 1.) First and Last Name
- 2.) High School they are graduating from
- 3.) Future plans (College & major, military service, or work)

Please email submissions to Theresa Rider at trider@ourladyofthelake.com.



Recognition of Graduates at OLL • Sunday, May 28th • 10:30am Mass

We will be celebrating Mass in honor of all High School Graduates on Sunday, May 28th, at 10:30am. If you have a son or daughter who is a graduating senior who would like to be recognized and receive a blessing, please have them arrive in the PACE Center at 10:15am wearing their cap & gown. Graduates will process in together at the beginning of Mass. Reserved seating will be provided.



Wedding Coordinators at OLL If you are interested in volunteering to help coordinate weddings at Our Lady of the Lake Church, please attend the **Informational Meeting on Thursday, May 25th, at 4:00pm** in the Church Library.

Discipleship ... Faith In Action

Stewardship Thought

"And Peter said to them, 'Repent, and be baptized, every one of you, in the name of Jesus Christ...' " -Acts 2:38

The word "repent" means to turn from sin, to change our actions. When it comes to change, do we take responsibility for change or do we think that others have to change instead? Change that is permanent comes from within, we must take control and be disciplined. Remember though that we are not alone, Jesus is there to help lighten the load.

	<u>Actuals</u>	<u>Requirements</u>
April 29 th & 30 th , 2017	\$9,146	\$14,426
Fiscal YTD (07/01/16 to present)	\$789,726	\$709,396

Catholic Home Missions Appeal Thank you for your generous support of last week's Catholic home Missions Appeal. Your contributions will help strengthen the Church at home and ensure that the Gospel is spread across the United States. If you missed the Appeal, it isn't too late to give! Just visit www.usccb.org/nationalcollections and click on the "How to Give" link on the left. Thank you!

The Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception - May 13th & 14th Next week, our parish will participate in a national collection for the Trinity Dome to complete the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, D.C., before its 100th anniversary. Also known as America's Catholic Church, the National Shrine has been a century in the making, built by and for the faithful of our great nation in honor of our Blessed Mother, the patroness of the United States. Become a part of Mary's Shrine and help to bring to completion our Church! For more information, please visit www.trinitydome.org.

Our Lady of the Lake School News

Wow! What an incredible night! We are beyond humbled by the generosity of everyone who attended, donated or bid from home. The enthusiasm and energy from this year's Starlight Gala was electric!

For those that attended, we sincerely hope that you enjoyed the evening, and while the focus of the event is fundraising, we hope you were also able to have fun, enjoy conversation with old friends, and that you met some new friends as well. This event truly is a celebration and testament to the Our Lady of the Lake Community and beyond!

We are still in the process of reconciling our books, but preliminary results indicate that this Starlight Gala was one of the most successful we have ever had - and we have all of you to thank!

With sincere appreciation and gratitude!

Our Lady of the Lake would like to introduce the OLL School Board for the 2017-18 school year:

Danny Patterson	Laurie Herder	Brett Broghammer
Mary Ament-Johnson	Gretchen Chilson	Aline Ostrowski
Alan Bear	Moe Smith	Kelly Monette

Thank you to everyone who voted!

Our Lady of the Lake Catholic School is now accepting registrations for all grades (PreK - 8th Grade). Contact Kassie Ricke at kricke@schoololl.com or 612.309.3549 for more details.

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followed by last name **@schoololl.com**

Example: bkennedy@schoololl.com

Marriage To confirm a wedding,
please contact Fr. Tony at least 8 months
before planning to marry.

Baptism Please contact Carla LaBore,
Coordinator of Adult Faith Formation, for
baptismal information at 952.472.1284 ext. 145.

Mass Schedule

Weekends

Saturday 5:00pm • Sunday 8:30am & 10:30am

Weekdays

Mon. 8:00am Communion Service (Small Chapel)

Tues. 6:30pm (Church)

Wed. 9:00am (Church, with OLL School)

Thurs. & Fri. 8:00am (Small Chapel)

Confessions Tuesdays 6:00 - 6:30pm,
Saturdays 4:00-4:30pm and by appointment.

Rosary Everyone is welcome to join us in the
Church to pray the Rosary 25 minutes before
the weekday and weekend Masses.

Eucharistic Adoration is held in the John Paul II
Chapel on Tuesdays and Thursdays, from 8:30am
to 10:00pm, and on First Fridays of the month
following the morning Mass until 8:00pm.
Please join us for this rewarding experience!

Church Office Hours

Mon. - Thurs. 8:30am - 5:00pm (Closed 12 -1pm)

Fri. 8:30am - 12:00pm

Sun. 8:00am - 12:00pm

School Office Hours

Mon. - Fri. 8:00am - 4:00pm

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