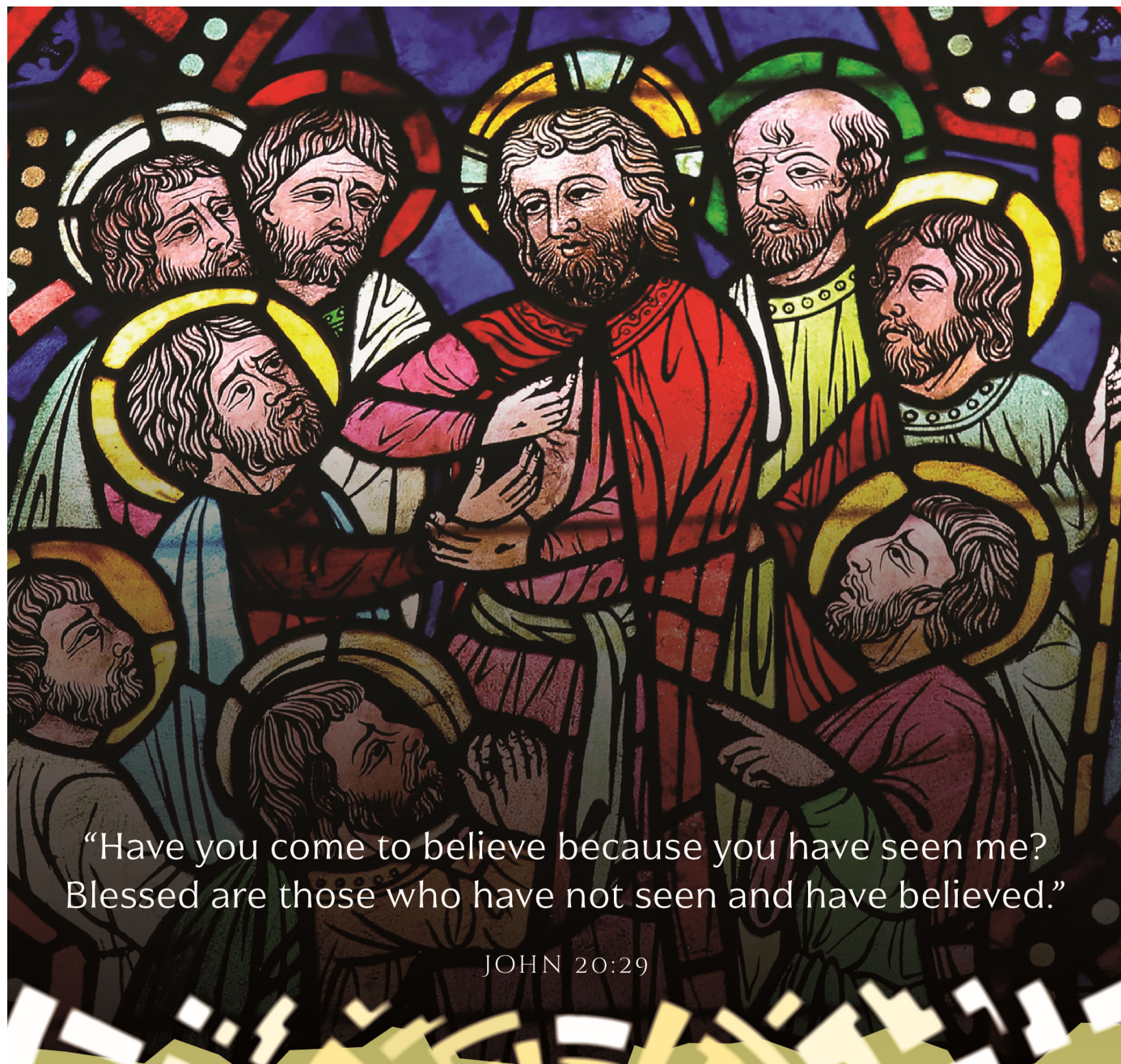




“Have you come to believe because you have seen me?  
Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed.”

JOHN 20:29

SECOND  
SUNDAY OF  
EASTER  
(OR OF DIVINE MERCY)

APRIL 11, 2021

*Our Lady of Peace*

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*The Marian Fathers of the Immaculate Conception*





# SECOND SUNDAY OF Easter

(OR OF DIVINE MERCY)

**APRIL 11, 2021**

Jesus came and stood in their  
midst and said to them,  
"Peace be with you."

John 20:19

## FAITH

What a difference faith makes! The faith of the early community of believers led them to rise beyond the selfishness that so many of us struggle with as they grew in communion with Christ and one another. Their selflessness was a living sign of the impact of their faith in Jesus Christ. They did not find the commandments burdensome, but rather centered their lives on the love of God and neighbor that Jesus taught through his life, death, and resurrection. It is good for us to remember that faith is a gift. The journey of faith is not always straightforward and is often marked by doubt and moments of weakness. The apostles' faith grew as they experienced the risen Jesus. Jesus surely knew they needed the peace he offered and the presence of the Holy Spirit, as do we who have not seen the Lord and yet have come to believe in him.

## FROM DOUBT TO BELIEF

The apostle Thomas will forever be remembered as the one who doubted. It is good that his experience is recorded in the Gospel of John. We all doubt sometimes, and "Doubting Thomas" shows us how to move from doubt to belief, knowing that the risen Jesus will be with us through it all. Thomas did not keep his doubts to himself, but instead voiced them aloud to his trusted companions. We can only imagine the conversations that took place between Thomas and the other disciples as they described the peace that they felt following Jesus' time with them. Thomas' doubts were put to rest once and for all when Jesus offered him physical proof of the Resurrection. We do not have the sort of physical evidence that was shown to Thomas, but we can perceive Christ's presence in the Eucharist, in the words of sacred scripture, and in the presence and actions of others.

## LIVING FAITH

The journey of faith often ebbs and flows, with times when our relationship with the Lord is the guiding force in our lives, and times when we are tempted to turn away from all we know to be true, good, and beautiful. In those moments when we find ourselves struggling with doubt or temptation, we can follow Thomas' lead and turn to trusted companions, faithful and faith-filled family and friends, who will support us and show us the way from doubt to living faith. Like the disciples who were in the room when Jesus came among them, we too have received the Holy Spirit. Today, let us consider where we are on the journey of faith, turn to trusted companions and the Holy Spirit to strengthen us on the way, and know that the Lord is with us as we live and grow in relationship with Christ.

## TODAY'S READINGS

Acts 4:32–35

Psalm 118:2–4, 13–15, 22–24

1 John 5:1–6

John 20:19–31

**Live streamed on the  
Our Lady of Peace  
Facebook page at 3pm!**



Join the Marians of the  
Immaculate Conception  
and  
Our Lady of Peace Parish  
in celebrating  
***Divine Mercy Sunday***  
***Today***  
***Sunday, April 11<sup>th</sup>***

**Please pray with us at  
Our Lady of Peace Catholic Parish  
Facebook page!!!**

**3:00pm HOUR of GREAT MERCY**

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Chaplet of The Divine Mercy,  
Praises of the Divine Mercy, Benediction

*Reservations are required to attend the holy hour,  
please visit the OLOP website for availability*

**Due to Covid safety protocols  
CONFESSION WILL NOT BE AVAILABLE  
ON DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY**

**Please Note the Following!**

It is not possible for everyone to go to confession on the same day. As Fr. Seraphim, MIC has said: **"God will not ask us to do the impossible"**. We should be preparing for the Feast of Mercy during the whole season of Lent, and we should make our confession even **before** Holy Week. **To gain the promises of Divine Mercy**, one should make a good confession within the week of the Divine Mercy Feast Day. **NOT EXCLUSIVELY on the day of The Divine Mercy.**

***For more info about the Divine Mercy devotion  
visit  
TheDivineMercy.Org***





### ***Shining the Light of Christ* through the 2021 Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal**

Thank you to everyone who has already pledged a gift to the 2021 Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal (CMAA). Every gift, large or small, brings us closer to our parish's 2021 CMAA goal of \$95,000. If you have yet to make your gift, please prayerfully reflect on how you can best support the CMAA. If we raise more than our goal, 70 percent of the amount over goal will be returned to us for our use. This is an amazing opportunity for our parish.

Our pastor recently mailed a pledge envelope to everyone in our parish. Please either return it, or the pledge card you received from the diocese, in the mail. You may also make a secure gift online at [jolietdioceseappeal.org](http://jolietdioceseappeal.org) or text DONATE to (815) 205-1949.

### ***Online Giving just got easier!***

Support OLOP with just a few clicks on your mobile device!



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- . Donate to our parish

*April 11, 2021*

*Second Sunday of Easter (or Sunday of Divine Mercy)*

## DOUBT

The desire to be able to prove the existence of a divinity has troubled humanity since human consciousness first became aware of the divine. To this very day we are fond of saying that any number of things—from sunsets to hot fudge sundaes—are “proof that there is a God.” We get so caught up in the story of “doubting Thomas” that we fail to notice that today’s Gospel gives us John’s account of Pentecost, the bestowing of the Holy Spirit upon the disciples following the Resurrection. Thomas, evidently, missed out not only on seeing the Risen Christ, but receiving the Holy Spirit as well. This is not to be taken lightly and, perhaps, makes Thomas’ disbelief a bit easier to comprehend. It also makes his professing that Jesus is his Lord and God—the only time the New Testament explicitly refers to Jesus Christ as “God”—more remarkable.

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## TODAY’S READINGS

**First Reading** — With great power the apostles bore witness to the resurrection of the Lord Jesus (Acts 4:32-35).

**Psalm** — Give thanks to the Lord for he is good, his love is everlasting (Psalm 118).

**Second Reading** — The victory that conquers the world is our faith (1 John 5:1-6).

**Gospel** — Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed (John 20:19-31).

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## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 4:23-31; Ps 2:1-3, 4-9; Jn 3:1-8

Tuesday: Acts 4:32-37; Ps 93:1-2, 5; Jn 3:7b-15

Wednesday: Acts 5:17-26; Ps 34:2-9; Jn 3:16-21

Thursday: Acts 5:27-33; Ps 34:2, 9, 17-20; Jn 3:31-36

Friday: Acts 5:34-42; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Jn 6:1-15

Saturday: Acts 6:1-7; Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19;  
Jn 6:16-21

Sunday: Acts 3:13-15, 17-19; Ps 4:2, 4, 7-9;  
1 Jn 2:1-5a; Lk 24:35-48

## SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Second Sunday of Easter  
(or Sunday of Divine Mercy);  
Julian Calendar Easter

Monday: Ramadan (Islamic observance) begins at sunset

Tuesday: St. Martin I

Thursday: Income Tax Day

## FEAST OF FAITH

### The Psalms in the Liturgy

The book of Psalms is a prayer book, hymnal, and anthology of verse all rolled into one. It contains one hundred fifty ancient songs—poem-prayers that express the joys and sorrows of the Hebrew people and their longing for God. The psalms are incredibly varied in tone. Some are solemn anthems of praise that once accompanied processions of great multitudes to the temple; others record the lonely cries of a faithful soul who feels abandoned by God.

This ancient prayer book of the Hebrew people is our principal prayer book as well. The psalms are everywhere in the liturgy—in the antiphons and acclamations of the Mass, and most particularly in the responsorial psalm that follows the first reading. The psalm that is sung at Mass usually echoes the themes of the first reading, and sometimes even comments on it. On this Third Sunday of Lent, we listen to the Exodus account of the stubbornness of God’s people in the desert, and then the psalm comes to remind us: “If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts” (Psalm 95:8). In their wonderful variety, the psalms teach us how to pray.

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## CHRIST IS HERE

Christ departed from our sight that we might return to our heart, and there find him. For he departed, and behold, he is here.

—St. Augustine

## A CHEERFUL GIVER

A cheerful giver does not count the cost of what he gives. His heart is set on pleasing and cheering the one to whom the gift is given.

—St. Julian



## BORN INTO ETERNAL LIFE

*Please pray for the joyful rebirth into the eternal celebration of God's love for the departed*

**Dolores Loftus**

**Paul Javurek**

**Gayle Males**

## STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

### Sunday YTD July-December 2020

Budget: \$429,000

Actual: \$451,296

Surplus: \$22,296

### January Budget: \$66,000

Actual: \$62,951

**Shortfall: \$3,049**

### February Budget: \$66,000

Actual: \$66,382

Surplus: \$382

Christmas Budget: \$50,000

Final Christmas Actual: \$64,196

Surplus: \$14,196

Thank you to all our generous parishioners who continue to support Our Lady of Peace during this difficult time. We currently have over 300 on-line donors, please consider using the online donation portal on our parish website. Our budget is \$16,500 per week.

### **It's Simple...GIVE ONLINE!**

*You can set up your account to automatically withdraw your donation each week or just one time, either by check, debit or credit card.*

Simply visit our website at: [OLOPDARIEN.ORG](http://OLOPDARIEN.ORG) and click on the tan "GIVE ONLINE" box on the home page! A new page will open where you will register and choose the amount and frequency of your donation. Check it out TODAY!



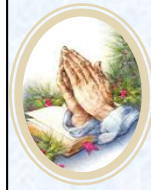
### Deacon Paul Brachle Food Pantry

Please help the less fortunate with a charitable gift. Your donation allows us to supply the needy with food from week to week. The recipients graciously thank you and God continues to bless you.

## PARISH REGISTRATION

If you would like to become a parishioner at Our Lady of Peace Parish, please visit our website at [www.olopdarien.org](http://www.olopdarien.org), scroll down and click on the beige box 'Become a Parishioner' and follow instructions. Or call the Parish Office at 630-323-4333 ext. 100

## PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK



Your prayers have been a tremendous source of healing, empowerment, enrichment, and prophecies for all of the sick of Our Lady of Peace, especially those listed below. Join us daily by sharing your spirituality and prayer devotions for the sick.

Alan Amann, Sue Atkinson, Mary Ann Bach, Joseph Barberio, Joyce Barry, Ken Barry, Tina Bershere, Rose Bina, Bill/James Bleacher, William Boggio, John Bovard, Judy C., Helen Cieslek, Bishop Daniel Conlon, Katy Counihan, Frank Cosenza, Mario Cristofaro, Pina D'Amico, Frank Dipodiva, Brooklynn Drab, Nancy Fisher, April Fernandez, John M. Foresman, Darlene Garoza, Sue Geever, Jessica & Italia Getz, Linda Hall, Moreen Hall, Joan Haremza, Gail Hayes, Mark Herwaldt, Jan Hillerud, JoAnne Hug, Mary Johnson, Dorothy Joyce, Margita Jurcik, June Kaduk, Pearl Kalinski, Dan Kieras, Bob Kobliska, Kathy Lacy, Mary Lipscomb, Lee Liston, Rev. David Lord, Amy Lynch, Emily Mason, John Matt, Patricia Matz, Donna Menard, Joan Novak, Tommy O'Driscoll, Bill Olivanti, Gloria Pavesich, Cathy Lou Pearson, Rose Marie Pedryc, Tom Peknik, Helen Peschel, Agatha Piwcwicz, J. Pisarczyk, Cita Quizon, Mike & Lena Ramaglia, Joan Ritzert, Roger Rodriguez, Veronica Rodriguez, Laura & George Rossano, Charlie Sanders, Maria Santos, Tony Sekera, Joyce Smith, Karlton Smith, Estelle Sniogowski, Bertha Sobotka, Jim Sobun, Marylyn Sobun, Patricia Soukup, Ernest Stankiewicz, Andy & Marilyn Stanley, Diane Treend, Phyllis Trout, Renee Tucci, Sophia Zabinski

### And for the seriously ill children

#### of our Parish:

Damien Turrubiarres,  
Martin Viau



*Please Pray for the Servicemen and Women of our Parish*

**Sean Sebastian**

**Andy Shreckengost**

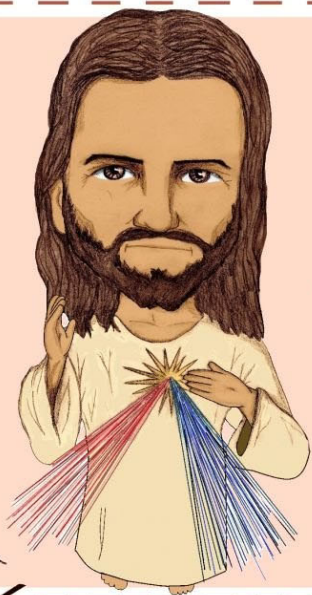


# MASS INTENTIONS April 10/11

|                      |         |                                                                 |
|----------------------|---------|-----------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Saturday 4/10</b> | 5:00pm  | Natalie Wlezen (D)                                              |
| <b>Sunday 4/11</b>   | 8:00am  | Holy Name Society<br>Ludwik Zarycki (D)<br>People of our Parish |
|                      | 10:00am | Shirley Mitchell (D)                                            |
|                      | 12:00pm | David Wasz (D)                                                  |

# MASS INTENTIONS April 12-18

|                       |         |                                                                                                      |
|-----------------------|---------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Monday 4/12</b>    | 7:30am  | Lyman, Smith, & Kearney Families (L/D)                                                               |
| <b>Tuesday 4/13</b>   | 7:30am  | Paul Nawrocki (D)                                                                                    |
| <b>Wednesday 4/14</b> | 7:30am  | Richard Kleifgen (D)                                                                                 |
| <b>Thursday 4/15</b>  | 7:30am  | Noel Henry (L)                                                                                       |
| <b>Friday 4/16</b>    | 7:30am  | Cynthia Wittosch (D)                                                                                 |
| <b>Saturday 4/17</b>  | 7:30am  | Kenneth Vrtis (D)                                                                                    |
|                       | 5:00pm  | Velma & James Gartland (D)                                                                           |
| <b>Sunday 4/18</b>    | 8:00am  | Agnes Meske (D)<br>Mary Talty (D)<br>Tekla Zarycka (D)<br>Thresa Winchel (D)<br>People of our Parish |
|                       | 10:00am | Raymond Bindgen (D)                                                                                  |
|                       | 12:00pm | Lawrence Kummerer (D)                                                                                |



*I desire that the  
Feast of Mercy be  
a refuge and shelter  
for all souls.*

## Divine Mercy Sunday

*A Feast celebrated on the 2nd Sunday of Easter.  
Jesus promised an abundance of grace and mercy  
on this day.*





“Do whatever He tells you”. (John 2:5)



**DCN. John Ronaldo Abulag**  
Pastoral Year  
St. Mary, Mokena



**DCN. Sam Conforti**  
Theology 4  
Christ the King, Lombard



**Gregory Alberts**  
Theology 3  
St. Mary, Mokena



**Brian Geary**  
Theology 3  
St. Mary, Mokena



**Kyle Langan**  
Theology 3  
St. Michael, Wheaton



**Thomas Logue**  
Theology 3  
St. Isaac Jogues, Hinsdale



**Aaron Minix**  
Pastoral Year  
St. Sidore, Bloomingdale



**Juan Carlos Pirir**  
Theology 3  
Santa Rosa De Lima,  
Guatemala



**Jeremy Leganski**  
Theology 2  
Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, Danm



**Alex Loring**  
Theology 2  
St. Bernard, Homer Glen



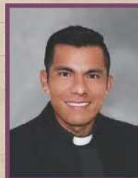
**Frank Pusateri**  
Theology 2  
St. Walter, Roselle



**Jared Rutnicki**  
Theology 2  
Martyrdom of the Blessed  
Virgin Mary, Bourbonnais



**Joseph Solomon**  
Pastoral Year  
St. Sidore, Bloomingdale



**Abel Luviano**  
Theology 1  
St. Luc's Evangelista,  
Queretaro, Mexico



**Luis Ron**  
Theology 1  
St. Anthony, Joliet



**Steven Wdlovski**  
Theology 1  
St. Jude, Joliet



**Joseph Tuan Doan**  
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Holy Family, Shorewood



**Peter Thuong Nguyen**  
ESL  
Holy Family, Shorewood



**Andrew Bogusz**  
College 4  
St. Peter & Paul, Naperville



**Joseph LeMay**  
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## **DIOCESE OF JOLIET SEMINARIANS 2020~2021**



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Transitional Diaconate ordination – Friday, April 23, 2021 @ 6:30pm (Cathedral) by invitation or livestreamed at <http://www.dioceseofjoliet.org/vocations/sectioncontent.php?secid=12>

Please keep the following candidates for ordination in your prayers.

*Please join us for the Livestream of the*

## ORDINATION TO THE ORDER OF DEACON

Transitional

Gregory L. Alberts



Brian Geary



Thomas Logue



**FRIDAY, APRIL 23, 2021 - 6:30 P.M.**  
**CATHEDRAL OF ST. RAYMOND NONNATUS, JOLIET**



## JEREMIAH DAY

Vist Mundelein Seminary  
 Saturday, April 17, 2021  
 Young Men Grades 7-10

Campus Tour  
Meet our Seminarists



Lunch  
Sports



Adoration  
Mass

Enjoy a day with the Joliet seminarists at Mundelein Seminary. You will enjoy a day of activities that include a tour of the seminary, a talk about hearing God's call, lunch, Mass and a chance to play sports with the seminarists.



MUNDELEIN SEMINARY

**Register Online - \$10 fee**  
<https://conta.cc/3ltg37Q>  
[www.vocations.com](http://www.vocations.com) 815-221-6171

## JOLIET CATHOLIC ACADEMY



# SPRING Showcases



**SIGN UP ONLINE**  
**JCA-ONLINE.ORG**

# First Annual Our Lady of Peace Golf League



**Where:** Cog Hill course #s 1 & 3 (sometimes #2)

**When:** Thursdays  
beginning April 29th through August 26  
tee times start at 3 pm

**Cost:** registration fee: \$40  
green fees:  
walking: \$22 riding: \$37  
green fee includes the option of  
playing either 9 or 18 holes

**Who:** Anyone interested in enjoying the great game  
of golf and a little competition in fellowship  
with other OLP parishioners & guests

**Format:** points based competition

Each player will be awarded points on each hole according  
to one's handicap in relation to the Stableford scoring system.  
Prizes to be awarded based on mid and end of year standings.  
Further instructions concerning establishing a handicap  
and the rules of play will follow as we near the start of  
the league.

**Contact:**

if you are interested in participating or have other questions please contact  
Tricia Gurtner (tgurtner1@comcast.net)

**Registration Deadline:** April 22

You can send your registration fee to:

Our Lady of Peace - Business Office  
Attn: Golf League  
709 Plainfield Rd  
Darien, IL 60561

\*Please make checks payable to 'Our Lady of Peace'



## **Catholic Elementary School Teachers and Instructional Assistants Needed**

As they prepare for a 2021-2022 school year marked by an unprecedented growth in Catholic elementary school student enrollment, Principals of Diocese of Joliet Catholic Elementary Schools are seeking passionate and dedicated professional educators to fill 100-125 full and part-time teaching and Instructional Assistant positions. Applicants must hold appropriate state licensure and be devout and practicing Catholics who exhibit a passion for and commitment to Catholic Education.

Please view complete vocation descriptions and apply online at [www.applitrack.com/dioceseofjoliet/onlineapp](http://www.applitrack.com/dioceseofjoliet/onlineapp).

Should you have questions, do not hesitate to contact Karen Udell, Assistant Superintendent of Leadership & Personnel, at 815-221-6123.

### **Part-time Accounts Receivable Accountant Finance Office**

The Diocese of Joliet is seeking to hire a part-time Accounts Receivable Accountant for the Finance Office. The part-time Accounts Receivable Accountant is responsible for depositing all checks received by the diocese and applying payments to the appropriate accounts. This position also requires following up on all past due accounts and investigating any billing discrepancies. In addition, the Accounts Receivable Accountant will assist the Senior Accountant and Internal Auditing Director with special projects throughout the year. This position will vary between 15 and 20 hours a week.

Some College preferred. A minimum of three years' experience in an accounts receivable/bookkeeping position required. Must have the ability to handle and maintain confidential information. Experience working with multiple software databases including, but not limited to, Microsoft Word, Excel, and Peachtree/Sage Accounting Software. Experience with Blackbaud Financial Edge accounting software a plus, but not required. Ability to organize, prioritize work, meet deadlines, and work independently with minimal supervision. Must be proficient in multitasking and possess excellent interpersonal skills.

Applicants meeting the necessary qualifications please email cover letter and resume to: [humanresources@dioceseofjoliet.org](mailto:humanresources@dioceseofjoliet.org).

To view a full job description, please visit our website at: <https://www.dioceseofjoliet.org/hr/jobdetail.php?id=650>.

St. Jude Parish in New Lenox, Il is seeking to hire a Part-time Coordinator of Youth Discipleship (primarily grades 7 & 8 and their families). Our Junior High Youth Ministry program goals are to engage junior high teens and their parents, to evangelize and inspire a renewed understanding of the Catholic faith, and to invite teens and parents into a deeper relationship with Jesus. Our high-energy and dynamic program is built on these three cornerstones: Relationship, Discipleship & Mission. The person who fills this position will serve as a collaborative partner on the parish faith formation team. Must possess a comprehensive understanding and comfort with Catholic theology, including scripture, creed, morality, and the sacraments and be fully initiated and an active member of a Roman Catholic faith community. A Bachelor or Master's Degree in Religious Studies, Theology, Pastoral Ministry, Education or related field required.

1-3 years' experience in the field of Catholic faith formation necessary. To view a full job description, visit; [The Roman Catholic Diocese of Joliet in Illinois](#).

To apply please send resume, cover letter, and contact information for two persons of reference to the attention of the St. Jude Director of Lifelong Faith Formation, Katie Neu at [kneu@stjudes.org](mailto:kneu@stjudes.org) or mail to 241 West Second Avenue, New Lenox, IL 60451. Interviews will begin immediately.

### St. Dominic Parish Bolingbrook Job Description

#### **Position: Maintenance Morning Part Time**

St. Dominic's Parish is currently seeking an individual to address its needs in maintaining the buildings and grounds of the parish campus. The individual should have experience in managing a multi building property. Knowledge of state and federal safety and maintenance regulations/requirements will be helpful .

This is a part time, non-benefited position.

#### **Minimum Qualifications:**

- Basic knowledge of building and equipment maintenance and repairs
- Ability to make recommendations for facility projects
- Ability to work with or without supervision
- Ability to set priorities
- Ability to see an issue that requires attention and take the necessary action
- Must be able to lift 50 pounds

If interested, please contact Marianne Treacy, Business Manager at [mtreacy@stdominiccc.org](mailto:mtreacy@stdominiccc.org) or 630-739-5703.



**St. Dominic Parish  
Bolingbrook**

**Job Description**

**Position: Business Manager Part Time**

St. Dominic's Parish is currently seeking a part time Business Manager. This position answers to the Pastor and is responsible for facilities management, human resources, financial management and development.

This is a part time, non-benefited position.

**Minimum Qualifications:**

Minimum of B.A. in Accounting or Finance

Managerial experience including staff supervision

Ability to monitor facility and equipment needs for the parish campus

Ability to set priorities

Ability to see an issue that requires attention and take the necessary action

Candidate must be a practicing Roman Catholic

If interested, please contact Marianne Treacy, Business Manager at [mtreacy@stdominiccc.org](mailto:mtreacy@stdominiccc.org) or 630-739-5703.

**Faith Formation Administrative Assistant**

**- St. Mary Parish, Mokena, IL**

St. Mary Parish in Mokena, IL is seeking to hire a Faith Formation Administrative Assistant. This person will manage parish weddings by accompanying engaged couples on their wedding preparation journey, complete miscellaneous duties for the Director of Adult Faith Formation and for both priests, help co-ordinate reconciliation prayer services 2-3 times per year in the evenings, manage the parish calendar on Google calendar, take minutes at weekly Director's meetings, type minutes and e-mail to entire staff, and create parish e-newsletter via Flocknote. Must be proficient in Microsoft Office. This position requires 24-28 hours/weekly and is a semi-flexible position so we can discuss start and end time for shifts. The office is open 8:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m. so shifts would take place in 5-6 hour increments during office hours, with an occasional evening or weekend.

To view a full job description, visit; [The Roman Catholic Diocese of Joliet in Illinois](http://www.roman-catholic-diocese-of-joliet.org).

Please submit applications to Melissa Novak at [mnovak@stmarymokena.org](mailto:mnovak@stmarymokena.org). If you have any questions call 708-326-9313.

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## **EUCCHARISTIC LITURGY SCHEDULE**

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**Dc. Larry Fudacz – RCIA & Marriage Prep.**

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Please contact **Deacon Larry Fudacz at 630-323-4333 Ext. 104.**

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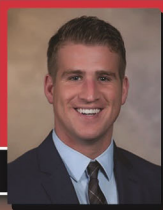
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Please contact **Deacon Frank Vonesh** for more information at **708-793-3505**.

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