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MISSION STATEMENT

Prince of Peace is a welcoming and engaged Catholic community dedicated to spreading the Gospel of Jesus Christ through prayerful worship and sharing our gifts of charity, compassion and service.



11th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"To what shall we compare the kingdom of God, or what parable can we use for it? It is like a mustard seed that, when it is sown in the ground, is the smallest of all the seeds on the earth. But once it is sown, it springs up and becomes the largest of plants."- Mk 4:30-32b

JUNE 16, 2024

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Deacon Jeff's Corner

As the Catholic Church prepares to hold the National Eucharistic Conference for the first time in 83 years in July, there is yet another reason to celebrate Jesus' divinity in what we receive at every Mass. The first millennial saint is about to be named!

Blessed Carlo Acutis, born in 1991 and who passed away from leukemia in 2006, has had a second miracle attributed to his intercession by Pope Francis on May 23. This paves the way for his canonization by the Catholic Church. This most recent miracle involved the healing of a 21-year-old from Costa Rica who was near death after seriously injuring her head in a bicycle accident. Not only did she live, but she has no repercussions from the accident. Family and friend prayers for healing and asking for the intercession of Blessed Carlo have been credited to him for her complete healing. The first miracle attributed to Blessed Carlo's intercession involved a 3-year-old boy who had been diagnosed with a malformation of his pancreas since birth. He too is completely healed.

This amazing young man fell in love with the Eucharist at his First Communion, even though his parents were not especially devout. **HE** is the one who brought his parents back to the Mass; how wonderful is that? He went to daily Mass before school almost every day by himself, and even prayed the Rosary daily.

Here are a small sample of his quotes as a young teenager, even after his diagnosis of leukemia:

"The Virgin Mary is the only woman in my life."

"By standing before the Eucharistic Christ, we become holy."

"Sadness is looking at ourselves; happiness is looking towards God."

"The more Eucharist we receive, the more we will become like Jesus, so that on earth we will have a foretaste of Heaven."

As he was dying, he said this: "Do not be afraid because with the Incarnation of Jesus, death becomes life, and there is no need to escape. In eternal life, something extraordinary awaits us."

Blessed Carlo's body lies in a church in Assisi, Italy and is incorrupt (no decay). People are able to come and view him, as well as ask for his intercession with their needs. It is examples like these that make the Catholic Church the target of many, but to those who believe, no explanation is necessary.

The question is: Do YOU believe?

Deacon Jeff



Monday June 17- No Mass

Tuesday June 18

7:30 am † Frank Hermans

Wednesday June 19

7:30 am † Ervin and Lorraine DeGrave

Thursday June 20

7:30 am † Marion and Robert Liebmann

Friday June 21- No Mass

Saturday June 22

4:30 pm † Living and Deceased members of

the Gilbert VandenBush family

Lector: Paula Peterson

Servers: Deacons

Ushers: Gregg Schultz, Jerry Skaletski

Laurie Kocken, Chris Toneys

1 Volunteer

Sunday June 23

8:00 am † Roland Ferry

Lector: Tom Reinkober

Servers: Deacons

Ushers: Hank Kollross, Tracey Smits

Lee Thibaudeau, Joann Miller

Gerald Steinberger

10:00 am -Prince of Peace Parish Family

Lector: Barb Delforge

Lawrence Waskosky

Servers: Deacons

Ushers: Al Gilge, 4 Volunteers

6:00 pm † Clement & Joyce Sipiorski

Lector: Sharon Basten **Servers:** Ben & Owen Foster

Ushers: Jordan Sullivan, Dan Puyleart

Rob Rivera, 2 Volunteers



LIVESTREAM MASS

SATURDAYS @ 4:30PM
TUESDAY-THURSDAY @ 7:30AM



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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

For the most current Events... See our online calendar at: www.popgb.org

Mass Times	Rosary

Tues, Wed, Thurs -7:30am Tues, Wed, Thurs -7:05am

1st Friday 11:00am (Oct. -May)

Saturday 4:30pm

8:00am & 10:00am & 6:00pm Sunday

Reconciliation **Holy Day Masses**

Saturday 3:30pm-4:00pm (see below)

Diocesan Holy Hour

1st Friday 10:00am (Oct-May) & 9am (June-Sept)

Please Note: Changes will be listed below.

June	16	Rosary 1/2 hour before all Masses	
	17	6:30pm	Welcome Committee Meeting
	18	6:00am	Connect- Men's Group
	18	5:30pm	Silent Auction Prep meeting
	18	6:30pm	Knights of Columbus meeting
	19	6:30pm	Youth Group

20 9:00am Prayer Shawl Ministry 20 6:30pm **Finance Council Meeting**

21 9:00am POP Playdate

22 9:00am Christian Mommy Group 22 5:30pm Men's Retreat Meeting 24 6:00pm **Care Ministry Meeting** 25 6:00am Connect- Men's Group 25 5:30pm Silent Auction Prep Meeting

25 6:00pm Young Adult Outing

Community Breakfast at the Café: 26 8:00am

-All are welcome- offsite

26 6:00pm Adult Faith Formation Curriculum

Meeting

26 6:30pm Parish Council Meeting

Readings for the week of June 16, 2024

Sunday: Ez 17:22-24/Ps 92:2-3, 13-14, 15-16 (see 2a)/

2 Cor 5:6-10/Mk 4:26-34

Monday: 1 Kgs 21:1-16/Ps 5:2-3ab, 4b-6a, 6b-7/Mt 5:38-42 Tuesday: 1 Kgs 21:17-29/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 11 and 16/Mt 5:43-48 Wednesday: 2 Kgs 2:1, 6-14/Ps 31:20, 21, 24/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18 Thursday: Sir 48:1-14/Ps 97:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7/Mt 6:7-15 Friday: 2 Kgs 11:1-4, 9-18, 20/Ps 132:11, 12, 13-14, 17-18/

Mt 6:19-23

Saturday: 2 Chr 24:17-25/Ps 89:4-5, 29-30, 31-32, 33-34/

Mt 6:24-34

Next Sunday: Jb 38:1, 8-11/Ps 107:23-24, 25-26, 28-29, 30-31

(1b)/2 Cor 5:14-17/Mk 4:35-41

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WEEKLY FINANCIAL REPORT

Prince of Peace Parish

Parish Support

June 1 - June 7, 2024

Description	Amount	
Envelopes	\$	10,695.00
Direct Deposits	\$	11,224.00
Faith Direct	\$	-
Loose Collection	\$	2,109.27
Estate & Trust Donations	\$	-
Picnic Donations	\$	408.00
Long Range Needs	\$	475.00
RE Tuition	\$	1,663.32
Investment Interest	\$	-
Miscellaneous	\$	2,477.00
TOTAL WEEKEND COLLECTION	\$	29,051.59
TOTAL BUDGETED	\$	22,221.00
YTD BUDGETED NEED	NEED \$ 1,088,829.00	
YTD ACTUAL COLLECTION	\$ 1,197,475.28	
Fiscal YTD Surplus/Deficit	\$	108,646.28
YTD ANNUAL NET PICNIC PROCEEDS	\$	106,804.66
FISCAL YTD SURPLUS/DEFICIT	\$	1,841.62

2025 Mass Intentions

Masses and candles for June of 2025 can now be booked in the office.

The Sanctuary Candle will burn June 16th - June 22nd in in memory of: Gregor Sabel, Bob & John Sandberg

The Marian Candle will burn June 16th - June 22nd in memory of: Regina Everard

The St. Michael Candle will burn June 16th - June 22nd in memory of: Ken Kravnik

The St. Joseph Candle will burn June 16th - June 22nd in memory of: Tom Duchaine & Leslie Tyynela

If you would like to schedule the Sanctuary Candle, Marian Candle, St. Michael Candle or St. Joseph Candle, please contact the Parish Office at 920-468-5718.



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IN SYMPATHY

We extend our sympathy to the family and friends of James Vander Loop.

Please keep James and his family in your prayers.



Sunday, August 11th
Needs Your Donations

Dinner or Service

date night out, car detailing, etc.



Basket of items

themes like kitchen, kids, party, etc.

Individual Items

quilts, blankets, tables, pictures, etc.



Homemade Craft

Gift Certificates



Tickets for an Event

Other items greatly appreciated

Questions or need someone to pick up your items? Contact POP Parish Office: 920-468-5718 Thank you.

Tera Jossart & Denise Baeten: Silent Auction Co-chairs



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Parents wishing to initiate their children into the Catholic Christian faith through the waters of Baptism need to attend the Baptism Preparation Class.

Both parents are required to attend the class and the godparents (sponsors) are strongly encouraged to attend. This class can be taken prior to the child being born. There are church requirements to be a valid godparent and this class will help explain those requirements.

THE NEXT CLASS WILL BE ON TUESDAY, JULY 2, 2024 AT PRINCE OF PEACE CHURCH AT 6:30 PM.

CALL THE PARISH OFFICE TO REGISTER FOR THE CLASS AT 920-468-5718 BY NOON THURSDAY, JUNE 27TH.



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June 16 is Father's Day!

Pick up a gift card at the \$CRIP table today!

JUNE/JULY SUMMER CONTEST Do you feel lucky?

If you buy \$200 of SCRIP/Raise Right cards, Your name will be placed in a "hat."
On **June 17**, a name will be drawn, **the hat emptied** and the winner receives a \$50 gift card of their choice.

NOTE: This process will be repeated for July 1st,
July 15th, and July 29th drawings.
4 Chances to win!!!

\$CRIP SALE HOURS IN THE PARISH OFFICE

M -10 am-noon; W -8:30-11 am; F - 8:30 am-noon.

Also, after/between weekend Masses in the Gathering Space and ${\color{red} {\bf ANYTIME}}$ online with a Raise Right account.

Volunteers: June 22 - 23

Saturday 4:30 pm – Jim & Wendy Allen Sunday Between 8 & 10 am Masses – Jeff & Joan Huntoon 6:00 pm – Barb Rueckl & Laurie Lucero

Next Scrip order dates: June 17 & July 1

Rebate profit for May, 2024 was \$888.33

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FAITH THAT WORKS

Congratulate the award winner!

On Mission announces the continuation of the 11th Annual "Faith That Works" Awards. The 2024 awards will be presented to one individual who will be featured in each of its six editions. Award winners are people who have influenced the workplace through business practices that reflect the teachings of Jesus Christ and his church and who share of themselves in their parishes and/or communities.

Scan the QR code, go to onmiss.io/FaithThatWorks or click here to nominate someone for the 2025 awards.



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Frain the young in the way they should go; even when old, they will not swerve from it." -- Proverbs 22:6

WAYS TO SHARE THE FAITH WITH YOUR FAMILY DURING THE SUMMER - PART 1

Today, let's focus on how to help your family grow spiritually. At your child's Baptism you promised to raise them in the faith. How's this going? Some people say it's harder in summer with the children out of school and vacations. However, others think summer lends itself to many new and different ways to grow spiritually. Weekly Mass of course is #1. Prince of Peace offers a 6PM Mass on Sundays which is especially nice for those who travel up north on the weekends or like to sleep in. There are so many other things you can do as parents to help your family with their spiritual growth. According to Dr. Lisa Miller, Professor at Teachers College, Columbia University, practicing spiritual parenting doesn't have to be hard. Integrating spiritual teaching along with guiding your child in learning values and respect for others is fairly easy to do. Here are some examples of how to integrate spirituality into family life this summer:

- 1.) Pick a family bible verse. Make it your family motto and put it in a place where everyone sees it. Touch base each week to find how the verse has impacted your lives. Example: "I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me." Philippians 4:13. There are many more verses. If you need some, just email.
- 2.) Go on a "nature walk." Explain that the things you find are beautifully made by God. Praise God for what you see, hear, and smell. Take pictures and make a file called "I see God in nature.
- 3.) Use the light of a bonfire, candle, the sun, or moon to make connections to Jesus as our Light and Light of the World.
- 4.) Remind your child that good manners apply to their conversations with God, too. Teach your child that prayers before meals or bed can be a way to say "please" and "thank you" to God. Thank God each day for something or someone different. Write it in a journal or put them in a gratitude jar.
- 5.) Create a family prayer chart/calendar. Post this in a shared place. Pray for each other, relatives, friends, or special needs each day. Schedule time each week to update the chart and celebrate God at work.
- 6.) Same as 5, but create a family calendar with a "Word of the Day" such as faith, hope, mercy, justice, perseverance, self-control, peace, patience, humility, gratitude, courage...
- 7.) Together, make a visit to an elderly relative, neighbor, or friend. Help out if you can. Teach your child that God is smiling on the loving attention given to this special person.

To be continued... Watch for Part 2 - More summer family faith building ideas in next weekend's bulletin!



Join us on June 19th for a Kickball Tournament with St. Bernard's beginning at 6:30 PM at St. Bernard's.

Did you register for Religious Education yet?

To register students entering 1st through 11th grade (Confirmation), simply scan the QR code which will take you directly to our Faith Direct registration site.



Upcoming Gospel Time Topics (10:00 Mass)

Children ages 3 and up may attend. No registration required.

June 23 - 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Lord of Wind and Sea

June 30 - 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jesus Gives New Life



A Reflection on Today's Readings

Many years ago I had a dream of turning a portion of a field into a forest. Money was tight, so I decided to plant oak trees from seed. I had three 18-yard semis of shredded bark delivered to my home and my son and two of his friends spent the entire summer spreading the mulch with wheelbarrows. I hope some day they can forgive me!

Once the bark broke down and created rich soil, I planted the acorns with dreams of majestic oak trees. The problem was, I was impatient and lacked faith in the process; every few weeks I pulled up some of the seedlings to see how they were doing. Planting a tree from seed takes time-lots of time. And while growth often appears on the surface, it first occurs underground, in the dark, beginning with a strong taproot. In pulling up the seedlings and replanting them, I was only inhibiting their growth.

Today's readings illustrate these life lessons. In the first reading, the prophet Ezekiel describes a shoot taken from the large cedar that grows into a majestic tree. The tree is planted and sustained by God, and with God's care it becomes strong. The mustard seed in Mark's gospel requires the same kind of care and patience. Our journeys unfold in much the same way: growth happens gradually. It begins with a strong foundation rooted in God and with the kind of faith that Paul talks about in his letter to the Corinthians.

As for those trees planted many years ago, they are now beautiful oak trees, tall and strong. They got that way—not because of an impatient gardener—but by the God who created them and sustains them.

-Kathie Tilot is a spiritual director and member of Prince of Peace.

PRAYER NETWORK

For prayer requests please call:

Rita Boucher: 920-468-7060 **Judy Burkel:** 920-615-7810



We can use e-mail or direct phone calls to carry out the message. Anyone interested in being a member of the Prayer Network either by phone or e-mail, please contact one of the leaders. Looking to update all e-mail addresses for the members of the Prayer Network. PLEASE e-mail updates to Judy Burkel at judyburkel@sbcglobal.net

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VBS THIS SUMMER!

Where: Prince of Peace When: July 22-26, 9 am - Noon Who: Kids entering K - 6th Grade

Cost: \$35 per child Cost includes T-Shirt, Activities & Snacks



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Volunteers Needed: Kids entering 7-12th grade & adults



To register, scan the QR Code or go to our parish website at popgb.org



NEW

We have an after hours drop box in the welcome area by the main office.



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