

Our Lady Queen of the Apostles



Rev. Fr. Andy Rudnicki, Pastor

Rev. Laurent Assenga ALCOP, Parochial Vicar

Rev. Brian Campbell, Parochial Vicar

PARISH DIRECTORY AND STAFF

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Deacon Luis Castellanos

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Parish Maintenance Director	Mr. Jerry Danus
Parish Maintenance	Mr. Tom Schmidt
	Mr. Ryan Winters
	Mrs. Danielle Hall
Youth Ministry	

Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil	4:30 PM
	6:00 PM (Spanish)
Sunday	8:00 AM, 9:45 AM, 11:30 AM
	6:00 PM LIFE TEEN Mass
Weekday Masses	8:00 AM (Monday-Saturday)
Friday	12 Noon (September-May)
Holy Days	8:00 AM, 12 Noon, 7:30 PM
Saturday Confession	2:30 - 3:30 PM

Our Lady Queen of Peace Cemetery 793-0711

Week Four Mantra:

*God is mercy within mercy
within mercy. -
Thomas Merton.*

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

SATURDAY

4:30 PM

6:00 PM

SUNDAY

8:00 AM

9:45 AM

11:30 AM

6:00 PM

MONDAY

8:00 AM

TUESDAY

8:00 AM

WEDNESDAY

8:00 AM

6:00 PM

THURSDAY

8:00 AM

FRIDAY

8:00 AM

12:00 PM

SATURDAY

8:00 AM

4:30 PM

6:00 PM

SUNDAY

8:00 AM

9:45 AM

11:30 AM

6:00 PM

MARCH 5

+ Dominick Dragone

by his Wife & Family

+ Nilda Rodriguez

by José Amat y familia

MARCH 6

+ Jonathan Kennedy

by the Figurella Family

+ For Our Parishioners

+ Joseph Martin

by Kathy, Angela & Josh Martin

+ Joseph Doddo

by Michael Doddo

MARCH 7

+ Antonette Iannuzzi

by Florence Girsch

MARCH 8

Intentions of Eileen Verrier

by Liam & Monica Cody

MARCH 9

+ Patricia DeFeo

by your friends at Sandpiper

+ Bill Biagioni

by Margaret & Silvo Giovanetto

MARCH 10

+ Aida Ruiz

by Richard Thomas &

Family

MARCH 11

+ Patrick Richmond Franklin

by the Ham Family

Multiple Intentions

MARCH 12

+ Grace McGinley

by members of

St. Vincent dePaul

+ Robert & Natalie Knapp

by the Family

+ Teresa Jimenez y

Ananior Jimenez

by Amanda y Delio Cervera

MARCH 13

+ Roger Colangelo

by his Family

+ Giuseppe & Francesca

Alessandria

by Nick & Mary Alessandria

+ For Our Parishioners

+ Conrad Lemke

by the Winters Family

STEWARDSHIP...TIME, TALENT AND TREASURE



There's a lot of excitement surrounding the reformation of our Welcome and Greeter Ministries and we are busy developing these ministries into meaningful and special ministries of our great parish. Our Greeter will welcome you weekend Masses and assist you with any questions you may have. Our Welcome Ministry will visit our new parishioners and guide them through the workings of our parish through their first anniversary as parishioners! May people come to us for various reasons.....maybe you moved or just got married or many other different scenarios. We want to be there and make your transition simpler and we also want to familiarize you to all the things our parish offers and also to assist you in deciding how you want to get involved and share your Time and Talent with our parish. They can also guide you on the many ways to support your parish financially and share with you the growing number of resources we have to communicate and stay current on what's happening in our parish.

As you can probably see there is a lot of work to make this happen. The great part is that the more people we can get involved, the easier a task and the less work each of us have to make this not just happen but to be great! We have our 2nd formation meeting on Wednesday March 9th in the Luke/John Classroom at 7:30. Please feel free to attend even if you want to get information or have something you want to share. This can only be successful if we work together and get many people to volunteer. Remember welcoming our brothers and sisters to Mass and to our parish is very special and who doesn't want to assist us in making our new and existing parishioners, (and our guests of course) feel welcome? Please join us and help us make these ministries GREAT!



FESTIVAL NEWS!

Planning for our Fall Festival is in full swing. Please mark your calendars for the 2nd weekend of November. We are looking to build a sales team to sell sponsorships for our festival. This is a great opportunity for local vendors to

advertise to our parishioners as well as a great source of income for the parish. If you are a sales professional and would consider chairing or joining this volunteer team please call the parish office..

We've Been Called!

If you haven't had your chance to record your gift and what God has called you to service for in our video clip and would like to, please call the office to schedule time to come in and get that done!

2016 Diocesan Services Appeal

Thank You - Gifts of Treasure

2016 DSA Commitment	\$180,000
Pledges and Gifts:	\$63,536
Balance:	\$116,446
Donors:	180

February 28	Offertory	Online Giving	Total
Offertory	\$16172	\$2,715	18,887
Diocesan Retired Priests	\$3413	-	\$3413
St. Vincent de Paul	\$160	-	\$160
Attendance		Please Consider Online Giving	

"We've Been Called"

Parish Events Calendar

March 5

Saturday

March 6

Baptism Ceremony 12:30 PM

Blood Mobile 8:30 AM

Life Teen Band Rehearsal 5:00 PM

March 7

Monday

March 8

Baby Clothes/Sewing Ministry Mtg. 1:00 PM

Bereavement Group 6:30 PM

11:30 Choir Practice 7:30 PM

March 9

6:00 PM Mass

9:45 AM Choir Practice 7:30 PM

March 10

Divine Mercy Prayer Group 8:30 AM

Rosary Makers 1:00 PM

Bible Study 7:00 PM

Spanish Prayer Group 7:00 PM

March 11

Fish Fry 5-7 PM

Children's Choir Practice 5:30 PM

March 12

Saturday

March 13

Life Teen Band Rehearsal 5:00 PM

March 14

Monday

March 15

Baby Clothes/Sewing Ministry Mtg. 1:00 PM

Spanish Christian Formation 7:15 PM

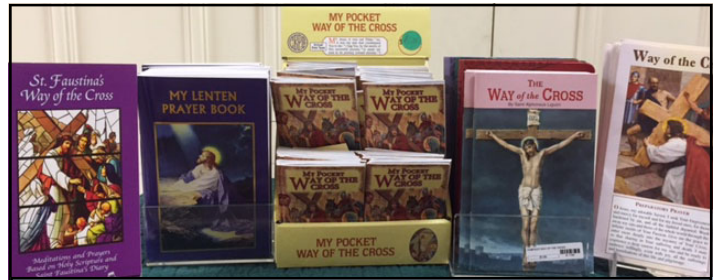
11:30 Choir Practice 7:30 PM

Have you recently lost a loved one

Somewhere there is a field
of lovely Forget Me Nots,
Delicate blooms for lives lost too soon,
Echoing *Forget Me Not*.



Please join us for an evening of
understanding. We meet twice a month
on Tuesday evenings at 6:30 PM.
Bereavement Group will not meet again
until March 8 and 22.



Gift Shop

Children's books. Baby gifts, Jewelry - we
have it all - so convenient.
First Communion is coming - don't wait for
the last minute - don't be disappointed -
make your selections early.



Adoration

Hours for Adoration are
Monday through Friday
7 AM - 7 PM and

Saturday

7 AM - 4 PM.

We pray the Divine Mercy
Chaplet at 3:00 PM.

**Adoration is closed
when the office is closed.**

SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION

Baptisms: Baptisms are celebrated twice
each month. You need to come into the parish
office to register for class. Ideally, preparation
should begin during pregnancy. No confirmed
dates are given before approval by the priest. In
order to avoid disappointments, do not book
travel plans with family, godparents, etc., until
a confirmed date has been assigned at the
conclusion of all stages of preparation. Parents
needing annulments of marriages, or those not
married, or those not married in the Church,
will be assisted in addressing those issues
before receiving a Baptismal date.

Marriages: You must be a registered and a
supporting member of the parish for at least six
months prior to your marriage. The date should
not be set until a priest has been consulted.

Sick and Homebound: Please call the parish
office to inform us of anyone hospitalized,
homebound, or in need of the Sacraments.

PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM NEWS (PREP)

March Calendar



PREP CLASSES:

Sunday: March 6, 13
Monday: March 7, 14
Tuesday: March 8, 15
Wednesday: March 9, 16

During class times during Lent, students will be going to Confession (except Sundays) and attending Stations of the Cross.

First Communion Class (Grades 4 - 8)

Sunday: March 6, 13
 8:15 - 10:45 AM (incl. 9:45 Mass)

RCIA:

Tuesdays: March 8, 15, 22, 29
 Second Scrutiny: Sun., March 6; 6 PM Mass
 Third Scrutiny: Sun., March 13; 9:45 Mass
 Sacrament of Reconciliation: Monday, March 14; 7 PM
 Easter Vigil Rehearsal: Sat., March 19; 9 AM



Please pray for those in the RCIA as they undergo the Second, and Third Scrutinies during the week-end Masses. These Scrutinies are for soul searching, repentance, and healing, for all present, not just these Elect and Candidates.

The purpose of the Scrutinies is to uncover what is weak, defective, sinful; and to bring out and strengthen what is upright, strong and good. These are the final steps before the Easter Vigil, when they will be fully initiated into the Catholic Church.

Final Mandatory

First Communion Meeting

For Parents Only (no children, please).

Wednesday, March 30; 7 PM.

Celebration Hall



*Kevin Accorto
 Jacqueline LaPlatte
 Jason Stepp
 Richard Viel
 Jason LaPlatte
 Christopher Stevens*

*Santalise Calixte
 Sabrina Rodriguez
 Tommy Thomas
 Nancy Cruz
 Jonathan Sanchez
 Justin Allie*

LENT

During Lent, the Church calls us to the following:

- 1) *An increase in our prayer life*
- 2) *Fasting (or giving something up)*
- 3) *Almsgiving (looking after those in need)*

(How are you doing so far?)



OPERATION RICE BOWL

One of the things we are called to do during Lent, is to **give alms**. One way this is accomplished is through the use of the rice bowl given to each child. Please encourage your child (ren) to participate fully in Operation Rice Bowl. Family participation is an even better way for the whole family to experience almsgiving during Lent.

1. *Keep the rice bowls at home until after Easter.*
2. *Return the money only, not the rice bowls.*
3. *Make checks payable to OLQA ("Rice Bowl" in memo).*

LENT

It is a season of penance, reflection, and fasting which prepares us for Christ's Resurrection on Easter Sunday, through which we attain redemption.

Stations of the Cross

Every Friday during Lent at 7:30 PM we will have the Stations of the Cross. The Stations will be outside (weather permitting) except on Good Friday when they are in Celebration Hall. Family Life has a 12:30 Stations of the Cross on Good Friday for families.

Bible Study

Fr. Brian Campbell "Studies in the Scriptures" has resumed his teachings on Thursday evenings from 7- 8:30 pm in Celebration Hall. Studies in the Scriptures is provided to all parishioners, free of charge. Come and join us to discover the life changing message of God's Word for you and me. Don't be afraid to bring some tasty treats to share.



Daily Mass during Lent

We will be offering the daily Mass on Wednesday evenings during Lent at **6:00 PM**. Please plan to join us. We hope this will give everyone an opportunity to come to daily Mass at least once a week during Lent.

RECONCILIATION

**Our Penance Service will be on
Monday, March 14
4:00 - 5:00 PM
and
7:00 - 8:30 PM**

Also available on Saturdays 2:30 - 3:30 PM in Confessionals by Adoration Chapel

What should I do with my old palms?



We will dispose of last years palms for you. Just bring them to church and place them in the box at the back of church.

Remember these are blessed and need to be disposed of properly. They need to be either burned or buried.

HAVE YOU DOWNLOADED OUR PARISH APP?

Our new Our Lady Queen of the Apostles app is up and running and available to download for iPhone and Android smart phones. Stay connected with our parish throughout the week with instant notifications, an easy-to-access event calendar, and the ability to quickly reply to or share messages via Facebook or Twitter. Also enjoy a bunch of additional features like prayers, daily readings, helpful reminders to silence your phone before Mass or Confession, and much more.

Download our app today at myparishapp.com or search your phone's app store for myparish.



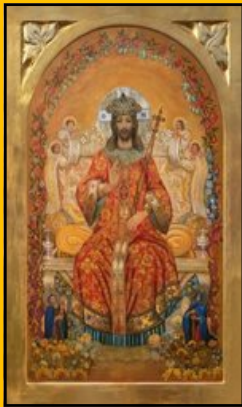
The Ladies Queens of Talents

We meet every Tuesday in Festival Hall at 1 PM. Ladies of the parish, if you are interested in sewing, crocheting or knitting, please come join us. It is lots of fun and we serve coffee and dessert. We also make Angel Beds (baby caskets) we line it with beautiful fabric. We need sewers, crotcheters, and knitters. Please call Angela Di Leonardo at (561) 791-2914 if you have any questions. We appreciate any donations. Thank you.



LONG SLEEVE RELIEF DRIVE

The Florida Catholic is sponsoring its Annual Long Sleeve Shirt Relief Drive to aid Florida's farmworkers from the sun, bugs & pesticides. OLQA's Council of Catholic Women is helping out with the collection. Between now and Easter (March 27), please drop off clean, gently used or new long sleeve men's & women's shirts to the Gift Shop. After Easter, the shirts will be delivered to St. Mary's in Pahokee where they'll be distributed to area farmworkers.



Please come and join Our Lord's
Rescue Mission:

*Lay Apostles of
Jesus Christ
the Returning King*

Thursday, March 17
at 6:00-7:00 PM
in the Mark room.

Directionforourtimes.org

Knights of Columbus Annual Easter Egg Hunt



**Under the Pavilion at 9:00AM
on March 19, 2015.**

Blood Drive

You're
Invited...



Knights of Columbus
#12376

Sunday, March 6,
2016

8:30 AM - 1:00 PM
in the church parking
lot. All

donors will
receive a **free**
T-shirt!



Knights of Columbus

If you're interested in helping those in need, serving your parish, growing in your faith or having an exclusive access to top-rated insurance protection for your family, then the Knights of Columbus is the organization for you.

Our Lady Queen of the Apostles Council 12376 will conduct a membership drive after each Mass on March 5th and 6th. Please consider joining us. For more information visit www.kofc12376.org.

Best of France Pilgrimage

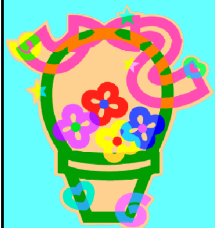
Join Fr. Tom Barrett, Rector of the Cathedral of St. Ignatius on a pilgrimage visiting the Best of France! We will visit places of religious, secular, and historical significance such as, Nice, Monte Carlo, Lyon, Chateaux Country, Mont. St. Michel, Normandy, Caen & Paris. The tour is from Nov. 9-19, 2016 and the price is \$3,399. per person including Air. For a brochure or more information, please call Fr. Barrett at the Cathedral at (561) 622-2565.



2016 Jubilee Year Pilgrimage to Italy Deadline to sign up is March 30th

Hosted by Fr. Brian Campbell and
Nawas International Travel

November 9-19, 2016
Rome-Assisi-Florence-Pompeii-Amalfi
Coast-Monte Cassino
Contact: Fr. Campbell @ 561-798-5661
Email: fatherbc@gmail.com



Purchase your "That's Italian" Gift Basket raffle tickets in the Gift Shop or at the Fish Fry's. The items in the basket are valued at \$200! Buona fortuna, (good luck)!



Our Cruise Special Pricing

5 Night Western Caribbean RCCL Indpnce of the Seas 4-4-16 \$529.88
7 Night Western Caribbean NCL Getaway (New Ship) 6-26-16 \$1141.32
7 Night Eastern Caribbean NCL Escape (New Ship) 10-8-16 \$ 818.64
7 Night Eastern Caribbean RCCL Allure of the Seas 10-9-16 \$781.14
15 Night Panama Canal Princess Island Princess 12-5-16 \$ 2144.00

15 Night Viking River Cruise 8-26-16 \$4236.50

Onboard Credits and Special Offers Maybe Applicable

All Prices are Per Person Double Occupancy

Cuba -Land Tours - People to People Experience

Cuba -Sea and Land Tours

Taste of China Tours

Multiple Dates Available

Details Jim Bezick 561-792-4197



Knights of Columbus present



DURING LENT

February 12, 19, 26 March 4,
11, 14, and 18
5:00 PM-7:00 PM

You will have a choice of one
entrée and a side:

1. Baked fish, fried fish, or shrimp
2. French fries or rice

Dinner includes:

cole slaw, a hush puppy, dessert,
soda and coffee.

Soup, beer, and wine sold separately.

Meals are: \$8.00 - adult
\$5.00 - child and \$22.00 - family

**You can eat here or take it to go.
Tickets sold at the door!**

17th Annual Knights of Columbus Golf Tournament



**Our Lady Queen of the
Apostles Council #12376**

Invites you to

**Village Golf & C.C.
On April 2nd at 1:30 p.m.**

**Registration & Putting contest
begins at 12:30 P.M.**

**Tournament will include:
Golf, Dinner, Prizes, Awards, Raffles,
Putting Contest, Hole in One
Contest & Many more fun activities**

Contact:

Robert Cataldo 914-420-4835

Marty Farraher 793-5527

Kevin Moore 793-2768

Cost \$90.00 Per Person

**Thank you for your generous
Support!
Robert Cataldo, Grand Knight**

**Please make checks payable to
Knights of Columbus # 12376
Send to: Joe Deithorn
102 Silverbell Crescent
Royal Palm Bch 33411**

Actividades de la Comunidad Hispana

3. Dar de beber al sediento

Al mirar el planeta Tierra desde el espacio es fácil ver las diferencias físicas que crea el agua dulce. Se observan las zonas en donde abunda el agua dulce, ya que son zonas verdes de intensa vegetación donde predomina la vida. Sin embargo, también se pueden observar zonas carentes de agua, en las cuales la sequedad devastata. Hoy muchos hombres sufren de sed en el mundo. Personas que no tienen al alcance alguna gota de agua con la que saciar su sed. Es verdad que se habla hoy en día también de la sed espiritual que muchos hombres llevan dentro, de la sed de sentido en la vida, pero esto no quita que se sufra también en varios lugares de nuestro planeta una fuerte sed física. El Papa Francisco, en la encíclica *Laudato Si'* habla sobre cómo la violencia en el corazón del hombre se manifiesta en los síntomas de contaminación del agua y que afecta su disponibilidad. Dar de beber al sediento implica un trabajo a largo plazo para permitir que futuras generaciones tengan agua para vivir, pero también es una oportunidad para dar de beber a Cristo hoy en aquel hombre o mujer que tiene sed.

Damas Católicas en Acción

Grace Torres 561-312-6528

La Escuela Diocesana de Formación Cristiana

Continúa sus clases en marzo

Curso: Moral Cristiana

marzo 1, 8, 15, 29; abril 5, 12

salón: Festival Hall

hora: 7:30 pm

“Ven, participa, fórmate, aprende a defender tu fe católica”

* Grupo de Oración Carismático, Reina de los Apóstoles:

Jueves 7:00 PM, Salón Mathew, Celebration Hall

Primer Jueves, 7:00 PM: Meditaciones con el Dr. Claudio Ruiz

Ultimo Jueves: Visita misionera, hogares de los feligreses

Informes: Haydee Yanes, 753-5305 Rocio Barrientos, 379-9986

* Visita misionera de la Santísima Virgen a su hogar.

Informes: 379-9986

Rezo del Rosario sábados a las 5:30 pm

(Cry Room antes de la Santa Misa)

Devoción al Sagrado Corazón de Jesús

(primeros viernes). Informes: Alsacia 792-7476