

Our Lady of the Lake Catholic Church

Fr. Tony O'Neill, Pastor

Pentecost Sunday

May 24th, 2015

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Mass Schedule

Weekends

Sat. 5:00pm

Sun. 8:30am & 10:30am

Weekdays

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

Tues. 9:15am (with OLL School)

Wed. - Fri. 8:00am (Small Chapel)

Confessions Saturdays 4:00-4:40pm
and first Wednesday of the month at 8:30am
(and by appointment).

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 Small Chapel on Tuesdays from 3:00-8:00pm and on First Fridays of the month after the morning Mass until midnight. Please join us for this rewarding experience!

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Church Office Hours

Mon. - Thurs. 8:30am - 5:00pm
(Closed Noon - 1:00pm)
Fri. 8:30am - Noon
Sat. 9:00am - Noon
Sun. 8:00am - Noon

School Office Hours

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



Calendar for the Week of May 24th, 2015

Monday - May 25th

9:00am Memorial Day Mass - OLL Cemetery

Tuesday - May 26th

3:00pm Eucharistic Adoration - Small Chapel
 7:00pm Parish Council Meeting - Fireside Room
 7:00pm Grace Family Center Building Meeting - Church Library
 7:30pm Grace Family Center Finance Meeting - Presentation Room

Wednesday - May 27th

6:30pm VBS Volunteer Meeting - Presentation Rm.
 6:45pm Adult Choir Rehearsal - Church

Thursday - May 28th

9:00am Communion Ministry at LMS - Joy
 6:30pm Parish Visitor Ministry Meeting - Presentation Room
 6:30pm OLL Preschool Graduation - Church
 7:00pm Incredible Festival Meeting - Fireside Rm.

Friday - May 29th

9:15am 8th Grade Graduation Mass - Church

Sunday - May 31st

10:30am Children's Liturgy of the Word - Church
 11:30am VBS Volunteer Meeting - Presentation Rm.
Calendar subject to change without notice.

Memorial Day Mass on Memorial Day, Monday, May 25th, will be at 9:00am at OLL Cemetery, located one mile north of the Church, at the corner of Game Farm Road & Commerce Blvd (County Road 110). *In the event of rain, Mass will be held in the Church.*

Please Note: Eucharistic Adoration has moved to the Small Chapel for the summer months.

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Thank you for your continued prayers for me during the last month before my ordination to the priesthood. I would like to take this opportunity to invite you to join me in the celebrations surrounding this wonderful event.

The ordination will take place on Saturday, May 30th, at 10:00am at the Cathedral of St. Paul.

I will then celebrate my Mass of Thanksgiving on Sunday, May 31st. This will be at the Church of St. Paul in Ham Lake. The Mass will be at 10:30am.

The following weekend, on Sunday, June 7th, I will celebrate Mass at 10:30am here at OLL.

On Sunday, June 14th, I will celebrate Mass at 10:00am at St. Nicholas in New Market.

--Deacon Peter Hughes



Save the Date!

Fr. Peter will celebrate a Mass of Thanksgiving here at OLL on **Sunday, June 7th, at 10:30am.**

Please join us after Mass for a reception for Fr. Peter in the Presentation Room!

Grace Family Center Information Meeting Tuesday, June 9th

If you are interested in the process and design of the Grace Family Center, please join us for an informational meeting on Tuesday, June 9th, at 7:00pm in the Presentation Room.



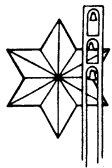
*Rosary Intention:
The Gifts of the Holy Spirit*



Effective Friday, June 5th, the Church Office will change to its summer hours - we will be closed all day on Fridays.

Mass Intentions for the Week beginning Monday, May 25th

Mon.	9:00am	Those Who Died Serving Our Country
Tues.	8:00am	Westonka Food Shelf
Wed.	8:00am	✠Marvin, ✠Lucille and ✠Ronnie Geyen
Thurs.	8:00am	✠Susan Lahey
Fri.	9:15am	OLL School
Sat.	5:00pm	✠Theresa & ✠Jerry Kohman
Sun.	8:30am 10:30am	✠Edwin Smith Parish



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Accompanied by the Holy Spirit

Sometimes it is difficult to get to know the Holy Spirit. We have ideas of what a father is to associate with God the Father, and Jesus came to earth and took a human body, but the Holy Spirit is not quite as simple to picture. Although it takes some work, we can and must have a relationship with the Holy Spirit. One way to increase our relationship with him is to reflect upon the titles and symbols that we have for the Holy Spirit. One title we see often is *Paraclete*.

In different parts of the Bible, *paraclete* is commonly translated as “advocate,” “counselor,” or “comforter.” We can take each of those terms and reflect on the Holy Spirit’s role in our lives as each of those things. An advocate is one who pleads our cause for us. A counselor helps us to make wise decisions. A comforter is there with us in times of sorrow. They are all different roles, but they all come from this same word, this same job of the Holy Spirit, *paraclete*.

There is not one simple word in English to sum up what it means to be a paraclete. The literal translation from the Greek word is, “he who is called to one’s side.” At different times in our lives we have different needs, but the Holy Spirit’s job is to be the one at our side in each of those seasons. When we pray, “Come, Holy Spirit,” we are asking for the one who has the power to provide for our needs, to be with us as a companion and helper. St. John Vianney, when reflecting upon that role, said:

The good God, in sending us the Holy Spirit, has treated us like a great king who should send his minister to guide one of his subjects, saying, ‘You will accompany this man everywhere, and you will bring him back to me safe and sound.’ How beautiful it is, my children, to be accompanied by the Holy Spirit!

It is indeed beautiful to be accompanied by the Holy Spirit in life. On this Pentecost Sunday, let us together grow in our ability to recognize the ways in which the Holy Spirit is truly present in our lives and in our parish.

--Theresa Zweber, Youth Minister



**Pastoral
Ministry**

Light for the Week: On this Feast of Pentecost, take time to reflect on how the Gifts of the Holy Spirit shine in your life: wisdom, understanding, counsel, fortitude, knowledge, piety and awe in God’s presence.

West Suburban Grief Coalition meets at Holy Name of Jesus Catholic Community, 155 County Road 24, Wayzata. 952-473-7901. The group meets Thursdays from 4:30-6:00pm. May 28th: Sharing Grief Story

This is a message for all those who are or would like to be on the **Prayer Chain at OLL**. As most prefer e-mails, we are simplifying the procedure for the phone prayer chain. Please leave a message if you wish to be added or removed and indicate if you prefer phone or e-mail. Thanks!
952-472-1284 ext. 168

Hospice volunteers are needed. Ridgeview Medical Center is seeking caring individuals in our community who would like to serve in this ministry. If you have the time and desire to serve, please contact Sharon Schreiner at 952-442-2191 or sharon.schreiner@ridgeviewmedical.org.

The next meeting for our Parish Visitor Ministry is Thursday, May 28th, at 6:30pm. Please mark your calendars.

Please review the names listed below. If you wish to add or remove someone, please call the Parish Office.

We pray for those in need. May the Lord comfort them in their time of sickness and bless those who care for them. Please keep the following individuals in your prayers:

Chris A., Alan Blackwell, Bob Blake, Bill & Joyce Blume, Tim Daly, David Filippi, Mark Fliss, Kathy Gnitka, Greg Howard, Rosina & F. John Jilek, Clarence & Connie Korbel, Bill & Sheila Link, Andra Olson, Bobby Reil, Adam Richardt, Monica Savage, Mike Schultz, Laura Sohns, Mike & Kim Sorensen, Laurie Ziebell, John Ziminske

We Pray for Those in the Military:

Brittany B., David B., Nicholas J., Benjamin M., Christopher P., Braden T., Darrell V., Noah V.

*We remember our beloved deceased,
Patricia Doyle.
May she rest in God's peace.*



Faith Formation



The registration deadline for Vacation Bible School is Monday, June 1st! Join us June 8th-12th for an exciting week of Bible stories, games, music, crafts & snacks. VBS is open to all children ages 4 to entering Grade 4. Registration forms are available in the Church Office & on our website. For more information, contact Kathy at 952-472-1284 ext. 147.

Attention all VBS Leaders! Plan on attending one of our Volunteer Meetings on Wednesday, May 27th, at 6:30pm or Sunday, May 31st, at 11:30am. We'll meet in the Presentation Room for a one-hour meeting as we discuss your responsibilities and preview the songs we'll be singing during our amazing week of VBS! Many thanks to all our incredible volunteers!

Register by June 1st for our "early-bird discount" deadline for Faith Formation Classes! Register soon for the best available tuition rate for the 2015-16 Faith Formation Classes beginning in September. For more information about our program, contact Kathy at khejna@oll.pvt.k12.mn.us.



All youth going into 5th Grade and above - join us after Vacation Bible School every day for some fun to kick-off the summer! We will start each day with lunch at noon, followed by activities until 2:30pm. Volunteering at the morning VBS is not required, but VBS volunteers are especially invited! Please wear comfortable clothes and bring your friends for one or all of the days, no need to register!

June 8th: Slip 'n Slide Kickball
 June 9th: Color War
 June 10th: Service Project

June 11th: Human Hungry Hippos
 June 12th: Bike to Big Stone Mini Golf**
 **Permission Slip Required

What's Happening Now? Understanding the Mass

The Sign of Peace. Following the "Our Father," the priest addresses Jesus and asks Him to grant us the same peace that He left to His apostles: Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you." (John 14:27) Again, He is referring to the peace that comes only from following the will of the Father, as Jesus did. This peace is the source of unity among all people, especially within the Church. The priest then addresses the people and states: "The peace of the Lord be with you always." These same words can be found in many of Paul's letters to the early churches. Our response to this is: "And with your spirit." This is now the fourth time that we make this request. And then the priest asks us to ... "offer each other the sign of peace." Normally, this is a shaking of hands with those around us. In the early church, it was a "holy kiss," as Paul exhorts the Christians in his letters. (Romans 16:16; 1 Cor. 16:20) This is meant as an expression of unity as we all come together to receive the Eucharist. **Think about:** Does receiving Holy Communion bring me closer to unity with others and to finding that inner peace from Christ?

Priest, Prophet, King by Fr. Robert Barron

Bible Study



In weeks 1 & 2, Fr. Barron talked about Jesus as the ultimate priest, fulfilling what was lacking in the priests of the Old Testament. In week 3, he will describe Christ's role as a "prophet." He uses the examples of the Old Testament prophets who followed God's will and won the battles. Classes are on Mondays at 6:30pm and Tuesdays at 1:30pm in the Church Library. (Please note: Classes will not be held on May 25th & 26th due to the Memorial Day holiday.)

DISCIPLESHIP ... FAITH IN ACTION

Stewardship Thought

"There are different kinds of spiritual gifts but the same Spirit; there are different forms of service but the same Lord; there are different workings but the same God who produces all of them in everyone." - 1 Corinthians 12:4-6

By giving each of us different gifts, God made sure that the Church would have the right combination of time, talent and treasure that was needed to do His work. However, if one of us does not utilize our gifts, God's plan goes unfulfilled and some important work is left undone.

Financial Stewardship

Collection totals for May 16th - 17th, 2015:

Envelopes	\$ 7,567
Plate	549
Electronic	440
Total	\$ 8,556
Weekly Budget	\$ 15,608
Fiscal YTD Actuals:	\$ 745,385
Fiscal YTD Budget:	\$ 717,968

Collection for Catholic Relief Services for victims of the Nepal earthquakes: \$1,712.81

Thank you for your generosity to Our Lady of the Lake!

Pastoral Council Nominations

One seat is available on Our Lady of the Lake's Parish Council at the end of this month. Our selection process is by "discernment" - prayerful consideration. We encourage parishioners to nominate someone with the qualities needed for serving in this capacity, such as honesty, integrity, enthusiasm, knowledge, diplomacy, competency & commitment. **Nomination forms for the Parish Council seat are available at Mass this weekend.** Please feel free to nominate yourself or anyone you feel would be a good candidate. Forms can be dropped into the collection basket or returned directly to the Church Office by Monday, May 25th. Thank you.

Mark your calendars!!

September 11th, 12th & 13th, 2015

Our Lady of the Lake's 36th Annual Incredible Festival

The Silent Auction Needs You!

Memorial Weekend and Summer is when a lot of retailers have Crazy Days Sales and drastically marked down prices on great items! Please keep the Incredible Festival Silent Auction in mind when you come across those awesome deals! It is a perfect time to pick up some great items to donate. The Silent Auction is always on the lookout for big ticket items like cars, boats, 4-wheelers, campers, and more! Thank you!

Help Wanted!

We are always looking for individuals to help make the Incredible Festival fun and successful! Do you enjoy cooking? Do you like games? Would you like to learn more about barley and hops? Great! We are always looking for people to work at one of our many food venues, call bingo, or serve in the beer tent! If you would like to volunteer, please call the Church Office at 952-472-1284 ext. 162. Thank you!

Our Lady of the Lake
Catholic Church



Where Old Friends meet...
And New Friends become acquainted



Council of Catholic Women

St. Veronica's Guild will have their Spring Meeting with a potluck lunch at Judy Gauvin's house on Monday, June 1st, at noon. RSVP to Judy Gauvin at 952-472-4760 or Barb Thibault at 952-474-7862.



WELCOME to our **new parishioners** who recently joined our parish community!

- Benjamin & Rebecca Hannay
- Thomas & Emily Labuz
- Stan & Rose Leger
- Joe & Angela Niece & Family
- Chad & Dana Olson & Family
- Gary & Ellen Peterson
- John & Molly Williams & Family

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.

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- PennyWise Shop** 952-472-1284 ext. 182
PennyWise is Closed for the Summer
 - Westonka Food Shelf** 952-472-5599
 - WeCAN** (Western Communities Action Network) 952-472-0742