

**April 21, 2024
Fourth Sunday of Easter**

Mary Our Lady of Peace Church

Pastor Father Tony Ego 309-581-2923
Option 1
Deacon Tom Gainey 309-945-7065
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Option 2

Mass Intentions for Mary, Our Lady of Peace

Saturday April 20th
5:30pm James Dobbels *by Dcn. Tom Gainey*

Sunday April 21st **Fourth Sunday of Easter**
8:30am Mark Sottos *by The Family*

Tuesday April 23rd
8:00am Ray Newman *by Kathy Roegiers*

Thursday April 25th
8:00 am Raymond Redecker *by Patricia Redecker*

Saturday April 27th **Confirmation**
5:30pm For our Confirmands

Sunday April 28th **Fifth Sunday of Easter**
8:30am Mary Green *by Chuck & Beth Franks*

Adoration Thursdays 8:30am-12:30pm

Reconciliation: Sunday morning 7:45am-8:15am, Saturday after 5:30pm Mass or by appointment

Mass Intentions for St. Maria Goretti

Saturday April 20th
4:00pm Stacie Ringier *by Steve & Val Frels*

Sunday April 21st **Fourth Sunday of Easter**
10:00am Rowena Vincent *by Judy Skutt*

Wednesday April 24th
9:00am Mary Jane Kearns

Friday April 25th
9:00am John McAlister *by Jerry & Marge Maddox*

Saturday April 27th
4:00pm Dale Shake *by John & Sheila Meade*

Sunday April 28th **Fifth Sunday of Easter**
10:00am Jerry O'Keefe *by Fred & Lois Decoster*

Reconciliation Saturdays 3-3:30pm or by appointment

Our Parish Prayer List

For those who need healing from,

Mary, Our Lady of Peace...

Brian Carlson, Pat Dzekunskas, Jim Hamerlinck, Owen Hink, Alice Isaacson, Janet Jacobson, Debbie Jones, Ryan Jones, Gabe Laleman, Ava Lawson, Chris Meiersonne, Jan Oliver, and Tom Schulenberg

For Those in need of healing at St. Maria Goretti...

Sr. JT McNulty, Dave & Sandy Bledsoe, Patrick Bredeck, Donna Davis, Fred DeCoster, Gwen Escajeda, Lorraine Gengler, Dave Gorge, Velda Grief, Sarah Hallas, Bill Jacobs, Lee Kimball, Dale Langel, John McAlister, Kathy McOmber, Flip Shemek, Carolyn Slavish, Maureen St. Clair.

For others who have asked...

Roger Crew, Cheryl Dzekunskas, Vic Dzekunskas, Eileen, Mark Forest, Julie Greenwood, Mike Greenwood, Melissa Haynes, Lindsey, Martin, Julio Martinez, Donna McAre, Ricky McSwain, Geraldine Morgan, Mary Schnerre, Patty Schnerre, Tom Seabloom, Kaleb Sovey, Special Lady, Pat Sullivan

Pray for those in Nursing Homes or Homebound

Yvonne Sherlock, (Hope Creek), Donna Frels, Jan & Richard Siebert, Jean Teerlinck.

Please call Judy Olson @ 309.521.8456 with your requests for the prayer line.

If someone is doing better and can be taken off the prayer list, please call Judy or the parish office.

If you or a family member are hospitalized, please contact Fr. Tony or the Parish office, so Fr. Tony can visit.

Homebound?

Are you or someone you know Homebound? If you would like communion, contact Father Tony to make arrangements for a home visit.

CONGRATULATIONS

On the anniversary of your ordination

Father Tony May 25, 1985

Deacon Tom Gainey May 19, 2012

Upcoming

- **Saturday, April 27th 5:30pm Confirmation**
- **Saturday, May 4th 5:30pm First Communion**

Orion Community VBS

June 24-28 9 am –noon

At Mary, Our Lady of Peace for children age 4 by September 1st, through those entering 6th grade in the fall.

Registration forms are on the table in the gathering space. Pre-registration is required. \$5/child by May 31, \$10/child from June 1-17th.

If you have questions, contact Amanda Miller @309-714-0993 or Autumn Manning @309-738-6515

Meal Ministry

We are going to start a meal ministry. If you would like to help prepare a meal for someone in need call or text Nancy Hamerlinck at 309-314-5065. You can also email Nancy Hamerlinck at hamernancy@gmail.com or contact the parish office.

Graduating Senior Mass

We will be contacting graduating seniors from last year to help provide food for the brunch and help server after the graduating senior Mass on May 12th. Contact the office if you can help with this.

April Schedule for Lectors and Ushers

Reader

Saturday 5:30pm Rachel/Kris Bowers

Sunday 8:30am Robin Heiar

Confirmation April 27th (no reader needed)

Ushers

Saturday 5:30pm

Kris Bowers

Jim Modglin

Will Bowers

Jeff DePorter

Sunday 8:30am

Steve Jones

Dan Mount

Dan Heiar

Jon Maciolek

Altar Servers

Sat. April 20th 5:30pm Jaxon Ferry & Colton Miller

Sun. April 21st 8:30am Connor Bennett & Leo Nedved

Eucharistic Ministers

5:30pm Jim Modglin Pat Modglin

8:30am Delores Laleman Tim Moen

Counters for April

Robin & Dan Heiar



May the Saints intercede for us

Our Lady of Fatima, pray for us

Mary, Our Lady of Peace, pray for us

St. Maria Goretti, pray for us

St. George, pray for us

St. Adolbert, pray for us

St. Fidelis, pray for us

St. Mark, pray for us

Venerable Archbishop Fulton Sheen, pray for us

St. Joseph Meal Site

Starting in March of 2024 we will be providing and serving the meal for St. Joseph meal site in Rock Island, every other month. If you would like to donate towards the cost of these meals, just drop an envelope into the collection basket labeled St. Joseph or Meal Site. If you would like to volunteer to help serve or prepare a meal contact the Altar & Rosary Society or the church office.

Sunday Collection Report

	<u>ACTUAL</u>	<u>BUDGET</u>
April Sunday Collections	\$ 6,995	\$ 6,334
YTD Sunday Collections	\$ 125,650	\$ 120,334

Thank you to all who have mailed your donations. For the continued success of our Parish, please continue to do so.

You can now use the parish app to make donations!

From the app, select the Giving icon and follow instructions to donate. You may use a credit or debit card or use an ach from your bank account!

ADA

Pledged Our Goal \$23,155 \$30,221

ADA cards have been mailed by the diocese. If you have misplaced yours, there are extras on the table in the gathering space. A gift to ADA, no matter how great or small can go a long way. A pledge of \$10 or \$20 a month can add up. Even a one-time gift is helpful to the cause. Every dollar raised to make our goal supports important diocesan services and every dollar raised over our goal will be kept in the parish. Please consider a donation. Contributions can be made by check payable to the Catholic Diocese of Peoria, by a credit or debit card, by direct debit from checking or savings account or online at www.cdop.org/ada. Gifts of appreciated stock, grain, qualified charitable distributions (QCDs) or donor advised funds have special considerations and requirements. Contact 309-671-1550 for more information.

MARY, OUR LADY OF
PEACE
CATHOLIC CHURCH
1402 TENTH STREET
ORION, IL

SPRING LUNCHEON



MAY 1, 2024
11AM - 1PM

SALAD, SANDWICH, BEVERAGE & DESSERT
PRICE \$10 - PAY AT THE DOOR



Spring Luncheon

Altar & Rosary Society will have a spring luncheon on May 1st from 11am-1pm in the parish hall. Sign up sheets are on the table in the gathering space for salads, desserts, and help. Please sign up if you can help!

Women's Choice Center Hike for Life

Saturday, May 11th 2024—Veterans Memorial Park Bettendorf, Iowa
Hike is 2 miles long on a paved bike path. Choose your distance.
Check-in and Breakfast 8:30am
Super Hero Kid's Run 9:00am Hike Step Off 9:30am
Register online, and start collecting pledges!
<https://charity.pledgeit.org/hikeforlife>

Pictures Anyone?

If you would like to view the pictures taken at Masses or church events, please send a request for access in an email to:



molopchurchphotos@gmail.com

Nothing Bundt Cakes

Orion United Methodist Church in Orion is selling Bundtlets from Nothing Bundt Cakes. Cost is \$6 per Bundtlet. Chocolate Chocolate Chip, Confetti, Red Velvet, Classic Vanilla, Lemon, White Chocolate Raspberry. Orders are due by May 5th. Contact Sue DeDecker to order 309-781-9683

St. Malachy Church, Geneseo, will be holding a Totus Tuus Summer Program July 7-12 for students entering grades 1-12. Middle School and High School students will have a program in the evenings Sunday-Thursday from 6:30-8:15 pm, while Grades 1-6 will be Monday-Friday from 9 am -2:30 pm. Cost is \$40 per student and includes a t-shirt.

Registration is due by June 14 to guarantee a tshirt but registrations will be taken up until July 7. Registration forms can be found under the Youth Ministry/Totus Tuus page on the parish website. For more information contact Kimberly Souba at ksouba@stmalgeneseo.org.

Pet Blessing

Pastor Ann Champion from the Orion United Methodist Church will bless your well-behaved pets on a leash, in a cage or carrier, or simply shown by photo on Sunday, April 27th between 10:30am and noon, in Central Park. A special stuffed animal can also be part of the blessing! A snack and water will be provided for pet owners. In the event of rain the blessing will move to the picnic shelter. Storms or lightning will cancel the event.

OHS Syncopation &
OHS KnightSounds Jazz Band Present
An Evening of Jazz

Saturday, May 4 at 7pm, Orion High School
Tickets are being sold for \$25 per person until Wednesday, April 24th, which includes doorbuster raffle entry and an individual charcuterie box. The box will be filled with crackers, two different meat selections, cheese, fruits, vegetables with dip, cookies, and chocolates. Those who purchase tickets will enjoy an immersive experience, listening to the sweet jazz numbers performed by our highly acclaimed array of Jazz soloists and ensembles!
Doors open at 6 pm for amazing raffle baskets, silent auction items, and mocktails in the OHS Commons. Contact Melissa Cook at 309-737-5828 by Wednesday, April 24th to reserve tickets!

Parish Finance Report

March 31, 2024

Bank Balances	\$ 225,615
Investments (Restricted)	\$ 305,521
Other Assets	\$ 1,828
Total Assets	\$ 532,964
Liabilities	\$ 8,307
Net Assets	\$ 524,657

**Operating Fund Only
6 Months YTD Ending December 31, 2023**

	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Variance</u>	
Sunday Collections	\$ 118,655	\$114,000	\$ 4,655	Favorable
Other Income	\$ 15,309	\$ 17,600	\$ (2,291)	UnFavorable
Total Income	\$133,964	\$131,600	\$2,364	Favorable
Salary & Benefits	\$ 51,853	\$ 52,328	\$ 475	Favorable
Repairs & Maintenance	\$ 7,970	\$ 11,017	\$ 3,047	Favorable
Other Expenses	\$ 64,491	\$ 68,746	\$ 4,255	Favorable
Total Expenses	\$ 124,314	\$132,091	\$ 7,777	Favorable
Surplus Or Deficit	\$ 9,650	\$ (491)	\$10,141	Favorable

**Your child can attend a Catholic School
Financial Assistance Is Available**

Tuition assistance scholarship grants from the endowment fund established as a result of the Diocese of Peoria ROOTED IN FAITH Campaign and named in honor of Archbishop Spalding, the first Bishop of Peoria, will be available for the 2024-2025 school year for students enrolled in or intending to enroll in grades Kindergarten through 12 in any Catholic school located in the Diocese of Peoria whose families are active members of a Catholic parish in the diocese. All grants will be based on financial need objectively assessed. Information about the grants and application materials may be obtained from any Catholic elementary or secondary school in the Diocese of Peoria or on the Diocesan website www.cdop.org under Catholic Education and then under Financial Assistance. Consult the detailed protocols and procedures and checklist for all requirements necessary to be eligible for an award.
Parents must apply online at: online.factsmgt.com/aid. Families of students currently receiving grants are reminded that all grants are for one year only, and anyone seeking to renew a grant for the 2024-2025 school year must reapply.
Deadline date for the completed application is April 26, 2024. Notification of grant awards will be made in June of 2024.