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Mr. Norris Berry

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Mr. Clarence Quander

**Pastoral Council Co-Chair**

Ms. Brenda Johnson

***Worship***

**Holy Rosary**

30 minutes before Mass

**Saturday Vigil Mass**

4:00 pm

**Sunday Mass**

9:00 am

**Holy Days**

10:00 am

**Weekday Adoration & Mass**

Rectory Chapel

(Mon, Tues, Thur, Fri)

8:00 am/ 8:30 am

**Penance & Reconciliation**

**(Confession)**

**Saturdays**

3:15 – 4:00 pm

Also available by appointment

**Baptism & Weddings**

Contact the Parish Office

**Religious Education**

(202) 581-4986

CCD/Sunday School pre-school  
to grade 12

Adult Bible Sharing

September-May, 10:15 am

Sundays in the school

# OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE CATHOLIC CHURCH

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“BUILDING A FAITH FAMILY  
FOR FAMILIES OF FAITH”

Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time  
February 23, 2025



**DO TO OTHERS AS  
YOU WOULD HAVE  
THEM DO TO YOU**

## Mass Intentions

### Saturday, February 22

4:00 pm Religious Vocations

### Sunday, February 23

9:00 am OLQP Parishioners

### Monday, February 24

8:30 am OLQP Deceased

### Tuesday, February 25

8:30 am 2025 Jubilee: Pilgrims of Hope

### Thursday, February 27

8:30 am Sick and Homebound

### Friday, February 28

8:30 am OLQP Youth

## Pray for Parishioners

Thomasine Skerritt, Joyce D. Williams, George Freeman, Dwayne Eley, Sr. Laverne Ross, Steven Poyner, Denise Somerville, April Wright, Tyler Brody, Wendell & Loraine Harris, Vernon Wardrick, June Russ, John A. McNair, Jr., Grace Taylor-McNair, Carolyn Savoy, Robert & Darnelle Sneed, Lennette Gilliam, Nicole Stewart, Diane Miller, Adele Smith, Nancy Blackstone, Jeanette Catherine Cooper, Sandra Gilbert, Glenda Clarke, Linda Barnes, James Crawford, Josephine Campbell, Pat Brown, Barbara Jean Anderson, Leonard Washington, Margaret Ricks, Lucille Bailey, Sylvia Catlett, Charles & Lilly Brunswick, Joyce Gamble, Gramblin Family, Sass Family, Seldon Family, Gordon Family Caridad Jones, David & Brenda Goodwin, Agnes Briscoe-Jarrells, Robert & Shirley Jones, Cheryl Gilliam-Neal, Carolyn Thompson, Doris Seldon, Reggie Gramblin, Odessa Thomas, Jacquelyn Pace, Joan Davis, Sheila Vallot, Gloria Taylor, Euzele Powell, Betty Clarke, Jessie Bridgewater, The Powell Family, The Johnson Family, The Hawkins Family

## Scripture Readings

### For the Week of February 23, 2025

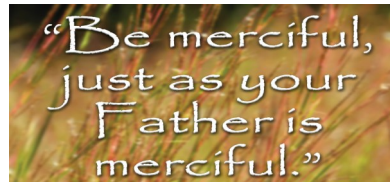
Sunday	Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time 1 Sam 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23; Ps 103; 1-2, 3-4, 8, 10, 12-13; 1 Cor 15:45-49; Lk 6:27-38
Monday	Sir 1:1-10; Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5; Mk 9:14-29
Tuesday	Sir 2:1-11; Ps 37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28, 39-40; Mk 9:30-37
Wednesday	Sir 4:11-19; Ps 119:165, 168, 171, 172, 174, 175; Mk 9:38-40
Thursday	Sir 5:1-8; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Mk 9:41-50
Friday	Sir 6:5-17; Ps 119:12, 16, 18, 27, 34, 35; Mk 10:1-12
Saturday	Sir 17:1-15; Ps 103:13-14, 15-16, 17-18; Mk 10:13-16
Sunday	Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time Sir 27:4-7; Ps 92:2-3, 13-14; 15-16; 1 Cor 15:54-58; Lk 6:39-45

## February 23, 2025: Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

“But rather, love your enemies and do good to them,  
and lend without expecting anything back...”  
- LUKE 6:35

Easier said than done, right? But, in Stewardship, we are to imitate Christ. Most of us need to practice mercy and compassion more frequently. Start with the little daily annoyances that we experience, the unkind word or hateful glance we receive. Instead of plotting revenge on that person, try saying a quick prayer for that person. Praying for our enemies doesn't change them, it changes us. Mercy and compassion will keep us on the path to holiness.





- ♦ **The Annual Catholic Services Appeal provides critical funding for more than 70 ministries active across The Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Washington. Your gift will have a broad and lasting impact for thousands in our local communities of faith.**
  - ♦ **Attention Sodalists, there will be a Sodality meeting March 2 after the 9am mass.**
  - ♦ **The Annual Rose Mass honoring healthcare professionals will be on Sunday, March 30, 2025, at 10:30 AM The mass will be at The Church of the Little Flower in Bethesda, Maryland. The Homilist will be Myles Sheehan, S.J., M.D.**
1. Join the **OLQP Rosary Ministry** each evening at 8:00 pm. Call the rosary line, at 605-562-8400, access code 5245910 and follow the instructions.
  2. OLQP Monthly Events Calendar: **Please submit your updates for the OLQP April calendar by Wednesday, March 19.**
  3. **For the weekend of 03/08 – 03/09 submit your requests for bulletin and pulpit announcements by Thursday, 02/27/2025** to Jan Johnson, [olqpdc@verizon.net](mailto:olqpdc@verizon.net), and Alexandria Robinson, [olqpdc.secretary@gmail.com](mailto:olqpdc.secretary@gmail.com).



## St. Vincent de Paul Ministry

### Non-Perishable Food Pantry

Anyone in need of non-perishable food items, please contact the parish office or stop by to pick up food. All are welcome.

**Note:** Please consider placing an advertisement or memoriam in our bulletin. For more information contact Adam Snyder, our Diocesan representative at 814-771-8628. -Thank you!



## SHARE Food Network

*Affordable Nutritious Groceries  
Every Month!*

**March 2025**

**March Payment Date:** 03/09/2025  
After 9am Mass in the Casa Cremona

**March Food Distribution:** 03/22/2025  
9:30-10:30 am in the Casa Cremona

**Contact:** Robin Jones (240) 350-1764 or  
Dianne Currie (301) 938-2255