

Please continue to pray for the sick of our Parish. To add someone to the prayer list, call Fr. Jim or email Mary Niagro at [mcniagro@gmail.com](mailto:mcniagro@gmail.com).

Sara Allen  
Kelly Bergholz  
Manfred Boewer  
Eileen Brennen  
Julie Byron  
Bowlie Carter  
Toni Capute  
Winnie Clark  
Lynn Dickerson  
Maggie Dinsmore  
Carol Donato  
Irene Dombrowski  
Islea Duncan  
Barbara Ekberg  
Angela Fitzgerald  
Michael Goad  
Rich Guild  
Kathleen Hamilton  
Jeanne Harper  
Roland Hayden

Gail Hebert  
George T. Hoag  
Ottie Huddleston  
Jeannine Iannaco  
Meja Irvin  
Virginia King  
Al Lecco  
Brian Low  
Margaret MacDiarmid  
Tuniesha McCoy  
Jerry Monahan  
Kathleen Moore  
Beverly Moyer  
Chris Moyer  
Ray Moyer  
Tim Murphy  
Patsy Notestein  
George Perry  
Isabel Perry

Gino Prioletti  
Nelson Sanchez  
Dolores Sanders  
Lynn Sanders  
John Seaquist  
Ray Servis  
Jane Sliwinski  
Margaret Smith  
Laylah Marie Taylor  
Fred Toth  
Amy Tracy  
Trish Tracey  
Josiah Walsh  
Laura Williams  
Michael Williams  
Travis Williams  
John Wingo  
Betty Jo Wolfram  
Ted Zimmerman

### Our Lady of Peace Catholic Cemetery

Plots are available in the cemetery for \$500.00, or you may purchase crematory urn plots for \$250.00. These prices include perpetual care. For more information, contact one of the following **Cemetery Committee Members**:

Al Lecco	Donald Notestein	Pam Skirvan
Joe Gardner	Chuck Hirtz	Ted Skirvan
Dorothy Garcia	Kevin Hirtz	Felix Iannaco

### Advent Prayer

During this Advent, let your light of peace and love shine in our world. Give us eyes to see the signs of your presence in the world. Help us to prepare our lives and our homes to receive the One who said, "I am the light of the world." Amen.

### Traveling?

Don't miss the bulletin on Sunday! Check out the parish webpage at [www.olpcatholicchurch.org](http://www.olpcatholicchurch.org)

# *Our Lady Of Peace Roman Catholic Church*



*Produce good fruit as evidence of your repentance.*

*Matthew 3:8*

### **Our Lady Of Peace Catholic Church**

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For emergencies: Fr. Jim cell number: 434-238-7030

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**Holy Eucharist: Sunday 8:30 AM and Tuesday 10:00 AM  
Tuesday 7:00 PM Thursday 12:15 PM**

Bulletin news to: Mary Niagro at: [mcniagro@gmail.com](mailto:mcniagro@gmail.com)  
Requests for mass cards to: Bonnie Toth at: [bonnie3871@gmail.com](mailto:bonnie3871@gmail.com)

**December 4 2016  
Second Sunday  
of Advent**



**Scripture Readings:**

1<sup>st</sup> Reading:  
Isaiah 11:1-10  
2<sup>nd</sup> Reading:  
Romans 15:4-9  
Gospel:  
Matthew 3:1-12

**Calendar**

December 6  
St. Nicholas  
December 7  
St. Ambrose  
December 8  
Immaculate Conception

**Reconciliation**

Fr. Jim offers the Sacrament of reconciliation before Mass or by appointment.

**Collection 11/27/2016**

General \$905.00

**Upcoming Meetings and Events**

**Feast of the Immaculate Conception**



The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary is a Holy Day on Thursday, December 8. There will be a Vigil Mass on Wednesday at 7 p.m. and Mass at 12:15 p.m. on December 8.

**Grand Illumination**

On Friday, December 9, Our Lady of Peace will have our annual Blessing of the Lights. The event will start at 6 p.m. with a covered dish dinner. The Grand Illumination will follow. After the lighting ceremony, there will be caroling, coffee and hot chocolate. We are also planning a living nativity. A sign-up sheet for the dish you plan to bring will be on the church bulletin board. Please join us for this special Our Lady of Peace tradition.



**Our Lady of Guadalupe Fiesta**

St. Victoria and Our Lady of Peace Parishioners are invited to the Our Lady of Guadalupe Fiesta at Holy Cross Catholic Church at 2 p.m. on Sunday, December 10. Lively processions, songs, bright colors, an awesome mass and of course great food is all being sponsored by the Hispanic Community. Please let Fr. Jim know if you are coming and wear your brightest colors. Now more than ever, we need to stand with our Latino brothers and sisters.

**Confessions/Reconciliation**

Confessions and Reconciliation will be at 10:30 a.m., Saturday, December 17.

**Fr. Jim Away**

Fr. Jim will be away visiting family Monday, December 26 and will be back Saturday, December 31.

**Parish Notices and Announcements**



**Happy Birthday!**

December 5  
Mia Garcia  
Carolyn Conner  
  
December 6  
Tom Iannaco  
  
December 8  
Alan Prioletti

**Offering Envelopes**

The new offering envelopes are on the table in the commons. If anyone who is new to our parish would like to use envelopes please take a box and sign your name.

*I will honor  
Christmas in  
my heart, and  
try to keep it  
all the year.  
Charles Dickens*

**Christmas Mass Times**

**Christmas Eve.**

Saturday, December 24  
Lessons and Carols 7:15 p.m.  
Posada 7:30 p.m.  
Mass 7:45 p.m.

**Christmas Day,**

Sunday, December 25  
Mass 8:30 a.m.



**Donate Your Unwanted Vehicle**

Common Wealth Catholic Charities is interested in receiving donated vehicles like cars, boats and RVs. Donating is easy and tax deductible. Call 855-501-GIVE or visit [www.ccofva-cardonations.org](http://www.ccofva-cardonations.org). We will schedule the pick up and take care of the rest.



**CCC counselors can help you manage your anxiety in healthy ways.**

Did you know that anxiety is the most common mental issue among adults in the United States? Anxiety disorders are very treatable, but only one third of those with anxiety seek help. If you or someone you know is suffering from anxiety, Common Wealth Catholic Charities can help. Counseling in many languages is also available. Call us today at 434-947-6880 to find out more.