

Prince of Peace

ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH

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June 28th, 2026

Pastor: Fr. Reynaldo Clutario Jr.

Parochial Vicar: Fr. Adeodatus Rwehumbiza

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time



MASS TIMES

Saturday Anticipated Mass: 4 pm
Sunday: 7 am,
9 am (with incense), 11 am
Monday - Saturday: 8 am



CONFESSION TIMES

Monday: 8:45 to 10 am
Friday: 5:00 to 6:30 pm



OFFICE HOURS

Sunday: Closed
Monday - Thursday:
8 am to 3 pm
Friday & Saturday: Closed

Parish Clergy + Staff

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Baptisms

For more information regarding Baptisms at Prince of Peace Parish or to schedule a baptism, please contact Kristal Ostrowski, 623-344-7260 or Kristal@popscw.org.

Marriages

If you are interested in getting married at Prince of Peace, please contact Lisa Kragness, 623-344-7283, or Lisa@popscw.org.

Annulments

For more information regarding annulments please contact Kristal Ostrowski,, 623-344-7260 or Kristal@popscw.org.

Prayer Opportunities

Divine Mercy Chaplet - Fridays following 8:00 a.m. Mass in Church

Healing Prayer Ministry - Tuesdays at 8:45 a.m. in Church

Patriotic Rosary - Mondays following 8:00 a.m. Mass in Church

Rosary - Approximately 30 minutes prior to each Mass

Sacred Heart Charismatic Prayer Group -Tuesdays at 10:00 a.m. in St. Michael's Hall

Prayer Shawl - 2nd and 4th Wednesdays at 9:30 a.m. in the Good Shepherd Room

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Monday - Thursday - 8:45 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Friday - 8:45 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.

You are invited you to prayerfully consider committing to a weekly Holy Hour in the Adoration Chapel here at Prince of Peace. Prayer is powerful, especially in the Real Presence of the Blessed Sacrament.

Ready to sign-up? Go to: Princeofpeace.weadorehim.com.

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**Mass Intentions for the Week of
June 28th-Thirteenth Sunday in
Ordinary Time**

**Sunday, June 28th-Thirteenth Sunday in
Ordinary Time**

7am Parishioners of Prince of Peace
9am Veronica Sanchez-Collin †
11am Jack Coghlan †

Monday, June 29th

8am William Eugene Olson †

Tuesday, June 30th

8am Laurita De Castaneda †

Wednesday, July 1st

8am Thimas Varello †

Thursday, July 2nd

8am Crystal Ramos

Friday, June 3rd

8am Recently Deceased Parishioners and
Family Members

Saturday, July 4th

8am Alzorra Oullette
4pm Lore Greiner †

**Sunday, July 5th -Fourteenth Sunday in
Ordinary Time**

7am Richard Kleiner
9am Parishioners of Prince of Peace
11am Ladd Zajac †, Helyn Sherman †, and
Charles Sherman †

Sunday, June 28th

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Reading 1- 2 Kings 4:8-11, 14-16a
Responsorial Psalm- Psalm 89:2-3, 16-17, 18-19
Reading 2- Romans 6:3-4, 8-11
Gospel- Matthew 10:37-42

PARISH CONTRIBUTIONS

June 1, 2026 - June 7, 2026

TITHING

Weekly Total \$46,409.31
Weekly Budget \$25,519.00
Fiscal Year-to-date Total\$1,268,727.51
Fiscal Year-to-date Budget.....\$1,282,717.00
Gold Envelopes(Maintenance).....\$834.00

June 8, 2026 - June 14, 2026

TITHING

Weekly Total \$19,508.89
Weekly Budget \$25,519.00
Fiscal Year-to-date Total\$1,288,236.40
Fiscal Year-to-date Budget.....\$1,308,236.00
Gold Envelopes(Maintenance).....\$275.00



Communal
Anointing
of the Sick

Friday, July 3 • 11:00 AM
at Prince of Peace Church

Join us for a beautiful communal celebration of the
Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick.
Please arrive a little early to sign in and receive a name tag.

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This sacrament is available to members of the faithful who are seriously ill due to physical or mental illness. It may also be received by those of advanced age whose strength has become weakened, even if no serious illness is present.

The sacrament may be repeated if a person recovers and later becomes ill again, or if an existing condition worsens.

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If you, or someone you know, would like to receive the Sacrament but are unable to come to church, please call **Lisa** at **623-344-7283** to arrange for a visit from one of our priests.




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WEDNESDAY
JULY 1

3:00 PM

ST. MICHAEL'S
HALL

Ice Cream
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Fun

Enjoy an afternoon of fellowship, visit with our priests and parish staff, and connect with our parish community! ♥

Everyone Welcome!

♥ **RSVP ON FLOCKNOTE** ♥

FOLLOWING CHRIST FIRST



A REFLECTION ON MATTHEW 10:37-42

“Whoever does not take up his cross and follow after me is not worthy of me.”

MATTHEW 10:38

Jesus speaks very directly to His Apostles in this Gospel. His words may sound difficult, even startling at first. He is not telling us to love our families less; rather, He is teaching that our love for God must come first. When God is first in our lives, every other relationship—whether with parents, children, spouse, or friends—is strengthened and ordered according to His will.

In the first century, following Jesus often required great sacrifice. Some disciples faced rejection from family members, lost their homes, their livelihoods, and even their lives because of their faith. Jesus wanted His followers to understand that discipleship would not always be easy. To “take up one’s cross” means willingly accepting the challenges, hardships, and sacrifices that come with following Him. Our crosses may look different—illness, caring for a loved one, struggles in relationships, or standing firm in our faith when it is not popular—but Jesus calls each of us to carry ours with love and trust in Him.

Jesus then presents a paradox that turns the world’s thinking upside down: “Whoever finds his life will lose it, and whoever loses his life for my sake will find it.” The world teaches us to seek comfort, success, security, and self-interest above all else. Christ teaches the opposite. True life—eternal life and lasting joy—is found not in clinging to our own plans, but in giving ourselves generously to God and to others. When we place our lives in His hands, He transforms our ordinary days into opportunities for grace and love.

Jesus also assures His Apostles that their mission matters and that their welcome is truly His welcome: “Whoever receives you receives me, and whoever receives me receives the one who sent me.” When we welcome Christ’s followers—priests, religious, or any one of His disciples—we welcome Christ Himself.

Finally, Jesus teaches us that even the smallest act of kindness has great value in God’s eyes. A cup of cold water may seem like so little, yet when offered in love to “one of these little ones” because they are His disciple, it is a meaningful act in the Kingdom of God. No act of kindness done for Christ is ever wasted or forgotten. God sees it, and He will reward it.

As members of our parish family, we are called to place Christ first in our hearts, carry our crosses with faith, and recognize opportunities each day to serve Him through acts of welcome, generosity, and love. When we give ourselves to Him, we find the true life He promises.



“Whoever loses his life for my sake will find it.”



MATTHEW 10:39



Lord Jesus, help us to love You above all things, to carry our crosses with courage, and to serve You in others with generous hearts. Make us true disciples who follow You each day. Amen.



Grief Support Group

Wednesdays at 1pm

The death of a significant loved one brings with it deep pain and a variety of emotions. It can be very helpful to gather with others who are experiencing similar struggles. A grief support group provides the opportunity to share, to learn, and to journey through the pain to hope and new life. If you have lost someone close to you, please join us for a seven-week grief support group starting Wednesday, July 22nd.

For information and to sign-up, please contact Lisa Kragness at 623-344-7283 or lisa@popscw.org.

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INDEPENDENCE DAY
 AND THE
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of Our Nation

The Knights of Columbus,
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Prince of Peace Catholic Parish

WE'RE HIRING!

Coordinator of Sacred Liturgy & Music

FULL-TIME POSITION

Our growing parish is seeking a faithful and dedicated Catholic to serve as our **Coordinator of Sacred Liturgy & Music**. Working closely with the Pastor, this position provides leadership for the planning and celebration of parish liturgies while fostering a vibrant and prayerful music ministry.



LITURGY LEADERSHIP

Coordinate parish liturgies and sacramental celebrations, prepare worship aids and liturgical materials, and support a spirit of prayerful and reverent worship.



MINISTRY COORDINATION

Oversee and support liturgical ministries including Altar Servers, Lectors, Extraordinary Ministers, Ushers, Greeters, and Art & Environment.



MUSIC MINISTRY

Direct and develop choirs and musicians, select and lead music for Masses and special liturgical celebrations, and oversee rehearsals and performances.



QUALIFICATIONS

- Active, practicing Roman Catholic in full communion with the Church
- Knowledge of Catholic liturgy, the Roman Missal, and liturgical music resources
- Degree in Music, Theology, Liturgy, or related field, or equivalent ministry experience
- Strong leadership, organizational, and interpersonal skills
- Proficient in music performance and accompaniment

KNOW SOMEONE WHO MAY BE CALLED TO THIS MINISTRY?

Please share this opportunity!



VISIT OUR PARISH WEBSITE for the complete job description and application information.



Knights of Columbus

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Meeting Times

Officers Meeting: 9:00 a.m. on Second Saturdays

Council Meeting: 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. on Fourth Thursdays in St Michael Hall

Contact: John Gambino

Call: 623-760-6349

Email: johnnyg1@aol.com



Queen of Peace Women's Guild

Meeting Times

Monthly Meeting: 9:00 a.m. Social and 9:30 a.m. meeting on the 1st Wednesday from September to May in St. Michael's Hall.

Prayer Shawl Ministry: Meets 2nd and 4th Wednesdays at 9:30 a.m. in the Good Shepherd Room

Contact: Jan Wenzinger, 419-438-4199

St. John Paul II Pro-Life Ministry

Meeting Times

Monthly Meeting: 9:00 a.m. on third Thursdays from August to May in St. Patrick Room. Monthly Baby Goods collection for Pregnancy Care Centers first Sunday of the month.

Contact: info@popscw.org or 623-214-5180

St. Vincent de Paul News

In the Gospel, we find that the demand of daily Christian living is to spend our life primarily searching for the kingdom of God.

This month, through your gifts to our SVdP Prince of Peace Conference, we have been able to assist our neighbors in need during the hot summer month.

Thank you for the blessing of your continued generosity.

SVdP Prince of Peace Conference, phone number is 623-738-3822

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Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Ministry

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