

# Our Lady of Peace Parish

## Nuestra Señora de la Paz



St. Francis deSales

**San Francisco de Sales**  
130 Exchange St.,  
Geneva, New York 14456



St. Stephen



**San Esteban**

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Geneva, NY

July 17, 2011

### From Father Paul

Already it is mid July, a time of year to savor for its hours of daylight, its fresh vegetables and flowers, its picnics and free time. It also is a chance to look across these summer weeks at the energy in our parish always. The month of June was full and exciting. Our Family Fun Festival began the month and was a great success blessed with good weather, good crowds and good fun. I did not win anything but I think I ate everything. Abundant thanks to Troy Quigley, Bill Greco, their core committee, school parents, staff, faculty, parish staff and the many others who worked and supported this great event.

Later in June Joe Scibona chaired our Golf Tournament at Seneca Lake Country Club and a good time was had by all. Sincere thanks to Joe for bringing this event together in a short period of time and also I want to mention his veteran tournament workers, Don Graham and Jim Cooley. Both the Family Fun Festival and the Golf Tournament enjoyed the patronage of many generous sponsors and the labor and support of many parishioners, family and friends. Thanks to all. Good people make these things happen and our appreciation to them is deep.

June ended with our Evangelization Gathering with Mary Dundas addressing about 35 people in the Parish Center. The plan was to reflect on our possibilities to be even more a parish of evangelization, outreach and welcoming. In her message she stressed that every baptized person can share their faith with their family, neighbor or strangers in simple words of conversation. This is the best evangelization because it is personal and often invitational. She urged us as a parish to embrace this fact and go to work, the Holy Spirit with us. The evening ended with everyone also writing down other ideas they felt were doable in our parish. Two leading ideas are the

priests giving words of welcome to visitors at weekend Masses and also the sending of cards to families after Baptisms, funerals, registration in the parish, special anniversaries, etc... Other ideas also were shared and some will be taken up as teams are ready. It is my hope that we look at everything we do as a parish through the lens of evangelization, outreach and welcoming. In response to our Pastoral Council's request for more activity I am calling on that good body to especially help with this very important focus strengthening our parish's life.

As graduation parties wind down this month (Congratulations to All!) we look ahead to Vacation Bible School, August 8-12th. Our parish, St. Mary's and St. Patrick's work together to provide this glorious week. Registration has increased each year but there is room for everyone. And please know that teens and adults are very welcome to lend assistance 1-2 days or all week. Just see the article inside this bulletin or contact Bev Guerrie, 781-2624.

Also mark your calendar for our annual Community Picnic, Sunday, August 14 beginning at 12:00 noon with a bilingual Mass at the American Legion. This too we enjoy with St. Mary's and St. Patrick's. There always is great food, lots of fun, door prizes and free swimming. Bring a large dish to pass. Meat and beverages are provided. Please see the sign up sheets in church which help Pete Suchewski and his committee plan.

Our parish is very blessed with great people and great vitality. Summer and our parish life together are both real blessings in our lives. Thank you, God!

**This Week**

*SS = St. Stephen – SF = St. Francis*

**Sunday, July 17**

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament (SS): 24/7  
 Second Collection – Facility & Maintenance

**Monday, July 18**

5:00 P.M. (Parish Center) Fundraising Committee

**Thursday, July 21**

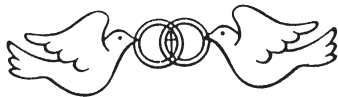
7:00 P.M. (OLP Chapel) Novena to Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal & Exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament

**Saturday, July 23**

7:30 A.M. (OLP Chapel) Rosary & Chaplet of Divine Mercy  
 3:30-4:15 P.M. (SF) Confessions

**Sunday, July 24**

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament (SS): 24/7  
 Second Collection – DeSales



**Banns of Marriage**

**3rd Week: Jessica Evangelista & John Balduzzi**  
 Please keep them in your prayers.

**Family Picnic**

St. Patrick's, St. Mary's, Our Lady of Peace Annual Parish Picnic - Sunday, August 14th at the **American Legion Home, Lochland Road, Geneva** rain or shine.

The picnic will start with a bilingual Mass on the Legion grounds at 12:00 p.m. This Mass will replace the St. Francis 12:00 p.m. Mass this day only. Look for the sign up sheets in Church. We need to have an idea of attendance for preparation purposes. The parishes will provide meat, rolls, drinks, plates and utensils. We ask those coming to bring a large dish or dessert to pass. It's also wise to bring folding chairs. *Please join us for good food, lots of fun, prizes!*

**Baptism**

We welcome into the faith community through the Sacrament of Baptism: **Isabella Rose FitzGerald.**

**DESALES FEST--CELEBRATING 100 YEARS!!**

WHEN: Sunday, August 7, 11:30AM to 7:00PM  
 WHERE: DHS school grounds, Pulteney St., Geneva  
 WHAT: Food: hamburgs, hots, sausage, peppers & onions, fries, pizza, fried dough & more!;  
 Kan Jam Tournament; MUSIC; Cake/Cookie Booth; Basket Raffle Booth; pull tabs & 50/50; Moon Bounce, Duck Pond; and MORE games! Meet up with old friends and enjoy a fun time, rain or shine!  
**We need: volunteers to bake cookies or cakes for Cake/Cookie Booth!!! Can be dropped off at school the morning of August 7, or early afternoon.**

**Help Needed Tutoring Kids with Cancer**

Attention: **RETIRED TEACHERS** who would be interested in tutoring children with/or recovering from cancer 1 or 2 hours a week, at your convenience; please call Linda at 585-317-7269 or 315-462-9072.



*Don't forget about us while you are vacationing. We are working for you year round and depend on your contributions. Thank you and have a great summer!*

<b>STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE:</b>	<b>7/17/2011</b>
<b>TOTAL 1ST COLLECTION</b>	<b>\$10,733.73</b>
Budgeted amount.....	\$11,461.54
Overage (Shortage).....	(\$727.81)
Overage (Shortage) for the year.....	(\$1,449.98)
<b>2ND COLLECTION</b>	
Emerging Churches.....	\$839.50
Attendance.....	1,049

We began our new fiscal year as of July 1. Last year our collections fell almost \$15,000 short of our budgeted need. The Finance Committee has approved our budget for this year along with a decreased amount for our regular collection. We will be making up the income difference in other areas. As you can see from the numbers above, even with the decreased budgeted amount, we are already running behind.

If you are on vacation, please remember that we are counting on your regular contributions. Thank you for your support.

## Meetings & Events

**St. Francis-St. Stephen's School Bingo** - Every Wednesday night 7:15 p.m. at the Sons of Italy, 31 Prospect Avenue. \$1,000.00 guaranteed prize money, \$200.00 jackpot, 75/25 split pot. Non-smoking room available, handicapped accessible.

The **Farmers' Market** is now open on Thursdays from 7:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m., City Parking Lot on Exchange Street. W.I.C. coupons and Senior Citizen coupons from the Office for the Aging will be available in July from those offices. Stop by and support our local farmers

**Queen of Peace Night**, Wednesday, July 20, 7:00 p.m. at St. Dominic's Church, Shortsville. Rosary, Confessions, Benediction, followed by Mass at 8 p.m. **Father Dennis Bonsignore**, will be the celebrant. Music will be provided and a healing blessing will be given after Mass. All are invited. For more information, call Anne at 585-394-0604.

## Mercy Prayer Center

**Third Annual Summer Institute, Listen: The Voice of God is Calling**, Tuesday, July 26 – Thursday, July 28, 6:30 – 9:00 pm to be held at St. Bernard's School of Theology & Ministry, 120 French Road, Rochester, NY 14618. An opportunity for Learning, Reflecting, and Sharing. Presenters: July 26 -Fr. Jim Schwartz, "In the Silence"; July 27 – Rev. Susan Shafer, "In Our Neighbor"; July 28 – John McDermott, "In the World"

Fee: \$30 per session/\$75. for all three sessions. Call 585-473-6893 to register or go on-line at [www.mercyprayercenter.org](http://www.mercyprayercenter.org).

**Private Retreat Week**, Friday, July 29, 7 pm – Thursday, August 4 after brunch to be held at Mercy Prayer Center, 65 Highland Ave., Rochester, NY 14620.

Come and rest awhile and let your spirit be renewed. Facilitator: Mercy Prayer Center Staff. Fee: \$350. Call 585-473-6893 to register or go on-line at [www.mercyprayercenter.org](http://www.mercyprayercenter.org).

## Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration Chapel

Spend some time in the chapel with Jesus and talk to Him. Listen to what He has to say to the spirit within you. Ask Him to touch your spirit and pray for change, for strength, for peace.

Try it. Spend an hour with Jesus. He asked the Apostles to come and pray with Him. Follow in their footsteps. Just stop in the chapel any time and check it out for a quiet moment in prayer.

Stop by any time or call for additional information: Anna M Giardino 789-1239, Dorothy Kalina 789-8099, Mary Ann Lawson, 789-7629.

## Gift Shop

The Gift Shop is open after Sunday Masses at St. Stephen's for you to shop for beautiful gifts for yourself, family, or friends. Your gift shop has music, educational cd's, cards, bibles, rosaries, children's books, medals, statues, holy cards, and many beautiful items. Keep your shop in mind for gifts on birthdays, holidays, marriages, baptisms, first communions, etc.

## SAVE THE DATE

**The Parish Fund Raiser will be held September 16 at Club 86 - with lots of fun for all.**

**Andie Stobie and the Greater Lakes Jazz Orchestra** are featured again - by popular demand!! Plan on the **FAMOUS CLUB 86 CHICKEN DINNER**, chances to win **50/50 DRAWINGS, BASKET OF CHEER RAFFLE, ITALIAN COOKIE PLATES AND A HUGE SILENT AUCTION WHICH WILL INCLUDE:** Gift baskets, for dinners at local restaurants, Toronto Vacation, Overnights at local hotels, gifts and services from our area merchants, gifts and donations from parishioners, parish committees and many more surprises.

**Tickets for the event are \$35-** includes dinner, dancing and a fun evening for all.

**Our Parish raffle will be drawn that night as well. Circle the date on your calendar!!**

**Prayer Line - call 789-0930 or 789-1124 between 9:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. and many will pray.**

Afirme la fe en la dignidad inherente a todos los seres humanos y en el potencial intelectual, artístico, ético y espiritual de la humanidad.

--Carta de la Tierra

## Religious Ed and Youth Ministry News

We will be in and out of our office over the summer but our answering machine is always on. Feel free to call us at 781-2624 if you need us and we will get back to you soon if we are not in. We hope you take advantage of our Vacation Bible School in August!

Since our RCIA program begins in September, we are asking anyone who is interested in becoming a Catholic to call us now, so we can be ready to go. Call Walter Savaria at 781-2624 and we'll start the process. The RCIA is a lot of fun! You get to meet great people and the snacks are delicious, too. It's a great time. Try it!

Although September seems far off, we are still looking for adults who might be interested in sharing their faith with young people. We need people who can give us about an hour and a half per week, and who have an enthusiasm for our Church. Call us at 781-2624. We will train you.

## Parishioners, Help Wanted for Children's Liturgy of the Word

Can you help at the 10:30 am Mass-St. Stephen's? Takes only 15 minutes of your time. We are only asking for a minimal commitment. Yes, even **one** or **two** times throughout the year will help tremendously. For more information and complete details, please contact Bev Guerrie, Faith Formation at 781-2624 or catechist, Pete Suchewski at 325-4071, Children's Liturgy of the Word, Ministry for children in our parish. Thank you!

## Gospel Light's SonSurf Beach Bash VBS

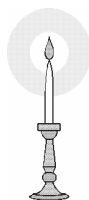
At SonSurf Beach Bash VBS, your kids will have the time of their lives! They'll love the high-energy games, cool beach crafts, awesome music and fun skits. In the midst of all the fun, Gospel Light's VBS keeps the focus on Jesus. Monday, August 8th - Friday, August 12th from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm at St. Mary's/St. Patrick's Ministry Center, Waterloo.

Contact: Bev Guerrie 781-2624 or Kim Burke 651-4351. Join Up! with Jesus - The Sea\* The Sand\* and The Son!!!



## Candle Memorials

### Sanctuary Candle



At St. Francis is in memory of William Zeoli requested by Joe, Jeannie Zeoli & Joanne & Steve McCheyne

At St. Stephen's is in memory of Eunice Holtby requested by Sully & Gloria Ciancaglini

At Our Lady of Peace Chapel is in memory of Joseph DiRaddo requested by Carolyn Wilson

**Blue Candle** at Our Lady of Peace Chapel will burn in memory of Mary Fischer requested by family

### Adoration Chapel

At St. Stephen's one candle will burn in memory of Mary Fischer requested by family

## Food Co-Op

This co-op is open to everyone. You pay \$15.50 at the beginning of the month and at the end of the month will receive \$31.00 worth of groceries. The Co-op is a method of pre-planning your food budget, you will pay at the beginning of the month and at the end of the month, when sometimes funds are limited, you will receive your groceries.

The Co-op can always use volunteers. The Co-op will be held at the Parish Center on the last Friday of the month, it will be an opportunity to sign up for the next month or to volunteer to work at the Co-Op. It is in operation from 8:30 to 10:00 AM. The truck arrives before 8:00 a.m. and it takes about half hour to set up.

Please consider signing up to purchase a food unit or volunteering for this one day, two and a half hour per month event. You are welcome to visit any time and see the operation for yourself. More info??? call 315-789-7811.

Thank you, Marie Milligan, Social Ministry

## Actividades:

1. Domingo, 24 de julio: Reunión de Planificación, después de la misa en la casa de oficinas.
2. Domingo, 31 de julio: Bautismos
3. Domingo, 31 de julio: Limpieza de la iglesia, le toca al equipo de Blanca Palma, después de la misa.
4. Lunes-viernes, 8-12 de agosto: Escuela Bíblica de Vacaciones en Waterloo; gratis para los niños. Avisen a Hna. Kay si tengan deseo de participar en esto.
5. Sábado, 13 de agosto: Misión con Hermanos Cheos: Hno. Antonio y Hna. María del Carmen en Newark. ¡Anima tu espíritu! 7:00 p. m. en el salón parroquial de San Miguel en Newark
6. Domingo, 14 de agosto, 12 p. m. en el American Legion: Picnic de la Parroquia. Misa bilingüe, comida (lleven comida para compartir), natación.

## ¡Gracias por Su Cooperación!

Gracias a todos que ayudaron o cooperaron de alguna manera para hacer exitosa la Bienvenida para los migrantes y los trabajadores agrícolas. Todos dependemos de los trabajadores agrícolas por la comida que consumimos. Y para darles las gracias dependemos de ustedes. No fui yo quien preparó la comida o presidió la misa o bailó o tocó la música o arregló la comida o hizo toda la limpieza. La cooperación de todos da buenos resultados. La comida fue deliciosa, los bailes bonitos (gracias por las muchas horas de práctica que las bailarines dieron a este esfuerzo), y la limpieza hecha por varias personas. Muchísimas gracias. Quizás la próxima vez aun más personas ayudarán en esta celebración.

Ahora voy a pedir su cooperación por otra actividad: el picnic de la parroquia que tendremos en el American Legion por la ruta #14 a las 12 mediodía el 14 de agosto. Habrá carne y refrescos proveídos, pero pedimos que lleven comida para compartir con otros (los anglos les gusta la comida latina). También se pide la ayuda de hombres para preparar el sitio como a las 10 de la mañana el mismo día y para guardar las cosas al final. Espero que haya algunos hombres que puedan ofrecer su servicio. Como en otros años se regalan premios y pueden bañarse gratis en la piscina. Hay muchos premios para ganar.

Si desea que su hijo tenga una experiencia especial de Jesús durante el verano, considere tenerlo participar en las actividades de las mañanas de la semana de 8 a 12 de agosto. Nuestra parroquia se reúne con la parroquia de Waterloo para realizar estas actividades para los niños. Avíseme a mí o a Bev Guerrie (781-2624) si quiere que su hijo participe.

Como algunos de ustedes saben yo me mudé a Geneva hace dos semanas, y gradualmente estoy acostumbrándome a esta ciudad. La primera semana vi la parada de los bomberos—impresionante, y también los fuegos artificiales. Ese mismo fin de semana en el pueblo de Lyons donde viví por los últimos cuatro años, se realizaron los Días de Menta (por muchos años se producía y ventaba óleo de varios tipos de menta). Tuve que mudarme porque las hermanas con quienes yo estaba viviendo se mudaron a Lima donde están viviendo con dos otras hermanas de San José (yo soy una Hermana de Misericordia). Un sacerdote reemplazó a Hermana Diane como párroco, y él está viviendo en la casa. Sigo haciendo el mismo ministerio en los tres condados de Yates, Ontario y Wayne.

Si usted conozca a alguien que necesita una visita de mí, por favor avíseme, o si usted conozca alguien que es nuevo en el área o alguien que no ha estado en la misa por un tiempo, o alguien que está enfermos, avíseme. Me gustaría comunicarme con ellos.

*Hermana Kay*

## Liturgies for the Week

*SS = St. Stephen – SF = St. Francis—PC = Parish Center*

### Sunday, July 17

7:30 A.M. (SS) Anthony Sculli—Req. by Anthony & Maria Reale

9:00 A.M. (SF) Deceased members of the Liberio Bertino family—Req. by Family

10:30 A.M. (SS) Edward DeVaney—Req. by Tony & Donna Ernst

12:00 P.M. (SF) Raymond Mateo—Req. by Celina Vega

### Monday, July 18

7:00 A.M. (OLP Chapel) Communion Service

12:10 P.M. (OLP Chapel) William Gilbert—Req. by Family

### Tuesday, July 19

7:00 A.M. (OLP Chapel) Anna M. Fitch—Req. by M/M Vincent Augustine

12:10 P.M. (OLP Chapel) Ozzie DiDuro—Req. by Gillotte-Greco Family

### Wednesday, July 20

7:00 A.M. (OLP Chapel) Josephine Calabrese—Req. by M/M Frank Giardino

12:10 P.M. (OLP Chapel) Maria Koelbel—Req. by Bill Koelbel

### Thursday, July 21

7:00 A.M. (OLP Chapel) Joseph DiRaddo—Req. by Margaret McCusker

12:10 P.M. (OLP Chapel) Dick Johnson—Req. by Family

### Friday, July 22

7:00 A.M. (OLP Chapel) George Treeter—Req. by M/M Richard Egbert

12:10 P. M. (OLP Chapel) Mary Hickey Long—Req. by Tom Long

### Saturday, July 23

4:30 P.M. (SF) DeSales High School deceased members of the Class of 1956

### Sunday, July 24

7:30 A.M. (SS) Rocco & Rose Ventura—Req. by Kay Perry

9:00 A.M. (SF) Joseph DiRaddo—Req. by Anne Crissy & family

10:30 A.M. (SS) William & Dorothy Riley—Req. by Dominic & Angela Quartaro

12:00 P.M. (SF) Andres Morales & Gero Morales—Req. by Family

**DONATIONS NEEDED!!**

The Parish Silent Auction/Dinner Dance committee is working on Auction Baskets for the September 16 event. If you would like to donate a gift basket or a gift certificate to go in a basket or a Lotto ticket, please contact: Sue Rago, Joanne Greco or Marie Milligan or call the office and leave your name and we will be happy to pick it up from you. (Gift certificates can be purchased from SCRIPS program at the Masses, and supports St. Francis/St. Stephen's School - and may be donated.) Again, this year, we will be doing the cookie plates. Cookie bakers are needed. Please call and sign up to donate 2-3 dozen home baked cookies. All calls may be directed to : 789-1124 or 789-8911.

Thank you for your past generosity - we need everyone to make this a success - this is a parish-wide event - we're counting on you!!

The Auction/Dinner Dance Committee

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**Call 789-5111 for more information, and register your son/daughter today! [www.desaleshs.org](http://www.desaleshs.org)**  
Be part of a class that will make DeSales history!!

**PASTORAL STAFF:**

- Rev. Paul J. Tomasso, Pastor - 789-1124/789-0930
- Rev. Hoan Dinh, Parochial Vicar - 789-1124/789-0930
- Deacon Kevin Carges - 789-1124/789-0930
- Elaine Morrow, Principal - 789-1828
- Beverly Guerrie, Faith Formation Coordinator - 781-2624
- Walter Savaria, Director of Religious Ed. & Youth Minister - 781-2624
- Christine Sauter, Director of Music Ministries 789-1124
- Ronald Trunzo, Pastoral Musician - 789-0930/789-1124
- Rebecca Hollon, Business Manager - 789-0930/789-1124
- Marie Milligan, Social Ministry Coordinator - 789-7811
- Betty Ann DiFederico - 789-7180, Cemetery Administrator
- Barbara Rose, Chairperson, Our Lady of Peace Pastoral Council
- Dorothy Kalina, Martha Ministry Coordinator, 789-1124/789-0930
- Hermana Kay Schwenger, RSM, Hispanic Pastoral Minister, [kschwenger2@aol.com](mailto:kschwenger2@aol.com) - 315-277-0302
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- Joanne Church, Bulletin - 789-1124/789-0930

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**SCHEDULE OF MASSES SCHEDULE OF MASSES**

**At SS**

**At SF**

Sunday: 7:30 and 10:30 a.m.	Saturday evening: 4:30 p.m.
4:30 p.m. (HWS)	Sunday: 9:00 a.m.
(St. John Chapel)	12:00 p.m. Spanish Mass
(During school terms)	

**Daily: Monday-Friday:**

Masses are at: OL of Peace Chapel  
7:00 a.m. (except Monday) & 12:10 p.m.

**First Saturday, 8:30 a.m.**

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION at OLP Chapel**

11:45-12:00 NOON (M-F)

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION at SF**

Saturday: 3:30-4:15 p.m.

**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:**

Please call for a pre-baptismal interview with a priest.

**SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:**

Couples should contact a priest at least nine months in advance of their date. A year or more notice is advisable to secure the church and time desired. If one of the couple is divorced, a church annulment will be required. Circumstances of the prior marriage determine whether or not an annulment might be possible. Consult a priest at least a year in advance.

**SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING THE SICK:**

In an emergency, any time. At other times by appointment.

**SICK AND SHUT-INS:**

Please call the office immediately so that they may be visited.