

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church

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Pentecost

One miracle of Pentecost was that, despite their diversity, each listener heard God's word in his or her own language. The meaning for stewardship is that, by sharing the gifts poured out on us by the Holy Spirit, we will be empowered to meet the needs of our brothers and sisters, whatever they may be.

Eucharistic Adoration has an opening from 11pm to 12am on Thursdays. If you would like to try this hour or commit for the summer, please call **Maria @ 262-1703**.

We will be having a VBS volunteer meeting on **Wednesday May 30th** at 6:30pm in the Hall. All who wish to volunteer are encouraged to attend. We will be going over the whole program, so you can choose which aspect of the program you would like to assist. I would like to encourage all teens to try to be there to help. We have lots of fun planned and we really need your help. Any questions please call **Heather Stockton 260-6581 or Lauri Kapp 262-6655**.

Sunday between Masses is a breakfast celebrating Mary Hoyt's great contributions to our church community before making that giant move to Anchorage. Please come to the Hall to enjoy chef Dan's great cooking, and give Mary a bad time about leaving us. We will all miss her but Anchorage gains a great soprano and knowledgeable musician. Thanks Mary.

The Gardens are Calling — be there, **Sunday, June 3rd** after our Parish picnic. We'll:
 1) Plant the Flower Garden next to church.
 2) Plant Mary's Gazebo Garden
 3) Put the stepping stones back in place
 Many hands make lite work. Please bring gloves and hand trowels—all flowers provided.....**Pat Murray**

Tea by the Sea — What a grand success!!! A tidal wave of thanks to those who so generously gave of their time and talent to make this spring's 'Tea by the Sea' such a wonderful afternoon.
 The **decorators**—Shawn Ogelsby, Shirley Johnsrud, Kate Forrest, Sonja Poutry and Monty Murray
 The **Kitchen Help**—Sharon, Rachel and Bob Shassetz, Margaret Stanley, Shirley Twohy, Dan Murray
 Our **Handsome Waiters**—Kyle and Drew Shassetz, Kevin Gorsky and Gabe Murray
 A special thanks to Sheila-Margaret Pothast for the Blessing and for MC'ing our Fashion Show. And finally, to all our beautiful models...you are each and all a GREAT BLESSING.
**Pat Murray**

Theology On Tap, a program through the Archdiocese of Anchorage, is presenting a speaker on June 8 at Our Lady of Perpetual Help parish hall. The time will be 7:00pm. The speaker will be Brother John Mary of the Community of St. John. His topic will be further defined but will be about our call to evangelize. He recommends people read Pope Paul VI's Apostolic Exhortation, Evangelii Nuntiandi. For more information call Kris Viens, 776-7693.

Fun and Games. The Dynamite (TNT) group and the Confirmation class will be co-hosting the activities for the **Parish Picnic on June 3rd**. There will be fun for all ages: Baby walker races, Toy truck races, Croquet Tournament, Capture the flag, face painting and more!! So bring your family and enjoy the food, fun, and fellowship! Remember to bring your baby walkers and toy truck/cars for the races, we hope to see you all there! Salads and desserts are very welcome. Any questions please call: **Sarah 283-0779 or Connie 262-0847**.

Father's Day is **June 15th!!** Want to get Dad a perfect gift?? Stop by the SCRIP table where we have gift certificates for Cabelas(\$25), Trustworthy Hardware(\$50), Spenard Builders (\$50), Home Depot(\$25), and many others. As a treat for Dads this month Home Depot is giving an additional 5% to OLPH. Stop by the SCRIP table and see what is new. Thank you for your continued support!!

World Youth Day Bake Sale — will be after all Masses this weekend. Proceeds will help send our young people to Sydney, Australia for the 2008 WYD. For more information call **Kathy Johnson @ 776-8593**.

Status of the One Bread One Body fund drive: there have been 67 individual gifts for a total of \$34,000 pledged. This represents about 19 percent of our parish, and covers our designated responsibility owing to the Archdiocese. Therefore any additional contributions may be used toward our new construction. Thanks to our marvelous parishioners we are generously giving to our church community.

Saturday, June 2, 2007 5:00pm	Sunday, June 3, 2007 9:00am 11:30am	
Eucharistic Ministers:		
Kathy Bongiovanni Carm Bongiovanni Barbara Bonk Shirley Twohy	Remy Spring Alyson Stogsdill Laurie Stropes Gloria Sweeney Mike Sweeney	Tim Agosti Diane Garske Connie Gatling Joan Lahndt Anna Laroche
<i>NOTE: When Sister Joyce presides, only 1 EM is needed, shown by an *</i>		
Lectors:		
1st reading: Carolyn Cannava 2^{ns} reading: Edie Gabriel	1st reading: Kathleen Evenson 2nd reading: Barbara O'Lena	1st reading: Dave Carey 2^{ns} reading: Jackie Swanson
Altar Servers:		
New Server w/Mentor	Alec Agosti w/Mentor	Eddie Johnson w/Remy Spring
Mop & Bucket: 5/28—6/2: The Angela Grasso family		
Collection Counters 6/3: Myrna & Pat Cowan		

Calendar for May 28 — June 3, 2007

- May 28, Monday:** There will be no Mass today

- May 29, Tuesday:** There will be no Mass today

- May 30, Wednesday: Noon Mass**
Volunteer meeting for VBS, 6:30pm in the Hall

- May 31, Thursday: Noon Mass**
Eucharistic Adoration starts after noon Mass and is continuous until tomorrow before noon Mass

- June 1, Friday: Noon Mass**
Eucharistic Adoration continues from yesterday, ending before noon Mass
Children's Play Group, 1pm, old church

- June 2, Saturday: Mass, 5pm**
Reconciliation, 4:00pm

- June 3, Sunday: 9am and 11:30am Masses**
Social Justice Committee meets, 12:30, O'Neill Hall