

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church

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September 23, 2007

Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

The dishonest manager in today's parable knew how to manipulate money to his own advantage. But the Gospel warns that no one can serve both God and money. Which do I serve? Is my stewardship such that anyone can tell?

Directory! We are in the final stages of printing a new parish directory. We have rough drafts posted on the bulletin board. Some of these family photos are pretty old. If you have a more current photo you would prefer us to use, please drop it in the "Parish Directory" manila envelope on the bulletin board, or (preferably) email it to rjshapley@acsalaska.net. If you have changes to the information portion of the directory, please mark right on the copy. Final deadline for new photos/information will be September 30. If you have questions, please call Janet at 262-7313.

Central Peninsula Hospital/Heritage Place is starting a "No One Dies Alone Program." If you would like to provide bedside companionship for people who are dying or would like to help with the program in other ways, please call Meg Zerbinos, 260-4413. There will be a training for the program on September 25.

SAFE ENVIRONMENT training, which the Archdiocese requires for all catechists, those involved with youth ministry as adults; parents are invited, also; this will take place at the Hall in Soldotna on **October 10 at 7pm-8:30pm**. The presentation will be presented by Anchorage presenters in **Homer on Thursday, October 11**. If this date does not work for you, or questions call Marlys 262-5542.

No Faith formation classes next week because of Discipleship days; classes resume on October 7th.

Super Wednesday classes for 7/8th and 9/10th grades begin this week on Wednesday, light summer 5:30pm-6pm. Classes are from 6pm-7:30pm.

Adult offerings are on Wednesday beginning on October 17th with a study of the Sunday readings in light of church doctrine. Will gather at 6pm in O'Neill Hall on Wednesdays.

RICA, Rite of Christian Initiation, information evening on Tuesday, October 9th at 7pm, O'Neill Hall. If you know of anyone interested in the Catholic Faith, please encourage them to come: information: Marlys 262-5542.

Attention all Scrapbookers, and Craft addicts!! Michael's is now a part of our SCRIP program. Gift certificates can be purchased in \$25 increments and Michael's will give OLPH 4% of the gift card amount. Stop by the SCRIP table and see all the great locations you can spend your dividend. Thank you for your continued support.

WYD Auction & Spaghetti Dinner: Saturday October 6th after 5pm Mass, in the hall. Everyone is invited!! There will be lots of special auction items, including a river-raft trip with Fr. Tero, autographed books by the creator of "The Waltons" TV series, delicious desserts, crafty items & more! Please call Kathy Johnson @ 776-8593 for more information.

Reminder: Next weekend will be the 5th Sunday of the month, so the **Special Collection for St. Vincent dePaul** will be taken—please help as much as you are able.

YOU'RE INVITED!

Pizza & Beer (root beer) Party!

OLPH Youth Ministry Gathering

Who: Youth (Middle School—Sr. High) & Parents

Where: O'Neill Hall

222 W. Redoubt Avenue, Soldotna, AK

When: Sunday, September 23rd, 6pm until 8pm

What: We need your ideas

Why: Planning our calendar year of events

For more information, please call *Barbara @ 262-3981*.

Please Note: different prayer chain email contacts for the next two months: shirley@alaska.net or akdunns@pci.net. All prayer requests to be diverted to the above emails 'till December 1st.

Raffle Tickets are still available for the global solidarity efforts. See Scott Earsly or Kathryn Dunagan after Masses. The drawing for this raffle will be held at Our Lady of the Angels church on Wed. Sept. 26 at 6:30. There will be a potluck/pig roast and karaoke.

Calendar for September 24—September 30, 2007

September 24, Monday: There will be no Mass today

September 25, Tuesday: There will be no Mass today

September 26, Wednesday: Noon Mass

Choir practice, 4pm

Super Wednesdays start, 5:30pm

September 27, Thursday: Noon Mass

Eucharistic Adoration starts after noon Mass and is continuous until tomorrow before noon Mass

September 28, Friday: Noon Mass

Eucharistic Adoration continues from yesterday, ending before noon Mass

September 29, Saturday: Mass, 5pm

Reconciliation, 4:00pm

September 30, Sunday: 9am and 11:30am Masses

Special Collection for St. Vincent dePaul

Saturday, September 29, 2007 5:00pm	Sunday, September 30, 2007 9:00am	11:30am
President: Fr. Tero		

Eucharistic Ministers:

Sue Dukowitz	Margaret Sill	Shirley Aleckson
Rick Dukowitz	Alyson Stogsdill	Karen Evans
*Cheryl Hammarstrom	*Jim Stogsdill	Marylou Nushart
Steve Hammarstrom	Lauri Stopes	*Lynn Senette
	David Stopes	Marguerite McIntosh

*NOTE: When Sister Joyce presides, only 1 EM is needed, shown by an **

Lectors:

1st reading: Carolyn Cannava	1st reading: George Holly	1st reading: Charlie Miller
2nd reading: Monty Murray	2nd reading: Barbara O'Lena	2nd reading: Jean Kudyba

Altar Servers:

Please check the bulletin board

Mop & Bucket: 9/24-9/29: The David Stropes family

Collection Counters 9/30: ?