

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church

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Third Sunday of Easter

The disciples on the road to Emmaus walked and talked with Jesus all day long, but it was not until they offered Him hospitality and He blessed and broke the bread that they recognized Him. Simple acts of loving kindness *still* reveal the presence of God in our midst.

As mentioned last week, a computer catastrophe caused the loss of ALL email addresses of those wishing to receive the bulletin by email! For reinstating your request, please email: csponsel@acsalaska.net

NEW: Because of not enough turn around time with submission of bulletin announcements and putting the bulletin together, **ANNOUNCEMENTS MUST BE SUBMITTED BY THURSDAY AT NOON TO EITHER THE CHURCH OFFICE IN WRITING OR EMAIL TO:**

marlys.verba@gmail.com or csponsel@acsalaska.net

Confirmation Students: Class: April 13th O'Neill Hall 10:30-12:30; April 20th - Confirmation Gathering/Reconciliation 1p.m. to 5p.m. at Arlington Residence - directions to be given at class. Confirmation Sacrament will be May 18th at the 11:30 Mass. Any questions, please contact Connie Dunn at 252-6084.

Applications for the three 2008 Bishop's Attic \$1,500.00 scholarships are due April 15th. All members of the Roman Catholic parishes of the Kenai Peninsula who are pursuing either college or vocational education programs are eligible to apply. For application forms they may call Joyce Fischer at 262-9269 or e-mail akjfischer@hotmail.com.

Friday, April 18th, Theology on Tap will be presenting, The Sanctity of Life, with our guest speaker, Bobby Schindler. Bobby Schindler is the brother of Terri Schiavo whose right to live became the object of a long court battle in the State of Florida. Please come hear this dynamic speaker as he presents the issues surrounding this very important topic of our time. Doors will open at 6:30 pm at Paradiso's Restaurant in Kenai. For more information please call Kris at 776-7693 or Rita at 399-3252.

Thank you: for your contributions of \$2245.18 to Saint Vincent DePaul during last week's second collection.

Calendar for April 7— April 13, 2008

April 7, Monday: Noon Mass
Morning prayer, 7:30am

April 8, Tuesday: Noon Mass
Morning prayer, 7:30am

April 9, Wednesday: Noon Mass
Morning prayer, 7:30am
Last Super Wednesday Class

April 10, Thursday: Noon Mass
Morning prayer, 7:30am
Eucharistic Adoration starts after noon Mass

April 11, Friday: Noon Mass
Morning prayer, 7:30am
Eucharistic Adoration continuous from yesterday, ends before noon Mass

April 12, Saturday: 5pm Mass
Reconciliation, 4:00pm

April 13, Sunday: 9am and 11:30am Masses

Parish Directories are available for pickup in the foyer. Donations are accepted.

2008 OLPH Relay for Life Team is forming NOW! Sign up at the Relay table in the foyer after all three Masses this weekend to help raise money and walk in the event at Skyview High School on **May 30th & 31st.**

You can also purchase a paper candle in honor/support of a loved one to add to our OLPH Relay for Life banner. Candles are available for \$1.00 each, can be personalized, and will adorn the banner our team will carry around the track to begin the Relay.

We are also looking for prizes to include in a Relay Raffle. If you have a product or service you'd like to donate, please let us know. Fishing trips, product baskets, quilts, homemade items, gift certificates, services (house cleaning, meals, etc.) are all great raffle items.

You can also use your credit card to donate to the OLPH Relay for Life Team online at www.centralpeninsularelay.org. Click on 'View Teams', click on OLPH, then click on 'Donate' and follow the prompts.

To donate Relay Raffle items, sign up as a Team Member, or for any questions, please contact OLPH Relay for Life Team Co-Captains Holly West at 260-2076 or via email at aksnowflake@gmail.com or Sheilah-Margaret Pothast at 262-8551 or via email at agr8fulmom@hotmail.com.

One Bread, One Body: Watch for a letter this week from Archbishop Schwietz about the 2008 ONE BREAD, ONE BODY Annual Appeal. Please consider sharing the gift of your treasure with ministries of our local Church that serve remote and rural parishes and missions; provide faith formation and continuing education opportunities for our children, youth, adults, lay ministers, clergy and religious; the programs of Catholic Social Services and 297-7700.

Saturday, April 12, 2008 5:00pm	Sunday, April 13, 2008 9:00am 11:30am
Presider: Fr. Joe	

Eucharistic Ministers:

Carm Bongiovanni	Kate Forrest	Shirley Aleckson
Jane Fellman	Tonilyn Spring	Kathy Culling
John Pothast	Remy Spring	Karen Evans
Charlotte Sponsel	Gloria Sweeney	Lynn Senette
Krys Williams	Mike Sweeney	Jim Stogsdill

PLEASE NOTE: The **LAST** two ministers of the Cup back to the credence table after communion, please purify the cups prior to sitting down.

Lectors:

1st reading: Tamara Slone	1st reading: Lauri Kapp	1st reading: Pat Cowan
2^{ns} reading: Jackie Swanson	2nd reading: Charlie Miller	2^{ns} reading: Scott Earsley

Altar Servers:

Grey Hansen	Kyle Shassetz	Robert Johnson
	Justice Elson	

Mop & Bucket: 4/7-4/12: Tom Houglum family

Collection Counters: 4/13: Connie Gatling & Jacquie Moxey

**Please pick a name from the basket in
the foyer to pray for the student who is
to receive First Eucharist on May 4th.**

**Brianna Vollertson
Madison Steiner
Korie Gilmore
Cody Quelland**

**Vanessa Steiner
John Mark Pothast
Kelli Arthur
Daniel Stenehjem**