

# Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Catholic Community

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

February 6, 2011

Served by the Missionary Oblates of  
Mary Immaculate

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PARISH MISSION  
STATEMENT:

*We, the faith community,  
accept the call of God to  
participate in the mission of  
Jesus Christ by  
Proclaiming the Gospel and  
living the reign of God  
among us as disciples.*

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**SUNDAY LITURGY:** Saturday 5:00pm & Sunday 10:00am

**YOUTH MASS/ACTIVITY:** 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday each month at 4:00pm

**WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE:** Tuesday through Friday, 12:05pm

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:** Thursday 12:45pm — Saturday 4:00 to 4:45pm

**Adoration of Blessed Sacrament:** Thursdays 12:30pm — Fridays 12:00 noon

**Sacrament of Anointing of Sick or Communion: Available during the Sunday Masses, or as needed. Because of HIPAA laws, parishioners need to notify us if going to the hospital. Remember to request Anointing of the Sick before surgery — please call the parish @ 262-4749.**

**Sacrament of Baptism:** for children – Parents Prep. class required. Call Marlys for reservations.  
Best done prior to birth.  
for adults – Contact the office about RCIA  
for children 8 and older; RCIC classes — please call our Office

**Sacrament of Marriage:** 6 month process (several classes and FOCUS Test and/or Engaged Encounter, or Couple to Couple...contact a priest.

**Funerals:** contact parish office immediately after the death.

**Prayer Chain:** [pjham@alaska.net](mailto:pjham@alaska.net), Pat Hamilton 262-5250

**Sexual Abuse Victim Assistance Coordinator:** Marlys Verba

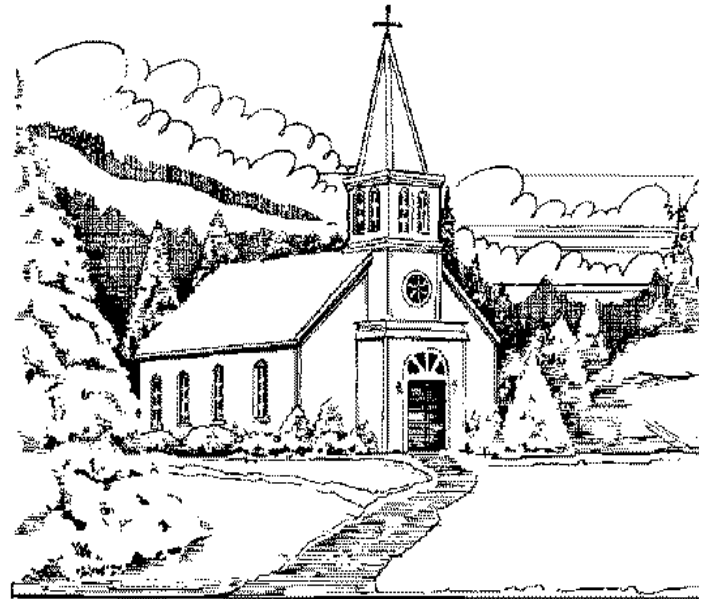
Please Note: Submissions/articles for the weekly bulletin via email must be in by Thursdays at noon to Marlys: [marlys.verba@gmail.com](mailto:marlys.verba@gmail.com) and, you may send a copy to: [knowledgeisstrength@hotmail.com](mailto:knowledgeisstrength@hotmail.com). Thanks!

## Calendar for February 7, 2010 - February 13, 2011, with Daily Readings

<b>February 7, Monday:</b> <b>Morning Prayer 7:30am</b>  <b>Centering Prayer 8:15am</b>	<b>February 8, Tuesday:</b> <b>Morning Prayer 7:30am</b> <b>Mass 12noon</b> <b>Legion of Mary 12:45pm</b> <b>Just Faith 1:00pm-3:00pm</b> <b>Teen Music Practice 7:00</b>	<b>February 9, Wednesday:</b> <b>Morning Prayer 7:30am</b>  <b>Mass 12noon</b> <b>RCIA meeting 6:30pm</b>	<b>February 10, Thursday:</b> <b>Morning Prayer 7:30am</b>  <b>Mass 12noon</b>	<b>February 11, Friday:</b> <b>Morning Prayer 7:30am</b>  <b>Mass 12noon</b> <b>Vigil 5:00pm</b>	<b>February 12, Saturday:</b> <b>RCIC Meeting 1:00pm</b>  <b>Reconciliation 4:00pm</b> <b>Mass 5:00pm</b> <b>ACTS 6:00pm</b>	<b>February 13, Sunday:</b> <b>Mass 10am</b>  <b>GOF 11:15am until 2:15pm</b>
<b>Gn 1: 1-19</b> <b>Ps 104: 1-2a, 5-6, 10, 12, 24 &amp; 35c</b> <b>Mk 6: 53- 56</b>	<b>Gn 1: 20-2: 4a</b> <b>Ps 8: 4-5, 6-7, 8-9</b> <b>Mk 7: 1-13</b>	<b>Gn 2: 4b-9, 15-17</b> <b>Ps 104: 1-2a, 27-28, 29bc-30</b> <b>Mk 7: 14-23</b>	<b>Gn 2: 18-25</b> <b>Ps 128: 1-2, 3, 4-5</b> <b>Mk 7: 24-30</b>	<b>Gn 3: 1-8</b> <b>Ps 32: 1-2, 5, 6, 7</b> <b>Mk 7: 31-37</b>	<b>Gn 3: 9-24</b> <b>Ps 90: 2, 3-4abc, 5-6, 12-13</b> <b>Mk 8: 1-10</b>	<b>Sir 15: 15-20</b> <b>Ps 119: 1-2, 4-5, 17-18, 33-34</b> <b>1 Cor 2: 6-10</b> <b>Mt 5: 17-37 or 5: 20- 22a, 27-28, 33-34a, 37</b>

### OBLATE MISSIONARIES

Fun Facts about the Missionary Oblates of Mary Immaculate! The Missionary Oblates of Mary Immaculate in China collaborate well with an organization called **China Little Flower**, helping to extend the love of Christ to abandoned disabled children. Every week a group of children come to the Oblate residence where they play games and watch movies while they learn about the Christian faith. How sweet.



### Saturday, February 12, 2011, 5:00pm

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Rick Dukowitz, Sue Dukowitz, Margaret Johnson, Bill Sadler, Ruthann Truesdale

**Lectors:** **1<sup>st</sup> Reading:** Linda Houglum **2<sup>nd</sup> Reading:** Charles Miller

**Altar Server:**

### Sunday, February 13, 2011, 10:00am

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Helen Bowers, Karen Evans, Lynn Senette, Danna Spring, Shirley Twohy, David & Laurie Stropes

**Lectors:** **1<sup>st</sup> Reading:** Chuck Henry **2<sup>nd</sup> Reading:** Barb O'Lena

**Altar Server:**

**Mop & Bucket 2/7-2/12:** Jack Blackwell Family

**Collection Counters: 2/13:** Karen Dorcas & Cathy Haas

## FEBRUARY TEEN EVENT!

Sunday, February 20, 2011 The snow arrived just in time! We will be going to Homer for EXTREME TUBING. COST: 13 years and under = \$20.00 / 14 years and older = \$22.00 - \$5.00 is included in this amount for food. SCHEDULE: Leave OLPH @ 10am. (Eat a good breakfast before arriving at OLPH.) Arrive @ Extreme Tubing site @ 12 noon. Tube til 3pm. Head to Homer Church (St. John's) for Mass @ 3:30pm. Deli sandwiches in the social hall at St. Johns (4:30) and then head back home @ 5pm. Arrive OLPH @ 6:30ish. Permission slips must be turned in this weekend - February 13. BUT... **An EXTRA Liability Form for Xtreme Tubing MUST be completed before you can leave OLPH to go tubing. Pick one up at church on teen board and fill it out. Either turn it in ahead of time in the completed forms box on bulletin board or have it with you when you arrive for tubing. Your parent must sign this form, so don't forget it and your money.** REMEMBER this is an outside event. Bring snow gear, gloves, hats, boots, water bottles. It is up to you to stay warm. Call Tonilyn 262-8478, Rose 252-9465 or Brenda 262-5432.

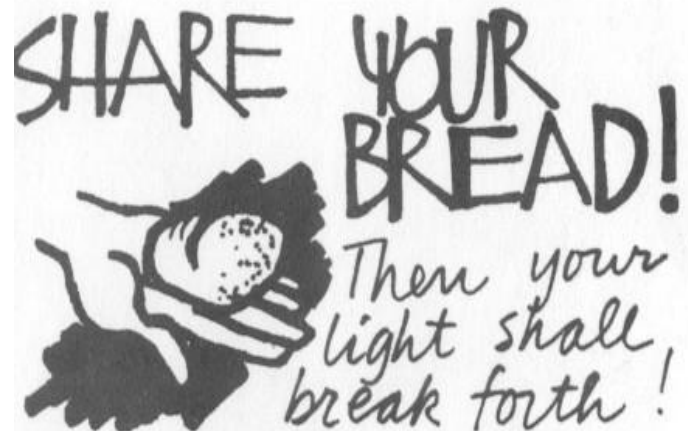
## PLEASE GIVE

Next weekend, you will be asked to give to the Annual National Collection for the Black & Indian Missions. Your Archdiocese receives a generous annual grant from the Black & Indian Mission Office to support our missions in remote communities and our Archdiocesan Alaska Native Ministry, and to help provide scholarships for some of the African American and Alaska Native Students enrolled in our Catholic Schools. Please prayerfully consider making a gift next weekend.



*JESUS LOVES YOU*

**Taste of New Orleans Cajun Dinner Dance and Auction Put on by the Yacht Club Saturday February, 19<sup>th</sup> 6pm to ? B.Y.O.B. You must be 21 to attend. Proceeds to benefit Teen Mission Trip to New Orleans during Spring Break \$20.00 PER COUPLE TICKET. ONLY 100 TICKETS SOLD. A few items that will be in the Auction are a 6 pack of home brew by the priests and a dinner for ?? at the Rectory cooked by the priests. Too many items to mention all of them. The Menu will be: Pastalya, Red Beans & Rice Saladw/Shrimp, Cornbread, Bread Pudding, and Pecan Pie. HELP SUPPORT OUR TEENS! THEY ARE OUR FUTURE LRADERS! Tickets will be sold after both masses Feb. 5th &6th and Feb.12th and13th.**



## RELAY FOR LIFE

Being on an American Cancer Society Relay For Life team is an amazing experience! Picture the scene: you're surrounded by your family and friends, urging each other on to make another lap around the track, and the air is filled with the sound of laughter and sometimes tears, as our community celebrates those who have fought cancer, remembers the loved ones we've lost, and fights back against a disease that has taken too much from too many. It would be an honor to have you on our team for this year's Relay For Life. The American Cancer Society is saving lives by helping people stay well, helping people get well, by finding cures, and by fighting back. Join us June 3rd and 4th at Skyview High School. Watch for team sign-up sheets coming soon. For additional information call Alyson at 262-5622 or DeeDee 262-9747. Are you ready to join the fight?

## JUSTICE CHALLENGE

The first reading for Sunday is from the prophet Isaiah. We are challenged by God's Word: "Share your bread with the hungry, shelter the oppressed and the homeless; clothe the naked when you see them, and do not turn your back on your own" (Isaiah 58: 7-8). Your challenge this week is to choose one of the following works of mercy to live out God's Word in the world: 1. go through your closets and donate good clothes to a homeless shelter; 2. go grocery shopping and buy several extra foodstuffs, then donate them to the local food bank; 3. volunteer at a Habitat for Humanity build or donate money or resources to a homeless shelter.

## SAFE ENVIRONMENT

Safe Environment Training is available and necessary for anyone working with youth or vulnerable adults involved in ministries at our church. The training is found on the web at

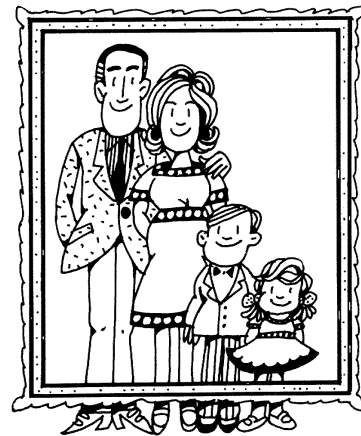
1. Archdiocese of Anchorage.org.
2. Safe and Sacred Environment
3. Log on
4. Identify your name, password, and parish.
5. Choose one of the sessions and complete it.
6. Have the Certificate sent to [marlys.verba@gci.com](mailto:marlys.verba@gci.com). Safe Environment Segments for our children will be presented today in the faith formation classes. Please see Marlys if you have any questions. Thank you!

If you should have a **pyx** you've used for communion calls, please return them to the Sacristy so they may be used by others. Thank you.



## GOF

"Living Faithfully" is the topic for the February 13th GOF. We will explore the 4th commandment, "Honor your Father and Mother". The Teens/Adults will also explore the 6th/9th commandments. The presenter is Jenny Michaelson from the Tribunal at the Chancery. A sign-up sheet is in the foyer. Please remember that child care is not routinely provided unless we know there is a need. Please indicate it on the sign-up sheet. Please join us at 11:15am for a light lunch. The event goes until 2:15pm.



## STEWARDSHIP MOMENT

Jesus said to His followers "You are the light of the world...your light must shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your heavenly Father." Christian stewards allow the light of Christ to shine through them to reach others. A good reflection question for the week: In what ways do we allow the light of Christ to shine through us?

February 11 is National Shut-in Visitation Day. It is a day set aside to remind us not to neglect those who by reason of age, illness, or other infirmity are confined in their homes, long-term care facilities or other institutions. Perhaps there is a person you can visit to model the healing presence of Christ.