

Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Catholic Community

July 31, 2011

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Served by the Missionary Oblates of
Mary Immaculate

222 West Redoubt Avenue Soldotna, AK

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Office Hour 9am-3pm Tuesday-Fridays

Closed on Mondays

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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 and 5:00 pm including weekend of August 28th

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. Class scheduled **August 2 at 7:00pm**
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, 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 Thanks!

Calendar for August 1, 2011 - August 7, 2011, with Daily Readings

August 1, <u>Monday:</u> Morning Prayer 7:30am	August 2, <u>Tuesday:</u> Morning Prayer 7:30am	August 3, <u>Wednesday:</u> Morning Prayer 7:30am	August 4, <u>Thursday:</u> Morning Prayer 7:30am	August 5, <u>Friday:</u> Morning Prayer 7:30am	August 6, <u>Saturday:</u> Reconciliation 4:00pm	August 7, <u>Sunday:</u> Mass 10:00am
Centering Prayer 8:15am	Mass 12:05 Legion of Mary 12:45pm Fulfilled in your Hearing 6:00pm Father Ken 7:00pm BAPTISM CLASS 7:00PM	Mass 12:05	Adoration Mass 12:05	Mass 12:05	Mass 5:00pm	Mass 5:00pm
Nm 11: 4b-15 81: 12-13, 14-15, 16-17 Mt 14: 22-36	Nm 12: 1-13 51: 3-4, 5-6ab, 6cd-7, 12-13 Mt 14: 22-36	Nm 13: 1-2, 25- 14: 1, 26a-29a, 34-35 106: 6-7ab, 13-14 21-22, 23 Mt 15: 21-28	Nm 20: 1-13 95: 1-2, 6-7, 8-9 Mt 16: 16-23	Dt 4: 32-40 77: 12-13, 14-15, 16 and 21 Mt 16: 24-28	Dn 7: 9-10, 13-14 97: 1-2, 5-6, 9 2Pt 1: 16-19 Mt 17-1-9	1Kgs 19: 9a, 11-13a 85: 9, 10, 11-12, 13-14 Rom 9: 1-5 Mt 14: 22-33

OLPH TRIVIA

In what year was O'Neill Hall built?

SALE

On July 30th we will have a "Christmas in July" sale with baked goodies and crafts. This will go to help support the mission in Mukuru Kenya, Africa.

RAFFLE

Raffle tickets are available in the foyer to raise funds for the Redemptorist Memorial Garden. Prizes include a one-of-a kind pottery fish platter with antique silver utensils accompanied by 4 salmon fillets and canned salmon, a French braid wool quilt, and a set of men's and ladies woolen mittens and hat. The raffle drawing will be on Labor Day week-end at our 50th anniversary festivities.

There will be a second collection for St. Vincent de Paul the weekend of July 30 and 31st. Please give.

Saturday, August 6, 2011, 5:00pm

Eucharistic Ministers: Kathy Bongiovanni, Carm Bongiovanni, Margaret Johnson, Bill Sadler, Ruthann Truesdell

Lectors: 1st Reading: Carolyn Cannava 2nd Reading: Jackie Swanson

Altar Server: please check in

Sunday, August 7, 2011, 10:00am

Eucharistic Ministers: Terry Moxey, Sharon Shassetz, David & Laurie Stropes, Shirley Twohy, Jim & Alyson Stogsdill

Lectors: 1st Reading: Kevin Woodvine 2nd Reading: Shannon Dwyer

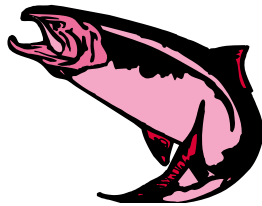
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Mop & Bucket 8/1-8/6 Craig Johnsrud Family

Collection Counters: 8/7: Kathryn Dunagan and Cathy Haas

A STEWARDSHIP MOMENT

In today's Gospel we find an equation the disciples of Jesus couldn't solve: Five loaves and two fish divided by 5,000- plus people. They failed to recognize Jesus in the equation; that whatever they had to offer, Jesus could take it and bless it and satisfy the hunger of the crowd with it. Good stewards recognize that the Lord can work miracles with the gifts they offer to a hungry and broken world. How often are we willing to offer our gifts in faith, even as insignificant as we think they are, and count on the Lord to do the rest? How often do we count Christ into the equation?



FATHER KEN

Father Ken Hannon, OMI, is here with us for some time. He is presently teaching at Oblate School of Theology in systematic theology, primarily sacramental theology, liturgy and ecclesiology. He will be presenting several sessions while here. This upcoming TUESDAY, August 2, the Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors, and Music Ministry are invited to talk about their role in creating dynamic liturgies. This will be a 7pm in the hall. The following Sunday August 7, after the Sunday Mass, Father Ken will give a presentation on the upcoming implementation of the Roman Missal at a continental breakfast given for everyone in the hall. This presentation will be repeated on Tuesday, August 9th at 7pm in the hall. On Monday, August 8th, there will be a presentation on Sacred Space/Environment of the church. Everyone is invited to this presentation also, which will hopefully generate some ideas for the sacred space in the assembly area. If you have any questions, please see Marlys or call the office: 262-5542

YOUR ADORATION IS NEEDED

There is an adoration opening at our Soldotna Parish. Please do consider spending time with our Eucharistic Lord every Friday early morning 1am and 4am. Help with this time is gratefully appreciated! Substitutes are available. Try it out while you are here for the summer. Call Maria at 262-1703 with questions or to sign-up for a trial run. Thank you.

WISH LIST

We have completed another conference/office space in O'Neill Hall. We are in need of some items to furnish it. If you are cleaning house, getting new furniture etc; we are in need of a desk, table & chairs and a few comfortable side chairs as well as a lamp, and pictures for the walls. Monetary donations would also be graciously accepted. Please see Marlys or Father Roger. Thank you.

Faith Formation Fun Day

Sunday, August 21, at 11:15 a.m. on the Church grounds. Register for Fall classes Pre-school to Adults. Games, Jumping Junction, and Lunch!

Please bring chips, veggies, fruit or cookies to share. Hot dogs provided by the church.

LOCKED

We have been having some mischievous incidents here on the church campus which have been occurring more frequently. Due to that, please be aware that the church buildings will be locked at 5-6pm in the evening. If, for some reason, you need to get into the church building, please let us know ahead of time; We are sorry for this, but we are being good stewards of our buildings.