



Our Lady of Perpetual Help

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Catholic Community Served by the Missionary Oblates of Mary Immaculate

MASS SCHEDULE:

SUNDAY LITURGY

Saturday 4:00 pm

Sunday 9:00 am

WEEKDAY MASS:

Tues - Fri 12:05 pm

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Thurs 12:30 pm to Fri noon.

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9am to 4pm Tues-Thurs

9am to noon Friday

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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.



Trinity Sunday
May 26th, 2013

SACRAMENTS

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Thursday: 12:45 pm and Saturday 3:15 – 3:45 pm

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

Infants / children – Parents Preparation class is required. Call Marlys for reservations (best done prior to birth).

Adults – Contact the office about RCIA

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.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK OR COMMUNION:

Anointing of the sick will be June 29th and 30th after mass

NOTE: Because of privacy laws, parishioners need to notify us if going to the hospital. Remember to request Anointing of the Sick before surgery — please call the parish at 262-4749.

FUNERALS: Contact parish office immediately after the death.



Please Note: Submissions/articles for the weekly bulletin via email must be in by Wednesday at noon to Marlys: marlys.verba@gmail.com.

Calendar for May 27th – June 2nd

MONDAY, 5/27/2013	
Readings: Sir 17:20-24 PS 32:1-2, 5, 6, 7 Mk 10:17-27	Events: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Morning Prayer 7:30am • Centering Prayer 8:15am
TUESDAY, 5/28/2013	
Readings: Sir 35:1-12 PS 50:5-6, 7-8, 14 and 23 Mk 10:28-31	Events: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Morning Prayer 7:30am • Mass 12:05 pm
WEDNESDAY, 5/29/2013	
Readings: Sir 36:1, 4-5a, 10-17 PS 79:8, 9, 11 and 13 Mk 10:32-45	Events: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Morning Prayer 7:30am • Mass at 12:05 pm • THE WAY Café • Catholicism DVD #10 O'Neill Hall at 7:30pm • RCIA class at 6:30pm
THURSDAY, 5/30/2013	
Readings: Sir 42:15-25 PS 33:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 Mk 10:46-52	Events: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Morning Prayer 7:30 am • Mass at 12:05 pm • Adoration 12:45 pm until Friday at noon • Men's Acts @ 6pm
FRIDAY, 5/31/13	
Readings: Zep 3:14-18a Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6 Lk 1:39-56	Events: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Morning Prayer 7:30 am • Adoration until noon • Mass 12:05pm • Men's Group: 6:30 am-8 am at O'Neill Hall • Relay for Life at the Sports Center, 6 pm – Sat at 2 pm
SATURDAY, 6/1/2013	
Readings: Sir 51:12 cd-20 PS 19:8, 9, 10, 11 Mk 11:27-33	Events: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reconciliation 3:15-3:45 pm • Mass 4 pm • Relay for Life at the Sports Center until 2 pm
SUNDAY, 6/2/2013	
Readings: Gn 14:18-20 Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4 1 Cor 11:23-26 Lk 9:11b-17	Events: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mass 9 am



Greenhouses

Sunday, June 9th, Jeff Rypka, one of our parishioners will give an informal presentation on greenhouses, specifically the high tunnel versions; come and get inspired!!! We will meet in the hall at 10:15am for some refreshments and the presentation.



Senior Birthday Party

We will be celebrating and honoring our senior (85+ years) parishioners on Tuesday, June 4th with a Mass at noon followed by a NO-HOST luncheon at FROSO'S at 12:45pm. If you would like to join us for lunch, please RSVP on the bulletin board for planning purposes at FROSO'S. We are blessed to have so many of these guests here with us each week at Mass; Please join us in honoring and celebrating their gifts that they bring to our faith community. Contact person: Thelma Antila, 262-9443

**Saturday 4:00pm
June 1st, 2013**

Lectors:
1st Reading:
Judy Nelson
2nd Reading:
Rob Queland

Eucharistic Ministers:
 • Shirley Aleckson
 • Aida Burgess
 • Kathy Culling
 • Joe Deveaux
 • Mary Lou Nushart

Servers:
Kevin Woodvine

**Sunday 9:00 am
June 2nd, 2013**

Lectors:
1st Reading:
Linda Houglum
2nd Reading:
Kyra McCabe

Eucharistic Ministers:
 • Myrna Cowan
 • Bob Evenson
 • Helen Knopp
 • Marguerite McIntosh
 • Terry Moxey
 • Tom Osland
 • Rose Henry

Servers:
 Danny McIntosh,
 Hannah and
 JohnMark Pothast

Mop & Bucket 5/26-6/1:
Tom and Linda Houglum Family

Collection Counters 6/2:
Kathryn Dunagan & Cathy Haas

Children's Liturgy of the Word:
Join us in September

THE WAY CAFE



We are now serving at THE WAY cafe **every Wednesday**. (The Way is located behind the Kenai Merit Inn in Kenai.) If you are interested in helping in this ministry, you are invited to come to The Café any Wednesday any time from 3:30 to 7pm and see what it is all about.

The servers for May 29th are:

- Lynn F
- Mary F
- Pat H (person in charge)
- Bruce E

The servers for June 5th are:

- Tess M
- Jim F
- Pat H (person in charge)
- Jane F

If you are interested in helping at THE WAY, an Alaska food handler's card is necessary; Take the short food handler test at:

alaska.state.gov/foodworker.

Once you have your card, please bring it to Marlys and you will be scheduled to help.

Items needed at the WAY cafe:

- #10 cans of fruit
- #10 cans of beans
- Spaghetti Sauce

Next BROWN BAG Ministry: June 2nd

MILITARY CARE PACKAGES

This ministry will begin collecting donations of food and/or cash through June 16th for the support of our troops. There will be a table set up in the foyer beginning next Sunday with information and a list of suggested donations. Please sign the list if you have a family member or know of someone serving in the military that would like to receive a care package for July 4th. Please remember each of our soldiers in support, gratitude and prayer. For further information: Theresa: 398-9882 / Katy: 262-1221.

Upcoming Liturgical Services

- **Feast of Corpus Christie** procession after mass on June 2nd
- **Recognition and honoring of married senior couples** June 23rd during Sunday liturgy.

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Alaska Catholic Youth Conference (ACYC) is scheduled for June 3-6th, 2013 at St. Benedict's church, 8110 Jewel Lake Road, Anchorage. "Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations." Join us for a week of fun and fellowship with hundreds of Catholic youth, national speakers, a concert, service projects and much more. We do have a group of students attending and if you would like to join them, please contact Sheillah-Margaret Pothast for more information.

Feast of Corpus Christi Procession

On Sunday, June 2, after the 9am Mass, we will have a procession in conjunction with the Feast of Corpus Christi; liturgical processions occur during the Mass every Sunday, of which the entrance, offertory and Communion processions are the most frequent. Solemn processions can occur on Palm Sunday or the Feast of Corpus Christi. The Feast of Corpus Christi is a celebration, with great joy, of the gift of the Eucharist. Jesus, by giving us his Body and Blood, gave us the possibility of new life.

A procession provides a vivid image of the Church; a body of pilgrims moving through time following the lead of the Lord. We would like the First Communicants from April 14th, to participate with all their finery, if they will. We will process from church to the hall, the Redemptorist Center with a brief stop at the Blessed Mother and then back to church for the final blessing. Please join us. Any details or questions, please contact Marguerite or Danny McIntosh.

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A special thanks goes to Alice Schweink and helpers for all their hard work organizing and doing the Relay for Life garage sale. If you have not done so, please sign up to walk with our parish team at the relay, which starts Friday night at 6pm and goes to 2pm on Saturday at the Sports Center on K-Beach.

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A Celebration of Marriage



June is one of the most popular months to get married; so, for the month of June, we would like to recognize and honor the married couples in our parish. During the liturgy on Sunday, June 23rd, we will recognize the couples in our parish who have been married, 40, 50, or 60 plus years with a renewal of vows and a reception in their honor. We would invite ALL married couples to share their wedding photos in the foyer during the month of June. There is a signup sheet for the couples we will be honoring at the special liturgy so we might know who they are. Please take a few moments to register.

THE MONTH AHEAD

- **May 31st to June 1st:** RELAY FOR LIFE PARISH TEAM at the Sports Center
- **June 2nd:** Feast of Corpus Christi Procession and celebration
- **June 2nd:** Brown Bag Ministry
- **June 4th** Senior birthday no-host luncheon at Froso's

A.C.T.S ANNOUNCEMENTS

There will be a **garage sale** at Our Lady of Perpetual Help in Soldotna June 13-15th. All proceeds will go to both the men's and woman's ACTS retreats. You can drop off items the week prior at the Redemptorist Center Monday thru Thursday. We are looking for helpers to set up, run, and clean up. Any questions call Ruthann Truesdell 262-4570

The **Commissioning Mass** for the Ladies who will be leading the Woman's ACTS retreat in October will be held Sunday, June 2 at Our Lady of the Angels in Kenai. Please help us pray for the ladies on team.

The ACTS community will be having a **Pot Luck** and overnigher for our faraway guests Friday, June 28 at St. Theresa's Lakeside Resort. There are RV spaces with full hook up for interested parties and the Mussman's would provide breakfast for those staying the night. If you are interested in coming to the Potluck please call Steve Mussman 398-3937.

ONE BREAD, ONE BODY

The ministries of your local Church seek to enrich the faith lives of children and adults, and those of all cultures to bring them closer to God.

Your support of these ministries, through the One Bread, One Body Annual Appeal, helps make possible ongoing faith formation for your Archdiocese's priests, deacons, religious and lay leaders. Your gift also supports life-long faith formation opportunities presented at Holy Spirit Center and in our parishes and missions throughout Southcentral Alaska.

Have you shared your gift of treasure through the 2013 One Bread, One Body Annual Appeal yet? If not, please pledge your gift this weekend, so you can help continue to create the Masterpiece that is your Archdiocese.

The amount of your gift matters far less than your participation as an active steward of these vital ministries.

Your Archdiocese's Mission

The Catholic Archdiocese of Anchorage is a people of many cultures, called by the love of Christ to proclaim the Gospel, celebrate the sacraments and give witness through joyful lives of prayer and service.

Help your Archdiocese Go Green! Give online: www.archdioceseofanchorage.org/donate.



Earth Angels

The Earth Angels did an awesome job cleaning up our roadways this week. Thank you to all who helped. We will continue the **cleaning of our own church grounds on Sunday, June 2nd** beginning after Mass at 10:30am; we will have hotdogs and chips around 12:30 pm for those who can come and help. Bring your rakes and cleaning supplies for windows.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

There is an opening for adoration on THURSDAYS from 10 to 11 p.m. Please consider trying out this time for a month or for the summer. Call Maria at 262-1703. Thank you!