



# Our Lady of Perpetual Help

✠ 222 west redoubt avenue ✠ soldotna, ak 99669 ✠

Catholic Community Served by the Missionary Oblates of Mary Immaculate

## MASS SCHEDULE:

### SUNDAY LITURGY

Saturday 5:00 pm

Sunday 10:00 am

### WEEKDAY MASS:

Tues - Fri 12:05 pm

### ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

12:30 pm Thursday to 12 noon  
on Friday

## CONTACT US: PARISH OFFICE

### Office Hours:

Closed on Monday; 9:00 am to

3:00 pm Tuesday - Friday

Franceska Robinson, Secretary,

Phone: 262-4749

### Parish Office Phone: 262-5542

Website - [www.olph.cc](http://www.olph.cc)

Access to We Share

Email - [olph@alaska.net](mailto:olph@alaska.net)

### PASTORS:

#### Fr. Roger Bergkamp, OMI

#### (Lead pastor)

262-4749, Option 3

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#### Fr. Bob Leising, OMI

262-4749, Option 3

[bobleising@hotmail.com](mailto:bobleising@hotmail.com)

#### Fr. Tom Rush, OMI

262-4749, Option 3

### PARISH LIFE COORDINATOR:

#### Marlys Verba

262-5542 / 262-4749 option 4

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[marlys.verba@gmail.com](mailto:marlys.verba@gmail.com)

### SEXUAL ABUSE VICTIM ASSISTANCE COORDINATOR:

Marlys Verba: contact info above

### PRAYER CHAIN:

[tairtrvl@gmail.com](mailto:tairtrvl@gmail.com)

For verbal prayer requests, please call the parish office.

## 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.



FEAST OF THE DEDICATION OF THE LATERAN  
BASILICA

November 9<sup>th</sup>, 2014

## SACRAMENTS

### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

- Thursday: 12:45 pm and Saturday 4:15 – 4:45 pm

### SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

- Infants / children – Parents Preparation class is required. Contact the parish office to register.
- Children 8 and older - Contact the office to register for RCIA
- Adults – Contact the office to register for RCIA

### SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:

- Please contact the parish office for preparation of marriage, allowing at least 6 months.

### ANOINTING OF THE SICK OR COMMUNION:

- Anointing of the sick will be **January 24<sup>th</sup>/2<sup>th</sup>, 2015** 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: 262-4749
- Homebound individuals wishing to receive the Eucharist need to contact the parish office.

FUNERALS: Contact parish office immediately after the death.



Please Note: Submissions/articles for the weekly bulletin must be submitted via email by Wednesday at noon to Marlys [marlys.verba@gmail.com](mailto:marlys.verba@gmail.com).

Calendar for November 10<sup>th</sup> - November

MONDAY, 11/10/2014	
<b>Readings:</b> TI 1:1-9 PS 24:1B-2,3-4AB,5-6 LK 17:1-6	<b>Events:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Morning Prayer 7:30am</li> <li>• Centering Prayer 8:15am</li> <li>• Renew Meeting at noon O'Neill Hall</li> <li>• Renew Meeting at 6:30 O'Neill Hall</li> </ul>
Tuesday, 11/11/2014	
<b>Readings:</b> TI 2:1-8,11-14 PS 37:3-4,18and23,27and29 LK 17:7-10	<b>Events:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Morning Prayer 7:30am</li> <li>• Daily Mass: 12:05 pm</li> <li>• Renew Meeting at 1pm O'Neill Hall</li> <li>• Renew Meeting at 6:30 O'Neill Hall</li> </ul>
Wednesday, 11/12/2014	
<b>Readings:</b> TI 3:1-7 PS 23:1B-3A,3BC-4,5,6 LK 17:11-19	<b>Events:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Morning Prayer 7:30am</li> <li>• Daily Mass: 12:05 pm</li> <li>• RCIA Class @ O'Neill Hall 6:30pm-8:30pm</li> <li>• Confirmation Class: 6-8pm</li> </ul>
Thursday, 11/13/2014	
<b>Readings:</b> PHILM 7-20 PS 146:7,8-9A,9BC-10 LK 17:20-25	<b>Events:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Daily Mass: 12:05 pm</li> <li>• Daily Mass followed by adoration until Friday Noon</li> <li>• Men's ACTS Retreat begins at OLA 5-6pm</li> </ul>
Friday, 11/14/2014	
<b>Readings:</b> 2JN 4-9 PS 119:1,2,10,11,17,18 LK 17:26-37	<b>Events:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Men's group at hall: 6:30am-8am</li> <li>• Adoration continues until Mass time</li> <li>• Daily Mass: 12:05 pm</li> </ul>
Saturday, 11/15/2014	
<b>Readings:</b> 3JN 5-8 PS 112:1-2,3-4,5-6 LK 18:1-8	<b>Events:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reconciliation 4:15-4:45pm</li> <li>• Mass at 5pm</li> </ul>
Sunday, 11/16/2014	
<b>Readings:</b> PRV 31:10-13,19-20,30-31 PS 128:1-2,3,4-5 1THES 5:1-6 MT 25:14-30	<b>Events:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mass 10 am</li> </ul>

November 10 <sup>th</sup> – November 16 <sup>th</sup> 2014	
<b>Mops and Bucket Crew</b>	Peter Thomson Family
<b>Collection Counters</b>	Pat Cowan Myrna Cowan November 16 <sup>th</sup>
<b>Children's Liturgy of the Word</b>	Ruthann Truesdell Ava Gabler

**Saturday 5:00pm**  
November 15<sup>th</sup> 2014

**Lectors:**  
Rob Quelland  
Dennis Murray

**Eucharistic Ministers:**  
Kathy Bongiovanni  
Carm Bongiovanni  
Joe Deveaux  
Linda Hutchings  
Holly Wes

**Servers:**  
Leah McCabe  
Belle Henry

**Sunday 10:00 am**  
November 16<sup>th</sup> 2014

**Lectors:**  
Linda Houglum  
Pat Cowan

**Eucharistic Ministers:**  
Rose Henry  
Sean McGuire  
Sharon Shassetz  
Thelma Antila  
Bruce Emerson

**Servers:**  
Jackson Blackwell

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## THE MONTH AHEAD

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**November 9<sup>th</sup>** - Adult Education: New Evangelism: O'Neill Hall at 11:15am

**November 13<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup>** - Men's ACTS Retreat

**November 18<sup>th</sup>** - Liturgy Appreciation Evening @ 6:30pm in Fireweed Hall

**November 19<sup>th</sup>** - Confirmation Class at 6-8pm

**November 22<sup>nd</sup>** - Filipino Potluck dinner after Mass at 6pm in Fireweed Hall

**November 30<sup>th</sup>** - Altar Server Appreciation Gathering @ O'Neill Hall at 3pm

**December 9<sup>th</sup>** - Evening of Remembrance at 7pm

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## UPCOMING LITURGICAL SERVICES

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**November 27<sup>th</sup>** - Thanksgiving Mass 10am

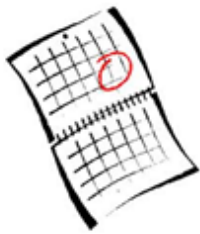
**December 8<sup>th</sup>** - Solemnity of Immaculate Mary Mass at noon

**December 11<sup>th</sup>** - Advent Reconciliation at 7pm

**December 24<sup>th</sup>** - Christmas Eve: Children's Mass at 5pm

**December 24<sup>th</sup>** - Evening Mass at 9pm

**December 25<sup>th</sup>** - Christmas Day Mass at 10am



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## ALTAR SERVER

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On the bulletin board is the upcoming ALTAR SERVER list. Please sign up before **December 1<sup>st</sup>** for the weekend liturgies and also add your email address. Thank you for participating in this important ministry.

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## ACTS NEWS

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Men's ACTS retreat happens this week. Gathering time at OLA is from 5-6pm on Thursday, with a send off service from 6 to approx. at 6.20.

Community Service is right after the 5:30 Saturday Mass at OLA.

Return Mass is on Sunday morning at OLA, followed by reception.

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## SIMPLE REMINDER

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Please be reminded that no food or drinks are allowed in the assembly area of the church.

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## FACILITIES MAINTENANCE COORDINATOR

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Bill Sadler is our new facilities maintenance person. He is responsible for oversight of the safety, maintenance, cleanliness and smooth functioning of our buildings, equipment and grounds.

Clipboards have been placed in the buildings on campus. Our responsibility is to note any supplies or repairs needed on those. He is not responsible for Hall rental questions related to usage or rental of the hall.

See Marlys or call the office for that information.

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## CHRISTMAS CHILD SHOEBOXES

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Christmas Child Shoeboxes are available for pickup. Please fill the box with items for a child in the appropriate age noted. This is an opportunity to share the Good News of Jesus Christ with someone in another country through Samaritan's Purse.

Please include \$7/box for handling. Boxes are to be returned to the foyer by the weekend of **November 22<sup>nd</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup>**.

Have questions then please see Ruthann.

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## **STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 9<sup>th</sup>**

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As today is the Feast of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica in Rome, each of the readings relates in some way to churches — the buildings in which we worship. The Lateran Basilica is the official Church of Rome and the Pope, not St. Peter with which we tend to associate the Vatican. The first reading from Ezekiel speaks of the temple and the holy, living waters which flow from it. Ezekiel 47 reminds us that what occurs inside the church building is incredibly important, the Eucharist, called in the Catechism of the Catholic Church, the “source and summit of our Christian life.” Churches and holy waters are a principal part of our Catholic faith. We enter the church through Baptism, and as we enter our Catholic churches, we find holy water to remind us of that Baptism and to prompt us to remember that we are in a holy place, a place where we gather as a community, united as the Body of Christ. We are the stewards of this church, this holy place where we can disregard the burdens of the world and join together to receive the life giving waters of the Word and the Eucharist. Yes, we are the church, but there is more to it than that. As Paul wrote to the Ephesians: “In him you are also being built together into a dwelling place for God.”

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## **FRED MEYER REWARDS**

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Our Fred Meyer rewards for this quarter have arrived. From 39 households we received a \$501.67 return. If you have not registered for this program yet, please do so. To register, go to [www.fredmeyer.com/community](http://www.fredmeyer.com/community) rewards and search for us by our name or by our non-profit number (#87764).

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## **FAITH FORMATION**

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Confirmation Class will meet again on **November 19<sup>th</sup>** at 6pm-8pm. The Steiner/Hills families will provide food for that evening class.

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## **YOUTH MINISTRY**

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Parents and high school students are invited to a brain storming session for suggested upcoming activities/dates. Your input is needed for the success of the upcoming events. We will meet on **November 9<sup>th</sup>** at 11:15am in Fireweed Hall in the back corner of the room. Please drop by for conversation.

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## **BISHOP ATTIC**

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Looking for an adult and a high school student who want to help make a difference to the community. Peninsula Bishop Attic is looking for both an adult and a high school student who would donate their time and talent by joining the Board of Directors staff. We meet once a month and determine how we can help the Kenai Peninsula charitable organizations. If you are interested or have questions , please call Alex Zerbinos at 398-4894.

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## **2014 CCHD COLLECTION**

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Next weekend, our Archdiocese will hold a second collection in support of the Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD). CCHD provides funding both here in Alaska and across the nation to initiatives that fight the root causes of systemic, generational poverty. CCHD empowers individuals to enact meaningful change in their lives and communities. Please prayerfully consider a gift to this important collection. Thank you!