



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

Tuesday - Thursday 8:00 am to
3:00 pm

Parish Office Phone: 262-5542

Website - www.olph.cc

Access to We Share

Email - olph@alaska.net

PASTORS:

Fr. Roger Bergkamp, OMI
(Lead pastor)

262-4749, Option 3

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Fr. Tom Rush, OMI

262-4749, Option 3

Fr. Ron Meyer, OMI

262-4749, Option 3

PARISH LIFE COORDINATOR:

Marlys Verba

262-5542 / 262-4749 option 4

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marlys.verba@gmail.com

SEXUAL ABUSE VICTIM ASSISTANCE COORDINATOR:

Marlys Verba: contact info above

PRAYER CHAIN:

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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.



FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

July 9th, 2017

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 **September 2nd/3rd, 2017** during 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.

Calendar for July 10th - 16th 2017

Monday, 7/10/2017	
Readings: GN 28:10-22A PS 91:1-2,3-4,14-15AB MT 9:18-26	Events: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Centering Prayer: 8:15am at Church at Community Room
Tuesday, 7/11/2017	
Readings: GN 32:22-33 PS 17:1B,2-3,6-7AB,8B and 15 MT 9:32-38	Events: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Morning Prayer 7:30am Daily Mass: 12:05pm Centering Prayer 7pm at Community room
Wednesday, 7/12/2017	
Readings: GN 41:55-57; 42:5-7A, 17-24A PS 33:2-3,10-11,18-19 MT 10:1-7	Events: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Morning Prayer 7:30am Daily Mass: 12:05pm
Thursday, 7/13/2017	
Readings: GN 44:18-21,23B-29; 45:1-5 PS 105:16-17,18-19,20-21 MT 10:7-15	Events: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Morning Prayer 7:30am Daily Mass: 12:05pm Followed with Adoration until Friday at noon Reconciliation available after Mass at 12:30pm
Friday, 7/14/2017	
Readings: GN 46:1-7,28-30 PS 37:3-4,18-19,27-28, 39-40 MT 10:16-23	Events: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Men's Group 6:30am-8am Morning Prayer 7:30am Daily Mass: 12:05pm Perpetual Garage Sale 9-4pm Redemptorist Center
Saturday, 7/15/2017	
Readings: GN 49:29-32; 50:15-26A PS 105:1-2,3-4,6-7 MT 10:24-33	Events: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Perpetual Garage Sale 9-3pm Reconciliation 4:15-4:45pm Mass at 5pm
Sunday, 7/16/2017	
Readings: IS 55:10-11 PS 65:10,11,12-13,14 ROM 8:18-23 MT 13:1-23	Events: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mass at 10am

July 10 th – July 16 th 2017	
Mops and Bucket Crew	Stephen Humphreys family
Collection Counters	July 16 th
Children's Liturgy of the Word	Resumes in September

Saturday 5:00 pm
July 15th 2017

Lectors:
RuthAnn Truesdell
Dennis Murray

Eucharistic Ministers:
Pat Murray
Judy Snell
Jan Johnson
Michaleen Gross
William Gross
Connor Gross
Patrick Gross

Servers:
Erika Arthur
Kellie Arthur

Sunday 10:00 am
July 16th 2017

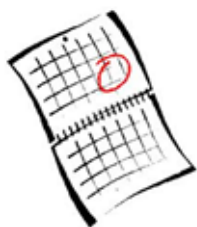
Lectors:
Karl Kircher
Melissa Thomson

Eucharistic Ministers:
Cindy Kircher
Ron O'Lena
Sharon Shassetz
Terry Moxey
Jacquie Moxey
Thelma Antila

Servers:
Faith Glassmaker
Cameron Blackwell

THE MONTH AHEAD

July 14th -15th - Perpetual Garage Sale
July 22nd - 23rd - Bake Sale and Craft Sale after Masses
July 23rd - A Place at the Table 4-6pm
August 5th - Conference call re: Parish Twinning at 9am
August 10th - Seminarian Dinner at Lumen Christi High School 6pm-8:30pm



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FATIMA CENTENNIAL TOUR

The International Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Our Lady of Fatima as part of the Fatima Centennial U.S. Tour for Peace, in honor of the 100th anniversary of the Fatima apparitions is coming to Anchorage.

Join one of all of these events:

July 26th: St. Benedict Parish, Youth Event 7-9pm. Holy Hour at 6pm

July 27th: Monastery of the Blessed Sacrament during Open Hours

July 28th: Holy Family Cathedral, special event starts at 7pm

July 29th: St. Patrick Parish, special event 9am-noon

SEMINARIAN DINNER

Curious about what life is like for a Seminarian? Come out on August 10, 2017 and meet the current group of seminarians – your future priests. Enjoy dinner and learn about a day in the life of a seminarian. Bring your wallet and your tennis shoes for the lively Dessert Dash!

To reserve your tickets go to <https://www.archdioceseofanchorage.org/events/seminarian-dinner/>

PERPETUAL GARAGE SALE

Please keep us in mind as you are cleaning, disposing of or downsizing this summer. Bring your treasures to the Redemptorist Center for the Perpetual Garage Sale with proceeds to various needs/ministries of the church.

Please drop your items off at the entrance to the Redemptorist Center. The next session of garage sales will be from **July 13th -14th** with the proceeds to the new church sign. There is a need for help on Wednesdays at 10am of the week of the sales, to organize and straighten new items.

Please contact Alice for further info: 260-8080.

If you would be able to help with the garage sales themselves, please sign up on the sheet on the bulletin board, even if for only a few hours, that would be appreciated.



ABC PREGNANCY CARE CENTER CELEBRATE LIFE 5K RUN AND WALK

The Celebrate Life! 5K Run and Walk on Saturday, **August 5th**, starts at Soldotna Bible Chapel with an 8:30am registration and the run / walk begins at 10:00am.

The registration, participant t-shirt and brunch are all free! All ages are invited, the Jumpin' Junction Jump House and Soldotna Bible Chapel's Fun House will be available for the children. Donations are welcomed.

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK OF JULY

9TH

Does the Holy Spirit dwell within you? If you are a baptized and confirmed Catholic the answer is a resounding "yes." However, a better question might be "Is the Holy Spirit alive within you?" We are all gifted with the Holy Spirit, but how we respond to that gift varies immensely from one person to another. St. Paul says as much in the Second Reading from his letter to the Romans. Paul says, "Whoever does not have the Spirit of Christ does not belong to Him. If the Spirit of the one who raised Jesus from the dead dwells in you, (He) will give life to your mortal bodies also." This produces a number of other questions for us as Catholics.

Given that the Spirit is within us, but does the Spirit guide us to Jesus? Are we prepared to be more like Jesus? Are we willing to be His disciple? And especially, Is the Spirit working in our hearts? It is there for each of us, to strengthen us and fortify us and to be with us always. However, we have to accept and embrace that fact. Living a life of stewardship is one of the ways we can do that. As our Bishops have told us in their pastoral letter on stewardship, "Stewardship is how you respond to Jesus' call to discipleship and holiness."

It is a challenge for sure, but it is within the grasp and the capability of each of us. We may have to work at it, but if we trust in God it is most definitely possible.



ADORATION

Adoration time Available on Thursdays. Want to try out an hour of adoration time with our Lord? The hour of 12:30pm - 2pm is available. Contact Pat at 262-780 if interested.

OBOB 2017

The people of our faith community have pledged (\$36,650) to this year's One Bread, One Body Annual Catholic Appeal. If you haven't already, please join this effort to nurture the ministries of your local Church.

Make your pledge securely online at www.archdioceseofanchorage.org/donate.

We have \$36,650 pledged for our goal of \$33,553. Please know that you can continue to pledge to the campaign until December 2017.

We are very grateful to those who have already pledged to this.



THE 2017 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

2017 ST. FRANCIS STEWARDSHIP AWARDS

Who in your parish inspires you to be a great steward of Christ? Be sure to nominate them for the 2017 St. Francis Stewardship Awards before August 25. To nominate someone from your parish, please visit <https://www.archdioceseofanchorage.org/st-francis-stewardship-awards> for nomination form and instructions. Winners will be announced at an awards banquet on **October 5, 2017**.

Hard copy of the nomination form maybe found on the bulletin board.

