



# 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 9:00 am to 3:00 pm

Wednesday 9:00 to 7:00pm

### 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

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

**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

Cell Phone: 252-5954

[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.



FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

February 10<sup>th</sup>, 2019

## 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 **March 2<sup>nd</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup>, 2019** 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](mailto:marlys.verba@gmail.com).

Monday, 2/11/2019	
<b>Readings:</b>  GEN 1:1-19  PS 104:1-2A,5-6,10and12,24and35C  MK 6:53-56	<b>Events:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Centering Prayer: 8:15am at Church at Community Room</li> <li>Choir Practice at 3pm</li> </ul>
Tuesday, 2/12/2019	
<b>Readings:</b>  GEN 1:20 – 2:4A  PS 8:4-5,6-7,8-9  MK 7:1-13	<b>Events:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Morning Prayer 7:30am</li> <li>Centering Prayer at 7pm</li> <li>No Daily Mass. Area Meeting</li> </ul>
Wednesday, 2/13/2019	
<b>Readings:</b>  GN2:4B-9,15-17  PS 104:1-2A,27-28,29BC-30  MK 7:14-23	<b>Events:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Morning Prayer 7:30am</li> <li>Daily Mass: 12:05pm</li> <li>Faith Formation Class</li> </ul>
Thursday, 2/14/2019	
<b>Readings:</b>  GN 2:18-25  PS 128:1-2,3,4-5  MK 7:24-30	<b>Events:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Morning Prayer 7:30am</li> <li>Quilting Ministry begins meeting at Fireweed 10-3pm</li> <li>Daily Mass: 12:05pm</li> <li>Adoration followed after Mass</li> <li>Theology of the Body class in Fireweed Hall at 6-7:30pm</li> </ul>
Friday, 2/15/2019	
<b>Readings:</b>  GN 3:1-8  PS 32:1-2,5,6,7  MK 7:31-37	<b>Events:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Men's Group 6:30am-8am</li> <li>Adoration until Mass</li> <li>Morning Prayer 7:30am</li> <li>Daily Mass: 12:05pm</li> </ul>
Saturday, 2/16/2019	
<b>Readings:</b>  GN 3:9-24  PS 90:2,3-4ABC,5-6,12-13  MK 8:1-10	<b>Events:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Reconciliation 4:15-4:45pm</li> <li>Mass at 5pm</li> <li>The Mass DVD series Class #5. Community room at 4pm</li> <li>Filipino potluck after Mass</li> <li>Ice Fishing Expedition at 10am. Meet at Sports Lake</li> </ul>
Sunday, 2/17/2019	
<b>Readings:</b>  JER 17:5-8  PS 1:1-2,3,4and6  1COR 15:12,16-2  LK 6:17,20-26	<b>Events:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mass at 10am (Children Led Mass)</li> <li>The Mass DVD series Class #5. Community room after Mass</li> </ul>

February 11 <sup>th</sup> – February 17 <sup>th</sup> 2019	
<b>Mops and Bucket Crew</b>	Carlos Valenzuela
<b>Collection Counters</b>	Connie G. Kathy F. February 17 <sup>th</sup>
<b>Children's Liturgy of the Word</b>	Karl K. Cindy K.

**Saturday 5:00pm**  
February 16<sup>th</sup>  
2019

**Lectors:**

Dave Nelson  
Judy Nelson

**Eucharistic Ministers:**

Sean Maguire  
Donna Cotman  
Jan Johnson  
John Pothast  
Pat Murray

**Servers:**

Danny McIntosh  
Zac Buckbee

**Sunday 10:00am**  
February 17<sup>th</sup>  
2019

**Lectors:**

Joe McElroy  
Barb O'Lena

**Eucharistic Ministers:**

Jim Fellman  
Jane Fellman  
Krys Williams  
Dr. McIntosh  
Cindy Glassmaker

**Servers:**

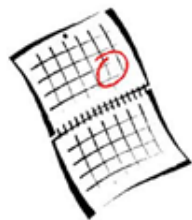
Isabella Valenzuela  
Isaac Wohlers

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## THE MONTH AHEAD/ LITURGICAL SERVICES

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**January 27<sup>th</sup> – February 17<sup>th</sup>** – Food Bank Food Drive  
**February 9<sup>th</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup> -12<sup>th</sup>** – Bishop Baron DVD Series on Eucharist. On Saturdays – 4pm, on Sundays – 11:15am  
**February 7<sup>th</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup>** – KAIROS retreat at Wildwood  
**February 11<sup>th</sup>** – Choir practice at 3pm  
**February 12<sup>th</sup>** – No daily Mass. Peninsula Parish Meeting  
**February 16<sup>th</sup>** – Ice Fishing Expedition at 10am. Meet at Sports Lake  
**February 16<sup>th</sup>** – Filipino Potluck after Mass  
**February 17<sup>th</sup>** – Follow up Oktoberfest brainstorming in Fireweed after Mass  
**February 19<sup>th</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup>** – No Daily Mass  
**March 2<sup>nd</sup>** – Hospitality Ministry Baking in Fireweed at 10am  
**March 2<sup>nd</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup>** – Anointing of the Sick at Mass  
**March 6<sup>th</sup>** – Ash Wednesday. Mass at noon and 6pm  
**March 8<sup>th</sup>** – Soup Supper at 5:30pm  
Stations of the Cross at 6:30pm



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### FOOD BANK DRIVE

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In these uncertain times for many of the people in our community, and an increase in Food Bank visits, the supplies are diminishing. We would like to host a food drive for the Food Bank, from **January 27<sup>th</sup> to February 17<sup>th</sup>**, to replenish some of their resources. In specific, any pastas, peanut butter, canned fruits/vegetables, spaghetti sauce, or soups.

Thank you in advance for your charity, help with this important help to our community.

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## LITURGY TRAINING PUBLICATION COMPANY

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We have an opportunity for some online virtual classroom presentations by the Liturgy Training Publication company.

Specifically, those involved in some of our liturgical ministries; Eucharistic Ministers and lectors. The sessions are 1 1/2 hour long and will be hosted in O'Neill Hall.

The time is 3:30pm-5pm. If you are interested in any of the topics, please come. Any Questions find Marlys.

The topics/dates are as follows:

**February 19<sup>th</sup>:** Eucharistic Spirituality: Living as Christ for One Another

**March 12<sup>th</sup>:** Techniques for Effective Proclaiming: Public Speaking Skills to Bring God's Word to Life

**March 26<sup>th</sup>:** The Word of the Lord at Mass: Understanding the Lectionary

**April 9<sup>th</sup>:** Literar Genres in the Lectionary: Proclaiming the Different Forms of Scripture:

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## BLACK AND INDIAN MISSION COLLECTION

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Next week, our parish will take up the annual National Black and Indian Mission Collection. Our support of this collection helps build the Church in African American, Native American, and Alaska Native communities from coast to coast. Schools, parish religious education programs, and diocesan ministries depend on your generosity to help them spread the Gospel of Jesus Christ!

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## STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK OF FEBRUARY 10<sup>TH</sup>

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Our readings today remind us of the great privilege we have in calling ourselves children and disciples of the Most High God. The First Reading from Isaiah describes a vision of the prophet in which angels surround the Lord. They proclaim, "Holy, holy, holy is the LORD of hosts! All the earth is filled with his glory!" Our God invites us to such deep intimacy and friendship with Him that we sometimes can forget just how majestic and unspeakably holy He truly is.

While we can approach Him with the confidence of a child before his father, we must also remember the deep reverence and awe that we owe to Him. This sense of awe and reverence should motivate us to deepen our stewardship way of life as well. As we contemplate the holiness of God, we come to a heightened awareness of what a privilege it is that He has chosen to include us in His work of spreading the Gospel to others through the grateful sharing of the gifts He has given us. We can make the words of the prophet Isaiah our own: "Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, "Whom shall I send" Who will go for us? Here I am, I said, send me!" The theme of awe before God continues in the Gospel passage from Luke, where we again see the juxtaposition of a God who is so near to us, yet who is altogether holy and powerful. In this passage we find Jesus preaching to a crowd who is pressing in on Him to listen. (What an inspiring image! Do we "press in" as we listen to the readings proclaimed in Mass with this same sense of wonder and urgency?) In response, Jesus uses very ordinary means so that the crowd can hear Him. He simply gets into one of the nearby boats belonging to Simon so that His voice will better carry over the water. He finishes speaking and then tells Simon the fisherman to lower his nets for a catch. Simon is skeptical about this instruction but obeys, putting his fishing talents to use as Jesus asks.

The result is a catch of fish beyond Simon's wildest imaginings. Overwhelmed, he fell at Jesus' knees, "for astonishment at the catch of fish they had made seized him and all those with him." When we truly embrace a stewardship way of life, putting our talents, time and treasure at the service of the most High God, we, too, will be astonished at what God will do. Our lives may take a direction beyond our wildest imaginings.

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## ICE FISHING EXPEDITION FOR BOYS

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Ice Fishing Expedition for boys, grades 3/4th and up and a parent on **February 16<sup>th</sup>**.

We will be gathering at Sports Lake for the ice fishing at 10am.

Bring ice fishing poles, if you have them. We'll have a warming fire and hot chocolate.

For more specifics: call Katherine: 394-9940.

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## MEMORIAL

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A long-time parishioner Roland Cusson has passed away this week.

He was a very faithful helper with the collection each Sunday. A few months ago, they moved to Arkansas to be near family.

Please remember them in your prayers during this time.

A memorial service is planned sometime this summer.

Donna's address for cards:

193 Olympic Drive,  
Mountain Home, Arkansas 72653

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## KAIROS UPDATE

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Sunday, **February 10<sup>th</sup>** is the closing ceremony for the retreat.

Please be at the Building 10 by 1:30pm for entrance for the ceremony.

Leave your cellphone in the car, bring only your car keys and ID into the building.