



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

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Access to We Share

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(Lead pastor)

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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.



EASTER SUNDAY
THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

April 21st, 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 **April 27th/28th, 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.

Monday, 4/22/2019	
Readings:  ACTS 2:14,22-33  PS 16:1-2Aand5,7-8,9-10,11  MT 28:8-15	Events: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Centering Prayer: 8:15am at Church at Community Room
Tuesday, 4/23/2019	
Readings:  ACTS 2:36-41  PS 33:4-5,18-19,20and22  JN 20:11-18	Events: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Morning Prayer 7:30am Centering Prayer at 7pm Daily Mass: 12:05pm
Wednesday, 4/24/2019	
Readings:  ACTS 3:1-10  PS 105:1-2,3-4,6-7,8-9  LK 24:13-35	Events: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Morning Prayer 7:30am Daily Mass: 12:05pm Faith Formation Class 6-7pm
Thursday, 4/25/2019	
Readings:  ACTS 3:11-26  PS 8:2ABand5,6-7,8-9  LK 24:35-48	Events: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Morning Prayer 7:30am Daily Mass: 12:05pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacraments follows after Mass
Friday, 4/26/2019	
Readings:  ACTS 4:1-12  PS 118:1-2and4,22-24,25-27A  JN 21:1-14	Events: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Men's Group 6:30am-8am Daily Mass: 12:05pm Adoration until noon
Saturday, 4/27/2019	
Readings:  ACTS 4:13-21  PS 118:1and 14-15AB,16-18,19-21  MK 16:9-15	Events: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reconciliation at 4:15pm Mass at 5pm (Anointing of the sick during Mass)
Sunday, 4/28/2019	
Readings:  ACTS 5:12-16  PS 118:2-4,13-15,22-2  REV 1:9-11A,12-13,17-19  JN 20:19-31	Events: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mass at 10am (Anointing of the sick during Mass) A Place at the Table 4-6pm in Fireweed

April 22 nd – April 28 th 2019	
Mops and Bucket Crew	Parish Family
Collection Counters	Bob S. Myrna S. April 28 th
Children's Liturgy of the Word	Anne B.

Saturday 5:00pm April 20th 2019

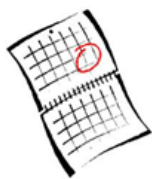
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Sunday 10:00am April 21st 2019

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THE MONTH AHEAD/ LITURGICAL SERVICES

April 21st – Easter Sunday mass at 10am with Parish Easter Brunch following Easter activities for the children
April 27th – 28th – Anointing of the sick during Mass
April 28th – Place at the Table 4-6pm
April 30th – Pastoral Council Meeting at 6:30pm in Fireweed
May 4th – First Eucharist Retreat at 9am in O'Neill Hall
May 5th – First Eucharist Mass at 10am
May 11th – Spring clean-up of OLPH grounds and buildings 10-1pm
May 15th – Virtual Classroom on Anointing of the sick at 9am in O'Neill Hall
May 17th -18th – First Perpetual Garage Sale of the season 9am-4pm
May 18th – Earth Angels first clean-up of our highway mile at 1pm
June 9th – Western Peninsula Wide Catholic picnic at OLPH 11am Mass



The
Month
Ahead

PERPETUAL GARAGE SALE

We will begin collecting items for the Garage sale on **April 1st** for the garage sales beginning in May. As you begin Spring cleaning, please think about us! The money earned have gone to Relay for Life, and other parish ministries: Outreach, New Parish Sign, and youth ministry. The doors to the Redemptorist Center will be open from Tuesday-Saturday from 9-4pm for dropping of items.

We appreciate all of your treasures!
First Garage Sale is **May 17th - 18th**, 9-4pm. Proceeds to the Relay for LIFE. If you would like to help with the organizing of the items, please come on Tuesdays and Thursdays, from 10-noon.

2019 ARCHBISHOP'S GOLF TOURNAMENT

Save the Date!!!
Reserve your spot today to play in the 2019 Archbishop's Golf Tournament on Thursday, **June 27, 2019** at Settlers Bay Golf Course in Wasilla, AK. Register yourself or a team of four at www.archdioceseofanchorage.org/archbishops-golf-tournament.

WESTERN PENINSULA CATHOLIC PICNIC COMMUNITY

Looking forward to the Summer: June 9th is the planned annual Western Peninsula Catholic Community gathering for Mass at 11am and followed with a picnic, games and other activities. The planning meeting on Tuesday was very productive. If you would like to help with a certain committee, please contact the chairperson as noted to volunteer:

1. Food Committee: Bob/Sharon Shassetz
2. Games/activities: Katherine Quelland /Rachael DeReave
3. OMI's tribute: need a Chairperson
4. Logistics: Set up/take down: ALEX Zerbinos
5. Registration: Marguerite McIntosh
6. Photographer: need
7. Clean Up Committee: Barb Dilley
8. Liturgy: Liturgy Committee

Many hands are needed for the various committees. Please help where you can.

A heads up for that weekend; Saturday Mass usual. Sunday Mass is at 11am

THANK YOU

Our Lady's Rosary makers would like to thank everyone for the generosity in donations for the shipping of rosaries.

If anyone wants to help more in our mission, we could use your helping hands to produce the rosaries. No experience is necessary for assembly line.

Come at 10-12 Wednesday mornings in Fireweed.

Mathew Cannava would like to say thank you for the card and well-wishes from the Parish. They really meant a lot!

PROJECT FOR THE HOMELESS

In trying to incorporate Lent 4.2 into our lives, please help OLPH with an upcoming project for the homeless. We need clean plastic bags of any size. There will be a collection box in the Narthex. We will be making sleeping mats for the homeless. I will be doing a demonstration on the process at the Western Peninsula Picnic, but I need your help. Bring your plastic bags; RECYCLE, REPURPOSE!

Thank you! For questions, call Ruthann at 252-7337

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT FOR

He is risen! He is truly risen! This is what the celebration of Easter is all about — the truth that Jesus was crucified for our sins and three days later rose from the dead, conquering death once and for all.

We know it's true, but this Easter Sunday, let's ask ourselves if we live as if it's true. Do we live as witnesses to the glorious reality of the Resurrection?

A witness, of course, is one with first-hand knowledge. Our readings today focus not only on the Resurrection itself, but also on those who were witnesses to it.

In the Gospel, St. John describes the very first witnesses to the empty tomb, Mary Magdalene, John ("the disciple whom Jesus loved"), and Peter. Each had an individual "experience" of the empty tomb. Each went up close to see for themselves what Jesus' love had accomplished. How can we as Christian stewards all these years later see for ourselves and so become His witnesses? We "see for ourselves" when we prayerfully read the Scriptures knowing they are a living love letter from God with a message to each one of us. We "see for ourselves" each time we receive the precious Body and Blood of our Lord in the Eucharist. We "see for ourselves" when we experience His personal and healing power in our hearts during Reconciliation. We "see for ourselves" when we pour out our lives in loving service to those around us and experience the deep satisfaction that only comes when we are imitating our Savior.

This Easter, resolve to live as if the saving power of the Resurrection is true. Experience Jesus for yourself every day from now on. You will be a powerful witness to the truth that He is risen! He is truly risen!



ACYC

The Alaska Catholic Youth Conference is coming to a parish near you on **June 2 – 7** and there's a discount for those that register during the month of April. This year's theme is *The Joy of Our Faith*. Together, we'll unpack the notion of Pope Francis that "A Christian is never bored or sad. Rather, the one who loves Christ is full of joy and radiates joy." The week includes time in the Mat-Su, where we'll hike the Butte, and an optional extension to the Kenai Peninsula on Thursday night and Friday. Please visit <http://bit.ly/2019ACYC> for more information and to register today. Contact Matthew Beck at 907-297-7734 or mbeck@caa-ak.org with concerns and questions.

EASTER LILY REMEMBRANCE

Thank you to those who've blessed us with Easter Lilies in memory of their loved ones during this Holy Season.

Lilies may be picked up after the **May 5th** liturgy.

Please continue to pray for these loved ones: Cecilia and George Heier, Rose and Nick Zerbino, Joseph Dilley, Mary Ellen Nimershiem, Joe Vachowski, Trevor Dukowitz, Helen Thompson, John and Eileen Smith, John Bonk, Jr, Mike and Sophie Bonk, Jim Workman, Bill Reeder Sr., Wool Family, Newton Family, O'Shella Family, Hal Alsip, Tanner family, Marchiano family, Shirley Sandercock, Pat and Wes Kennedy, Layton Batey, Emily Ermold, Antila Family, Ross Family, Hutchings family, Dolly Farnsworth, Hisa Nemoto and Bill.

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

