

Parish News

Come join our team of Volunteers at this summer's VBS!

We are looking for Adults or older youth (grade 9 and up) to lead groups at camp this summer. Can you help!

VBS July 9th-13th, 9:00-12:30 pm

Group Leaders : Teach a bible story with your group of children and take them through each station.

Snack Leader : Preparation of snack each day, supervise youth helpers in the kitchen.

Decorating Leader: Assist Sharon overseeing youth as they set up and decorate the week before camp on July 3-5th.

Games Leader: lead children in games everyday (usually outdoors)

Youth Volunteers: Finished Grade 6 and up. Youth volunteers set up the week before camp on July 3-5th, help out in crafts, games, snacks and help with leaders in groups.

VBS is run totally by volunteers. Please consider helping out. This is a week of fun and excitement. We need many hands to help at camp for either a day or the week.

Please note: all volunteers need to have a Police Check, Intervention Check and Called to Protect. Contact **Sharon Darbyshire @ sdarbyshire@olph.ca**

Join us at SONQUEST Rainforest VBS this summer

Your children will follow Jesus on a life-changing journey!

DATE: July 9th-13th

AT: OLPH Parish

AGE: PreK (already 4 years old) - Finishing Grade 5 as of June 2018

COST: \$60.00 per child

Registrations will be available April 27th

For more info contact **Sharon Darbyshire** at

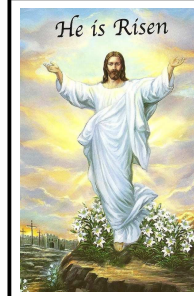
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OLPH Parish Financial Report (Week 13) March 24 & 25, 2018

A more detailed breakdown of the budget can be found at www.olph.ca or at the Parish Office

Financial Report March	ORDINARY RECEIPTS	BUILDING FUND
Average Weekly Cost of Running the Parish (Based 2018 budgeted amount)	\$25,000.00	Weekly Target Amount \$2,596.00
Donations March 25	\$22,359	\$2,054
Shortfall Week 13	-2,641	- \$542
YTD Shortfall	- \$43,258	-\$2,180



Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish

A Roman Catholic Christian Community

We come together at our Lord's invitation to worship God, celebrate the sacraments, and deepen our faith. We strive to be thankful, generous and welcoming, and are sent forth to help advance God's Kingdom on earth by proclaiming the Gospel and serving others.

April 1, 2018 Easter Sunday Cycle B

Welcome to our Easter Celebrations!



Welcome to Our Lady of Perpetual Help parish and welcome to our Easter Triduum celebrations. Sisters and brothers in the Lord, whether you are visiting us, this Easter weekend, whether you have been away for a while, whether you are new to our parish, whether you have been here for many many Easters, please know that you are always welcome in our parish community. The commonality that we share is that we are all children of God, the young and the not so young, we are God's children. Together, we have come to celebrate the saving mystery of our faith. The Passion, Death and Resurrection of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Friends, this is a special moment for us and in the life of our Church. Please know that every time we celebrate the Holy Eucharist we are part of a very special moment in our own lives and that of God's saving plan.

May our Lord bless you and your families with abundant graces and Easter joy as we celebrate the resurrection of our Lord. May you know that at OLPH you and yours are always welcome.

With love and prayers on behalf of OLPH parish
Your brother in Christ

Fr. Jim



**Divine Mercy Chaplet
April 8th at 12:00 pm**

Chaplet of Divine Mercy/Exposition of The Blessed Sacrament Sunday, April 8th at 12:00 pm. Prayed on ordinary rosary beads, the Chaplet of The Divine Mercy is an intercessory prayer that extends the offering of the Eucharist, so it is especially appropriate to use it after having received Holy Communion at Holy Mass. It may be said at any time, but our Lord specifically told St. Faustina to recite it's prayer during the nine days before the Feast of Mercy (the first Sunday after Easter). He then added: "By this Novena, (of Chaplets) I will grant every possible grace to souls." ***There is a box in the foyer for your prayer intentions which will be offered at the Divine Mercy.***

*We Remember, We Celebrate, We Believe 13 Brower Drive, Sherwood Park, AB T8H 1Y7
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Archdiocesan website: <http://www.caedm.ca>*

Parish & Community News

KofC/CWL Lunch for Inner City Pastoral Ministry A few more willing hands are still needed to help prepare sandwiches & vegetables on Saturday April 7 (9am-12noon in the kitchen). Several more volunteers are needed to assist with final preparations, serving, and clean-up at Bissell Centre on Sunday April 8 (9am-1:30pm). Baking donations are welcome as well! Please contact **Michael** at (780) 886-4389 or grandknight@kofc6083.org or cwloiph@gmail.com



Reminder of CWL General Meeting

General Meeting will be held on Monday, April 9th at 6:30 pm at OLPH Parish, downstairs in the Meeting Room. All members welcome!

Our Lady of Peace Cemetery Mass - Saturday, April 7th

We invite you and your family and friends to attend this celebration of Faith and Hope as we remember and pray for our loved ones who have died. The Mass is held at 9:30 am at Our Lady of Peace Columbarium 4814 Meridian Street, Edmonton, Alberta. Msgr. Jack Hamilton will preside the celebration.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Are you looking for a way to increase the love and romance in your marriage? Do you need time just for the two of you? A Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend may be the answer. Our next weekend in Edmonton will be **April 20-22**. For more information call 780-464-2874, or to register online visit <http://www.wwme.org/find-a-weekend>.



LIVING ROSARY - OLPH PARISH TUESDAY, MAY 1, 2018 at 7:00 PM

Symbolon: Knowing the Faith

Session 6: The Paschal Mystery

Why do Christians worship a crucified God?

We've all heard that Christ died for our sins and rose again on Easter, but what does it mean? In this original Augustine Institute production, Dr. Edward Sri opens our eyes to the deeper meaning behind the fundamental mystery of our Christian faith.

To get your FREE SUBSCRIPTION to FORMED: Visit www.olph.ca/formation and click on the Formed link – the parish code is already entered for you. Complete the simple registration process and start using FORMED today! Need help?

"Symbolon is giving me an understanding of my Catholic faith that I never got growing up!" –Anonymous

Watch on formed.org

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ON DEMAND.

Contact **Robert** at 780-416-4771 or rgaudet@shaw.ca

Liturgy Schedule

Mon. Apr. 2 — Sun. April 8
Weekday Mass 7 days a week at 8:30 am

Monday: 8:30 am Mass

Tuesday: 8:30 am Mass, 6:15pm Mass

Wednesday: 8:30 am Mass,

Thursday: 8:30 am Mass, 6:15 pm Mass

Friday: 8:30 am Mass, 9:15 am Adora & Expos.

Until 6:15 pm with Benediction & Mass

Saturday: 8:30 am

Sunday: 8:30 am Mass, 10:30 am Mass and 5:00 pm Mass.

St. Francis of Assisi, Tofield, AB

Sunday Mass: 11:00 am

RECONCILIATION

1/2 hour prior to all weekday Masses and from 9:15 am to 11:00 am on Saturday or by appointment.

OFFICE HOURS:

Easter Monday - Closed

Tuesday - Friday 8:00 am - 8:30 pm

Saturday & Sunday 7:30 am - 6:30 pm

Open during lunch hour

Pastor

Fr. Jim Corrigan - jcorrigan@olph.ca

Associate Pastors

Fr. Raj Savariappan - rajfather@olph.ca

Fr. Joe Glaab, OFM - jglaab@olph.ca

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Betty Donovan - pastoralcare@olph.ca

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Acting business manager - Raylene Yuzyk
ryuzyk@olph.ca

Administrative Assistants

Lorraine Dotto - ldotto@olph.ca

Jenny Velazco - jvelazco@olph.ca

† In Loving Remembrance....

We extend our deepest sympathy and the assurance of the prayers of God's people here at Our Lady of Perpetual Help to:

The Family & Friends of **Marion Hynes. Marion** died March 19th in Edmonton.



OLPH Prayer Laudators

We pray for others. Confidentiality is respected at all times.

Contact **Doreen** 780-467-0597 or

Josie 780-467-0197.



This Week's Mass Intentions.....

Mon. Apr. 2: Aristide & Lituina Gabucci†, Francesco Minarchi†

Tues. Apr. 3: Werner Koser†, Elaine Allen † Mureal Hynes†, Heather Barker

Wed. Apr. 4: Kevin Healey†, Mureal Hynes†, Trudi Bloski, Pauline Orlando & Family, Jamie Fedeniak, Dan Protasiwich†, Jason, Margaret, Kalia, Jenieve & Judah James

Thurs. Apr. 5: Mui Lau Yip Kam† Lucille Atkins, Alan Maudie

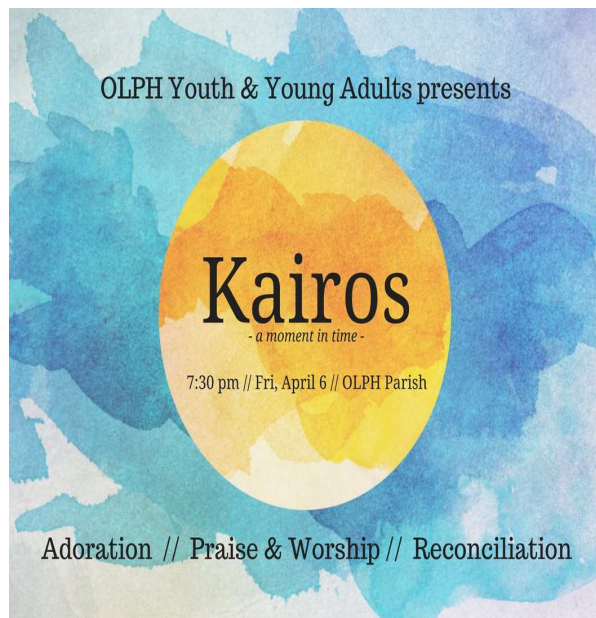
Fri. Apr. 6: Denise Black†, James Wenger†

Sat. Apr. 7: Ethan Weleschuk

Community News

COUPLES FOR CHRIST and its Family Ministries, an international association of the faithful, is inviting all parishioners to their Christian Life Program (CLP) at OLPH Parish. The program will be every Saturday from 1:00 to 4:30 pm from April 07 to May 26, 2018. Snacks will be served.

OLPH Youth & Young Adults presents



Kairos
- a moment in time -
7:30 pm // Fri, April 6 // OLPH Parish

Adoration // Praise & Worship // Reconciliation

Young Adult Ministry at OLPH! <https://www.facebook.com/events/597071437308196/>
email: youngadultsolph@gmail.com

Contact Sharon Darbyshire
for tickets at 780-288-5594



Here on These Branches

An evening with Ariose Women's Choir

dinner + silent auction
with entertainment by Ariose
live painting and live auction
(artist Jani Galarneau)

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Saturday, April 7, 2018

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish
13 Brower Drive, Sherwood Park, AB
Doors at 5:30 pm Dinner at 6:15 pm

\$35 (Adults & Children 12+) | \$12 Children (6-11)
Tickets available from choir members or email: ariosewomenschoir@gmail.com
ADVANCE TICKET SALES ONLY



Ariose
WOMEN'S CHOIR
www.ariosewomenschoir.com



Cursillo Weekends

Are you seeking a closer relationship with Jesus in the company of friends? **The Edmonton Archdiocesan Cursillo Movement** offers a unique method through which one's faith may be nurtured, lived, and shared with other Christians.

If you are longing: To deepen your relationship with Christ, To participate in Christ's mission of sharing God's unconditional love, To share in a supportive Christian Community

Then consider making a Cursillo three-day weekend!

The Women's Weekend is scheduled for May 3-6, 2018 and the Men's Weekend is being held soon after on May 10-13, 2018.

To register or obtain more information about the Cursillo Movement please contact Dave Kornder at kornder@telusplanet.net or Rebecca Kroetch at rebkroetch@gmail.com

Children's Sacraments



Confirmation Celebrations

Sunday, April 8th at 2:00pm - for the following schools: St. Luke, St. Theresa, Homeschooled

Monday, April 9th at 7:00pm - for the following schools: Holy Redeemer, Holy Spirit, OLPH, Public Schools

Contact Raylene at the Parish Office at 780-467-5470 or ryzyk@olph.ca



First Communion Celebrations Schedule

Sunday, April 22, 2018 5:00 pm: Holy Spirit School

Saturday, April 28th, 2018 5:00 pm: EPK and HR

Sunday, April 29th, 2018 10:30 am: JV and Madonna

Sunday, May 6th, 8:30 am: St. Luke, Home Schooled, Public School & other Schools

Sunday, June 3rd, 10:30 am: Those who have not attended the above celebrations.



**JETS Airline always includes our Lord, our Pilot
(Java. Exercise. Talk. Service)**

New Spring Flights announced!

We are excited to release a fresh new JETS flight schedule for spring 2018. Drop in and sample a JETS session if you've ever wondered who or what we are. We usually meet in the St. Joan Room at 9:25 am and begin our sessions at 9:40 am. Complimentary in-flight refreshments and snacks are always offered and babysitting is available for a nominal fee. ALL are most welcome

For more information please contact one of the co-captains: **Aida D.** at 780-922-2156 or **Nancy F.** at 780-464-5356. Or simply attend one of the sessions listed below and see what we are all about – it is not necessary to pre-book a seat on the JETS airlines. Won't you join us for one or more of these sessions and see what we are truly about?

April 6 - Alpha # 6 Why and how I read the Bible

April 13 - Alpha Retreat in the Holy Spirit

April 20 - Love & Communication Retreat with guest speaker

May 4 - Alpha #7 How does God guide us?

May 11 - Intriguing Exercise!

May 25 - Basically Babies Service Morning

June 01 – Alpha #8 How can I make the most of the rest of my life?

June 08 – St. Albert Garden Tour & Picnic

June 15 – Year-end Random Acts of Kindness

Reflections & Readings

Stewardship Reflections: April 1st – Easter Sunday

On this day we thank God for His Son, Jesus, who died and rose for us. We celebrate and sing “Alleluia.” Let’s try to keep the joy of this Easter season in our hearts throughout the year! Pray daily and listen for how He is calling each of us to joyfully use our gifts to fulfill His salvation plan.

“Think of what is above, not of what is on earth.” – Colossians 3:2

Parish News

33 Days to Morning Glory...

DAYTIME! Tuesdays, April 10–May 15, 9:30-11:30 am
Consecration Mass: May 22, 8:30 am
Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish
13 Brower Drive, Sherwood Park

Find out why consecration to Jesus through Mary is “the surest, easiest, shortest, and the most perfect means to becoming a saint!” (St. Louis de Montfort). Gain new insights into Marian Consecration, learn how key saints lived it out, and discover how you can live it out as well! Six weekly meetings ending with Mass and Consecration. Each session includes a video talk by Fr. Michael Gaitley of the Marian Fathers of the Immaculate Conception, group discussion and fellowship.

Please pre-register to help us plan. To register, contact Pat at 780-467-5470 pat@olph.ca

Discover The Holy Spirit

The Wild Goose - Discovering a Deeper Relationship with the Holy Spirit Thursdays, April 12–May 31, 2018, 7:00-8:30 pm Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish, 13 Brower Drive, Sherwood Park

Join Fr. Dave Pivonka, TOR, a Franciscan Priest and nationally known speaker and author, in this incredible eight-week video journey which is awakening God’s love and transforming power in the hearts of all who participate. Discover the Holy Spirit who has been revealed to us by Jesus Christ and who leads us to our heavenly Father.

Each weekly session includes a video talk by Fr. Dave speaking on an attribute of the Holy Spirit, a practical application on how to respond to the Holy Spirit, testimonies of people whose lives have been impacted by the Spirit of God and songs of praise and worship.

No charge. A free will offering is invited to cover costs.

Please pre-register to help us plan. To register, contact Rita at 780-570-4826 or email rsandmaier04@gmail.com

GIFT

On the Feast of Our Lord’s Resurrection, may the Spirit of our risen Christ, be with you all, and may you always have the gift of his love, the blessings of his hope and the promise of his peace.



RCIA News

RCIA Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Are you interested in learning more about the Catholic faith and becoming a Catholic? Please contact Pat Lemire at the parish office @ 780-467-5470 ext. 228 or email at plemire@olph.ca.

Parish News

OLPH WEBSITE

Check out our new website at www.olph.ca and subscribe to receive your Electronic bulletin.

Thank You OLPH Parish

Your response to the ICPM Easter Project was AMAZING. No, it was not! Really! Rather it was yet another sign of the caring, generous parishioners of OLPH.

Thank you so much for all of your most generous donations. We were able to provide over 300 gift cards and chocolate treats to help brighten some Inner City residents' Easter.

Thank you as well to some very creative students from Madonna School who made lovely Easter cards that will be enclosed with the Easter gifts. Please continue to pray for ICPM and the people of the Inner City.

Vacation Bible Camp (VBS) needs these items:

Clear 2 litre pop bottles (clean)

clean small glass jars,

are you getting rid of craft supplieswe would use them at camp in our imagination corner.

Please drop off items at the Parish office **Attention VBS or Sharon Darbyshire**



PARISH POTLUCKS SAVE THE DATES

Friday, May 25th - Country & Western

Theme featuring Live Music by “Silver Strings”

Friday, June 15th - Beach Party Theme; negotiating with the Beach Boys to provide



Society of St. Vincent de Paul

(780) 416 - 0931

Help Line: ext. 1,

Donations: ext. 2

Poor Box Collection:

3rd Sunday of every month