

Community News

Lac Ste Anne Pilgrimage

For several days each July, thousands of pilgrims make their way to the shores of Lac Ste Anne, a site west of Edmonton where indigenous people have gathered for many years. Many come in search of healing and spiritual renewal. Some simply come to reconnect with old acquaintances and forge new friendships.

This pilgrimage, which began over a hundred years ago, has become one of the largest annual Catholic gatherings in Western Canada. The 2017 Lac Ste Anne Pilgrimage runs from **Saturday, July 22, to Thursday, July 27**. The week includes daily Mass, testimonies, healing prayers, and youth and children's programming. Archbishop Smith celebrates the Mass on **Wednesday, July 26**. Come for a day or stay the week; for more information contact **Stephanie Alexis** at 780-233-4422 or lacstannepilgrimage@gmail.com



One Rock Festival of Faith - Cagary, AB

Looking for a place to camp this summer? Come to Redwood Meadows Fair Grounds for One Rock 2017 and camp with other young adults and their families during a great weekend filled with music, talks, camp fires, soccer, fellowship, and prayer. The festival takes place **Friday-Sunday, August 11-13**.

Visit www.onerock.ca for further information.

Star of the North Retreat Centre is proud to present an evening of toe-tapping Bluegrass & Gospel music from the heart with **THE TRUDEL FAMILY BAND**.

www.trudelfamily.com

Tuesday, July 18th, 2017

7-9 pm, Cost: \$20.00 Call 780-459-5511 to reserve seats.

Outdoors in the gazebo area if weather permits, otherwise, we will be indoors.

Star of the North Retreat Centre, 3 A St. Vital Ave, St. Albert, AB

Join Us for L'Arche Edmonton's BackYard Party

L'Arche Edmonton is holding its popular annual Backyard Party on Friday, June 23 at 5 p.m. in Edmonton at Fulton School Field, 10310 56 St. Live music with dancing, a Bouncy Castle for kids, outdoor games, face painting and a barbecue all for \$12 adults and \$6 for children eight and under. Call Maria for tickets: 780-465-0618, ext. 206 or e-mail mmastrih@larcheedmonton.org. This is a very fun event -- bring your lawn chairs and join us! L'Arche is a faith-based, non-profit organization founded by humanitarian Jean Vanier, which has been providing homes and programs to adults with developmental disabilities for nearly 45 years in Edmonton and Sherwood Park.

HIS PRESENCE CONTINUES WITH US FOR ALL TIME.



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 other

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FEAST DAY OF OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP

Tuesday, June 27 we will gather with the OLPH community to celebrate the Feast of Our Lady of Perpetual Help with a Mass at 8:30 am and at 7:00 pm Mass/Consecration/OLPH Devotion followed by hospitality.

KofC 6083 Year End Potluck BBQ

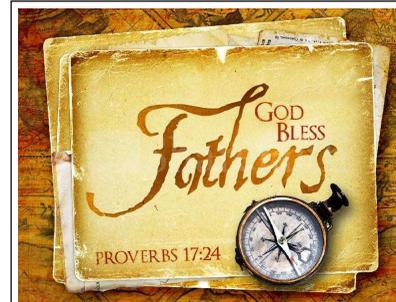
Knights of Columbus Council 6083 Year End Pot Luck BBQ is being held on **Monday June 19th, 2017** at OLPH starting with 6:00 pm Steak, Chicken and Baked Potatoes are being provided. Please bring either a **Salad, Vegetable or Dessert**.

RSVP to Brother Ron Bucharsky

At 780-922-2765 or email:

rlbucharsky@wildroseinternet.ca

***We are ONE
in the BODY & BLOOD
of the LORD***



*God, bless all the fathers in the world.
Guide them to be good role models
and loving to all their children.
Help them to be a father like You are.
Give them grace and patience
to handle situations in a loving way.
Amen!*

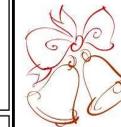
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Telephone: 780-467-5470 Fax: 780-467-0530 email: info@olph.ca Website: www.olph.ca
Archdiocesan website: <http://www.caedm.ca>*

Wedding Congratulations

Our congratulatory prayers and best wishes go out to:

Brent Wright & Michelle Bishop

who were married here at
Our Lady of Perpetual Help
June 17, 2017



PARISH PICNIC 2017

THANK YOU There are not enough **THANK YOU's** to go around for the amazing and successful picnic held on Sunday, June 11, 2017. **THANK YOU** to the Knight of Columbus for the great food and the CWL for the ice-cream treats, the great balloon animals created by Carol & Dayna, Face painters-Holly, Yasmin, Maria & Heidi, ABJ student volunteers for set-up, supervising games, bouncy castle and clean up and Parish Council members for coordinating and organizing this great day. Many hands make light work. God Bless each and everyone of you.

NORTH of 60 PROJECT 2017 - Paulatuk

Liturgy Schedule
Mon. June 19 - Sun. June 25

Mon. 8:30 am Morning Prayer
Tues. 8:30 am Mass
Wed. 8:30 am Mass,
 9:30 am Mass-Holy Redeemer School
Thurs. 8:30 am Mass
Fri. 8:30 am Mass
Sat. 10:00 am Reconciliation, 5:00 pm Mass
Sun. 8:30 am Mass, 10:30 am Mass,
 12:30 pm Baptisms, 5:00 pm Mass

OLPH PARISH OFFICE HOURS
 Please note that the Parish hours
 are as follows:
Monday - Thursday 8:30 am - 9:00 pm
Friday - 8:30 am - 4:30 pm
CLOSED for lunch daily between
Noon and 1:00 pm
Reconciliation Saturday 10:00 am
or by appointment.

Serving St. Francis of Assisi
Tofield, AB
Mass: Sundays at 11:00 am

This Week's Mass Intentions.....

Tues. June 20: Eileen Lynch† Doris Nelson†
 Patrick Lema, Rain in Ghana Africa-drought,
 Sr. Therese Michaud† Raju Kuriakose†
Wed. June 21: Sherian Wolff† Pauline Zaleski
 Harold & Josie James, Tim Wilson & Tamara,
 Jason James & Margaret, Gladys Rodriguez†
Thurs. June 22: Family of Celine Reghelini,
 OLPH Staff, Basha Arnal, Peter Proudfoot,
 Isla Dotto, Joseph Thomas†
Fri. June 23: David Dotto† Maurice Prince†
 Thresiamma Thomas† Peter Proudfoot

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† 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:
 Pat McKinney and Family. Pat's sister, **Eileen**
Lynch died June 8th in Downpatrick, Northern
 Ireland.
 Family and Friends of **Sr. Therese Michaud.**
Sr. Therese died June 11th in Edmonton.
 Family and Friends of **Al Shenduk.** **Al** died
 June 15th in Edmonton.

OLPH Prayer Laudators

We pray for others. Prayers of praise and
 intercession are offered to God our Father.
 Confidentiality is respected at all times.
 Contact: **Doreen** at 467-0597 or
Josie at 467-0197.



Society of St. Vincent de Paul
(780) 416 - 0931 Help Line: ext 1
Donations: ext 2

Thank-You, Thank-You, Thank-You!!

for your overwhelming response of generosity towards the people we serve. The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul (SSVP) thank all of you who contributed in so many ways to the success of this project. We thank Father Jack and the Pastoral staff for supporting us in whatever we asked in communicating our story and needs in the bulletin, on the screens and in the announcements and in preparing the Reverse collection slips and the ushers for distributing them at Mass. You were wonderful and played an essential part. Thanks also to the many volunteers who helped us collect, sort, box and load the seacan with all the items that you so generously provided us with for the poor in Paulatuk. Once again, you were all amazing!

With your help, this is what we filled the sea container with:

- Requested food items
- \$300 worth of lumber & nails used to build crates for packing of seacan
- \$400 worth of baby needs (formula, diapers)
- \$1900 worth of bedding (mattresses, quilts and sheet sets)
- \$250 worth of roughneck totes used up North to store and distribute food items.
- Bags of winter clothing, jeans and runners
- 6 sewing machines and fabric
- step ladder, extension ladder, some carpenter tools

All of the above were either donated by you or purchased with the proceeds from the Reverse Collection or the Poor Box Collection .

Summary of the Project:

<i>Receipts</i> :	Reverse Collection (May 13&14)	\$ 4,411.20
	Poor Box Collection (May27&28)	\$ 2,586.94
<i>Disbursements:</i>		\$ 2,725.63

Receipts – Disbursements = \$6,998.14 - \$2,725.63 = \$4,272.51

What an overwhelming response to people in need! One of our SSVP members will be going to visit Paulatuk in August and he will have a chance to visit and get to know these people better and with their help determine where this excess could be best used. This year they are undertaking the restoration of an old mission building which is to be used as a community gathering place and also as a home for their Food Bank and could possibly use the extra money for the completion of this needed project.

SSVP thank-you on behalf of the community of Paulatuk for your response.
 The seacan departed from OLPH May 19, 2017 and should arrive in Paulatuk the first week of September 2017.

WHOEVER EATS MY FLESH AND DRINKS MY BLOOD
HAS ETERNAL LIFE AND I WILL RAISE HIM UP
ON THE LAST DAY

Parish News

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RCIA

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

Perhaps you've been attending Mass with your family or friends? Perhaps you would like to be baptized or have been baptized in another Christian tradition and would like to explore full communion with the Catholic Church? The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a spiritual journey of formation whereby adults are welcomed and received into the Catholic Church. Formation includes several areas: Scripture – the stories of God's people; Teaching – what Catholics believe; Prayer – how we communicate with God; Liturgy – how the community worships; and Mission – how we live out what we believe. If you or someone you know is interested in finding out more about RCIA, please call **Brother Joe** or **Pat Lemire** at the Parish Office @ 780-467-5470 or plemire@olph.ca.

New Leader Needed For Sunday Hospitality

Have you been wanting to become involved but don't know where to start? Do you love to meet new parishioners and chat with old friends? Do you have the charism of hospitality? Well, look no further. The ministry of Sunday hospitality is in need of a new leader. It is a great way to serve the parish in a real and tangible way by bringing together people in community and fellowship. Please contact the office or Melissa Vaci at jmvaci@icloud.com to learn how you can help with this wonderful ministry.

Children Sacraments



Attention all Parents of children making their First Communion this year.

To book your child's First Communion please contact **Jenny** at the Parish Office at 780-467-5470 or email jvelazco@olph.ca



Congratulations

To the following young people who celebrated their First Communion and now join the OLPH Community at the table of the Lord on



June 10, 2017

Lucas Butland Kaylyn Laventure

June 11, 2017

Isabella Addley	Braden Bitzer	Riley Bitzer	Avery Day
Quinn Faulkner	Owen Isinger	Jackson Page	Olivia Visser
Jaxon Brownlee	Sienna HagEstad		



Welcome to our Newest OLPH Parishioners who were baptized on June 10, 2017

Camila Vasquez-Pina



Parish & Community News

Proposed Development Of Land By The Park Church

On Tuesday, June 20 at 7:00pm there will be a meeting at Strathcona County Council Chambers. This meeting is in regards to the proposed development of land by The Park Church that may directly affect OLPH Parish. There will be a reading of the bylaw to make an amendment to allow the building to be six stories as well as amending the zoning bylaw. If you want a chance to speak you must contact County Council prior to the meeting date. Please plan to come out and support the concerns expressed regarding the impact on OLPH Parish as a result of the amendments to these bylaws.

Vacation Bible Camp Sponsorship for a child (Still time to register)

If you need sponsorship so your child can attend the Bible Camp, please contact the Parish Office at 780-467-5470.

The Quid Novum

Every week the Archdiocese publishes an electronic newsletter called The Quid Novum. This newsletter shares the happenings in our diocese as well as information about our faith. You can access this newsletter on www.caedm.ca

Reflection & Readings

June 18 - The Solemnity Of The Most Holy Body and Blood Of Christ

There have always been divisions among people including god's people. But we have access to a unique source of unity: the Eucharist. In the act of breaking bread and drinking from the one cup, our relationship to one another is strengthened. Through this eucharistic celebration we are continually reminded that we are truly members of one body-his body.

"Amen, amen, I say to you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you do not have life within you" John 6:53

Weekly Readings For: June 19 - June 25

June 19 - First Reading: 2 Corinthians 6.1-10; Gospel: Matthew 5.38-42

June 20 - First Reading: 2 Corinthians 8.1-9; Gospel: Matthew 5.43-48

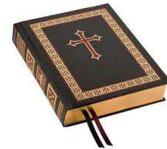
June 21 - First Reading: 2 Corinthians 9.6-11; Gospel: Matthew 6.1-6, 16-18

June 22 - First Reading: 2 Corinthians 11.1-11; Gospel: Matthew 6.7-15

June 23 - First Reading: Deuteronomy 7.6-11; Gospel: Matthew 11.25-30

June 24 - First Reading: Isaiah 49.1-6; Gospel: Luke 1.57-66, 80

June 25 - First Reading: Jeremiah 20.10-13; Gospel: 10.26-33



Summer Camps

Our Lady of Victory Camp



Our Lady of Victory Camp runs a Catholic based program while welcoming young people of all denominations. **Youcamp** week is for participants 9-14 years, based on the Youth Catechism.

This exciting week of fun, faith and friends allows campers to attend a **second week** (one age group week + Youcamp Week).

Volunteers Needed! Each week we require the help of 7-9 Volunteer Cooks, 1-2 Volunteer Nurses and it is nice to have the help of 1-2 people to help our Maintenance Supervisor with projects around camp. For directions and registration information visit <http://www.olvc.ab.ca> or contact us at 403-986-6582 or info@olvc.ab.ca.

Camp Encounter



Owned by the Catholic Archdiocese of Edmonton and set on the eastern shores of beautiful Lac la Nonne, Camp Encounter is a camp for all seasons. Our 70 acre mainland property offers accommodation, dining, and programming facilities, historical trail systems and multiple adventurous activity areas. Camp Encounter also boasts a 30 acre island which houses an extensive trail system and ten tipi sites for overnight use. Since 1980, Camp Encounter has offered outdoor, environmental and adventure experiences in a Catholic-Christian setting for children, youth and adults alike. For directions and registration information, or to view our awesome video, visit www.campencounter.com or contact us at info@campencounter.com or call (403)985-6582.

Parish News

Come, Adventure in the Sun!
At this Year's OLPH Vacation Bible Camp 2017

July 10 - 14th

9:00 am - 12:30 pm

AGE: Children finishing in June 2017, Kindergarten - Grade 5

Registration deadline is June 23rd

Register as soon as possible. Some age groups are almost full. **COST:** \$60.00 per child

VBS Pre-Kindergarten Group

We are now accepting registrations for this group....however the spaces are limited to 10 children.

Children have to be already 4 or 5 years old.

Growing in Faith Together (GiFT) Coming this Fall!



Alpha: What do all Christians Believe?

Choose the schedule that works for you:

Thursdays, September 21–November 23, 7:00-8:30 pm

OR 1 Friday a month @ JETS, October 2017–June 2018, 9:30-11:00 am

Please pre-register to help us plan.



Catholicism 101: What do Catholics Believe?

Tuesdays, September 12–November 21, 7:00-8:30 pm

Pre-registration is required.



Introduction to Scripture

Mondays, September 25–October 30, 7:00-8:00 pm

Presented In partnership with the Benedict XVI Institute at Newman Theological College.

Cost for each course is \$85 plus text.

Pre-registration is required.



Who am I to Judge?

Responding to Relativism with Logic and Love

Two Saturday Workshops – **October 14 & 28 [CHECK DATES!!]**

Learn how Catholic morality is all about love and how making a judgment is not judging a person's soul.

Back by popular demand!



Forgiven: The Transforming Power of Confession

Saturday, December 9, 12:00-4:30 pm

A half-day workshop on the Sacrament of Reconciliation – just in time for Advent!

For more information or to register for any of the above events, please contact Alana at alaperle@telus.net or 780-446-9009.