

July 10 - Fifteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time

In Today's Gospel, we confront the age-old question: Who is my neighbor? The Good Samaritan story tells us that the question can't be answered in a legalistic, comfortable way. The Gospel demands a real stretch, and mercy propels us far beyond what appears expedient or even safe. "Neighbor" conjures up a comforting image. But the neighbor in need may not fit our norms or expectations. The Gospel is full of surprises.

"But a Samaritan traveler who came upon him was moved with compassion at the sight." Luke 10:33

Readings For: July 11 - July 16

July 11 - First Reading: Isaiah 1.10-17 *"Wash yourselves, remove the evil of your deeds from before my eyes." I will take you for my spouse forever.*

Gospel: Matthew 10.34 - 11.1 *"I have not come to bring peace, but a sword."*

July 12 - First Reading: Isaiah 7.1-9 *"If you do not stand firm in faith, you shall not stand at all."*

Gospel: Matthew 11.20-24 *"On the day of judgment, it will be more tolerable for Tyre and Sidon than for you."*

July 13 - First Reading: Isaiah 10.5-7, 13-16 *"Does the axe boast over the one who wields it?"*

Gospel: Matthew 11.25-27 *"You have hidden these things from the wise and revealed them to infants."*

July 14 - First Reading: Isaiah 26.7-9, 12, 16-19 *"O dwellers in the dust, awake and sing for joy."*

Gospel: Matthew 11.28-30 *"I am gentle and humble of heart."*

July 15 - First Reading: Isaiah 38.1-6, 21-22, 7-8 *"I have heard your prayer and I have seen your tears."*

Gospel: Matthew 12.1-8 *"The Son of Man is Lord of the Sabbath."*

July 16 - First Reading: Micah 2.1-5 *"They seized the fields and took the houses."*

Gospel: Matthew 12.14-21 *"Jesus ordered them not to make him known to fulfill what had been spoken through the prophets."*

NEW! Catholicism 101: What Do Catholics Believe?

Tuesdays, 7:00-8:30, St. Maria Room
Sep 20 – Nov 29 (no session Oct 4)

This fall the Alpha team at OLPH will introduce a new program for Alpha grads and ANYONE who wants to grow in their knowledge and practice of the Catholic faith. This 10-week program is built on the successful Alpha format – fellowship, learn, discuss – and uses selected segments from the excellent Symbolon series to explain Catholic beliefs in a way that is clear and engaging. Some of the topics we will cover include:

- What every Catholic should know about Church history.
- What is "the Church" and why do I need it?
- What makes a Catholic "Catholic"?
- What do Catholics believe about the Eucharist?
- Where am I going (death, judgment, heaven, hell)?
- How can I live a Catholic life?

Catholicism 101 is absolutely FREE but pre-registration is required, as space is limited!
For more information and to register, contact Alana LaPerle at 780-446-9009 or alaperle@telus.net



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.

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Summer Office Hours:

Monday - Friday 8:30 am to 3:00 pm
(Open during lunch hour)

Love the LORD your GOD

*With all your heart, with all your soul
And with all your strength.*

OLPH Parish Donations

June 1 - 30, 2016

	Ordinary Receipts	Building Restoration
June 30 (26 weeks)	615,949	57,659
Budget to June 30	650,000	67,499
June 30 (26 week) Shortfall	- \$34,051	-\$9,840
Together We Serve YTD	\$70,601	

VACATION BIBLE CAMP

VBS Parents

VBS starts Monday July 11th at 9:00 am.

The youth and adult volunteers have been working hard all week so that your children will have a wonderful experience at camp.

We're all excited at Farm-tastic to have your children join us this upcoming week.

Please remember

- VBS starts at 9:00 am - doors will be open at 8:45am - Please **DO NOT** drop your children off earlier as we do not have supervision. Thank you for your co-operation.
- Make sure your child is **wearing runners or shoes**...NO crocs, sandals or flip flops...they will not be able to participate in games if they do not have the proper foot wear.
- Watch the weather, if it is hot apply sunscreen before your child comes to camp, all games are outside. Please apply insect repellent if the mosquitos are bad. Please bring a water bottle
- Allergies...we provide healthy snacks - fruits and veggies; however we do have crackers and other foods.
- If your child has an allergy and is not able to eat our snacks, please send a snack. We always list the next day's snacks on the parent board. We try our best to stay away from foods with nuts. Please pick up your children on time. **Pick up your child no later than 12:30 pm.**



We Remember, We Celebrate, We Believe

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Liturgy Schedule
Mon. July 11 - Sun. July 17

Mon: 8:15 am Morning Prayer
Tues: 8:15 am Morning Prayer, 8:30 am Mass
Wed: 8:15 am Morning Prayer, 8:30 am Mass
Thurs: 8:15 am Morning Prayer, 8:30 am Mass
Fri: 8:15 am Morning Prayer, 8:30 am Mass
Sat: 10:00 am Reconciliation,
 1:00 pm Wedding - Dockery/Bucharski
 5:00 pm Mass
Sun: 8:30 am Mass, 10:30 am Mass, 5:00 pm Mass

This Week's Mass Intentions

Tues. July 12: Pat Owens† Ross Foster Gibson†
 Maria Jesusisa Adua Mangaron† Anthony Reghelini†
Wed. July 13: Pat Brooks, Grace Corrigan,
 Pat Owens† Ina Gramlich† Ross Foster Gibson†
 Maria Jesusisa Adua Mangaron†
Thurs. July 14: Pat Owens† Anne Puchyr†
 Ina Gramlich† Maria Jesusisa Adua Mangaron†
 Ross Foster Gibson† Family of Celine Reghelini
Fri. July 15: Richard St. Germain† Pat Owens†
 Laval St. Germain, Aleck Dotto† David Dotto †
 Remi Rufiange† Jojo Sterry†

† 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:
 Joe & Carolyn Weleschuk & Joclyn & Mark Beliveau and Family. Joe's father, Joclyn's grandfather, **Joe Weleschuk Sr.** died July 3rd 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 467-0197.**



Marian Gift Shop Summer Hours

The Marian Gift Shop will be opened on Sunday only after the 8:30 am Mass and 10:30 am Mass. Closed on long weekends. Have a safe summer.

**OLPH PARISH OFFICE
 SUMMER HOURS**

Please note that the Parish hours are as follows:

Monday - Friday 8:30 am - 3:00 pm
 (Open during lunch hour)
Saturday & Sunday - Closed
 Reconciliation on Saturday,
 10:00 am - 11:00 am or by appointment.

Pastoral Team

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(780) 416 - 0931
Help Line: ext 1
Donations: ext 2
Poor Box Collection:
 3rd weekend of the month

Sacraments & Parish News



“Congratulations”

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

July 2, 2016

Megan Houle

July 3, 2016

Mardric Dojello Mark Dojello Kate Mirones

July 4, 2016

Andrew Holzman



Life & Family

Faith and Family Day at the Ballpark

Join us for an evening of baseball, entertainment, and family fun! The Archdiocese of Edmonton is pleased to sponsor Faith and Family Day with the Edmonton Prospects of the Western Major Baseball League on **Tuesday, July 12**, at the Edmonton Ballpark (formerly Telus Field.) Tickets are \$9 to \$30, free for kids under 6 -- but you get 2 for the price of 1 on game day. The box office opens at 5:30 p.m.; Bishop Bittman throws the first pitch at **7 p.m.** Free tickets available for sponsored Syrian families -- sponsor groups must reserve through Suzanne at sbrohier@caedm.ca.

Wild West Catholic Youth Conference

Registration is now open for the Wild West Catholic Youth Conference, set for **September 30 – October 2, 2016** in Red Deer. This conference is open to youth in Grades 9-12 from Alberta, B.C., Saskatchewan, and Manitoba. Join keynote speaker Father Tony Ricard and special guests Panic Squad for great music & food, inspiring sessions, meaningful prayer and spiritual development. Our theme is "Come! In! Stay!" We invite teachers and youth ministry leaders to consider bringing a group to this first event of its kind in Western Canada. For more info and to register your group, visit <http://caedm.ca/PastoralParishServices/YouthEvangelization/NewsEvents>
 Youth Conference information can be requested by emailing youth@caedm.ca or calling the Archdiocese youth office at **780-306-7521**.

Pilgrimage

Pilgrimage at St. Albert Catholic Parish
7 St. Vital Avenue, St. Albert, AB 780-459-6691

Come and journey to the Grotto of Our Lady of Lourdes on the Oblate Mission Hill, in celebration of the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Mass at 5 p.m. on **Saturday, August 13**, and at 11 a.m. on **Sunday, August 14**, with picnic to follow.