

**Did?**  
**You?**  
**Know?**

**What is Ordinary Time?**

Ordinary Time is called "ordinary" not because it is common but simply because the weeks of Ordinary Time are numbered.

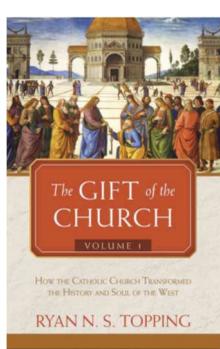
-The Latin word *ordinalis*, which refers to numbers in a series, stems from the Latin word *ordo*, from which we get the English word *order*. Thus, the numbered weeks of Ordinary Time, in fact, represent the ordered life of the Church—the period in which we live our lives neither in feasting (as in the Christmas and Easter seasons) or in more severe penance (as in Advent and Lent), but in watchfulness and expectation of the Second Coming of Christ.

-The Sundays and weeks of Ordinary Time take us through the life of Christ. This is the time of conversion. This is living the life of Christ.

-In any given year, there are either 33 or 34 Sundays in Ordinary Time.

**Why is Green the Color of Ordinary Time?**

-Green vestments and altar cloths have traditionally been associated with the time after Pentecost, the period in which the Church founded by the risen Christ and enlivened by the Holy Spirit began to grow and to spread the Gospel to all nations.



**The Gift of the Church**

Did you know that much of what we take for granted today in the fields of science, medicine, law and government has roots in the Catholic Church? Ryan Topping, author and academic dean at Newman Theological College, unpacks some of those contributions in his new book, *The Gift of the Church: How the Catholic Church Transformed the History and Soul of the West*. To learn more, join Professor Topping for a free public lecture series at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish in Sherwood Park, on four consecutive **Tuesdays, March 19 through April 9**, from 7:30 to 8:30pm.

**Financial Report**

Financial Report January 20	ORDINARY RECEIPTS	BUILDING FUND	Together We Serve
Week 4	\$17,673.20	\$3,011.02	\$694.00



**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.*

*January 27, 2019 Third Sunday in Ordinary Time Cycle C*

**First Friday Adoration & Exposition, February 1, 2019**

The first Friday of every month we have Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. Everyone is welcome to come and spend time with Eucharistic Jesus. We begin with the Rosary at 8:00 a.m., followed by Mass at 8:30 a.m., then the Blessed Sacrament will be exposed for Adoration and Prayer until 6:15 p.m. when Mass and Benediction are celebrated. There is a sign-up sheet in the foyer so that at least two people sign for each half-hour to make sure there is always someone present with the Blessed Sacrament exposed. We invite everyone to come and spend some time with our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament.



**Heads up** - another imposter message through email! The real Father Jim is ok and does not need our help or a favor at this time. Please do not respond to email. Always verify Parish emails you receive originate at [olph.ca](http://olph.ca)

**Official Prayer For World Youth Day - Panama**

**I AM THE SERVANT OF THE LORD. MAY IT BE DONE TO ME ACCORDING TO YOUR WORD” (Lk 1:38)**

Merciful Father, You call us to live our lives as a way of salvation. Help us to recall the past with gratitude, to embrace the present with courage, and to build the future with hope.

Lord Jesus, our friend and brother, thank you for looking upon us with love. Let us listen to your voice as it resonates in the hearts of each one with the light and strength of the Holy Spirit.

Grant us the grace to be a Church that goes forth with vibrant faith and a youthful face to announce the joy of the Gospel. May we help to build the society we long for, full of justice and fraternal love.

We pray for the Pope and the bishops, for priests and deacons, for those in consecrated life, for volunteers, for young people, and all who will participate in the upcoming World Youth Day in Panama, and for those who are preparing to receive them.

Our Lady of Antigua, Patroness of Panama, help us to pray and live generously like you: “I am the servant of the Lord. May it be done to me according to your word” (Lk 1:38).

**Amen.**

### Liturgy Schedule

**Mon. Jan. 28 - Sun. Feb. 3**

**Weekday Mass 7 days a week at 8:30 am**

**Monday:** 8:30 am Mass

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

**Wednesday:** 8:30 am Mass

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

**Friday:** 8:30 am Mass,

9:15 am Adoration. & Exposition,

6:15 Mass/Benediction

**Saturday:** 8:30 am Mass

#### Weekend Mass Times:

**Saturday:** 5:00 pm

**Sunday:** 8:30 am, 10:30 am, 12:30 pm,

7:00 pm Mass

**St. Francis of Assisi, Tofield, AB**

**Mass:** Sundays 11:00 am

### RECONCILIATION

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

### † 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:  
Graham & Barb Otway. Graham's brother,  
**Julian Otway** died January 20th in England.

### ***Mass Intentions.....***

**Mon. Jan. 28:** Philippe Gaumont†, Julia & Gonzaga Lobo†, Greg Spiess

**Tues. Jan. 29:** Fr. Jack Hamilton, Reg Waternamchuk, Rene Parenteau†

**Wed. Jan. 30:** Wesley Ferguson†, Karen Draganiuk, Jeanne Zupan, Peter Chapelsky

**Thurs. Jan. 31:** Stanislaus Coelho†, Earle & Nancy Nichol, Rozina Oreski†,  
Edith Garrecht†

**Fri. Feb. 1:** John Baptist Ngo†, Dominic Tham†, Maria Hoa†, Theresa and all Souls†,  
Eileen Lanto†, Christiane West & Family, Matthew Stainton, Mr. & Mrs. Beneric Sulit

**Sat. Feb. 2:** Hans Schnepfer†, Kevin Fisher, Ksiazek Family, Ron King†

### OFFICE HOURS:

**Monday - Sunday 7:30 am - 8:30 pm  
(Open during Lunch Hour)**

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He joked, "It would have been bad to continue the party with water! ... A party without wine? I don't know."

The pope encouraged Catholics to turn to Our Lady when facing difficult situations, and to echo her words, "They have no wine."

Francis explained, "When problems occur that we do not know how to solve, when we often feel anxiety and anguish, when we lack the joy, go to Our Lady and say, 'We have no wine. The wine is finished: look how I am, look at my heart, look at my soul.' Tell Mother, and she will go to Jesus to say, 'Look at this, look at this: they have no wine.' And then, she will come back to us and tell us, 'Do whatever he tells you.'"

In a prayer to Mary after the Angelus, the pope expressed his grief and continued prayers for the Colombian people after the terrorist attack Jan. 16 at the National Police Academy, which killed 21 people.

The pope said that it "pained his heart" that an estimated 170 migrants are missing after two shipwrecks in the Mediterranean this weekend.

"They were looking for a future for their lives. Victims, perhaps, of human traffickers. We pray for them, and for those who are responsible for what happened," he said.

The cheers at the end of the Angelus prayer were louder than usual as young people in St. Peter's square waved Panamanian flags and raised a large banner reading, "Buon Viaggio."

The pope will depart Rome for Panama on Jan. 23 for World Youth Day 2019

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## Our Modern Faith



### Prayer just a click away with the launch of new smartphone app

- By Courtney Grogan, Catholic News Agency , January 21, 2019

Pope Francis has launched called Click to Pray, which connects Catholics to a global network to share prayer intentions via their smartphones.

The pope opened the new app using an iPad during his Angelus address Jan. 20 and encouraged young Catholics, in particular, to download the smartphone app to pray the “Rosary of Peace” ahead of [World Youth Day](#).

[Click to Pray](#) allows users to post prayer intentions and view other prayer requests in six languages. After posting on the social network, one can track how many Catholics around the world have prayed for their request.

The Android and iOS app includes the pope’s monthly prayer intentions, all of the mysteries of the rosary, and daily prayers for morning, afternoon, and night. In each of these sections, users can click a box to indicate that they have completed the prayer and view how many others also prayed.

This month’s prayer intention is “for young people and the example of Mary.”

In his Angelus address, Pope Francis reflected on Mary’s role in Sunday’s Gospel narrative of the wedding feast at Cana.

“Let us look at Mary: the words that Mary addresses to the servants come to crown the spousal framework of Cana, ‘Do whatever he tells you,’” Francis said. “These words are a precious inheritance that our Mother has left us.”

“To serve the Lord means to listen and practice His word. It is the simple, essential recommendation of the Mother of Jesus, it is the program of life of the Christian,” he continued.

Pope Francis explained that “it is not accidental that at the beginning of Jesus’ public life there is a wedding ceremony, because in Him God has married humanity.”

Jesus’ transformation of water into wine was also symbolic, Francis noted, “Water is necessary to live, but the wine expresses the abundance of the banquet and the joy of the party.”

## Living in the Word/Meal Prayer

**Living in the Word** — As we move forward in response to the call of our Holy Father to conversion by hearing and doing God's Word, let us not fail to look to the example of Our Blessed Mother, the Virgin Mary, and invoke her intercession. The perfect disciple, her heart was fully open to the Word of God and entirely receptive to its transformation of her life. Her response to God, born of complete and unflinching trust in the providence and wisdom of God, inspires and shapes our own: "Be it done unto me according to thy Word." (*Luke* 1:38) By the help of her maternal prayers, may her response be ours as we hear Jesus speak to us in Sacred Scripture and strive, with the aid of his grace, to put that Word into practice.

(Archbishop Smith, *Pastoral Letter*, September 14, 2017) [caedm.ca/letter](http://caedm.ca/letter).

### Grace with lines inspired by the Readings for January 27, Third Sunday of Ordinary Time

**Leader:** Lord Jesus, we thank you for your Word. You invite us to come to know the truth by reflecting on your Word. (*Lk. 1:1-4*)

**All:** May our lives be transformed by responding to your Word each day.

**OR**

**Leader:** Lord Jesus, we thank you for your Word. You encourage us to hear your Word. (*Lk. 1:18-21*)

**All:** May we experience freedom from all of our affliction.

## Parish News



### CWL Memberships

The CWL is an organization of faith, friendship and support and invites all women to share their talents and make a difference. Memberships cost \$30 and will be available following all Masses on the weekends of Feb 2/3. Please renew or consider joining at this time. Membership fees may also be placed in a clearly marked envelope and left at the parish office. For more information, please call

**Jo-Anne @ 780-499-0918**

**CWL is Thinking of You:** If you know of any member who is bereaved, ill or lonely and a card from the CWL would brighten their day, let Dayna know by emailing her at [communications@cwlolph.ca](mailto:communications@cwlolph.ca), and she will make sure they get a card. Thank you!

## Parish News



**What are the Sacraments in the Catholic Church?**  
**Why is Mary so important? How do Catholics pray?**  
**Why do Catholics go to Mass every week?**  
**Why do Catholics go to confession?**  
**Who is going to heaven?**

Have you been asking your spouse or friends these questions? Are your kids asking you these questions as they begin to prepare to celebrate their Sacraments of Reconciliation, First Communion or Confirmation? Do you feel God calling you to become a member of the Catholic Church? Then RCIA is the place for you! To begin your journey towards full participation in the Catholic Church. Contact Pat at 780-467-5470 or [pat@olph.ca](mailto:pat@olph.ca)



### An Invitation to Men 18-35

With Archbishop Smith's blessing, the Knights of Columbus will establish an organization for young men in the Archdiocese. The goal is to encourage Catholic men aged 18 to 35 to meet fraternally, practice their faith in a supportive environment, develop a social web, engage in programs to strengthen their faith and family, and support their community. If you would like to check out this new initiative, join us on **Thursday, February 7**, at 7 p.m. at St. Joseph Basilica, O'Leary Hall (basement.) Archbishop Smith will address this inaugural meeting, and you can learn more about the opportunities and benefits of participation.

### World Day of The Sick will be celebrated on Monday, February 11th at 8:30 am and 6:15 pm



The ministry of Jesus to the sick is central to the life of the Church. The memorial of our Lady of Lourdes in the month of February highlights the healing ministry of the Church. It reminds us that service to the sick and suffering cannot be neglected. It recognizes the great efforts of doctors, nurses, health care institutions and pastoral care givers to restore health to those afflicted with illness and disease.

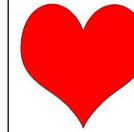
**Save The Date: Ecumenical World Day of Prayer**  
**Friday March 1st 7:00 pm at OLPH Parish**

*We Remember, We Celebrate, We Believe*

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## JETS (Java, Exercise, Talk, Service)

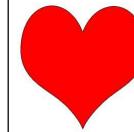
### Love Notes for the Stollery Children's Hospital



One kind word can change someone's entire day. And that's exactly what the JETS Women's Group is striving to do this Friday, February 1<sup>st</sup>, at 9:40 am in the St. Joan Room.



All interested parishioners are cordially invited to come fly with the JETS and use the beautiful gift of words to pen love notes to children and their parents being treated at the Stollery Hospital this month, as well as for the caring staff who lovingly take care of them. Cards and stickers will be provided that morning but feel free to bring any paper products you possess and special sayings or quotes. The JETS will also put a special mailbox out on a table in the foyer the weekend of February 2/3<sup>rd</sup> so you can add your positive thoughts on provided cards throughout that weekend and into the following week. All these charming Valentines will be delivered to the Stollery a couple of days before February



14<sup>th</sup>. They have approx. 300 children. If you have any questions, kindly contact our Captain and Cupid for the day, **Aida Damouni** at 780-922-2156.



### HELP SERVE LUNCH FOR INNER CITY PASTORAL MINISTRY (ICPM) AT THE BISSELL CENTRE

Our Parish provides lunch and serves it at the Bissell Centre in the Inner City (ICPM) twice a year. Do you have a few hours to spare on **Saturday February 16th** to help make lunch for over 300 inner city residents? We also need 18 energetic volunteers to deliver and serve the lunch on **Sunday, February 17th** at the Bissell Centre. If you are able to help on either of these days or have any questions, please call **Margaret** at 780-467-0443 or **Coby** at 780-467-0413. We are also in need of home baked goods for the luncheon! If you are able to donate a pan of home baking it would be greatly appreciated. Please drop off your donations at the church on Saturday February 16th. THANK YOU so much!

Are you interested in helping with the organizing of the ICPM Program? Please contact **Margaret** at 780-467-0443 or [dehoogmn18@shaw.ca](mailto:dehoogmn18@shaw.ca) for more information.

### ARCHBISHOP JORDAN HIGH SCHOOL CHOIR PUB NIGHT FUNDRAISER



We are currently asking for donation(s) with a minimum value of \$ 50.00 for the silent auction happening on Saturday Feb. 9, 2019.

All proceeds will go to support the ABJ Choir trip to New York on March 21<sup>st</sup> to 25<sup>th</sup>, 2019.

You can drop off your donations at OLPH Parish Office no later than February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2019. Thank you kindly!

## Parish News

### Potluck Update and Thank You's

Thank You to the JETS ladies for planning and hosting the amazing "Around The World" Family Night last Friday! The parish hall was transformed, and all those who attended were able to fly around the globe in just one evening! Many of you came dressed up in different cultural costumes which added to the fun and festive atmosphere.

About 140 people of all ages enjoyed an international buffet, a few cultural displays, music, dances and interactive games from around the world.

Travel Bingo Passport, Pass The Parcel Game, Guess what and where from, The Mummy Wrap, Belly Dance and The Limbo, were just a few of what the JETS offered and led.

Our next Parish Potluck will be on February 15<sup>th</sup> - a special Valentines Family Potluck Dinner and Dance! There will be no potlucks during Lent and Easter, but will start again in May and June for a Country & Western Party and a Beach Party - with musical entertainment provided by Billy and his band.

Thanks again to the JETS and to all OLPH staff and parishioners who helped in many different ways, especially with the sound system, monitoring food tables, clean up and washing dishes. **And Thanks to all of YOU for joining us for our special Friday Parish Potlucks! We hope you will bring lots of friends and neighbours with you on Feb 15<sup>th</sup>! Watch for more details!**



### Presentation of the Lord - Blessing of Candles Saturday, February 2nd Candle Mass at 8:30 am

Candle Mass is celebrated on the 2nd day of February of each year. Bring your candles to be blessed as we celebrate.

### KofC Council #6083 Mini Retreat Saturday February 9, 2019

Please join us on Saturday February 9, 2019 at OLPH Parish for KofC Council#6083 mini-retreat. The retreat is open to all male parishioners 16 years or older.

Our Theme is "Can People See God within me?" What could I do to portray that image better? The mini retreat will begin with 8:30 Mass and then proceed to the Parish hall until 1:00pm. Our guest speaker will be Fr. Slavko. Lunch will be served. Please RSVP to **Greg Szott, 780-246-7689** or email [gszott@behrpaint.com](mailto:gszott@behrpaint.com).



### Tour of Scotland & North Ireland

Join Fr Jack on a Tour of Scotland & North Ireland May 2019. Limited seats available. Contact [audrey.edwards@travelplus.ca](mailto:audrey.edwards@travelplus.ca) or 780-464-9727.

## Children's Sacraments and Children's Programs



Welcome to our Newest OLPH Parishioners  
who were baptized on January 20, 2019

Bastian Beaudoin  
Ryker Herauf

Korbyn Chrapko  
Toren Hoyteniuk

Brendon Habbiling  
Xavier Pittman



### Confirmation 2019 (Grade 6 and older)

There is still time to register for Confirmation.

**The next Registration and Parent Orientation Meeting is:**

**Monday, January 28, 2019 at 7:00 pm.**

**Parent & Child Preparation: Mandatory Parent & Child Preparation Day:  
3 Monday Evening Sessions 7:00-8:30 pm March 4, March 18, April 1/2019**

**Half Day Retreat - April 13, 2019 1:00-6:00 pm (includes Mass).**

Please contact **Raylene** at the Parish office at 780-467-5470 or [ryuzyk@olph.ca](mailto:ryuzyk@olph.ca)



### First Communion 2018/2019

*The Parent-Child retreat for First Communion will be held on:*

**Saturday, March 16th, 2019** at OLPH Parish from 2:30 - 6:00 pm (includes Mass)

or

**Sunday, April 7, 2019** at OLPH Parish from 12:30 - 3:45pm (includes Mass)

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact **Raylene** at the Parish Office  
780-467-5470 or at [ryuzyk@olph.ca](mailto:ryuzyk@olph.ca)

### Religious Education Program Catechetics (Religious Education) Home Program



As we begin a new year, we also think of religious instruction for our children. If you have a child who is not in our Catholic Schools, there is a Home program for Religious Education. Please contact Christine, 780-417-4773, for information and materials to begin the program. A catechist will journey with you during the year to provide ongoing support. As well we will offer home program families the opportunity to come together two to three times during the year.

### Society of St. Vincent de Paul

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



## Catholic Education Corner

### St Luke Catholic School

Mrs. M. Cuglietta Damur- Assistant Principal

The Gift of Catholic Education...

Entering the teaching profession for over a decade and a half ago- I made a conscious decision to enter the Catholic education system. It was and remains important to me to fulfill what I believe to be is my professional vocation-a calling of teaching, modelling and sharing the beauty of God's infinite love, mercy and grace with each of the students that the Creator has placed in our care. What an amazing blessing we have as Catholic educators- we have the opportunity to share what we value most in our lives, our faith. I consider it a blessing that I am able to journey with staff, students, and their families as we all uncover how loved we each are. We pray, cry, smile, rejoice, forgive, serve and break bread with one another all because of the gift and celebration of Catholic education. @melissadamur @EICSTalks



### Celebrating Catholic Education

Alberta, Ontario, and Saskatchewan are blessed to have publicly funded Catholic schools Recent public conversation surrounding Catholic education has provided us with a wonderful opportunity to highlight what makes our Catholic schools special and unique. Some of us have personal stories, some have stories through their children, but we all have Good News stories to share about Catholic education.

### Sharing Our Stories

**Mrs. Carianne Opalka - Junior High Teacher**

As a Catholic, it is important for me to be able to work in an environment that supports my beliefs and values. Working in a Catholic school allows myself the opportunity to pursue faith and religion without facing discrimination. It allows me to communicate faith understandings with students and help students grow in their own faith journeys. Furthermore, working in a Catholic school provides all members with the opportunity to engage in Catholic culture and celebrations. This, in turn, builds healthy, inclusive school communities that radiate beyond the school environment



Welcome to our community St Isidore Learning Centre. The blessing of the Chapel and the building was held on Wednesday, January 23<sup>rd</sup>.

### Introduction

St. Isidore's Learning Center is committed to the highest standards in education according to the rich tradition of Catholic schools, a tradition respected around the world, emphasizing the formation of the whole person: mind, body, soul. The broad variety of courses reflects the talents and dreams of our students, from academic to athletic to the religious and artistic. Our programming is adaptive, personalized, and committed to providing world class opportunities to our students.

St. Isidore Catholic Learning Centre (SILC) will provide our students a Christ-centered Catholic education through a self-directed, alternative delivery approach, whether it be on-line through our Genesis program, in person via our Outreach Centre, through Summer School, or through our Home Education program. We reach out to those students whose needs may not be met in the more traditional educational model. Our flexible scheduling, anywhere-anytime learning format, extended hours of operation, year round calendar, and off-campus education opportunities are all tailored to have the personalized programming fit that our students require.

We work to personalize the student's learning experience within a caring and faith-filled learning community. Our school follows an independent learning model which means that our students are responsible for setting their own educational goals with the assistance of our SILC staff. Together, we will develop a time frame for their course work to be completed, and for our students to have success.

### Motto

**Noli dubitare, noli cessare, noli desperare**

*"Do not doubt, do not hesitate, do not despair"* – St. Isidore of Seville

### Mission

To instill academic excellence in a Christ-centered atmosphere that is rooted in faith, hope, and love, so that our students may become lifelong learners committed to living out Gospel values.