Church Open/Office Hours 7:30 am to 7:30 pm 7 days a week

Mass, Adoration & Reconciliation at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish

Weekday Mass

Mornings: Monday to Saturday 8:30 am

Evenings: Monday to Friday 6:15 pm

Sunday Mass

Saturday vigil 5:00 pm

Sunday 8:30 am, 10:30 am, 12:30 pm and 7:00 pm

Sunday Mass in Tofield: 11:00 am St. Francis of Assisi Parish

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Monday to Friday: Immediately Following Morning and Evening Mass Saturday 9:30 am to 11:00 am

Adoration - Everyone Welcome, Always Open to All!

There will be **NO First Friday Adoration in April**, since the first Friday of the month is Good Friday.



Every Wednesday Holy Hour 5:15 pm prior to Evening Mass:

1st Wednesday hosted by Mary's Servants for Christ: April 5 2nd Wednesday hosted by Society of St. Vincent de Paul: April 12

3rd Wednesday hosted by CWL: March 15

4th Wednesday hosted by K of C: March 22



For the benefit of the faithful whose health or other circumstances prevent them from attending the church in person, all Masses and Adoration will continue to be livestreamed from our OLPH website www.olph.ca/video/ or at facebook.com/olphsherwoodpark/videos



WATCH the 8:30 am Mass, seven days a week, live on Telus Optik TV Channel 877. (Must be a Telus Optik subscriber.)



LISTEN to the 8:30 am Sunday Mass live – or anytime – from your landline or cell phone. Dial 888-OLPH-808 (888-657-4808) and then follow the simple instructions.



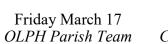
Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish ~ A Roman Catholic Christian Community

Sunday March 12, 2023 ~ Third Sunday of Lent

We Remember, We Celebrate, We Believe

13 Brower Drive, Sherwood Park, AB T8H 1Y7 780-467-5470 www.olph.ca

Join us EVERY FRIDAY during Lent, for Mass at 6:15 pm followed by STATIONS OF THE CROSS led by groups from our parish.



Friday March 24 Catholic Women's League Friday March 31 ALPHA Team



CWL HOSTING SUPPER & SOCIAL FOR L'ARCHE COMMUNITY





Monday March 13 5:00 - 7:30 pm in the Parish Hall

Main Course, Buns & Beverages Supplied. Please bring a SALAD to share.



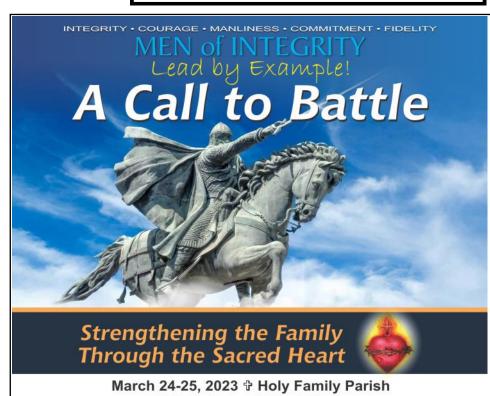


Please join us for our

HEALING & HOPE MASS Tuesday March 14 at 7:00 pm

For families and friends suffering the loss of loved ones from suicide, assisted suicide, drug overdose and death under other traumatic circumstances. You are invited to write your loved one's name on card to hang on our TREE of REMEMBRANCE in the foyer.

> "With a profound sigh... Jesus wept."... and the Jews said, "See how much he loved him." (John 11:34-37)



75 Poirier Avenue, St. Albert, Alberta

Registration Opens: 5:00 pm • Parish Stations of the Cross: 6:30 pm • Mass: 7:00 pm www.catholicfamilyministries.com



Passes by Way of the Family."

Join us and learn how to arm yourself against the enemy we can't see, who is intent on destroying our faith and our families. At this conference. we will hear words of hope from the men in black who are on the front line every day, who by the way, need our support, too. Invite the men in your life ... father, son. brother, friend, to celebrate the sacraments together and make this a faith-building experience!

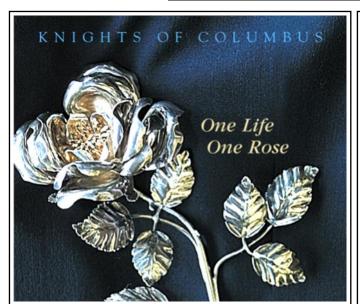
Info/Register Online:



Our Lady of Victory Camp

Registration is open. Now we need people to volunteer their time and their talents for work bees in May and June before camp opens in July. We could also use people who want to adopt a task by bringing their specific trade or skill





The Knights of Columbus Archbishop MacDonald Council 6083 invites you to experience:

The Silver Rose Service & Exposition Thursday March 23 after 6:15 pm Mass

The Silver Rose program demonstrates the unity between Knights of Columbus in Canada, the United States and Mexico, through a series of prayer services promoting the dignity of all human life and honoring Our Lady.

Each year, from early March through mid-December, Silver Roses are stewarded by Knights of Columbus councils along routes from Canada to Mexico. Every stop the Silver Rose makes throughout the pilgrimage is a rosary-centered occasion for Knights, parishioners and community members to pray for respect for life, for the spiritual renewal of each nation, and for the advancement of the message of Our Lady of Guadalupe.

All OLPH Parishioners are invited to participate in this meaningful pilgrimage!



FIRST **COMMUNION** REMINDERS:

Teaching Mass & Practice for families who have completed their at-home study program and Retreat Day:

Choice of Monday March 13 OR Thursday March 16 at 6:15 pm CHILDREN'S FIRST HOLY COMMUNION CELEBRA-TIONS WILL BE THE WEEK. END OF MARCH 18 & 19

To register your child for First Communion Preparation this spring, email Natalie at sacraments@olph.ca



Congratulations to these couples united in Holy Matrimony at OLPH:

James RETALLACK & Janice BAKER Married January 28

Jesse ALLENBY & Katherine DINIO Married February 18

LENTEN DAY OF **CONFESSIONS**

Saturday, April 1

Several Priests will be in the church all day (9:30 am - 4:30 pm) for the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

Special Lenten Flight departing this Friday

The JETS women's group is very honoured to have special guest speaker, Michele Foisy, present to us this Friday, March 17 on *Divine Mercy - a Journey into the Merciful Heart of Jesus*. The message of Divine Mercy is at the Heart of the Gospel and this session will focus on the message of Divine Mercy for our time, including the ABC's of Divine Mercy, how to receive its graces and, suggestions to prepare for the Feast of Divine Mercy on Sunday April 16, 2023.

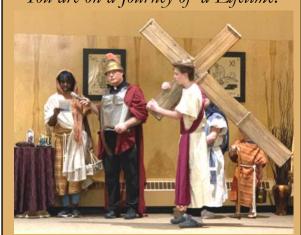
Michelle Foisy is a fellow parishioner, a member of our GiFT team here at OLPH Church and a lovely and knowledgeable speaker. Please arrive in the Large Meeting Room, lower level of the Parish, by 9:45 am as we will begin our flight promptly at 10:00 am. Complimentary in-flight beverages and snacks will be provided. If you have any questions please contact Roxanne at raeandrox@hotmail.com.



"Where if not in the Divine Mercy, can the world find refuge and the light of hope?" Saint Pope John Paull II

The Altar Servers would like to thank the Parishioners of OLPH for their amazing support and attendance at the **Stations of the Cross.** Blessings upon you all and your Families during this Lenten Season!

"You are on a Journey of a Lifetime!"





Saturday, April 1 12:30 - 4:00 Live online via Zoom

What is so special about the Eucharist? Although the Eucharist appears to be simple bread and wine, it is actually the "source and summit" of the Christian life. In this half-day workshop, we will explore the truth and beauty of Christ's real presence in the Eucharist, from its origins in Sacred Scripture, to its profound role in the life of the Church and her members.

To register, contact Alana at alaperle@telus.net or call/text 780-446-9009.

Presented by: Growing in Faith Together Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish, Sherwood Park



Father Jim has been in Ontario with his Curling Team this week, representing the Archdiocese of Edmonton in the annual *Friar's Briar*. His weekly letter to OLPH

Parishioners will be back in next Sunday's bulletin.









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Isn't it time you discovered the real you?

2023 Daily Lent Reflections

Every time you collaborate with God to create a Holy Moment...the real you emerges. Most people live and die without even scratching the surface of their potential. Don't let that be your story! Let Holy Moments reveal what the real you can do. Our parish is on a journey to unleash the power of Holy Moments and discover the incredible potential inside each of us. What would happen if you spent the next 40 days creating as many Holy Moments as possible?

Join us this Lent to find out, and let's have our BEST LENT EVER.



SCAN this QR code or TEXT OLPHSPE1 to 514-900-0130 to join our BEST LENT EVER group in Flocknote. You'll receive two inspiring videos by

email every day to help you unleash your power to collaborate with God.

It only takes a handful of Holy Moments to flood your soul with joy and show you a new and exciting vision for the rest of your life.

DISCOVER

the real you

BEST **LENT** EVER

A humble and heartfelt THANK YOU to everyone who has continued to support the financial needs of our parish with (PAD) Pre-Authorized Debit or by bringing your **Sunday Giving Envelopes** to the church. OLPH is also set up to accept donations via Interac

INTERAC E-TRANSFER at:



Please include your Envelope # OR address and any special instructions in the Message Box for the etransfer, to ensure your donation is properly recorded for your annual tax receipt.



March 13 - 18

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Monday ~ Francisco Gonzales†, Leo & Michele Lafrance†, Daniel Lennox, McKay Family, Carmen Palahaniuk, Phyllis Kornder, Tricia Cisakowski, John Meier Tuesday ~ Francisco Gonzales†, Chase Evan Gourlay†, Lucien Borrist, Robert Krempt, Boyd McKay, Linda De Sousa, Kiefer Sjogren, Marvin & Gail Weleschuk & family, Barb Owen, Katelynn Baska, McKay Family

Wednesday ~ Aspen Alfred†, Frances Johnson†, Jeanne Zupan†, Del Morrison†, Pat†, CWL, McKay Family

Thursday ~ Margaret Swenson †, Brenda & Beneric Sulit. Marvin & Gail Weleschuk & family, Pana Wright, Jeannette Paskevich, McKay Family, Jenn Schroeder

Friday ~ Marianne McKinnon†, Wayne Van Den Bruel†, Bryce Clarke†, Dave Matthew, Tabas†, Florentina Absalon†, John Miranda†, Peter Leblanc†, Jeannette Paskevich, McKay Family

Saturday ~ Helen Szafran-Diduck, Stewart Kremp, Avery & Caleb Draganiuk, Linda De Sousa



WITH PRAYERS Our condolences to Werner Czieslik, his wife **Ann Czieslik** passed away March 7 in **Sympathy** Edmonton AB.

To Louise Laforet & Family. Louise's dad,

Anthony Montebello died on March 7 in Duncan B.C. To Julia Sale & family, her husband Raymond Sale passed away on March 8 in Leduc AB. Funeral for Raymond will be on Saturday March 18 at 1:00 pm at OLPH.

Your OLPH Parish Team

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TOFIELD CORNER - St. Francis of Assisi Parish

Third Sunday of Lent - Laetare Sunday - which means REJOICE in Latin. Let us rejoice and respond to God's call of His Living Water by keeping in mind the following!

- 1. We have a beautiful parish right here in our own community. And we are in need of **COUNCIL MEMBERS** so we can make choices and decisions on how to care for our parish. God may be calling you! Your voice could be your hidden talent from God! There is a sign-up sheet at the back of the church. We need at least 6 members. Perhaps you could be that sixth member to make it happen!
- The **FUND RAISER** continues for our youth. Help them raise funds to attend the World Youth Day Celebrations this August in Portugal - by purchasing a Soup in a Bag for \$12 or 2 for \$20. These bags are made with beans, lentils and yummy spices. They are great on their own or added to your favourite stew. Give them a try!
- Every Friday during Lent there will be **STATIONS OF THE CROSS** at St. Francis at 7pm. Please join us if you can. N.B. Soup will be served after March 17th Stations.
- Reminder there is **HOLY WATER** for anyone who would like some. It is in the big glass jug at the Baptismal Font. Just bring a small container to your next mass and help yourself. It's that easy!
- 5. **COFFEE AND SNACKS** continue after every Sunday Mass. See you there!
- * If there is anything you would like posted in our 'Tofield Corner' of the OLPH bulletin that is connected to our St. Francis of Assisi parish - please connect with Kathy 780-270-8652 or email Kathleen. Anderson. one agmail. com by Wednesday for entry into the following Sunday bulletin. Thank you!

OLPH Financial Report

Week 10 March 5, 2023	Cost of Operat- ing the Parish	Building Fund Target Amount	Together We Serve Target Amount
Average weekly amount required (based on 2021 budget)	\$24,838.00	\$2,480.00	\$2,310.00
Donations this week	\$21,040.90	\$3,784.10	\$3,692.40
This week surplus/shortfall	-\$3,797.10	\$1,304.10	\$1,480.40

- Cost of operating the parish "average weekly amount" is based on total expenses projected in the 2021 budget.
- Building fund target average weekly amount is based on total donations projected in 2021 budget.
- Together We Serve weekly amount is based an annual target which is set by the Archdiocese.
- Together We Serve Collection First Sunday of every Month April 2
- Society of St. Vincent De Paul Poor Box Collection Third Sunday of every Month March 19

DEADLINE for Bulletin is Wednesdays at Noon. Email your announcements to Natalie at nlavigne@olph.ca