

**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 9:15 am to 11:00 am

**Adoration - Everyone Welcome, Always Open to All!**

First Friday of Every Month: June 2 from 9:30 am to 6:15 pm

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



*1st Wednesday hosted by Mary's Servants for Christ: July 5*

*2nd Wednesday hosted by Society of St. Vincent de Paul: July 12*

*3rd Wednesday hosted by CWL: June 21*

*4th Wednesday hosted by K of C: June 28*

*5th Wednesday hosted by Clergy: August 30*

*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/](http://www.olph.ca/video/) or at [facebook.com/olphsherwoodpark/videos](https://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 June 18, 2023 ~ Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time**

*We Remember, We Celebrate, We Believe*

13 Brower Drive, Sherwood Park, AB T8H 1Y7 780-467-5470 [www.olph.ca](http://www.olph.ca)



**OLPH Vacation Bible School has a FEW SPOTS LEFT!**

*For Children Pre-K to Grade 5*

**DATE:** July 10-14, 2023

**TIME:** 9:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

**COST:** \$70.00 per child

Register in person at the parish office.  
Scan for more details:



*Wednesday Holy Hour Hosted by CWL Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament June 21 from 5:15 to 6:15pm Prior to the Holy Mass*



**Come support the World Youth Day Pilgrims from Tofield!**

Four young adults from St. Francis of Assisi Parish in Tofield are heading to WORLD YOUTH DAY in Portugal at the end of July!

They are selling **Five Bean Soup in a Bag** as a fundraiser for their trip. The soup is delicious and makes a great quick lunch or gifts!

The group will be here at OLPH the weekend of June 24 - 25 selling their soup bags in the foyer after Masses.

Bags will be sold: one for \$12 or two for \$20.  
*"We would ask that you support us in prayer as well. Thank you so much!"*

**Five Bean Soup**

*in a bag*

1 bag for \$12  
2 bags for \$20  
600g bags



Fundraiser for WYD 2023

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 ETRANSFER** at:



[OLPH.etransfer@caedm.ca](mailto:OLPH.etransfer@caedm.ca)

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



**June 19 - 24**

**Monday** ~ T.J. John†, David Yakimowich†, Flauriza Coelho†, Gerald Van Brabant†, Orlando Cuglietta†, Ercole Di Marcello†, Anna Di Luigi†, Michelle & Matthew, Betty-Lou Lawrence, Sue Szjoka

**Tuesday** ~ Jose Talosig†, Evelyn Biron†, Jim Mitchell†, Doris Nelson†, Flauriza Coelho†, Math Harty†, Michelle & Matthew, Marvin & Gail Weleschuk & family, Marilyn Castro, Patrick Lema

**Wednesday** ~ Ken Heykants†, Mark Gramlich†, Ann Czieslik†, Bessie Lashin†, Flauriza Coelho†, Mervyn Lynch†, CWL, Michelle & Matthew, Raymond & Agnes Sim, Katrina Baska

**Thursday** ~ Roy & Scott Burnard†, Jim Mitchell†, John Miranda†, Michael Pawlowski†, Pauline Dakin†, Flauriza Coelho†, Veronica Cossey, Marvin & Gail Weleschuk & family, Michelle & Matthew, Veronica Knoski & family

**Friday** ~ David Dotto†, Bryce Clarke†, Bessie Lashin†, Peter Leblanc†, Flauriza Coelho†, Michelle & Matthew, Paul Silveira, Grace Corrigan, June McNamee, Zenny Esguerra, Aline Rusnak

**Saturday** ~ Lawrence Wong†, Cardinal Cornelius Sim†, Roger Guindon†, Chris Bardoel†, Flauriza Coelho†, Michelle & Matthew, Arlene Forbes, Rob Locskai, Donna Clarkson, Laszlo Locskai

**Your OLPH Parish Team**

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**Website:** [www.caedm.ca](http://www.caedm.ca)

**In Event of an Emergency,**  
**Contact Fr. Jim at**  
**780-470-2730 (call or text)**

**TOFIELD CORNER ~ St. Francis of Assisi Parish ~**

*“Blessed is the servant who loves his brother as much when he is sick and useless as when he is well and can be of service to him. And blessed is he who loves his brother as well when he is afar off as when he is by his side, and who would say nothing behind his back he might not, in love, say before his face.”*  
— St. Francis of Assisi



**11th Sunday in Ordinary Time** - God is promising us that we will be His treasured possession out of all the people if we obey His voice and keep His covenant. And Jesus said “You receive without payment; give without payment.” After hearing these words in our hearts, let’s go out into our community and put them into action.

1. There is a **General Meeting** on Sunday June 18 after Mass. Coffee, snacks and lots of discussion available!!
2. **Sign-up sheets** are still at the back of the church for those able to help out in some church projects. Victor will give calls out to people when all is ready to start.
3. **New to the Tofield area?** St. Francis of Assisi Parish has Mass every Sunday at 11:00 am followed by coffee, snacks and good conversation for those who can join in.
4. And every first Sunday of the month is **Pot Luck Sunday** following Mass. Bring what you can and share in the gathering!!
5. Our **Mary Garden** is complete! Sweet!



**To post in the ‘Tofield Corner’ contact Kathy by phone 780-270-8652 or email [Kathleen.Anderson.one@gmail.com](mailto:Kathleen.Anderson.one@gmail.com) (Weekly bulletin deadline is Wednesday.)**

**OLPH Financial Report**

Week 24 June 11, 2023	Cost of Operating the Parish	Building Fund Target Amount	“Together We Serve” Target Amount
Average weekly amount required <i>(based on 2023 budget)</i>	\$25,000.00	\$2,480.00	\$2,310.00
Donations this week	\$22,549.00	\$1,635.00	\$2,769.43
This week surplus/ shortfall	-\$2,451.00	-\$845.00	\$459.43

- Cost of operating the parish “average weekly amount” is 1/52 of the total annual amount of ordinary receipts projected in the 2023 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 - July 2*
- Society of St. Vincent De Paul Poor Box Collection - *Third Sunday of every Month - June 18*

**Congratulations to our young people  
who completed their preparation  
and have been sealed with  
the fullness of the Holy Spirit in the  
Sacrament of Confirmation**



**Sunday June 4, 2023**

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|-------------------|---------------------|-------------------|------------------|
| Cole Bechard      | Lynett Dravucz      | Nathan McBride    | Alaina Rideout   |
| Nora Bechard      | Arelly Dumont       | Hudson McCaig     | Iseul Rossi      |
| Vienna Berry      | Lucas Dundas        | Nikolas Michaud   | Ethan Rutherford |
| Felicia Bohaychuk | Joshua Dutchak      | Liam Nyuli        | Willow Scott     |
| Lily Boorse       | Luke Dutchak        | Kaden Panchuk     | John Songeo      |
| Isabella Bozic    | Morgan Ewaskiw      | Cole Panchuk      | Sadie Treasure   |
| Kyra Branco       | Gavin Fowler        | Gabrielle Pascual | Sophia Trowsdale |
| Finley Cossey     | Caidyn Fowler       | Kayleigh Pawson   | Justin Urkevich  |
| Tess Cossey       | Grayson Fray        | Scott Pearl       | Stacey Valencia  |
| Calen Couturier   | Jenna Ivanov        | Mackenzie Primus  | Maxwell Visser   |
| Amilya de Guzman  | Maddox Jabbour-Hage | Alexa Primus      | Elly Vos         |
| Zoie Delgado      | Silas Jore          | Kyson Rabby       | Blake Wesley     |
| Danika Dolimount  | Emerson Kelly       | Adilee Rabby      | Sarah Zuniga     |
| Matteo Dong       | Ava Kereluk         | Amanda Rideout    |                  |

**Sunday June 11, 2023**

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|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|------------------|
| Chase Allen       | Cooper Desjarlais | Calvin Keet       | Markus Pearce    |
| Jeremy Anderson   | Finnley deVries   | Ryder Kemp        | Jackson Pennock  |
| David Apolonio    | Evan Dunaj        | Madyson Kinnee    | William Pennock  |
| Adrian Bartolome  | Dylan Dunic       | Jude Lamoste      | Kenzie Petersen  |
| Brian Belisario   | Riley Elder       | Paige Lind-Hucal  | Bentley Pulyk    |
| Benjamin Beliveau | Vianka Fontanilla | Ken Maalihan      | Zoey Radmanovich |
| Joseph Brisbane   | Quinn French      | Liam Machalka     | Stephanie Rey    |
| Joaquin Bucud     | Eva Gaboury       | Owen Manning      | Aaliyah Sanchez  |
| Andrew Chance     | Sarah Gamache     | Kian McElwaine    | Hayden Skaling   |
| Sophie Connolly   | Owen Gillis       | Kaydance McMaster | Danika Soroachak |
| Jacklyn Conrad    | Olivia Hall       | Dario Minarchi    | Camryn Spooner   |
| Emersyn Conrad    | Sophia Hlady      | Arianna Morin     | Henry St. Jean   |
| Bethany Cooke     | Rhyan Hurtubise   | Olivia Moroz      | Samuel Thomson   |
| Eumia Coquilla    | Noah Kalbfleisch  | Ayden Moroz       | Tiago Trzok      |
| Grace Croft       | Jordan Kapler     | Jayden Njogu      | Robert Wellar    |
| Elizabeth David   | Victoria Keet     | Brooklyn Page     |                  |

**Parish & Community News**

**\*Please support our  
monthly SSVP POOR  
BOX COLLECTION  
after all Masses this  
weekend**



**Reminder: Knights of Columbus  
YEAR-END BBQ on Tuesday June 20**

5:30 pm Arrive  
6:00 pm Installation of Council Officers  
6:30 pm Dinner

**Prayer of Condolence** Condolences to Elaine Unguran and family, her brother **Raymond Boos** passed away June 13 in Sherwood Park.

**Seven Sisters  
Apostolate**

Ladies, we have an apostolate in our parish called the *Seven Sisters Apostolate*. Check out the website: [sevensistersapostolate.org](http://sevensistersapostolate.org) and see what it is all about.

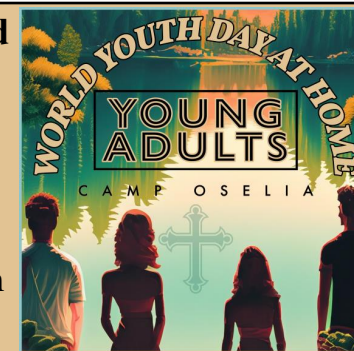
Briefly, it is an apostolate that **prays for priests every day.**

To learn more please contact:  
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*“In strengthening the priest  
you strengthen the whole  
Church...Strengthen the  
priest and you strengthen the  
whole foundation, you  
strengthen everything in the  
Church.”*

–Fr. Gerald Fitzgerald, S.P.

You are invited to **World Youth Day at Home**, a young adult event at Camp Oselia on Wabamun Lake from July 28-30.



This event combines faith and fun, exploring the theme *"Mary went with haste"* and diving into what it means to pursue spiritual growth with excitement and urgency. It'll be a great opportunity to meet other young adults, learn from inspiring speakers (English & Ukrainian Speaking), and enjoy social activities.

Here's the registration link if you are interested in learning more or signing up!

**-- July 28-30 --**

**Luke 1:39**

- Inspiring Speakers
- Meaningful Connections
- Purposeful Prayer

**“Mary went  
with haste”**





## “Let the Little Children come to Me” (Mk 10, 14)

I am not sure if our parishioners have a sense of what our clergy do in a day to keep busy. Many of our parishioners only see Father once a week for an hour, so what does he do for the rest of the week? Does he sit in his office and wait for the phone to ring? No, that is not the case. Besides being available for weddings, baptisms, funerals (and the planning that goes along with each of these sacraments), there are often people looking for advice in different areas of their lives. We have six seniors' residences where we presently celebrate Mass at least twice a month, and in one



case on a weekly basis. We celebrate two Masses a day here in the parish; morning and evening, with reconciliation available after all weekday Masses. On the weekend we have five Sunday Masses; one on Saturday evening and four on Sunday. We also serve St. Francis Parish in Tofield with Mass at 11:00 am every Sunday morning. My reason for sharing this information is not to try and impress you about how busy your clergy are. It is to say, this is part of what we do. The other significant commitment we have is to our ten schools, *our OLPH family of schools*, within the Elk Island Catholic School District.

It has long been my view that our schools are the vineyard. We the clergy, along with our parents, our staff, and admin in our schools, are the laborers in the vineyard. I say this, because we know well that not all our children are at Mass on Sunday morning, but we know well where they will be on Monday morning. At the end of the day, the most important thing we can do with our young people is build relationships with them. Whether it is parents, teachers, or clergy, when you have a relationship with a young person, great things can happen. Meaning, when you have a relationship with young people, or anyone else for that matter, you have great potential to accomplish wonderful things. When you have a good relationship with someone, they tend to listen when you are communicating with them. The only way to grow a relationship is by spending time working at that relationship.

To develop relationships with our young people, the clergy here at OLPH are committed to having a clergy in every school at a scheduled time every week for classroom visits. This means we visit our ten schools weekly and might be in two or three classrooms per visit. Over the course of the school year, as you might imagine, this gives us good exposure to many students and the staff responsible for forming them. Even if we do not get to their classroom, they see us in the hallways and that is another opportunity to build relationships. This is not a bullet-proof system, and it is not perfect in its concept. However, the consistently scheduled visits over time, is a very productive way of getting to know our young people, at least by face if not by name. This is a time consuming and yes at times painstaking process. But it is very much worth it, to have young people acknowledge who you are, and engage in conversation with you.

The other great benefit we have with this mode of school/parish relationship is that we

get to know our teachers, staff, and administrators very well over time. Building strong relationships with our teachers and admin is equally important, as they are the gateways to the vineyard. They are the ones who will come up with initiatives, and ideas that will assist everyone in growing. I have been feeling like we have been very busy over the last two weeks or so. As I look back at my calendar, it is evident that we have. I wish to share with you the last couple weeks of our school interaction. This on top of our regular ministry and those weekly classroom visits. It is for me, an impressive body of work.

We begin with Sunday May 28 when we celebrated the Grad Mass for ABJ at the Edmonton Convention Center. This is notable because, it is only the second time we have done it. It involved two thousand parents, grads, and family members. June 2 we celebrated the Holy Redeemer grade 8 farewell Mass at Holy Redeemer School. June 8 was a banner day, as we celebrated Mass for Archbishop Jordan High School, as well as Madonna Catholic School, outdoors at the Emerald Hills football stadium. Again, unique, as this in only the second time we have done it. More importantly it is the only local venue large enough to celebrate Mass for sixteen hundred young people. (Normally for ABJ celebrations, we have two Masses in the gym, splitting the school population in half, which is not ideal. It is however, the only way to get all the kids to Mass. Bussing them to the Church would be logistically and economically untenable.) On the same day we hosted Austin O'Brien High School for their grad Mass and commencements at OLPH. Fourteen hundred plus folks on a very warm evening. A beautiful event and relationship builder, but a very big day. The next morning the entire St. Theresa Middle School came to the parish for Mass. Yesterday St. Nicholas School came to the parish for Mass, and as I write this I know that today, Friday June 16, Holy Spirit School will be here at 10:00 am, St. Luke School will be here at 1:00 pm and OLPH School will be here for their grade 8 farewell Mass at 4:00 pm. This is in combination with 120 young people being confirmed over the last two Sundays and seventy or so young people receiving their first Holy Communion at this weekend's Masses.

As I write this, I feel like I am bragging. The reality is that I am joyfully celebrating the wonderful relationships we have with our schools. There is an economic cost to bus several hundred children to Mass, but our school Administration see this as an important component of the faith formation of our children. I see these wonderful things happening because of consistent relationship building with our children and our schools over several years. Children do not need to know you are their best friend. They do need to know that you value them and want to spend time with them. There are many moving parts in this equation. Natalie, our school liaison person, connects the dots and communicates well with our schools, and we the clergy are very happy to simply show up and engage, wherever it is we are invited to build relationships.

Yes, we do only work one hour a week, but we do manage to pack a lot into that hour. God's blessings,

*Jn. Jim*

*Let the Little Children come to Me (Mk 10, 14)*