

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: June 7

2nd Wednesday hosted by Society of St. Vincent de Paul: June 14

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/ or at [facebook.com/olphsherwoodpark/videos](https://www.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 4, 2023 ~ Most Holy Trinity

We Remember, We Celebrate, We Believe

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

OLPH Parish
POTLUCK &
FAMILY DANCE
SATURDAY, JUNE 10
AT 6:15 PM

(after the 5:00 pm evening Mass)

All are welcome to join us for another Parish
Potluck-Community Building event with a
“Beach Party” theme!

“LIVE MUSIC BY THE BEACH BOUYS”

Childrens Activities: Craft, Fishing and Ocean Snacks.

FREE EVENT FOR ALL AGES.

Just put on your summer
clothes , bring a summer dish
to share and join us for a fun
evening and fellowship!



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

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 5 - 10

Monday ~ Martha Tudela de Viale†, Lennard Sebastian†, Lolita Ramilo†, Bemvindo Palha, Michelle & Matthew, Marilyn Castro, Keith & Krista MacPherson, Zenny Esguerra, Kylan & Adler Berezan, Anita & Jason Selkirk, Betty-Lou Lawrence

Tuesday ~ Jim Mitchell†, Marvin & Gail Weleschuk & family, The Prenoslo & the Linaker families, Michelle & Matthew, Stephen Hand, Carla Banbury, Geroa O'Brien, Carmen Palahaniuk, Peter & Andrea Draganiuk, Gina & Gilles Chouinard

Wednesday ~ Bessie Lashin†, Linda De Sousa, Michelle & Matthew, Jim Lashin, Gordon Roman, Charles Dufault, Marie-Therese Spindler, Cassandra Baska, James Levesque, Ben & Jen Draganiuk

Thursday ~ Jim Mitchell†, Steve Weimann†, Michael Pawlowski†, Gloria Sousa†, All seniors, Marvin & Gail Weleschuk & family, Michelle & Matthew, Nick Paris, Anthony Samy, Leo & Louise Tuchscherer, MaryAnn Fowler, Colleen Stanski

Friday ~ Ken Heykants†, Bessie Lashin†, Bryce Clarke†, John Miranda†, Adele Salé†, Rita Duchesne†, Michelle & Matthew, Julius & Damian, Jeanette Paskevick, Josie Draganiuk, Danielle Byranton

Saturday ~ Kunjamme John†, Joseph John†, Margaret Robinson†, Pauline Dakin†, Flauriza Coelho†, Mervyn Lynch†, Michelle & Matthew, Carine Elodie Toffa, Baby Joanna Cavanagh, Josie Draganiuk

Your OLPH Parish Team

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Follow Us on Facebook:
facebook.com/olphsherwoodpark

Archdiocese of Edmonton
Website: 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 ~

"The good God does not need years to accomplish His work of love in a soul; one ray from His Heart can, in an instant, make His flower bloom for eternity."
- quote from St. Therese of Lisieux's letters



Most Holy Trinity Sunday - Those who adore and worship Him will find favour in the Lord and they shall live accordingly.



1. **Sign-up sheets** to help in parish projects can be found at the back of the church.
2. To **all those new** to the Tofield area - St. Francis of Assisi Parish has Mass every Sunday at 11:00 am followed by coffee and snacks for those who would like to stay and visit!
3. And every first Sunday of the month is **Pot Luck Sunday** following Mass. Bring what you can share in the gathering!
4. Our **Marian Garden** is finished! Yay! We are so happy to be able to adore the Mother of our Saviour with blooming flowers all summer long.
5. St. Francis of Assisi Parish **financial report** will be posted once a month in this bulletin. Keep your eyes open.

To post in the 'Tofield Corner' contact Kathy by phone 780-270-8652 or email Kathleen.Anderson.one@gmail.com (Weekly bulletin deadline is Wednesday.)

OLPH Financial Report

Week 22 May 28, 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	\$18,485.90	\$1,946.10	\$7,203.40
This week surplus/ shortfall	-\$6,352.10	-\$533.90	\$4,991.40

- 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 - June 4*
- Society of St. Vincent De Paul Poor Box Collection - *Third Sunday of every Month - June 18*



SATURDAY
JUNE 10, 2023



SUPER BEE 100

More than a thousand volunteer and contracted hours have gone into preparing Our Lady of Victory Camp for relaunch in July. We need your help with our final push at a work bee on Saturday, June 10, 2023. We are seeking ONE HUNDRED volunteers who can spend the day (or half the day) with us as we get ready for summer 2023.

WE NEED HELP FOR:

- ✓ Deep Cleaning the Camp
- ✓ Organizing Camp Equipment
- ✓ Minor Carpentry & Repairs
- ✓ Finishing Work
- ✓ Yard Work
- ✓ Hospitality for Work Bee Volunteers

SIGN UP NOW

CALL FR. JIM OR ARDEN AT THE PARISH OFFICE TO VOLUNTEER WITH "TEAM OLPH" OR CONTACT OLVC DIRECTLY:

Contact Us
403-896-3745

Email
cbaril53@gmail.com

Thank you for your generous service!

What's Happening at OLPH

MASS SCHEDULE CHANGE NOTICE for Thursday, June 8
Please note: evening Mass will be at 5:00 pm instead of 6:15 pm to accommodate a special graduation event in the church that evening.

Monthly Special Collection This Weekend

How your GIFT is



SHARED

LOCAL (70%)

Catholic Social Services

Cares for and brings hope to over 10,000 people every year.

Society of St. Vincent de Paul Edmonton Central Council

Provides leadership, coordination and support services for 19 SSVF conferences.

Newman Theological College

Trains and uplifts future servants for the Church in its mission.

St. Joseph's College

Empowers young people to serve others and live their faith in the world.

St. Joseph Seminary

Forms diocesan priests for Western Canada and beyond.

St. Joseph Priests' Foundation

Ensures the dignified care of Archdiocesan priests when they retire.

Our Lady of Victory Camp

Reopening to young campers in summer 2023.

CANADA (15%)

Diocese of Mackenzie-Fort Smith

Our twin diocese is one of the largest in the world and home to 28,000 Catholics.

Needs of the Church in Canada

Supports the work of our Canadian Bishops in national and international pastoral activity.

INTERNATIONAL (15%)

Evangelization of Peoples

Supports pastoral and evangelization work in missionary dioceses around the world.

Needs of the Church in the Holy Land

Supports Christians in the Holy Land and maintenance of Christianity's most holy sites.

Pope's Pastoral Works

Exercises charity to the poor and needy in the Holy Father's name.



Mass Today
Sunday June 4
at 2:30 pm

Refreshments to follow.
Everyone Welcome!

Please keep our
Confirmands in your
Prayers.

CWL Year-End Wind-Up

Come join us for our
Awards and Fun Social
Evening

Monday June 12
6:30 pm in the Parish Hall



Please bring finger
foods or a snack to
share

Prayer of Condolence

Condolences to Lisa Berstad, her father **Raymond Berstad** passed away May 29. Funeral will be at OLPH on Monday June 12 at 11:30 am.

For more information:
www.caedm.ca/togetherweserve

Donate
now!



What's Happening at OLPH



**CONGRATULATIONS
& WELCOME**
to the children Baptized
on Sunday May 28

Bear Jax Allen
Baker Lee Gauvreau
Julia Nicolas Jarvinen
Wesley James Kryska
Lincoln William Lemire
Walker Ray Machado-Hopper
Nola Jean Naturkach
Sadie Mckenna Naturkach
James Michael Nolan
Rae Jeannine Snider
Silas Joseph Wright

JETS final descent to oasis in Nature

The JETS Women's Group has one destination left on their departure board so won't you join us before our fleet is grounded for summer maintenance?

Please plan to board with us this Friday, June 9, on an adventure through a gently rolling landscape of aspen forest at the beautiful Sherwood Park Natural Area just off Range Road 231. We will be meeting in the Park's parking lot at 9:30 am but those wishing to carpool from the Church, please rendezvous in the Parish parking lot by the office at 9:15 am. Dress for the weather and hiking trails and bring a water bottle. Complimentary in-flight snacks and beverages will be served after the flight. Four-legged friends are also welcome!

For more info, kindly contact our Captain of the Day, Natalie E. at nengler0@gmail.com.

For the best route in current traffic visit <https://maps.app.goo.gl/wzhbBGgFDEVZjGpz6>

*Of all the paths you take in life,
make sure a few of them are in
dirt.*

JETS 



== java, exercise, talk and service ==

What's Happening at OLPH



**Register TODAY for OLPH
Vacation Bible School!**

For Children Pre-K to Grade 5
**Bible Stories, Crafts, Games,
Science Experiments, Snacks**
Come join us for fun
and excitement!

DEADLINE APPROACHING!

DATE: July 10-14, 2023

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

WHERE: OLPH Parish Hall

COST: \$70.00 per child and if you register by June 11 child will get a t-shirt! (\$15 non-refundable fee for cancellation after June 11.)

**Register in person at
the parish office.**

Scan for more details:



Contact Sharon for more info:
sdarbyshire@olph.ca



PARISH TEAM SPOTLIGHT: Taylor Rowles



Hi, I'm Taylor Rowles. You probably recognize me from the Parish Office where I work at on weekends. I'm grateful I get to work in such an amazing environment with amazing people and I find it really fulfilling to interact with all of the parishioners! I am attending NorQuest College to pursue my Administrative Professional Certificate. In my free time you can usually find me reading, drinking lots of coffee, or cuddling with my cat Jellybean. I received my sacraments of initiation and was received into full communion with the Holy Catholic Church at this year's Easter Vigil. My fiance Justin Barker and I are getting married in September here at OLPH!

Parish & Community News



CALLED TO PROTECT training, an abuse prevention training session will be offered on:
Wednesday June 14 ~ 1:00 pm to 3:30 pm
The two and half session is mandatory for all volunteers and employees of the Archdiocese. This will be a zoom session open for all. Please register online with this link: <https://forms.gle/YptUwXahFnCbKJwR7>



Monday | June 26, 2023
Blackhawk Golf Club

Register today to golf in support of *St. Joseph Seminary and Newman Theological College* at the 31st Annual Newman Golf Classic on Monday, June 26, 2023.

Our event is filled with lots of food & beverages, a fantastic round of golf, great conversation, fun and fellowship. Most importantly, our golf tournament and your participation raise much-needed funds to support the education of future priests and lay leaders for The Catholic Archdiocese of Edmonton and dioceses across Western Canada.

Building on our 31-year history, we strive to make this tournament even more successful every year. It is thanks to you and your sponsorship/donation/registration that the Newman Golf Classic can thrive and fulfill its mission.

These essential Catholic institutions receive no government funding and depend on supporters like you to carry out their complementary missions, to form new Catholic priests and leaders who will serve the Church in these challenging times.

To register, please call **Lisa Andruchiw 780 469-1010 ext 2139** or visit:
<https://caedm.ca/golf/>

What's Happening at OLPH



Knights of Columbus
YEAR-END BBQ
Tuesday June 20
OLPH Parish Hall

This is a special invitation to the Knights of Columbus Council 6083 (OLPH) members, spouses and associate members to attend the Annual Year-End BBQ!

Members are asked to bring a salad or dessert (potluck). Dinner will include choice of steak or chicken, and includes baked potato and bar service (donations accepted). The evening will include Installation of Officers, followed by dinner, awards and social. Come out and have fun with your fellow Knights! And, there will be a few special guests!

5:30 pm arrive

6:00 pm Installation of Council Officers (this will be crisp)

6:30 pm Dinner

Cost: Only \$10 per person. (Bring Cash)

RSVP by email to Sean spmullane@shaw.ca with your name and your +1 (spouse/partner) by June 15 (or earlier).

Calling all curious Musicians and aspiring Singers...

BEGINNERS MUSIC WORKSHOP

Thursday Evenings in June, 7:30 - 8:30 pm
(Meeting in the Sanctuary by the Piano)



Rehearsal and Mentoring for SINGERS & MUSICIANS. Come learn HOW to play for Masses or find a choir to join! Together we will...

- Introduce the Mass music protocols, order of the songs and other Mass parts.
- Learn how to choose music selections, where to find music book, etc.
- Work to set up new music teams and hopefully create more groups to provide music for the Masses in need.

Interested in learning new skills and sharing your time & talent to help make our liturgies beautiful? Call Christine at 780-410-2033.



*"For everything there is a season,
and a time for every matter under
heaven... (Ecc. 3, 1)."*

Perhaps it was the Holy Spirit at Pentecost, or the reality that our parish is simply going to be very busy this month - with end of year school Masses, graduations etc. - but it became evident to me that *it is time*. As we concluded the month of Mary and prepared for the June rush, I consulted with some of our stakeholders and it became evident to me that now is the time to remove the mask mandate for Extra-ordinary Ministers of Communion, Adult Servers, and Clergy. They will be welcome, however, according to the comfort level of the minister involved.

Our philosophy, as we have evolved out of the rollercoaster of the past three years, is to provide those who are concerned about the spread of germs etc. with a clear signal that we are concerned about them and about the overall health of our parish. The masks worn were meant to give those receiving Holy Communion peace, that OLPH was doing all that is possible to keep her faithful safe. Yet at what point is enough, enough? We have been living the new normal now for over a year and things seem to be going well within our society health-wise. We are still required to mask up when we enter Alberta Health Services and Covenant Health facilities. I dare say that we have not been over scrupulous in the precautionary department. (Though some might disagree, and that is their right.)

The other process we will end at this time is the sanitization of the pews after the Masses. I am deeply grateful to those of you who have so faithfully continued the cleaning process throughout this prolonged period of time. What we will do going forward is ask our custodian Lito, to do a sanitizing clean on Monday mornings after the weekend rush.

What we will continue to offer, and I do see this as the way forward in the future is the following: Our greeters will continue to offer the opportunity for you to sanitize your hands if you choose when you arrive and when you leave the Church. This is simply a courtesy and an invitation, but it does send a message that we are supportive of a hygienic worship space. Our Clergy and other Eucharistic Ministers will continue to sanitize their hands after receiving Holy Communion themselves, mask or no mask.

I am profoundly grateful to you dear volunteers within our parish who stepped up and served where needed, and did what was called for, over an extended period. Thank you for your dedication and commitment to providing an environment that the faithful knew was conducive to healthy worship. All our pre-covid folks are not back in the parish yet. At this

point though I do not think that a safe worship space environment is the reason our parishioners are not back in the pews. At a talk I gave on Thursday evening, I was introduced as the pastor of a parish with six thousand families. I had to smile to myself about that. If even two thirds of our families attended Sunday worship regularly, we would need to build another Church! I do live in hope, and I do have the energy to build another Church. So please my friends, whatever your reason or thinking for not being here, please come back. The Lord Jesus misses you, and we miss you. We are working diligently at being the most welcoming parish in the Archdiocese of Edmonton.

The livestreaming and television airing (Ch 877 Telus) that we continue to do, is meant to serve the faithful who are not able to attend Mass on Sunday morning, due to health, mobility, and transportation challenges. We are aware that it can become comfortable to simply join the Holy Mass on Sunday Morning by way of livestream or channel 877. If you are ill or of advanced age, or transportation is the challenge, welcome to our virtual Masses. Be aware please, that if you are joining the Mass from home because of convenience, though that is an implicit good, it does not cover your Sunday obligation. The dispensation from the Sunday obligation was lifted a year ago on Pentecost Sunday. The Church is still the right and normal place of worship to fulfill our Sunday obligation. In the same breath, I take this opportunity to remind you that summer may be a time where we slow down and are not so caught up in the busy-ness of the school year. Please make the Holy Mass a part of your summer programming for your family. Young or not so young, the consistency of year-round attendance develops habits and discipline in your children that will pay off down the road.

My friends, God created us in His image and likeness, and we are hardwired to be in relationship with one another. When we come together on Sunday morning, we grow as a community of faith, and we support one another on our individual journeys of relationship with God, with one another and with ourselves. It is a great gift to come together in community and grow in that way, while at the same time receiving the grace of the sacraments that will support us in the week to come. Folks, God's grace is absolutely real, and absolutely efficacious, in its benefits upon us. And your parish Church is absolutely the place to come and receive both these gifts, freely, abundantly, and lavishly.

"For everything there is a season, and a time for every matter under heaven... (Ecc. 3, 1)."

God bless you and yours. See you Sunday.

Fr. Jim

