

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 - NEW Summer Schedule!

*****EVERY FRIDAY a Holy Hour prior to each daily Mass*****

7:30 am prior to Morning Mass and 5:15 pm prior to Evening Mass

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



1st Wednesday hosted by Mary's Servants for Christ: September 6

2nd Wednesday hosted by Society of St. Vincent de Paul: September 13

3rd Wednesday hosted by CWL: August 16

4th Wednesday hosted by K of C: August 23

5th Wednesday (when applicable) 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



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 August 13, 2023 ~ Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

We Remember, We Celebrate, We Believe

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



ATTENTION PARENTS:

Preparation Classes for your Children's Sacraments will start up again in September.

Contact Natalie at the OLPH Parish Office to register now or for help with any questions.

GRADE 2 AND UP

First Reconciliation & First Holy Communion

GRADE 6 AND UP

Confirmation

Call 780-467-5470 or Email:
sacraments@olph.ca

Grief as a Journey

When we experience loss of a loved one, we need to grieve. OLPH offers a ten-week program called "Grief as a Journey", open to anyone who feels they may benefit from it.

Mondays 6:50 - 8:50 pm

September 18 to November 27

(excluding Thanksgiving Day on Oct. 9)



To register for the upcoming session, please call the Parish Office 780-467-5470 or email info@olph.ca.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

We are still looking for additional volunteers to assist with **counting the Sunday offerings.**

The counting team is responsible for recording and reconciling the donations received. Contact the Parish Office 780-467-5470 or email info@olph.ca to learn more about this role.



OFFERING COUNTERS

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.



August 14-19

Monday ~ Chase Evan Gourlay†, Denise Deblois†, Ted Siwak†, Efiplano Chavez†, Daniela & Fernando Araullo†, Linda De Sousa, Jesus & Mary, Davis & Lea Ng family, Violet & Lynne Fletcher, Jennifer Cormier

Tuesday ~ Peter Yurkysh†, Fr. Cornelio Lagerwey, MSC†, Jim Mitchell†, Carmen Prince†, Ryan Clement†, Barbara Kaup†, Ben Foroles, Marvin & Gail Weleschuk & family, Adrien & Trina Joly

Wednesday ~ Denise Deblois†, Merrill Rogers†, Kevin King†, William Kaup†, Fr. Leo Floyd†, Kevin & Judy McKinney†, Ken Heykants†, CWL, Vera Connor, Joyce Burnard

Thursday ~ Jim Mitchell†, Marilyn Castro†, Siwak Family†, Anthony Reghelini†, Marvin & Gail Weleschuk & family, Ma. Elena Sebastian, Randell Chad Sebastian, Barry MacDonald

Friday ~ Ramon Pangilinan†, Victor & Ambrocio Garcia†, Bryce Clarke†, Larry Dominiuk†, Linda De Sousa, Claddy Noda, Garcia, Joel & Agas families, Oleda Ewasiuk

Saturday ~ Sophie Brandle†, Yadira Julio Castillo†, Holy Souls of Purgatory†

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



SOCIETY of St. VINCENT de PAUL (SSVP)
OUR LADY of PERPETUAL HELP CONFERENCE

Your OLPH Parish Team

Pastor ~ Fr. Jim Corrigan
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Associate Pastor
Fr. Ben Makkollil, CMI
frben@olph.ca

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Deacon Lynn Pion
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Administrative Assistant
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Parish Office 780-467-5470

Website: www.olph.ca

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olphsherwoodpark](https://facebook.com/olphsherwoodpark)

Archdiocese of Edmonton
Website: www.caedm.ca

In event of an emergency, call the church office to connect with the Priest On Call 780-467-5470

HELP LINE 780-416-0931
Press 1 to Request HELP,
Press 2 to DONATE

TOFIELD CORNER

~ St. Francis of Assisi Parish ~

"in spite of all obstacles, what God willed was really accomplished. He did not allow creatures(us) to do what we willed but to do what He willed."
Quote from: St. Therese of Lisieux - The Story of a Soul



19th Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ How often do we hear in our hearts "You of little faith, why did you doubt?" And how often are we shown the Son of God working tirelessly around us in our daily lives? Let us be of great faith, working tirelessly in our community and among each other to spread the faith, the Love of our God to each and everyone of us.

1. Please see the month of August **Priests' Schedule** on the bulletin board at the back of our church.
2. Next **General Meeting** will be held on August 27 after Sunday Mass. Please join in to make St. Francis of Assisi *your* parish. Minutes of our last meeting will be available soon at the back of the church.
3. **Update on activities** in the parish:
 - Fortis has removed a few branches from the large tree on the north side of the church. We have now received an estimate from an Arborist to remove the whole tree. The tree poses a risk to our building, to near by vehicles and human life at this point. *"A stitch in time saves nine"* - we were always told by our elders.
 - An estimate on various materials that could be used for covering the front bricked area is coming soon. We will be needing volunteers to help spread the material around, so stay tuned to hear when you can help out!!
 - We are also waiting on a quote for cleaning of the gutters on the church.
 - Victor will be spray washing the exterior of the church soon so as to prepare for paint-touch-ups.
4. We now have our restored beautiful Stations of the Cross back! You may have noticed them in the front foyer. It was agreed that we will paint the interior walls first before placing them up.
5. We now have our three quotes in for replacing our furnace and will proceed as soon as a choice has been made by OLPH parish. We will have heat this winter! Yay!
6. Reminder St. Francis of Assisi's **monthly financial report** can be seen in last week's bulletin. We are doing very well - thank you to everyone! Please keep up the amazing work!

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.)

Parish & Community News


BOATING SAFETY

In today's Gospel, Jesus "made the disciples get into the boat," and then went off by himself to pray. **When the storm came**, they thought they were alone - but Jesus knew their need and came to them. Your gift to **Together We Serve** helps Jesus come to those in need in our local community and beyond.

Give Today!





together we serve
Catholics making a difference



the Archbishop's Dinner

A grateful gathering as People of Mission

5:00 pm, Friday, October 6
Edmonton Convention Centre
<https://arch-dinner2023.eventbrite.ca>




August 14 - 15, 2023
Skaro Shrine
105th Annual Pilgrimage 2023

BREATHE
A Catholic Marriage Conference

Recharge AND Refresh YOUR MARRIAGE

Two Day Catholic Marriage Conference
SEPTEMBER 22-23, 2023
HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, SPRUCE GROVE, AB
REGISTER: www.catholicmarriageandfamily.com

What's Happening at OLPH



Fr. Jim will be away from OLPH until August 24. For any emergency or to book an appointment, text him at 780-470-2730 or email jcorrigan@olph.ca

Are you being called to the Catholic Church?



Whether you are just curious or already feel a deep hunger for communion with our Lord and His Church, RCIA is for you!

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)
Wednesdays | 7:00-9:00 pm | **STARTS SEPTEMBER 13**
Offered online on Zoom and in-person.
For more information contact Billy at bspindle@shaw.ca or 780-990-7981

Prayer of Condolence

Condolences to the family of **James Young** who passed away on July 3 in Switzerland.


To the family of **David O'Rourke** who passed away July 12 in Sherwood Park. Funeral for David will be at OLPH on Saturday September 16 at 11:00 am.



Wedding Congratulations to these couples joined in Holy Matrimony at OLPH

August 4, 2023
Scott Corrigan & Dianne Bell
August 5, 2023
Sean Coté & Olivia Murray


If you have a 3-6 year old child and want them to know the unconditional love of their Maker, CGS is the place for them!



CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD uses the Montessori method to introduce children to Jesus. Instead of children sitting down and being instructed, CGS engages all of their senses to direct their bodies, minds, hearts and souls towards Jesus, the Good Shepherd.

Upcoming Parent Info night for CGS
Level 1 atrium (Children 3-6 years old)
Wednesday, September 6 at 7:15pm
Zoom & in person option available

More info & registration is available now at
<https://www.olph.ca/child-youth-ministry/cgs/>



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Hosted by CWL

Wednesday, August 16
5:15 to 6:15pm
Prior to the Holy Mass

"He remains among us until the end of the world. He dwells on so many altars, though so often offended and profaned."
- St. Maximilian Kolbe

What's Happening at OLPH

Having Your Child BAPTIZED

Baptism opens the door to ALL the sacraments! Preparation Class can be taken *before or after* the birth of your baby. Both Mother and Father must attend, and Godparents are also encouraged to attend.

Baptism Preparation Classes are held the 2nd Tuesday evening of every month at 6:15 pm (starting with Mass)

Baptism Celebrations are held at OLPH the 3rd and 4th Sundays every month at 2:30 pm

To register for Preparation Class

OR to schedule your child's

Baptism please email

Jenny at info@olph.ca



At OLPH, We Pray for One Another



Contact Doreen at 780-467-0597 or Josie at 780-467-0197 with your prayer requests

SACRAMENT OF HOLY MATRIMONY



Engaged? Congratulations!

Contact Angie at 780-467-5470 or by email ADeWolfe@olph.ca to schedule your Pre-Nuptial Meet & Greet with Father Jim and find a Marriage Preparation Course.

What's Happening at OLPH



How do you keep your marriage from suffering when you work for the Church? Join Archbishop Smith and our own **Deacon Lynn Pion** for a conversation about the permanent diaconate, marriage, the experience of presiding over your own child's wedding, the experience of coming to a vocation later in life, and the need for unity in the Church.

Upfront with the Archbishop is the Archdiocese of Edmonton's weekly PODCAST where we seek to bridge the gap between the hierarchy and the faithful by discussing *the beauty, truth, and challenges of our Catholic faith*. Listen on our website (or wherever you listen to podcasts.)

<https://caedm.ca/upfront/>

LISTEN ON



The Gift Shop is CLOSED FOR SUMMER July 2 - August 27



THE CLOTHING NOOK IS OPEN FOR SHOPPING

Tuesdays 1:00 – 3:00 pm

August 22, September 5 & 19, October 3, 17 & 31, November 14 & 28 and December 12

Saturdays 10:00 am – 12:00 pm

August 26, September 9 & 23, October 7 & 21, November 4 & 18 and December 2 & 16

(Closed September 4, October 7 and December 23 to January 1, 2024)

*****The Christmas Store will be open starting mid-November*****

All clothing is always FREE thanks to the generous donations from our community. We look forward to serving those in need.

Donations of clean, gently used, seasonal clothing, shoes and household linens can be dropped off by the parish office during regular office hours. (Donation Bin next to elevator)

The Clothing Nook can not accept other items.

*****Please contact the Society of St. Vincent de Paul at 780-416-0931 to arrange to donate appliances, furniture, children's toys etc.**

OLPH Financial Report

Week 32 August 6, 2023	Cost of Operating the Parish	Building Fund Target Amount	"Together We Serve" Target Amount
Average weekly amount required (based on 2023 budget)	\$25,000.00	\$2,480.00	\$2,310.00
Donations this week	\$18,830.90	\$2,160.10	\$2,498.40
This week surplus/	-\$6,169.10	-\$319.90	\$188.40

- 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 - September 3*
- Society of St. Vincent De Paul Poor Box Collection - *Third Sunday of every Month - August 20*