

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

Sunday Mass

Saturday vigil 5:00 pm
Sunday 8:30 am, 10:30 am,
12:30 pm and 7:00 pm

Weekday Mass

Mornings: Monday to Saturday 8:30 am
Evenings: Monday to Friday 6:15 pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Every Saturday 9:15 am to 11:00 am

Monday to Friday: **Immediately Following Morning and Evening Mass**

****If you wish to celebrate Reconciliation after a weekday Mass, please ensure you are AT THE CONFESSIONAL BY THE TIME MASS ENDS. The priests will not wait if no one is there after Mass, and will only stay for as long as there are people waiting.*

Adoration

Wednesday Holy Hour at 5:15 pm prior to evening Mass

1st Wednesday hosted by Mary's Servants for Christ: June 3, 2026

2nd Wednesday hosted by Society of St. Vincent de Paul: June 10, 2026

3rd Wednesday hosted by CWL: June 17, 2026

4th Wednesday hosted by K of C: May 27, 2026

5th Wednesday hosted by Clergy: July 29, 2026



ALSO: Friday Holy Hours at 7:30 am and 5:15 pm prior to the daily Masses

AND First Sunday of Every Month FAMILY-FRIENDLY Holy Hour at 2:30 pm (children of all ages WELCOME, silence is NOT expected in the Church)



Did you know we have a YouTube Channel? For the benefit of the faithful whose health or other circumstances prevent them from attending the church in person, **all Masses and Adoration are livestreamed at:**

<https://www.youtube.com/@olphparishsherwoodparkab/streams>

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 May 24, 2026 ~ Pentecost Sunday
We Remember, We Celebrate, We Believe
13 Brower Drive, Sherwood Park, AB T8H 1Y7 780-467-5470 www.olph.ca



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

You're invited

What: Society of St. Vincent de Paul (SSVP) OLPH is hosting an Open House and Parishioner Appreciation Day.

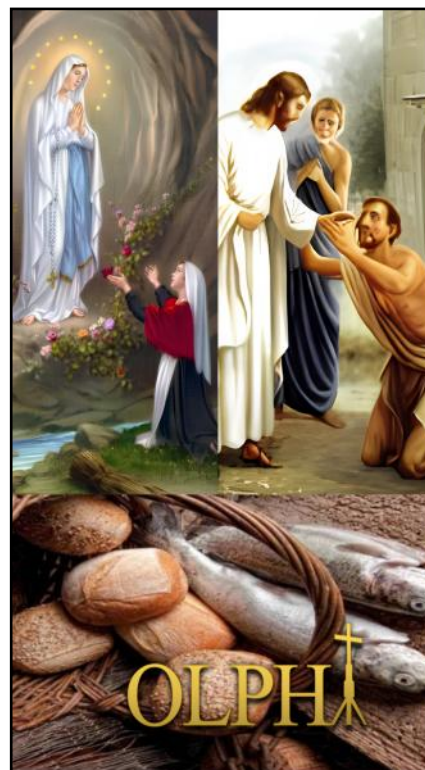
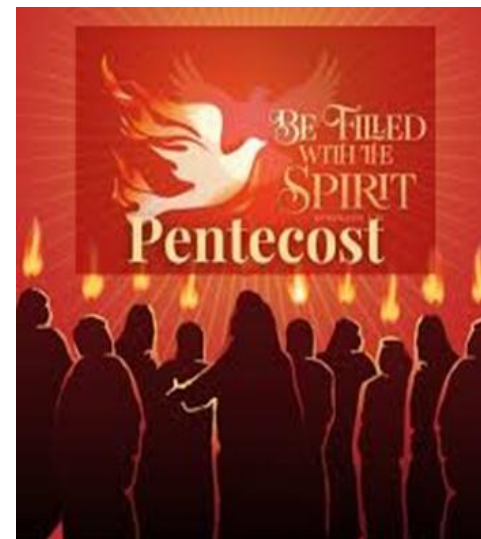
When: Next weekend, Sunday May 31, 2026, after the 8:30am, 10:30am, and 12:30pm Masses.

Who: All parishioners are invited to come enjoy a coffee and donut

Where: In the garage located behind the church (far northeast end of the parking lot)



Come see the amazing work that the SSVP volunteers do every week.



Conversation Cafe!

**“Do miracles still happen today?”
Let’s talk about it.**

**Sunday, May 31 | 2:00-3:30 pm | Parish Hall
Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Sherwood Park**

Throughout His ministry, Jesus used miracles to awaken faith and reveal God’s love for us. Do you believe miracles still happen today? Have you ever experienced one in your own life? Come share your story – your miracle might be the very encouragement someone else needs. Join us for this uplifting conversation before the Café closes for the summer.

**Everyone welcome! Questions?
email Margo: lberge2@telus.net**



Monday ~ Holy Souls in Purgatory†, Cecilia Leon-Ferreira†, Molly Isaiah†, Scott Shea†, Esther Neuman†, Asuncion & Gregorio Marcial†, Mario Luna†, DeWolfe Family, Arlene Dickson, Don Snider

Tuesday ~ Angelina de Belen†, Bruce Donovan†, Ron King†, Fr. Cecil Zinger, CSB†, David B Rally†, Marvin & Gail Weleschuk & Family, Chris Gillis & Anna Seppälä, Mary Justik, The Calix Society, Jordon Dubuc

Wednesday ~ Souls in the Purgatory†, Chase Evan Gourlay†, Roberta McKale, People of Goodfish Lake, Fr. Jim Corrigan, Zinger Family Members, Johnny Pawliw, Don and Cathy Snider, Tom Kenny, Anna Catherine & Anna Christine Solleza

Thursday ~ Thomas, Martha & John Sieben†, Betty Papley†, Ida Mary McGreevey†, Lennard Sebastian†, Marjorie Tasaker†, Marvin & Gail Weleschuk & Family, Carolyn Hoffman, Jeff Newman, Bob & Dana Fisk, Joanne Moran

Friday ~ Holy Souls in Purgatory†, Ray Berstad†, Thomas, Martha & John Sieben†, James Russel Gimena†, Bea Parker†, Violet Fernandez†, Marcelino & Linda De Sousa Family, Roberta McKale, Peter Wiodarczak, Aila Torres, Don and Cathy Snider

Saturday ~ Darren John Chichak†, Teresa Manus†, Monserat Gallenero†, Rosita Tudu†, Roy & Scott Buinard†, Paul O'Brien†, Denise Sokoluk†, Daniela Morales, Varun Baby & family, Don & Cathy Snider



Condolences to the family of **Annette Martin** who passed away May 21, 2026.

To the family of **Jeanette Machura** who passed away on May 17, 2026. Funeral Mass at OLPH on Monday May 25, 2026 at 10:30 am.

To the family of **Marie Carter**. Funeral Mass at OLPH on Wednesday May 27, 2026 at 10:30 am.



DO YOU NEED SOMEONE TO PRAY FOR YOU?

Contact one of our *Prayer Laudators*, Doreen 780-467-0597 or Josie 780-467-0197

Parish Office 780-467-5470

General Inquiries: info@olph.ca

OLPH Website: www.olph.ca

Your OLPH Parish Team:

Pastor ~ Fr. Jim Corrigan

jcorrigan@olph.ca

Cell 780-470-2730

Associate Pastor

Fr. Michael Aro. Pancras SDB

michael.aro@olph.ca

Permanent Deacon

Deacon Lynn Pion

lpion@olph.ca

Business Coordinator

Bridget Francisco

bridget.francisco@olph.ca

Pastoral Assistant

Natalie Lavigne nlavigne@olph.ca

Administrative Assistant

Jenny Velazco jvelazco@olph.ca

Administrative Assistant

Angie DeWolfe adewolfe@olph.ca

WEEKEND Admin Support

reception@olph.ca

Volunteer Management

vmteam@olph.ca

Archdiocese of Edmonton

Website: www.caedm.ca

In case of Emergency, call or text Fr. Jim at 780-470-2730

Catholic Community News



Scan QR code or tap here to register

June 14, 2026
St Albert Parish
\$100 per couple

Transform your marriage. Unlock the spirituality of the Sacrament of Matrimony.

Couples who **pray** together, **stay** together



CONTACT US:
+1 (250) 300-6914
Doug & Candice Chappell
doug.candice.chappell@wwme.org

GOD CHOSE YOU FOR ME - JUNE 14, 2026

This one-day event for all married couples is being sponsored by the Archdiocese and Worldwide Marriage Encounter. This experience is a call to rediscover the sacred bond you share as a sacramental couple. By seeing your marriage through the lens of faith, you will discover how your love reveals the presence of Christ in your everyday life.

OLPH Financial Report

Week 20 May 17, 2026	Cost of Operating the Parish	Building Fund Target Amount	"Together We Serve" Target Amount
Average weekly amount required	\$29,135.00	\$2,480.00	\$2,625.00
Donations this week	\$21,001.50	\$2,000.00	\$1,223.00
This week surplus/shortfall	-\$8,133.50	-\$480.00	-\$1,402.00

- A humble and heartfelt **THANK YOU** to everyone who supports the financial needs of our parish home with Pre-Authorized Debit (PAD), by bringing your Sunday Giving Envelopes to the church, or donating via INTERAC ETRANSFER to: OLPH.etransfer@caedm.ca
- **Cost of operating the parish "average weekly amount" is 1/52 of the total annual amount of ordinary receipts projected in the 2026 budget**
- Building fund target average weekly amount is based on total donations projected in 2026 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 7, 2026*
- SSVP Poor Box Collection - *Third Sunday of every month - June 21, 2026*

What's Happening at OLPH



THE IMPACT TEAM
IS FOR THOSE FINISHING GRADES 10-12

AN OPPORTUNITY TO GROW IN LEADERSHIP
BY LEARNING PRACTICAL SKILLS
AND PUTTING THEM INTO PRACTICE
AT THE IGNITE JUNIOR CAMPS

SHERWOOD PARK
JULY 20-23

CALGARY
AUGUST 4-7

SASKATOON
AUGUST 17-20

APPLY TODAY




NEXT MEETING TUESDAY MAY 26 AT OLPH



The Calix Society

We substitute the cup that sanctifies for the cup that stupefies

Calix is an association of Catholic alcoholics, drug addicts, and family members and friends affected by addiction, who are maintaining their sobriety through participation in their Catholic faith and a 12 Step program.

A monthly meeting will be held on the last Tuesday of each month at OLPH Parish in Sherwood Park. Mass begins at 6:15PM, followed by fellowship and the Calix meeting at 7:15PM in the St. Joan room.

For more information about Edmonton Unit meetings, contact us at: edmcalthsecretary@shaw.ca

For more about CALIX visit: <http://www.calixsociety.org>

Taking off into History

The departure of a grand JETS airplane is being boarded this **Friday, May 29**, to a distant world of history and wonder at the Basilian Fathers Museum in Mundare, AB. Please step onto the tarmac which will lead you to soar over interesting exhibits that preserve the history, culture and Ukrainian religion of the pioneers of the Beaver Lake-Mundare settlement and the early Basilians who served the area. The walking tour will include the Basilian Fathers Museum which houses over 6,000 photographs and numerous artifacts, Pioneer Chapel, Grotto, Basilian Fathers Monastery and more.



JETS 

Established in 1957 by the Order of St. Basil the Great, the JETS Women's Group is beyond excited to have this opportunity to visit the Museum. Please pack in your luggage your own picnic lunch to enjoy afterwards at Ukraina Park.

Our carpool convoy will leave the OLPH Church parking lot at 9:10 am sharp. If you wish to be included in the carpool, *please register by calling Flight Captain Nancy at 780-464-5356*. Because of high fuel costs and distance, we are asking each person riding in the carpool to kindly consider offering a cash contribution to their driver. We leave it up to you as to the thoughtful amount. Thank you.

If you wish to meet us on site, plan to arrive at the *Basilian Fathers Museum by 10:00 am, which is located at 5335 Sawchuk Street in Mundare, just north of the Yellowhead and approximately 45 minutes from OLPH*. Come explore this new destination which is the primary Ukrainian Catholic Centre in Canada.

From the past, into the present and for the future.

What's Happening at OLPH

 **Mass Schedule** **Seniors Residences & Care Center Masses**

Tuesday May 26~ Sherwood Care 10:30 am
Wednesday May 27~ Country Cottage 10:30 am
Thursday May 28~ Silver Birch 10:30 am and Aster Gardens 2:00 pm

Congratulations & Welcome to the children Baptized at OLPH on Sunday May 17, 2026

Andres Mateo Alvaran
Emery Ann Jackson
Jack Jeffrey Thomas Jackson
Madeline Kathleen Jackson
Ada Celine Nguyen



God's Blessings on Your Wedding Anniversary

Dave & Carol Schmidt
50 years of Holy Matrimony on May 1, 2026

Barry & Lorraine Corkery
64 Years of Holy Matrimony on May 19, 2026

Don & Cathy Snider
50 years of Holy Matrimony on May 29, 2026

"The love of husband and wife is the force that unites society together."
St. John Chrysostom

JUNIOR IGNITE

CATHOLIC SUMMER CAMP



JULY 21 - 23 | GRADES 6-8
OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP PARISH

REGISTER HERE




Register today! Scan the QR code or visit
<https://facetofaceministries.ca/events/ignite-junior-sherwood-park-2026/>

Mary's Servants for Christ



We are excited to announce that we have a new executive board for Mary's Servants for Christ. As we being this new chapter together, we will be prayerfully discerning which programs will continue and what new opportunities we can offer.

President: Amanda Beisiegel
Vice President: Jacqueline Hauck
Secretary: Stasia Lucki

So far, it has been decided to continue daily rosary prayers following weekday morning Mass. We will also continue rosary prayers on Saturday at 4:20 pm before Mass. The much-loved Pilgrim Statue ministry will also continue. Our next statue sign up will be the **last weekend of August**. Members of MSC will be in the foyer between masses with the sign-up sheet. We look forward to growing in prayer and fellowship with our parish community.

Vacation Bible Camp Reminders

Only a few spots left! Register today!

Scan the QR code or visit <https://ourladyofperpetualhelpsp.flocknote.com/signup/248927>

July 6 - 10, 2026
\$70 per child (Sponsorship Available)

Already Signed Up? Please send in your payment and medical/permission forms to confirm your child's registration. For more info contact Sharon: sdarbyshire@olph.ca





Happy Birthday Church!

Happy birthday my friends. The Church is the Body of Christ; and we are the Church, with Christ as the head of the body. Pentecost signifies a couple of key movements in the life of the Church. First, it reminds us clearly that the Holy Catholic Church took root in earnest that day, with the coming of the Holy Spirit upon the Disciples. They were filled with such zeal and courage stemming from the Holy Spirit, that there was nothing that could stop them from sharing the Good News of Jesus Christ. (To the point, where even amidst a variety of languages, the Good News was conveyed to all who were gathered at that time and place.)

We hear how a sound like the rush of a violent wind filled the entire house. How divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them and rested on each of them. All of them, filled with the Holy Spirit, began to speak in tongues and other languages as the Holy Spirit gave them the ability. We do not need to know the mechanics of how this event actually occurred, but we do need to believe that it happened. That God, through the action of the Holy Spirit, inspired a courage and a zeal in the apostles that could not be stopped. A remarkable time, event, moment, in the history of Christianity!

Have you experienced the inspiration of the Holy Spirit in your own life? I think most of us would say, "of course I have." What I mean is a time where a thought, decision, or an action, has come to you; and you don't know how, but you know you must engage in it. Perhaps a situation where it becomes absolutely apparent to you that this is a direction you must take, and that is all there is to it. No idea how the concept came into your thought or heart, but you knew you needed to act. That my friends, is none other than the Holy Spirit, and I dare say the intercession of our Blessed Mother, guiding us in the direction that we must take. Think about this. These are moments we must appreciate and savor, as they are the very real action of the Holy Spirit, directly in our lives. I said last evening at a gathering I was part of that (tongue in cheek) "the Holy Spirit is a real thing." Duh! Yes indeed, the Holy Spirit is that action of God in the world. There are times when it is very apparent, as we had not even considered what came into our minds and our hearts.

An experience of the Holy Spirit I had in my life, came at a time when I was in a place of deep hurt. My heart felt like it was broken, and it was. God and I were having lots of conversations. (Mostly Him listening and me talking. Go figure.) At one point, I literally asked the Lord, "If you don't want me to live happily ever after like I had planned, what is it you want me to do?" In some ways, that sound like an innocent and logical question. At that moment the idea of the priesthood popped into my head. I had never, ever considered the priesthood! I had never even thought of the priesthood as a possible direction in my life. I have an uncle named Fr. Jim Corrigan SJ, whom I certainly know I was named after, but that is it. (And God laughed).

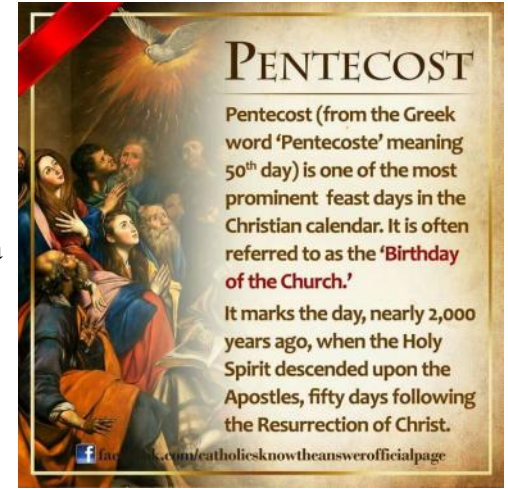
Well, here we are thirty years later. I can only attribute this journey and this result, as the

very real action of the Holy Spirit in my life, and my own collaboration or openness to it.

My friends, I am sure you can think of times like this in your own lives. Remember them, reflect on them. These are pivotal moments of conversion for us. Just like at Pentecost. Yes, the Holy Spirit is real, there is absolutely no question about this. The coming of the Holy Spirit upon the Apostles at Pentecost was the genesis of a church that could not be stymied, dissuaded, or suppressed. The people of that time and place became on fire for the Lord through the Holy Spirit, and nothing could stop this joyful embracing of the Good News of Jesus Christ.

My friends over the past two thousand years our Holy Catholic Church has suffered much corruption, abuse, and betrayal by those charged with guiding her. But today she stands tall in the world, as a beacon of light in the secular marketplace, because nothing could stop the action of the Holy Spirit two thousand years ago. Nothing can stop the Holy Spirit today. This is God's Church. He sent the Holy Spirit at the intercession of His son Jesus to be an advocate and a guiding light for all of humanity; but especially for the Church until the end of the age. All of this was inaugurated on Pentecost, two thousand years ago. Happy Birthday my friends.

Blessings, *Fr. Jim*



REMINDER: Beware of Emails from a "Fake Fr. Jim!"

Our clergy will NEVER send you secretive emails asking for money or gift cards or any other favors. Beware of scams from fake email addresses pretending to be someone from our parish. Please take time to read this page from Government of Canada:

<https://cyber.gc.ca/en/guidance/dont-take-bait-recognize-and-avoid-phishing-attacks>

Rev. Jim Corrigan



Office Online <officeonline45788@gmail.com>
To: Natalie Lavigne



This sender officeonline45788@gmail.com is from outside your organization.

Hey Natalie, need a quick favor and it has to stay between us.

I'm planning a surprise reward for the church workers. I need you to handle for me quietly and not mention it to anyone until I say so.

You're the only one I trust with this. Can you get it done?

Rev. Jim Corrigan

