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

Mass, Adoration & Sacraments 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

Tofield Mass

Sunday11:00 am

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 Reconciliationafter 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.*

Sacrament of Baptism

Celebrated theThird and FourthSundays of Every Month at 2:30 pm.
(Contactthe Parish Office minimum 1 month in advance to register for Baptismal Preparation.)

Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday Holy Hour at 5:15 pm prior to evening Mass
1st Wednesday hosted by Mary's Servants for Christ: November 4, 2026
2nd Wednesday hosted by Society of St. Vincent de Paul: November 11, 2026
3rd Wednesday hosted by CWL: November 18, 2026
4th Wednesday hosted by K of C: October 28, 2026
5th Wednesday hosted by Clergy: December 30, 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)

LIVESTREAM WORSHIP

Didyou knowwehave aYouTubeChannel? 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 October 25, 2026 ~ Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

We Remember, We Celebrate, We Believe

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

Conversation Cafe!

TODAY 2:00-3:00 pm
In the Parish Hall
Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Questions? email Margo at laberge2@telus.net

Compassionate Parish

"What does it mean to be a Compassionate Parish? Let's talk about it.

We talk about having "eyes to see" and being His "hands and feet." Does that mean me? Why not me? What does it look like—and what's my part?

Come and share your ideas for how we, as individuals and as a parish, can reach out to those in need with care and compassion.

HELP WANTED

to welcome families at Baptism Celebrations

We are looking for friendly volunteers to help make our parish baptism celebrations warm and welcoming! Celebrations take place on the **third and fourth Sunday** of every month, and the commitment is just **one hour, once a month.**

No previous experience is needed—training will be provided. If you can offer a little time to help families feel supported on this special day, we would love to have you join the team.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Contact Jenny or Rita at the parish office to volunteer or learn more at 780-467-5470 or email info@olph.ca.

Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK

October 26-31

Monday ~ Jeanette David✝, Bernice Madrazo✝, Consolacion Logan✝, Scott Shea✝, Richard Proudfoot✝, Taeo Thiel, Young & Dawe Families, Bernard Prince, Wilma Agena & Family, Heidi Weber

Tuesday ~ Jose Garcia✝, Karlene Lamb✝, Holy Souls in Purgatory✝, Rob Parry, Audrey Ellingson, Marvin & Gail Weleschuk Family, The Calix Society, Sheptak family, Dana Hertling, Mary Clairmont

Wednesday ~ Chase Evan Gourlay✝, David Cosco✝, Rita Goes✝, Benny Stein✝, Eugenio P. Marsan Jr.✝, Gerard VandeWaker✝, Marcelino & Linda De Sousa & Family, Davy Ng & family, Theresa Veldhoen, Alberta Osio-Mackay

Thursday ~ Gerard vandeWaker✝, Karlene Lamb✝, Rose Bischoff✝, Taeo Thiel, Barker Family, Jeff Newman, Sarah Ng Hooge & family, Osio-Mackay Family, Marvin & Gail Weleschuk Family, Kara Garcia

Friday ~ Anthony Xavier✝, Monserat Gallenero✝, Richard Holeton✝, Nicanor Soliano✝, Mike Brown✝, Joan Sherry✝, Natividad & Felix Pabatao✝, Kathy & Rene, Audrey Ellingson, McGraw Family

Saturday ~ Leona Kletzel✝, Don Moffatt✝, Juana & Ladislao Solis✝, David Cosco✝, Don Burgardt✝, Glen Miller✝, June McNamee, Christopher Clarkson, Terry Dawe Jr, Enobong Akpan

Condoelnces to the Picard and Chalifoux families, on the passing of their daughter **Joanne Picard**, on October 22, 2026 in Edmonton.

Funeral for **Rose Bischoff** is on Saturday October 24 at 10:30 am.

AT OLPH WE PRAY FOR ONE ANOTHER
Call **Doreen** at 780-467-0597 or **Josie** at 780-467-0197 with your PRAYER REQUESTS

Parish Office 780-467-5470

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vmteam@olph.ca

Archdiocese of Edmonton
Website: www.caedm.ca

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

What's Happening at OLPH

Sweet JETS Flight Loading

This Friday, October 30, we are welcoming Julie Boucher, Director of Community & Family Services at the Edmonton Down Syndrome Society (EDSS), who will be offering a presentation on the good works of this non-profit who has been around for 30 years and counting. EDSS supports individuals with Down Syndrome and their families through programming, information, resources and connecting members with peer to peer support.

We are offering back to EDSS treat bags for the members in many different programs, as well as treat bags for an EDSS Halloween party happening later that day. **Can you help?** We are collecting donations of treats in a basket by the parish office until Friday morning at 9:00 am. Simply drop-off your contributions in a small treat bag with a note inside that says *"You are loved, You are a blessing. You are a gift from God".*

We also invite you to join us for the presentation that begins at 10:00 am sharp in the Large Meeting Room. Come settle in beginning at 9:45 am and receive your complimentary in-flight beverages and snacks before take off. More info is available by contacting our Captains of the Day, Aida and Laura, at issaaida33@yahoo.com.

JETS = java, exercise, talk and service =

OLPH Financial Report

Week 42 October 18, 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**	**$2,671.00**
Donations this week	$23,964.75	$2,247.00	$1,361.75
This week surplus/ shortfall	-$5,170.25	-$233.00	$-1,263.25

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

Giving envelopes are readily available at the parish office.

- **Cost of operating the parish "average weekly amount" is 1/52 of thetotal 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 - November 1, 2026
- SSVP Poor Box Collection - Third Sunday of every month - November 21, 2026

OLPH

COUNTRY & WESTERN FAMILY POTLUCK

★SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 14★

All are welcome to join us. Bring family, friends and a western food dish to share.

Feel free to dress up in Jeans, Plaid Shirts, and Cowboy Hats/Boots.

LIVE Entertainment by Blundon Family
Free for all ages

A real taste of the west

"Wanted" Photo Booth

Children's Craft & Games

Hay Bales Smores Station

Wild West Gold Rush

LINE DANCING

Great fellowship and - a joyful way to connect.

Volunteers are ALWAYS needed to make a successful event! We are seeking Adult volunteers to set up and supervise the TEEN ZONE for our older children during the potluck/dance. This is a great job for university students or new teachers.

Scan the QR code or email info@olph.ca

https://m.signupgenius.com/#!/showSignUp/904054CAEA62CA2F85-51161444-fall?useFullSite=false

CALLING ALL BAKERS

Donations in support of the CWL Bake Table at the Fabulous Fall Market are greatly appreciated.

Your baking can be dropped off on **Friday Nov 6 from 9:30 am - 5:30 pm** in the meeting room.

Your home baked goods should be labeled, packaged ready to sell and wrapped in clear plastic. Varied packs in 12, 6, 4 and 2 items are welcome. An ingredient list is not necessary but appreciated.

volunteer needed

to help move flower arrangements during season changes

- lifting required
- florist experience helpful

email fern for more info
fadams1@shaw.ca

First we study, then we become saints, then we change the world!

The ST. ZÉLIE Collective

A GROUP FOR CATHOLIC MOTHERS AND GRANDMOTHERS OF EVERY AGE AND STAGE

MEETING ON
OCTOBER 12 IS CANCELLED
due to Thanksgiving.

NEXT MEETING
OCTOBER 28
Begin St. JP II's "Letter to Women."

Please email Rebecca at rebeccagenuis@gmail.com if you are interested in attending!

NEW MEMBERS MOST WELCOME!

Seniors Residences & Care Center Masses This Week

Tuesday - Sherwood Care 10:30 am
Wednesday- Country Cottage 10:30 am
Thursday - Silver Birch **Cancelled**

THE CLOTHING NOOK IS OPEN FOR SHOPPING:

Clothing Ministry

Tuesdays **1:00 pm - 3:00 pm**
November 3 & 17, December 1 & 15

Saturdays **10:00 am - 12:00 pm**
October 24, November 7 & 21

Congratulations & Welcome to the children Baptised on Sunday October 18, 2026

Millie Jo Brophy
Macie Idalia Cissell
Nael-Julian Makiputin David
Georgie Rowe Gowling
Amelia Eva Krim
Maia Lovelle Pinongcos
William Thomas Weaver

Mass & Mingle

Wednesday, October 28

6:15pm - Mass at OLPH
7:00 pm - The Canadian Brewhouse
Young Adults Ages 18-35
RSVP by Tuesday, October 27

ALBERTA KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CHARITABLE FOUNDATION

50-50 CHARITIES APPEAL RAFFLE

Early Bird Draws $1000 ea

Draw Dates at 12:30 PM:
(Gna winning number will be randomly selected)

Sep 29, 2026
Oct 13, 2026
Oct 27, 2026

• 🌹 tickets sold from the beginning of the raffle until 12 noon on the day of the Early Bird draws and 🌹 go 🌹 to win an Early Bird prize and 🌹 to the Grand Prize.

In support of:
Educational Institutions, Community Charities, Churches, Youth and Seniors Activities across Alberta

WINNER takes 50% of total sales
Maximum Grand Prize $202,500

BUY TICKETS ONLINE
1 for $5
10 for $20
50 for $50
200 for $100

www.acf5050.com

Ticket sales end at 12 noon on Nov 10, 2026

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Please Support Council

GRAND PRIZE DRAW
Nov 10, 2026 || 12:30 PM
by AGLC-approved Random Number Generator
AGLC Licence 787262

Local Charity

Early Bird Draw Location: St. John Bosco Catholic Church Hall, 13503 40 Street NW, Edmonton, AB T5A 3L9
Grand Prize Draw Location: St. John Bosco Catholic Church Hall, 13503 40 Street NW, Edmonton, AB T5A 3L9
Tickets sold only in Alberta - Must be at Best 18 years of age to buy tickets - 551,000 tickets available for purchase

Catholic Women's League
Support local and national charities

GREY CUP POOL

$20 for a pack of 10 tickets

TICKETS WILL BE DISTRIBUTED TODAY AFTER MASS IN THE FOYER

The Catholic Women's League wish to express their appreciation and gratitude to the volunteers that came to assist with the Perogy-making.

Thank you one and all!

Relationships and Catholic Education

As we conclude Catholic Education Week, I am reminded of how important relationships are in our lives. It is fair to say, that when we have a good relationship with someone, good things happen. Good conversations happen. Challenging conversations can be had with dignity, respect, and grace. In the right circumstances, unique and new initiatives are introduced, because of good conversations based on good relationships. I bring these thoughts forward, because these are outcomes based on our wonderful and stellar relationship with Elk Island Catholic Schools. As you may be aware, the Sherwood Park catchment covers ten Catholic schools, including St. Luke at South Cooking Lake and Holy Redeemer at Ardrossan.

An initiative that we have embraced for almost ten years is the quarterly meetings between the Elk Island Catholic Sherwood Park principals and our OLPH parish team. The Principals come for Mass at 8:30 am, then we meet together, speaking about what is upcoming, how things have gone in the past, and what ideas are floating around among the minds of those who have the ability to implement these ideas.

My point: When the EICS principals gather with the clergy and the OLPH Team, the exact right combination of people are in the room. These folks can present ideas, initiatives, programs. These same folks are the ones that can say, yes, we can make that happen, or perhaps we should think of it in another way. Did I say my point? The decision makers, the movers and the shakers, are all at the same table with like-minded goals. Very good things have transpired from those conversations.

Things like weekly Masses with individual classes at a middle school. Bi-weekly Masses with our Chesterton high schoolers. Outdoor Masses on the football field with all fourteen hundred ABJ students, twice a year. (These Masses include the K-4 Madonna Catholic school kids, who are pretty pumped about hanging with the high schoolers for Mass outdoors.) We have developed a calendar that has clergy scheduled into all ten schools each week. In other words, there are clergy in each school, each week, all year long. The schools each come to the parish usually two times per year for Mass. The Archbishop Jordan High School graduation at the Edmonton Convention Center has evolved into beginning with a Mass for 2000 people. Not an easy dynamic in a secular setting. But cooperation, solid relationships, a similar worldview, and mission have presented the opportunity to make this a reality.

One of the things that has really touched my heart is the attentiveness and participation of large groups of our young people at the school Masses, both here in the parish and in their school gymnasiums. The reality is that young people have a lot of energy and sometimes this is difficult to corral. My experience of now knowing these young people for almost ten years, is that they have really grown in their understanding of, and reverence for, the Holy Mass. I can say in truth that I am often surprised at how attentive and how responsive they are at these Masses. Why is this special? It is also reasonable to say that many of these young people are not at Mass on Sunday morning. That is another conversation. So, the way they behave, the way they respond, the way they engage, is a learned behavior that has been learned largely in our Catholic schools. The importance of Church and time spent with Jesus will serve them well for the rest of their lives.

All of our EICS schools have Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament as part of their faith formation. There are many adults who have never experienced quiet time with our Lord in Eucharistic Adoration, but our young people are experiencing this at least yearly in our schools. Again, an experience that they will carry with them throughout their lives. We do not know what all sticks to these malleable young minds, but in Elk Island Catholic Schools they are being fed a healthy diet of faith based academic formation. Thank you, dear Jesus, for the gift of publicly funded Catholic Education in Alberta. It is reasonable to say that we do not have it perfected, but I can assure you that there are many good Catholic men, women, and clergy, doing their best to provide our children with good solid faith formation.

Our Elk Island Catholic Schools are the vineyards that we are all blessed to labor in. They may not be at Mass on Sunday morning, but we certainly know where they will be on Monday morning. Because of strong relationships with our Elk Island Catholic Schools administration and staff, we are provided with many beautiful opportunities to engage with these beautiful young people.

Blessings, Fr. Jim

Fabulous Fall Market

Saturday November 7, 2026

9:30 am -3:00pm

Our Lady of Perpetual Help
Church (Parish Hall)
Lower Level
13 Brower Drive, Sherwood Park

Over 50 Vendors plus
Bake Sale and Perogies

Concession Available

- **Some Vendors Accept Cash Only**

MOTHER'S MORNING OUT

Wednesday Mornings at OLPH

9:15 am - Noon

- Open to ALL Moms (you don't have to be a regular OLPH parishioner).
- For pre-school children ages 13 months to 5 years.
- Advance sign-up required. Weekly fee $7 child or $10/family *(Funds are donated to the Women's Shelter in Sherwood Park)*

To learn more or to sign up to Volunteer.

Email Vanessa at

mmorningout@gmail.com