

THE WORD OF GOD**THIRD ORDINARY SUNDAY**

NEH 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10
1 COR 12:12-30 or 12:12-14, 27
LK 1:1-4, 4:14-21 (69)

FOURTH ORDINARY SUNDAY

JER 1:4-5, 17-19
1 COR 12:31---13:13 or 13:4-13
LK 4:21-30 (72)

SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK

* **7:25 a.m. - Recitation of the Rosary (Mon-Sat.; Chapel)**

SUNDAY - JANUARY 24

6:30p.m. - RCIA

MONDAY - JANUARY 25

1:30 p.m. - OLPH Fellowship Group

TUESDAY - JANUARY 26

7:00 p.m. - Bible Study (Revelation) - Marian Inn

7:00-9:00 p.m. - Retreat Meeting (Chapel)

WEDNESDAY - JANUARY 27

3:00p.m. - Youth Bell Choir

6:00-7:00 p.m. - REP Classes

7:00 p.m. - **NO** Adult Bell Choir

THURSDAY - JANUARY 28

3:00p.m. - School Youth Choir

4:30-5:30p.m. - REP Classes

6:30 p.m. - Sounds of Joy

7:30p.m. - Adult Choir

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Charlotte Bradley, Christina Davis, Parker Grant, Eleanor Berg, Marion Donohue, Fay Neimeister, John "Jack" Schreiber, Alyssa Monge, Eloise Lanski, Jeff DeCrosta, Frank Sforza, Betty Doederlein, Ruth Mientus Schaffer, Nora Lee Tarney, Robert Dunnigan, Baby Juliana, Barbara Meehan, Rick Amato, Lucille Nicholson, Anna Haight, Lorraine Macasevich, John Maroski, Linda Mankowski, Lawrence Yuknis, Joann Tomko, Carol Sfarra, Marilyn Jacober, Kayleigh Galante, Janice Huber, John J. Jordan, Laura Rogers, John Mies, Leroy & Barbara Tuscher, Rose & Joseph Jackson, Olivia Ameer-Beg, Kathleen McKenna, John Sobota, Joseph Midash, Norma Luettchau, Janet Hefe, Christina Donatelli, Margaret Feeley, Gretchen Wagner, Shad Barry, Nolan Guessford, Kevin Meister, Michael Cunningham, Greg Makarchuk, Rev. Donald Birch, Kathleen Lippert, Gary Yoder, Stephanie Pucci, William Huber, Dolores Lengyel, Ann Marie Janders, Barbara Martino, & Adam Recke. Remember deceased members of our parish family. May the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace.

Names removed after 4 weeks to keep list current. Please call to keep a name on the list for the next month.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Sunday Collection: Average per week, for month of **December**, including Electronic Giving: **\$22,594.63**. The **Christmas Collection** was **\$53,959.46**. We thank you for your support. May God bless you for your kindness.

OLPH FOOD BANK

To make a donation to help a needy family, please call Carol.

If you or any parishioner needs food, or for info on our Parish Food Bank, call Carol (484-547-4412). God bless each of you!

REP NEWS

SUMMER REP: (Registration to be held March/April)

LEVEL 5 & 6: June 13th-17th
& July 18th-22nd

LEVEL 7 & 8: June 20th-24th
& July 25th-29th

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL (VBS): July 11th-15th. Join us as we go to Egypt to learn about *Joseph's Journey from Prison to Palace*. (Registration to be held March/April).

Watch future bulletins for Registration instructions for Summer REP & VBS.

Carol.salabsky@my-olph.org or call 484-547-4412.

OLPH FELLOWSHIP GROUP

This 55+ group meets every 2nd & 4th Monday at 1:30pm, in the Marian Inn. Annual Dues: \$10. Info: Tom (610-866-8723) or Susan (610-865-9392). All are welcome!

OLPH FELLOWSHIP GROUP

TRIP: Hollywood Casino: Tues., March 22nd. Leave OLPH parking lot at 9:00am. Cost: \$22 (Rebate: \$30 slots/\$5 food).

TRIP: Country Mystics Show: Ehrhardt's Waterfront, Lake Wallenpaupack, Poconos: April 7th. Leave OLPH parking lot at 9:00am. Cost: \$75 (includes tax, gratuity, bus, show, full-course meal, plus wine & beer).

TRIP: Villa Roma: June 14th-17th. Three meals daily, shows, shopping, casino, indoor and outdoor pools. Cost: \$460/pp double, \$560/pp single (bus, gratuities, taxes included).

Call Tom DiSante (610-866-8723) if interested.

YOUTH GROUP CORNER

SENIOR HIGH (9th-12th grs.): Be on the lookout for a new schedule...there will be NO MORE WEDNESDAY evening youth groups. Also, SUNDAY MORNING BREAKFAST BITES are coming back during Lent!!!

MORNINGS FOR MOM: Moms are invited to join us on February 20th, from 8-10am, in our Youth Group House. MaryEllen Johns will be our guest speaker.

MOVIE NIGHT *DATE CHANGE*: Our Movie Night will now be Friday FEBRUARY 5th, from 7:00-9:00pm, in our Youth Group House (for all 6th - 12th graders!).

FAMILY PIZZA NIGHT: Friday, February 12th, at 6:00 p.m. Bring your favorite non-meat topping to share!!

MASSES FOR THE WEEK**MONDAY, JANUARY 25 - Conversion of St. Paul**

6:45 a.m. - Frances Heffner - Michelle Pelizoto

8:00 a.m. - John Pavelko - Pat Pavelko

TUESDAY, JANUARY 26 - SS. TIMOTHY & TITUS

6:45 a.m. - Felix DeLeon - Honey Mitman

8:00 a.m. - Rosa Maria Orraca - Dr. & Mrs. Rafael Colon

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 27 - WEEKDAY

6:45 a.m. - Mass for the People

8:00 a.m. - William Motko - Daughter

THURSDAY, JANUARY 28 - ST. THOMAS AQUINAS

6:45 a.m. - Maria LoCicero - Rosemarie Ryva

8:00 a.m. - Stephanie Martin - M/M Robert Straub

& Julia Guerriere - Gordon & Family

FRIDAY, JANUARY 29 - WEEKDAY

6:45 a.m. - Richard Fink - M/M Don Wagner

8:45 a.m. - Edythe Barras - Joe & Dolores Mies

SATURDAY, JANUARY 30 - WEEKDAY

8:00 a.m. - Maria A. Soto - Ortiz Family

5:00 p.m. - Leroy Dye - Dorothy Sabota

SUN., JANUARY 31 - FOURTH ORDINARY SUNDAY

7:30a.m. - Bill Moss - Wife, Sandy

& Maury Kaufmann - Wife, Mary Louise

9:00a.m. - Fernand Ferreira - Joyce & A. J. Thomas

& Helen Przybylka - M/M Len Verrastro

10:30 a.m. - Agnes Krajczar - Bruce & Beth Dague

12:00 noon - Kathryn Goletz-Kospiak - Jerry O'Grady

stopping by the Gathering Space after all Masses the weekend of January 30th & 31st.

2016 CHILDREN'S ENVELOPES

May be picked up in the Parish Office during regular office hours (M-F: 8am-12noon/1-6:30pm).

MISSALETTES

Missalettes are available in the Church Library for those who would like to read along with the Mass. Return the booklets to the Church Library shelf after each use. You are welcome to take a missalette to a homebound family member or friend.

MEMO ON "THE LIVING SPIRIT"

You can find on the Parish website (www.my-olph.org) many themes worth reading. Perhaps you would like to read more about Lenten Reflections, Fidelity, Forgiveness, Year of Mercy or Mercy. Please note that not all of the paper inserts are placed as such on the website. It is my hope that in time this aspect of my writings will be refined.

--- Msgr. Morrison

PARISH LENTEN FISH FRY

Fridays: Feb. 12th, Feb. 26th, and March 4th. Attend one dinner, or all three! Cost per dinner: \$10 Adult, \$5 Child. We will be taking advanced orders, which must include payment, for either "Eat In" or "Take Out" (More information to follow). This is a parish fundraiser, so please join us for good food, fellowship, & fun while giving your support to Our Lady!

COLLECTION OF OLD PALMS

Please return any old palms for burning. A large wicker basket will be in The Gathering Space to collect the palms. Please remove all staples, twist-ties, rubber bands, tape, & string.

The Palm Burning Ceremony will be held Friday, February 5th, during the 8:45am Mass. All are welcome. Lent begins on Wed., February 10th.

FAMILY ADORATION: Our next adoration will take place after Easter, on April 13th, from 7:00-8:00pm, in the Chapel.

Joey Moser (610-867-8409x25) or joey.moser@my-olph.org

OLPH SCHOOL AND STUDENT NEWS

*[facebook.com/olpbeth](https://www.facebook.com/olpbeth) or Twitter @OurLadySchool

Registration now open for all new students wishing to enroll for the 2015-2016 school year. Please contact the school for information/tour (610-868-6570 or ALTNOLPH@PTD.NET).

Check out the school video on YouTube! #olphschoolspirit

OLPH COUNTLESS BLESSINGS"

Total Sales for weekend of 1/16-1/17/16 was \$1,975. Profit from Giant Sales, \$95; all other stores \$50.88. Next Special Order: 1/24/16. Suzanne (484-226-7375), or Steph (484-226-7372).

SAVE THE DATE - NEXT BLOOD DRIVE

Our next Parish Blood Drive will be Sun., February 7th, 2016, from 8:15am-1:15pm. There are 53 time slots available - the most popular ones go quickly. Please schedule an appointment to donate blood by calling Jan Dupont (610-997-3148) or by

THIRD ORDINARY SUNDAY

We are called to use the unique gifts and talents that God has given us, to further the work and mission of the Church.

Today's reading from the First Letter of Paul to the Corinthians reminds us that, by virtue of our baptism, we are members of Christ's body. We have a sacred duty and solemn obligation to use the unique gifts and talents God has given us, to further the work and mission of the Church. Mindful of this, let us share our gifts generously, so many others might come to know Jesus.