

THE WORD OF GOD**ELEVENTH ORDINARY SUNDAY**EZ 17:22-24
2 COR 5:6-10

MK 4:26-34 (92)

NATIVITY OF ST. JOHN THE BAPTISTIS 49:1-6
ACTS 13:22-26
LK 1:57-66, 80 (587)**SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK****MONDAY - JUNE 18**

8:45am-12:00noon - REP Summer Class (5th & 6th)

TUESDAY - JUNE 19

8:45am-12:00noon - REP Summer Class (5th & 6th)

7:00 p.m. - Bible Study

WEDNESDAY - JUNE 20

8:45am-12:00noon - REP Summer Class (5th & 6th)

7:00p.m. - **NO** Adult Bell Choir**THURSDAY - JUNE 21**

8:45am-12:00noon - REP Summer Class (5th & 6th)

6:30p.m. - **NO** Sounds of Joy7:30p.m. - **NO** Adult Choir**FRIDAY - JUNE 22**

8:45am-12:00noon - REP Summer Class (5th & 6th)

SATURDAY - JUNE 23

10:00a.m. - Grief Support Group (Chapel)

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Ray Murphy Sr., Robert Dunningan, Tim Salabsky, Jesse Salabsky, Tess Roach, Theresa Spevak, Dorothy Pavlinski, Baby Layla, Hannah Gooding, Lorraine Walters, Bob Walker, Baby Avia, Sylvia Klepeis, Elizabeth Martlock, Jenna Bodiford, John J. Jordan, Ann Marie Janders, Rose Lichtenwalner, Dorothy Midash, Katie Marie Kislow, Karen Prunzik, Lorraine DeCrosta, Joseph & Kathleen Lippert, Pat Rick, Henry Persons, Maryann Wolfe, Gerald Korb, Doris Roscioli, Barbara Tuscher, Larry Mancino, Rose Jackson, Joseph Midash, Edith & Richard Andresko, Michael Cunningham, Pucci Family, Dolores Lengyel, and Adam Recke. Remember the deceased members of our parish family: **Mary Swartz**. 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 the month of **May**, including Electronic Giving: **\$21,469.25**. We thank you for your support. May God bless you for your kindness.

OUR LEGACY CAMPAIGN

Donations can be made at our website: www.my-olph.org If you are making a payment on your pledge, it can be dropped in the Sunday Collection (please make checks out to 'OLPH Capital Campaign' or indicate that on the memo line.) We ask you to pray for the success of our campaign. May God continue to bless you for all you do. THANK YOU!

BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL

As of today, our parishioners have raised \$100,518.00 from 373 parishioners representing 15.38% of our total registered families in our parish. We need the support of all of our parish families to reach our financial goal & to reach the 100% participation goal. Remember, every gift counts, no gift is too small. Every dollar helps those in need. If you have not made your pledge of support, you may return your pledge form to the Parish Office, place it in the collection basket, or make a pledge online: FaithHopeCharityGives.org

OLPH FOOD BANK

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

REP NEWS****SUMMER REP CLASSES:****5th & 6th Grades:**

June 18th-22nd (8:45am-12:00noon)

July 16th-20th (8:45am-12:00noon)

7th & 8th Grades:

June 25th-29th (8:45am-12:00noon)

July 23rd-27th (8:45am-12:00noon)

STUDENTS NEED TO BE PRESENT FOR THE FULL TWO WEEKS!!

****VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL:** Join us this summer as we "Parachute with the Angels & Catherine Laboure." July 9th-13th (8:30am-12:00noon). Registration will begin the first week in April. For more info contact Carol.

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

OLPH FELLOWSHIP GROUP

Open to all 55+. Meets 2nd & 4th Mondays, 1:30p.m., in the Marian Inn. Info: Susan (610-865-9392), Tom (484-456-6818).

New members always welcome

DANCE: Rock & Roll Oldies Dance: July 20th, 6-10pm, in the Marian Inn. Light buffet menu, 2 drink tickets. \$20/pp. Call Susan (610-865-9392) or Ed (610-861-2924).

TRIP: Wildwood, NJ: Sept. 17-20. Full breakfast & Dinners. One special 'All you can eat' Seafood Feast Buffet. A.C. Casino (with \$20 meal voucher). Visit Cape May, Smithville Village & more! Cost: \$365 pp/double.

TRIP: Hollywood Casino: August 24th. Leave OLPH parking lot 9:00am. Cost: \$25 (rebate \$30 slots/\$5 food)

Call Tom (484-456-6818) or June (484-767-8669).

YOUTH GROUP CORNER

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

MASSES FOR THE WEEK**MONDAY, JUNE 18 - WEEKDAY**

6:45a.m. - M/M Arthur Donohue - Lucille & Lee Kozsey

8:00a.m. - In Thanksgiving - The Comito Family

TUESDAY, JUNE 19 - WEEKDAY

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

8:00a.m. - Edward Baran - Eva Derr

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 20 - WEEKDAY

6:45a.m. - Kathleen Bossidy - Swenor Family

8:00a.m. - Dorothy Straub - M/M Fred Koons

THURSDAY, JUNE 21 - ST. ALOYSIUS

6:45a.m. - Tess Roach (Int.) - Friends

8:00a.m. - Dec'd. of the Comito Family - Phil & Kathleen

FRIDAY, JUNE 22 - WEEKDAY

6:45a.m. - John J. Timko - Sister

8:00a.m. - Rosemary Mahoney - M/M John Casteline

SATURDAY, JUNE 23 - WEEKDAY

8:00a.m. - Joseph Romanko - The Moffitt Family

5:00p.m. - The Roseman Family - Lucille Majewski & Fam
& Donald Pulley, Sr. - Ed & Joanne Kurtz & Fam.**SUNDAY, JUNE 24 - Nativity of St. John the Baptist**

7:30a.m. - Francis Petrucci - Wife, Pina

& William Vetovitz - Clare & Thom Persing

9:00a.m. - Jeannette Murphy - The Deisher Family

10:30a.m. - Marie Parfait - Joe Marcantognini

12:00noon - James O'Grady - O'Grady Family

OLPH SCHOOL AND STUDENT NEWS

Registration open for the 2018-19 school year. For more information, school news, or to schedule a tour, contact the school at: 610-868-6570 or www.olphbeth.org.

OLPH SCHOOL SUMMER HOURS: MONDAY through THURSDAY 9:30am-2:30pm. FRIDAY 9:30am-12:30pm, or any time/day by appointment. For more information, or to schedule a tour, please contact us at 610-868-6570 or online at www.olphbeth.org

RETRouvaille

Life can be difficult, and so can the challenges you face in marriage. Does the distance between you seem wide? Are you already separated? Looking for a better way? Retrouvaille can help. Retrouvaille is a peer ministry of volunteer couples that can help you learn the tools of healthy communication & heal, just as they have done in their own marriages. Retrouvaille is Christian-based, & Catholic in origin, but welcomes couples of all faiths as well as non-religious couples. Our next program is coming up at the Family Life Center in Malvern, PA: August 17th-19th. For more info, or to register for one of our weekends, visit: www.HelpOurMarriage.org or call 1-800-470-2230. All inquiries are kept strictly confidential.

DORNEY PARK TICKETS

OLPH SCHOOL is selling Dorney Park Tickets for **\$33 each**. This is a discounted price from what is offered at the park, and they may be used on any day during the 2018 season. Tickets will be sold on a first-come, first-served basis. To request tickets, please email Annette Cuner cuneda@olphbeth.org

SAVE THE DATE - NEXT BLOOD DRIVE

Our next Parish Blood Drive will be on Sunday, July 22, 2018, from 8:00am-1:00pm, in the Marian Inn. (There must be 8 weeks between whole blood donations.) Call Jan Dupont with any questions, or for more info (610-997-3148).

THANK YOU!

Trinity Council 313 Knights of Columbus want to thank the parishioners of Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish for their support and generosity for our recent collection for the ARC Organization of Pennsylvania. Donations totaled \$583!

SEEKING NORTHAMPTON COUNTY CENTENARIANS

The Northampton County Area Agency on Aging Advisory Council is seeking Northampton County centenarians (Those who are 100+ years of age by Dec. 31, 2018), to honor at our Annual Luncheon Celebration, Thursday, September 27, 2018, at 11:30am, at Green Pond Country Club in Bethlehem. If you know someone, please notify us no later than June 22nd, by calling Elizabeth Mooney (610-829-4524).

ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI PARISH FESTIVAL

Please join us, June 22nd-24th (5:30-10pm each night), at 11th and Washington Sts., Allentown, for our 31st Annual Parish Festival. Join us for fantastic homemade foods from around the world: Egg Rolls, Haluski, Empanadas, & much more! Live Bands featuring: Flirtin' with the Mob, Island Time, and The Allentown Municipal Band. Games for Kids: Inflatable Basketball, Ring Toss, & Duck Pond. Bingo in an air-conditioned facility, plus our ever-popular Attic Treasures & Tricky Tray. We hope to see you there - All are welcome!

ELEVENTH ORDINARY SUNDAY

Even small works can bear fruit in growing the kingdom of God.

The psalmist urges us to give thanks to the Lord and to sing of His kindness & faithfulness. For His loving presence is like a giant cedar tree giving shade to those in need and fruit to those who hunger.