

THE WORD OF GOD**FOURTH ORDINARY SUNDAY**

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

FIFTH ORDINARY SUNDAY

IS 6:1-2a, 3-8
1 COR 15:1-11 or 15:3-8, 11
LK 5:1-11 (75)

SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK

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

SUNDAY - FEBRUARY 3

Boy Scout Bake Sale - After All Masses
8:00am-1:00pm - Miller Keystone Blood Drive
6:30p.m. - RCIA (Chapel)

MONDAY - FEBRUARY 4

8:00am-2:30p.m. - Confirmation Retreat

TUESDAY - FEBRUARY 5

6:00-7:30pm - Sr. High Into the Deep
7:00 p.m. - Bible Study

WEDNESDAY - FEBRUARY 6

3:00p.m. - Youth Bell Choir
7:00p.m. - Adult Bell Choir

THURSDAY - FEBRUARY 7

3:00p.m. - School Choir
4:30p.m. - REP Classes
5:30p.m. - REP Choir
6:30p.m. - Sounds of Joy
7:30pm- Adult Choir

SATURDAY - FEBRUARY 9

1:00-3:00pm - First Penance

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Ray Murphy Sr., Tim Salabsky, Laurie Kelly, Mary Lawrence, Anne Gerber, Dorothy Pavlinski, Baby Layla, Paul Enright Sr., Baby Avia, Sylvia Klepeis, Elizabeth Martlock, John J. Jordan, Michele Pierzga, Robert Dunnigan, Rusty Krajczar, Bob Walker, Barbara Xander, Jamie Baran, Sean Baran, Joel Coelho, Kathleen Lippert, Kate Gribbin, Lisa Romano, Kalman Sarkozy, Karter Fridlund, James Kotlik, Ann Marie Janders, Nancy Flounders, Rose Lichtenwalner, Dorothy Midash, Loretta Granger, Eileen DalSasso, Doris Roscioli, Larry Mancino, Rose Jackson, Michael Cunningham, Pucci Family, Dolores Lengyel, and Adam Recke. Remember the 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 the month of December, including Electronic Giving: **\$22,199.00**. 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!

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

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 2019: We will be going on the "Vatican Express" **July 8-12, 2019**. Children will hear stories of St. Jerome, St. Peter, the Swiss Guard, & of course, Pope Francis. We will have fun learning all about the Vatican! For more info, please contact Carol.

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

OLPH FELLOWSHIP GROUP

Open to all 55+. Meets 2nd & 4th Mondays, 1:30pm, in the Marian Inn. George (610-868-0044), Tom (484-456-6818).

TRIP: Villa Roma Resorts: June 25th-28th. Three meals daily, shows, bingo, indoor/outdoor swimming pools, DJ for dancing. Cost: \$505pp/double, \$595pp/single (bus, gratuities, taxes incl.) Call Tom (484-456-6818) or June (484-767-8669).

TRIP: Wildwood Crest, NJ; El Coronado Hotel: Sept. 8-12th. Cost: \$470/pp, dbl. (Includes bus, 4 breakfasts, 3 dinners, pizza night). Cape May Zoo, Cape May Winery, Resort Casino. Call: Tom (484-456-6818) or June (484-767-8669).

OLPH LADIES GROUP

REMINDER: There will be NO February meeting!

YOUTH GROUP CORNER

SPRING CALENDAR: Now available in the Gathering Space on the Youth Ministry bulletin board!

TACO TALKS: Tues., February 5th, 6-7:30pm, at the Youth Group House. All 6th-12th graders are welcome to join us.

GROW IN THE DARK NIGHT: Tues., February 19th, from 6:00-7:30pm. All 6th-12th graders are invited to join us at the Youth Group House.

FEBRUARY SERVICE PROJECT: BLESSING BAGS: We are collecting socks, chapstick, granola bars, fruit snacks, toothbrushes, toothpaste, & combs. They will be distributed to local charities. Please place donations under the Youth Ministry bulletin board in the Gathering Space. Thank you in advance for your kindness & generosity!

**Check us out on social media @[olphyouthgroup](https://www.facebook.com/olphyouthgroup)
Joey Moser (610-867-8409x25) joey.moser@my-olph.org

MASSES FOR THE WEEK**MONDAY, FEBRUARY 4 - WEEKDAY**

6:45a.m. - Gallena Family - Dave Myers

8:00a.m. - Mass for the People

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 5 - ST. AGATHA

6:45a.m. - M/M Sam Petronella - Family

8:00a.m. - Jean Lawin - Friends

WED., FEBRUARY 6 - St. Paul Miki/Companions

6:45a.m. - Linda Mento (Int.) - M/M John Majewski

8:00a.m. - Glenn Malloy - Dcn. George & Joanne Kelly

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 7 - WEEKDAY

6:45a.m. - Joan McKeon-Barry - Family

8:00a.m. - Helen Unger - Family

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 8 - WEEKDAY

6:45a.m. - William Motko - Daughter, Geri

8:45a.m. - Joseph Faber - Family

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 9 - WEEKDAY

8:00a.m. - Frank DiLorenzo - Celia Pascoe

5:00p.m. - Thomas LeBeau, Jr. - Seitz Family

SUN., FEBRUARY 10 - FIFTH ORDINARY SUNDAY

7:30a.m. - Elsie Gaumer - M/M Kerry Freidl & Family

9:00a.m. - Thomas LeBeau, Jr. (Ann.) - Joe & Karen Vitale

10:30a.m. - Francis Petrucelli - Wife, Pina

12:00noon - Eric Snell - Calantoni Family

OLPH SCHOOL AND STUDENT NEWS

**Applications for the 2019-20 school year now accepted. Open to children, grades K-8. For more info/schedule a tour, call us at 610-868-6570 or visit www.olphbeth.org

CHILDREN'S 2019 ENVELOPES

Can be picked up at the Parish Center anytime during regular business hours (M-F: 8am-12noon, 1-6pm).

SPRING FLING DINNER DANCE

Friday, April 26th, from 6-10pm, sponsored by the OLPH Activities & Fellowship Committees. Details to follow.

WEDDING CONGRATULATIONS

Best wishes to M/M John Schultz who were married at OLPH during the month of January.

BOY SCOUT TROOP 359 BAKE SALE

Boy Scout Troop 359 Superbowl Sunday Bake Sale, February 2nd & 3rd, after all Masses. Fresh-filled cannoli will be available! Thank you for your continued support.

PARISH BLOOD DRIVE

THIS Sunday, Feb. 3rd, from 8:00am-1:00pm, in the Marian Inn. Walk-ins are welcome! See the Miller Keystone Blood Center volunteers in the Marian Inn to make your donation.

SOUP-ER BOWL OF CARING

THIS Sunday, February 3rd, after all Masses, you will find the youth of our parish at all church exits, collecting money in soup pots. All money collected will go to a local charity. Thank You!

2019 ANNUAL GIFT TRICKY TRAY

Sponsored by the Home/School Association, will be held April 12th, 13th, & 14th in the Marian Inn. The Committee is currently asking for donations and contributions from area businesses & individuals. If any parishioner owns or works for a business & would like to make a donation, or if an individual would like to donate a new item, contact Alesia Coulter (610-905-7486) or Lauren Behrens (610-360-1412) or olphttauction@gmail.com. Thank you for your support & stay tuned for more details!

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS NEEDED

For our parish ministry at Old Orchard Manor Care Nursing Home. We have teams that bring Eucharist to the Catholics that reside there. It would mean **only one Sunday morning, about every 8 weeks**. If you are interested, or need more information, please call Jan Dupont (610-997-3148).

HEALING OUR CHURCH

Healing Our Church Discussion Groups Coming in Lent. Catholics throughout the Diocese of Allentown are invited to attend small-group discussions, moderated by fellow parishioners, and designed to encourage reflection and conversation about the clergy abuse crisis. *Our Church* is a program from RENEW International, a Catholic nonprofit organization. Bishop Alfred Schlert has called the parish-based small-group discussions "an opportunity for all of us to prayerfully reflect on scripture, on the abuse crisis, and on our path forward as a Roman Catholic Family of Faith." Discussions will take place during the six weeks of Lent. Watch for more information, including how to sign up, soon.

FOURTH ORDINARY SUNDAY

We are witnesses to Jesus, primarily through our love for one another.

God calls some people, such as Jeremiah, to be prophets - to bring others to Him by speaking God's words to them. Most of us, however, are called to be witnesses through the love that we show each day in our actions & words. No matter what we do, it must always be expressed in love.