



PASTORAL STAFF:

Rev. Tom Rush, OMI, (Lead Pastor)
Rev. Roger Bergkamp, OMI (Asst. Pastor)
Rev. Ron Meyer, OMI (Asst. Pastor)

PARISH OFFICE STAFF:

Deacon Kevin Woodvine (Parish Life Coordinator)
Position open (Secretary)

PASTORAL COUNCIL:

Tim Agosti (tim.agosti@alaskan.com)
Karen Fogarty (karenfogarty@msn.com)
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WEEKEND MASS TIMES:

Saturday 5:30 pm
Sunday 10:30 am

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES:

Tuesday– Friday 9:00am

OFFICE HOURS:

Tuesday – Friday 9:30 am – 3:30 pm

ROSARY PRAYER GROUP:

9:45 – 10:00am, every Sunday prior to Mass

PRAYER CHAIN:

Call Audrey Little @ 690-1536 Or email
Karen Crapps @ crappspk@gci.net

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION & BENEDICTION:

First Friday of each month, 9:30am – 8:00pm.

PRAYER MEETING:

Please contact Janice Wilsack for more information.

BULLETIN & INSERT DEADLINE:

Articles for the weekly bulletin must be in by Wednesday at noon. Thank you!

Our Lady of the Angels

~Archdiocese of Anchorage~

225 South Spruce St. ~ Kenai, AK 99611

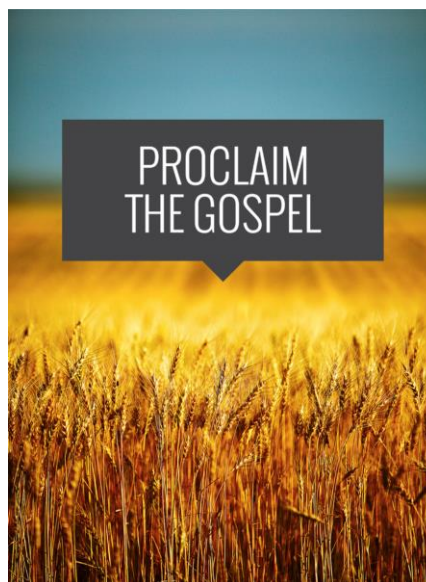
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FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

FEBRUARY 4TH, 2018



OUR MISSION:

As Community,

We celebrate Christ through the Word, the Eucharist, and the Sacraments of the Church.

We educate and enrich through worship, faith formation, and living out our faith rooted in the gospel of Jesus Christ.

We welcome and reach out to members of our local community through sharing our many and varied gifts, and practicing the corporal and spiritual works of mercy.

We commit to building parish community by welcoming, embracing, and serving all.

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES/EVENTS:

- ✚ Feb 6-9 OMI Convocation
- ✚ Feb 7 No Daily Mass
- ✚ Feb 9 Mardi Gras fundraiser
- ✚ Feb 10/11 Sunday Celebration in Absence of a Priest
- ✚ Feb 14 Ash Wednesday Mass at 6pm
- ✚ Feb 16 Meatless dinner at 5:30pm
- ✚ Feb 16 Stations of the Cross at 6:30pm
- ✚ Feb 19-22 Alaska Priest Convocation. No Daily Mass
- ✚ Feb 23 Meatless dinner at 5:30pm
- ✚ Feb 23 Stations of the Cross at 6:30pm

ELECTRONIC GIVING

Enjoy the Convenience of Electronic Giving! OLA wants to remind you that we offer electronic giving as a way to automate your regular offering. Electronic giving offers convenience, as well as providing a much-needed donation consistency for our parish.

Go to www.kenaicatholicchurch.org at any time to set up and maintain your automatic donation plan. Questions or assistance please contact the parish office.



Thank you to everyone who made our Capital Campaign Kick-off a wonderful event on Friday, January 12th. We are well on our way to meeting our goal to make the needed repairs.

Committee Members:

Robin Feltman
Pako Whannell
John Williams
Tim Navarre
Tim Agosti
Fr. Tom Rush, OMI
Deacon Kevin Woodvine

A Call to Contribution:

- ☉ Would you like to meet with someone from the Capital Campaign Committee to learn more about the campaign?
- ☉ Could you host a small Capital Campaign informational/commitment dinner party?
- ☉ Do you have professional experience that could assist in the building improvements?
- ☉ Would you like to assist with other fundraising opportunities?

If you have additional questions or would like to discuss the upcoming Capital Campaign please contact one of the committee members.

Year to Date Financial Information 12/31/2017

Revenue:

Weekly Offertory	\$94,095
Investments	\$19,573
Other Income	\$7,460
Total	\$121,128

Expenditures:

Payroll & Benefits	\$56,001
Supplies/Repairs/Utilities	\$32,940
Archdiocese Stewardship	\$26,543**
Other Expenses	\$18,062
Total	\$133,546

** The Archdiocese was paid \$13,013 in full for the 2016 OBOB shortfall.

STEWARDSHIP & THE NEW EVANGELIZATION

A Steward's Way

The life of a Christian steward models the life of Jesus. It is challenging and even difficult, in many respects, yet intense joy comes to those who take the risk to live as Christian stewards. Women and men who seek to live as stewards learn that "all things work for good for those who love God" (Rom 8:28).

After Jesus, we look to Mary as an ideal steward. As the Mother of Christ, she lived her ministry in a spirit of fidelity and service; she responded generously to the call. We must ask ourselves: Do we also wish to be disciples of Jesus Christ and Christian stewards of our world and our Church? Central to our human and Christian vocations, as well as to the unique vocation each one of us receives from God, is that we be good stewards of the gifts we possess. God gives us this divine-human workshop, this world and Church of ours.

The Spirit shows us the way.

Stewardship is a part of that journey.

A LITTLE BIT OF HUMOR...

God is talking to one of his angels. He says, "Do you know what I have just done? I have just created a 24-hour period of alternating light and darkness on Earth. Isn't that good?" The angel says, "Yes, but what will you do now?" God says, "I think I'll call it a day."

UPCOMING LITURGICAL SERVICES

No daily Mass on Wednesday, February 7th

Ash Wednesday, February 14th Mass at 6pm

No daily Mass February 20th-22nd

The Fridays during Lent: Meatless dinner at 5:30pm and

Stations of the Cross at 6:30pm

Saturday, February 10th & Sunday, February 11th

Next Saturday, February 10th, and Sunday, February 11th

our parish community will be absent a priest. Deacon Kevin will lead a liturgy of the Word and Communion Service on both days.

PASTORAL COUNCIL

If you are interested in serving on the Pastoral Council please contact Fr. Tom or a current member of the council.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION & FAITH FORMATION

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

First Fridays of the month 7:00-8:00 pm

Saturdays before Mass 4:45-5:15pm

And by appointment.

Sacrament of Baptism:

By appointment only. Please contact the Parish Office.

Sacrament of Marriage:

Six month preparation. Please contact the Parish Office.

Faith Formation Classes:

K-6th grade, Sundays 11:45 am to 12:45 pm

Wednesday Night Live: 7th – 12th grade, Wednesdays 6:00-8:30 pm.

Confirmation Class:

Please contact the Parish Office.

RCIA Class: For individuals who are not Catholic and would like to learn more about the Catholic faith.

Please contact the Parish Office

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

Worldwide Marriage Encounter is faithful to the Roman Catholic Church's teaching that marriage is a covenant that exists between one man and one woman. Any reference to marriage or couple made by WWME is in this context. Worldwide Marriage Encounter offers weekend experiences designed for mainly joy filled marriages. WWME alumni are invited to monthly prayer and dialogue evenings, date nights and other fun social activities. You will find the Weekend applications and the Community Calendar at <http://alaskawwme.org>.

PARISH LIFE COORDINATOR POSITION

The parish is accepting applicants for the position of parish life coordinator. Job description is available in the OLA parish office upon request. If you are interested in applying, please submit your résumé and cover letter to the OLA parish office. Thank you

EM & LECTOR SCHEDULE

Please notify Jane Fuerstenau of any dates that you are planning to be unavailable for the next ministry schedule. Thank you

PENINSULA WIDE MASS & PICNIC

It is our parish's turn to host this year's Peninsula Wide Mass & Picnic. Currently it is scheduled for Sunday, June 10th. If you are interested in assisting with this event, please contact Karla Smith.

REMEMBRANCE

Please keep the family and friends, as well as those who went before us in eternal life in your thoughts & prayers in this month we remember the passing of:

- ✠ John Fitzpatrick
- ✠ Don Simon
- ✠ Robert Stamer
- ✠ Phil Bryson
- ✠ Lillian Hakkinen

*If you wish to remember a loved one, please contact the parish office.

OLA SERVICE AWARDS

The application for the 2018 OLA Service Award for graduating high school seniors is available to be picked up on the corner bulletin board at the top of the stairs. You may also request an application from the parish office. Completed applications will need to be turned into the parish office by noon on Friday, March 23rd, 2018.

Our Lady of the Angels offers our sincerest gratitude to the O'Neal family whose generous donation made this service award possible.

LOCAL FOOD DRIVE

The second Sunday of the month is our monthly food drive. Nonperishable food items can be brought in that weekend. All items go to the Kenai Food Pantry located at the Methodist Church in Kenai. Most needed items: peanut butter, canned fruit, canned tuna, & Mac & Cheese. Please consider helping our neighbors in need. This is a great opportunity to practice the Corporal Work of Mercy: Feed the Hungry!

BABYSITTING FOR MARDI GRAS



Babysitting will be available for children under 12 years of age. Children may be dropped off when the "doors" are open for Mardi Gras. The cost is \$10 per child or \$30 per family. Preregistration is required and forms can be found in the foyer of the church building. If no one is registered by this Sunday, Feb 4th babysitting will be cancelled.



MARK YOUR
CALENDARS FOR
MARDI GRAS

FRIDAY,
FEBRUARY 9TH

MINISTERS OF THE LITURGY AND MINISTRY SCHEDULE:

<p>Saturday @ 5:30 pm February 10, 2018</p>	<p>Sunday @ 10:30 am February 11, 2018</p>	<p>Collection Counters:</p>
<p>Lector: Linda Groleske</p> <p>Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:</p> <p>Margaret Simon Phil Pijahn</p> <p>Altar Servers: Annalea Lott JT Lott</p> <p>If you have any questions or comments regarding all ministry schedules, <u>please</u> contact Fr. Tom.</p>	<p>Lector: Janice Wilsack</p> <p>Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:</p> <p>Phyllis Halstead Lee Halstead Lucy Ritter Pako Whannell Tim Agosti Terri Wisniewski Joan Seaman</p> <p>Altar Servers: Damien Burke Angus Burke Atlas Burke</p> <p>Hospitality: Carol Hamilton & Janina Efta</p> <p>Children's Liturgy: Jamie Harper</p>	<p>(February 6th @ 10:00am) Robin Feltman Cortney Braun</p> <p>(February 13 @ 2:30pm) Karla Smith Nancy DuPaul</p> <p>(February 20 @ 10:00am) Rose Henry Terry Gabriel</p> <div data-bbox="1133 604 1451 699">  </div> <div data-bbox="1159 730 1425 827">  </div> <p>Stewardship opportunity: Altar server scheduler Please contact Deacon Kevin if you would like to take on this ministry.</p>



Ash Wednesday times on February 14th:

Our Lady of the Angels – Kenai 6pm

Our Lady of Perpetual Help – Soldotna noon

St. Peter the Apostle – Ninilchik 10am

St. John the Baptist – Homer noon