

**THE WORD OF GOD****THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD**

IS 60:1-6  
EPH 3:2-3a, 5-6  
MT 2:1-12 (20)

**THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD**

IS 42:1-4, 6-7  
ACTS 10:34-38  
LK 3:15-16, 21-22 (21)

**SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK**

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

**SUNDAY - JANUARY 3**

6:30p.m. - RCIA

**TUESDAY - JANUARY 5**

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

**WEDNESDAY - JANUARY 6**

3:00p.m. - **NO** Youth Bell Choir

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

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

**THURSDAY - JANUARY 7**

9:00-10:30a.m. - Spirituality Discussion Group

3:00p.m. - **NO** School Youth Choir

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

7:00p.m. - **NO** Adult Choir or Sounds of Joy

**SATURDAY - JANUARY 9**

8:00-10:00a.m. - Mornings for Mom (Youth Group House)

**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, Joann Tomko, Carol Sfarra, Marilyn Jacober, Kayleigh Galante, Janice Huber, John J. Jordan, John Mies, Rose & Joseph Jackson, Olivia Ameer-Beg, Kathleen McKenna, John Sobota, Joseph Midash, Norma Luettchau, Janet Hefele, Christina Donatelli, 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: **Robert Mitchell** and **Al Popo**. 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 **November**, including Electronic Giving: **\$19,842.57**. 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**

*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: Anne (610-865-0617) or Susan (610-865-9392). All are welcome!

**YOUTH GROUP CORNER**

**SENIOR HIGH ( 9th-12th grs.):** Join us Wednesday, Jan. 20th, from 6-7:30pm in the Youth Group House.

**SPRING KICK-OFF:** Sat., January 16th, 6-8pm. All 6th-8th graders are invited to join us!

**FAMILY ADORATION:** Jan. 13th, 7-8pm, in the Chapel. We invite all families for a night of adoration, worship, & to encounter Christ.

**MORNINGS FOR MOM:** Moms are invited to join us on January 9th, from 8-10am, in our Youth Group House, to learn about spiritual workouts!

**THANK YOU!!!:** Our Clothing Drive was a phenomenal success because of YOU! We raised **\$506** for our youth! Thank you again for your donations!!

**Joey Moser (610-867-8409x25) or [joey.moser@my-olph.org](mailto:joey.moser@my-olph.org)**

**OLPH SCHOOL AND STUDENT NEWS**

*\*[facebook.com/olphbeth](https://www.facebook.com/olphbeth) 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](mailto:ALTNOLPH@PTD.NET)).

**Check out the school video on YouTube! #olphschoolspirit**

**OLPH COUNTLESS BLESSINGS"**

Total Sales for weekend of 12/12-12/13/15 was \$1,930. Profit from Giant Sales was \$99; all other stores \$49.23. **No Sales** the weekends of 12/26/15 or 1/2/16. **Sales resume** 1/9-1/10/16. Info: Suzanne (484-226-7375), or Steph (484-226-7372).

**SAVE THE DATE - NEXT BLOOD DRIVE**

Our next Parish Blood Drive will be Sunday, February 7th, 2016, from 8:15am-1:15pm. (There must be 8 weeks between whole blood donations). Call Jan Dupont at 610-997-3148.

**MASSES FOR THE WEEK****MON., JANUARY 4 - ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON**

6:45 a.m. - Felix DeLeon - M/M Carl Buttillo

8:00 a.m. - Ray Goskowski - Betty Salaski

**TUESDAY, JANUARY 5 - ST. JOHN NEUMANN**

6:45 a.m. - Carol Bangeli - Frank &amp; Patty Pologruo

8:00 a.m. - Rose Cheslock - Al &amp; Terry Bruch

**WED., JANUARY 6 - CHRISTMAS WEEKDAY**

6:45 a.m. - Fr. Angelo Della Picca - Michelle Pelizoto

8:00 a.m. - Lucy McDermott - Friends

**THURSDAY, JANUARY 7 - CHRISTMAS WEEKDAY**

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

8:00 a.m. - Lawrence Perreault - M/M A. Roscher

**FRIDAY, JANUARY 8 - CHRISTMAS WEEKDAY**

6:45 a.m. - Tim Dundon - Parents

8:45 a.m. - Viola Huber - M/M Ed Pfeiffer, Sr.

**SAT., JANUARY 9 - CHRISTMAS WEEKDAY**

8:00 a.m. - Ann Domyan - M/M John Kopczyński

5:00 p.m. - Denise Kennedy - Cecilia Keenan

&amp; Harry R. McKeon - Granddaughter

**SUN., JANUARY 10 - THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD**

7:30a.m. - Helen Sabolick - Sandy Moss &amp; Family

9:00a.m. - Anthony Zullo - Anna A. Stofko

&amp; Kay Reichwein - John &amp; Sarah Capella &amp; Fam.

10:30 a.m. - Michael Potkovac - Friends

12:00 noon - Carmella Petruzzelli - St. Michael School

**2016 CHILDREN'S ENVELOPES**

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

**DIOCESAN LIFE AD/MARCH FOR LIFE IN D.C.**

There is still time to participate in the Diocesan Life Ad and March for Life in Washington D.C. Contact Tony Saldutti if interested: 610-533-2711 or [tsaldutti99@gmail.com](mailto:tsaldutti99@gmail.com)

**PARISH MEMBERSHIP**

New families/singles moving into the area, families/singles who attend our parish, young adults (age 21 or older) living with parents or on their own, that are within our boundaries and are not registered, should register as soon as possible. Membership in the parish is important for occasions such as sacramental reception, or when a sponsor certificate (certificate of eligibility) needed. You can register in the parish by calling the Parish Center (610-867-8409; M-F). **Note: Young adults living on a college campus must obtain sponsor certificates from the church or campus chapel where they attend Mass while away at school.**

**MASS OF REMEMBRANCE PHOTOS**

Any remaining photos can be picked up at the Parish Center, M-F, during office hours: 8am-12noon and 1-6pm.

**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](http://www.my-olph.org)) many themes worth reading. Perhaps you would like to read more about Advent, Christmas, 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*

**SPIRITUALITY DISCUSSION GROUP**

Inviting all women to Come, Pause to renew your spirit, inspire each other and grow in faith, Thursday, January 7th, from 9:00-10:30a.m., in the Chapel. Contact Katie for info at: 610-317-2765 or [kmedwards@ptd.net](mailto:kmedwards@ptd.net)

**RETRouvaille**

The Retrouvaille Marriage Program offers help for struggling marriages. The next program begins the weekend of Feb. 12th, at the Family Life Center in Malvern, PA. For more info or to register, visit: [www.HelpOurMarriage.com](http://www.HelpOurMarriage.com) or call us at 1-800-470-2230. All inquiries are kept strictly confidential!

**NEW BACKGROUND CHECKS NEEDED FOR ALL**

Workers/volunteers for OLPH School/Church MUST do new background checks, plus mandated reporting, to comply with current state laws. Questions, call Safe Environment Coordinator, Carol Salabsky at 484-547-4412.

**THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD**

We are to walk always in the light of the Lord.

The visit of the Magi is a dramatic event that symbolizes the universality of Christ's saving mission on Earth. In effect, this event tells us that Jesus opened the kingdom of God not only to the Jews, but to all humankind. It is up to each of us to walk in the light of Christ so that we might come to share eternal life in Heaven.