

THE WORD OF GOD**TWENTY-EIGHTH ORDINARY SUNDAY**2 KGS 5:14-17
2 TM 2:8-13

LK 17:11-19 (144)

TWENTY-NINTH ORDINARY SUNDAYEX 17:8-13
2 TM 3:14-4:2
LK 18:1-8 (147)**SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK***** 7:25 a.m. - Recitation of the Rosary (Mon-Sat.; Chapel)****SUNDAY - OCTOBER 9**

PARISH BREAKFAST CANCELLED

6:30p.m. - RCIA

9:00a.m. - Mass of Enrollment (Confirmation)

MONDAY - OCTOBER 10 - COLUMBUS DAY

1:30p.m. - OLPH Fellowship Group

SCHOOL CLOSED

PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

TUESDAY - OCTOBER 11

7:00 p.m. - Bible Study

WEDNESDAY - OCTOBER 12

10:00a.m. - Fall Book Discussion (Chapel)

3:00p.m. - Youth Bell Choir

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

7:00p.m. - Adult Bell Choir

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THURSDAY - OCTOBER 13

3:00p.m. - School Choir

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

6:30p.m. - Sounds of Joy

7:30p.m. - Adult Choir

SATURDAY - OCTOBER 15

Blood Pressure Screening - After Mass

6:00-9:00p.m. - Spaghetti Dinner

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Charlotte Bradley, Christina Davis, Jeff Salabsky, Parker Grant, Eleanor Berg, Marion Donohue, Eloise Lanski, Frank Sforza, Sandy Halstead, Sue Reddock-Kret, Betty Doederlein, Ruth Mientus Schaffer, Nora Lee Tarney, Addy Wallace, Dorothy Pavlinski, Baby Juliana, Baby Layla, Barbara Meehan, Elizabeth Martlock, Kayleigh Galante, Janice Huber, Michele Pierzga, John J. Jordan, Rose Lichtenwalner, Doris Roscioli, Joseph Persons, Mary Jane Fertal, Christopher Oravec, John Mies, Barbara Tuscher, Rebecca Frey, Francisco Caninde Alves daSilva, Robert Dunnigan, Rose & Joseph Jackson, Olivia Ameer-Beg, Larry Brown, Francesca Kostalis, Marian Sopko, Louisa Check, Sue Ahuja, Joseph Midash, Christina Donatelli, Shad Barry, Kevin Meister, Michael Cunningham, Jim Monahan, Gary Yoder, Pucci Family, William Huber, Dolores Lengyel, Ann Marie Janders, Barbara Martino, & 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 August, including Electronic Giving: **\$21,250.17**. We thank you for your support. May God bless you for your kindness.

OLPH FOOD BANK

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

CATECHISTS NEEDED: For a number of grades for the 2016-2017 year. For information on this ministry, please call Carol Salabsky at 484-547-4412.

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

OLPH FELLOWSHIP GROUP

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

TRIP: Mohegan Sun Casino: Thursday, Oct. 27th. Leave OLPH parking lot at 9:00a.m. Cost: \$20 (rebate: \$25 slots/\$5 food voucher).

Call Tom DiSante at 484-456-6818 if interested.

YOUTH GROUP CORNER

Joey Moser (610-867-8409x25) or 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 2016-2017 school year. Please contact the school for information/tour (610-868-6570 or ALTNOLPH@PTD.NET).

Check out the school video on YouTube! #olphschoolspirit

SEEKING PART-TIME SPANISH TEACHER

OLPH School is currently searching for a Part-Time Spanish teacher. If you are interested, please contact Mr. Daniel Moser: moserd@olphbeth.org or call 610-868-6570.

MEMO ON "THE LIVING SPIRIT"

You can find on the Parish website (www.my-olph.org) many themes worth reading. Please note that not all of the paper inserts are placed on the website. --- *Msr. Morrison*

FALL BASKET RAFFLE

There is a large bucket in the Gathering Space for returning your contribution. **All donations due in the Gathering Space by TODAY October 9th!**

SHARECARE FUNDRAISING AUCTION

ShareCare Faith in Action, a non-profit agency serving those who are elderly or disabled, is seeking donations for their

MASSES FOR THE WEEK**MONDAY, OCTOBER 10 - WEEKDAY**

6:45 a.m. - Henry Francis McGeady - The Hyclak Family
8:00am - Comito Family (Int.) - Family

TUESDAY - OCTOBER 11 - WEEKDAY

6:45 a.m. - Mass for the People
8:00 a.m. - Charles Tomko - David Tomko

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 12 - WEEKDAY

6:45 a.m. - Bill Bamper - M/M Dave Miexell
8:00 a.m. - Rebecca Hilaire Temple - The Donio Family

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 13 - WEEKDAY

6:45 a.m. - Stephanie Martin - Emily Gilotti
8:00 a.m. - Deceased of Derlunas/Zawarski Family - Fam.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14 - WEEKDAY

6:45 a.m. - Martha Guman Chase - Joe, Ginny, & Greg
8:45 a.m. - Joseph Tallarico - Donio Family
& Josephine Geib, & Catherine & Donald Anastasio - Fam.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15 - ST. TERESA of JESUS

8:00 a.m. - Joanne Tomko - Frank Tomko, Sr.
5:00 p.m. - Susan & Robert Bennett (Int.) - M/M R. Fertal

SUN., OCTOBER 16 - TWENTY-NINTH ORD. SUN.

7:30a.m. - Deceased of Mento Fam. - Linda & Bill Mento
9:00a.m. - Dcn. Joe Buragino - K of C 313
10:30a.m. - Barbara Guerriere - M/M Gordon Guerriere
12:00noon - Deceased of Borges Family - Family

ANNUAL MASS OF REMEMBRANCE

Saturday, November 5th. Reading of names/lighting of candles at 4:15pm, followed by regularly scheduled 5pm Mass.

To have your deceased loved one's name read & to light a vigil candle in his/her memory, you may RSVP to 610-867-8409 (during business hours) before Friday, Oct. 28th.

Electronic Photos will be displayed in the Gathering Space during the month of Nov., courtesy of Connell Funeral Home.

To have a photo of your loved one included in the electronic display, bring an **UNFRAMED PHOTO** to the Parish Center (during business hours) to be registered by the close of business, Fri., Oct. 28th. Photos received after October 28th will not be accepted! **NO PHOTOS, FRAMED OR UNFRAMED, WILL BE ALLOWED INTO THE CHURCH OR ON THE ALTAR!**

OLPH FALL CRAFT SHOW/FOOD TRUCK FESTIVAL

Come for the crafts & stay for the food!

CRAFT SHOW: Sat., Oct. 22nd (10:00a.m.-6:00p.m.); Sun., Oct. 23rd (9:00a.m.-3:00p.m.).

FOOD TRUCK FESTIVAL: Sat., Oct. 22nd (12:00-7:00p.m.).

For more info on becoming a crafter or food vendor, contact Patti Barry at 610-844-4475.

RECENTLY BAPTIZED

Best wishes go out to **Messiah Rashawn Carmichael** and **Elena Mae Gilroy** who have recently been brought into our faith by Baptism. May the Light of Christ always burn in their hearts!

OLPH SCHOOL MEMORIAL FUND

Donations have been received in memory of **James Darcy** requested by Tom & Antonette Kovacs, Mrs. Charlene Dean, M/M Michael Buonpane, The Cunerd Family, & M/M Harry L. Reese; in memory of **Frances Morrissey** requested by M/M Thomas Riddle, & M/M Harry L. Reese; in memory of **Jeffrey DeCrosta** requested by The Cunerd Family; in memory of **Shirley Ruth Christian** requested by M/M Richard Seeds & Family; and in memory of **Blanche Bush** requested by M/M Harry L. Reese. We pray for these people on a daily basis, but most especially when we come together to celebrate the Liturgy, as a school community, on Friday mornings.

TWENTY-EIGHTH ORDINARY SUNDAY

Faith, in the midst of adversity, fortifies the soul.

When things are going well, it is easy to believe in a loving God. In the midst of adversity, believing can be more difficult. Witness today the strong faith of Naaman, St. Paul speaking from prison, and the leper who was a Samaritan. All three are good role models for us in times of difficulty.

fundraising auction. Tags with item requests are located in the Gathering Space. Your donation will enable us to continue our caregiving ministry. Thank you for your support!!

PARISH SPAGHETTI DINNER

Saturday, October 15th, 6-9pm, in the Marian Inn. Menu: unlimited spaghetti, limited meatballs & sausage, Italian bread, salad, coffee, tea, iced tea, & dessert. Cost: \$8 - Adults; Children (5-12) - \$5. This is a BYOB event. Tickets: available at the door. **See this week's bulletin insert for details!**

ST. JOSEPH CHURCH PHOTO MEMORY BOOK

The beauty of the former St. Joseph Church in Easton is captured and professionally assembled in a magnificent photo album. To view and purchase this keepsake album, please visit Our Lady of Mercy Parish Center (132 S. 5th St., Easton, PA), M-TH (8:30am-3:30pm), or between weekend Masses (Sat: 4:30 pm; Sun: 8am, 10:30am, or 12noon). Questions, please call the Parish Center at 610-252-7381.

STEPHEN'S PLACE BINGO FUNDRAISER

Sunday, October 16th, in the OLPH Marian Inn. Doors open at 1:00p.m.. Cash Prizes, Basket Raffle, and Food available for purchase. Grand Prize: 48" TV! Tickets: \$20 in advance, \$25 at the door. Contact Sr. Virginia at 610-861-7677 for advanced tickets or further info. Proceeds benefit Stephen's Place.