

THE WORD OF GOD**THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT**EX 20:1-17 or 20:1-3, 7-8, 12-17
1 COR 1:22-25

JN 2:13-25 (29)

FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT2 CHR 36:14-16, 19-23
EPH 2:4-10
JN 3:14-21 (32)**SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK***** 7:25 a.m. - Recitation of the Rosary (Mon-Sat.; Chapel)****SUNDAY - MARCH 4**

Girl Scout Cookie Sale - After All Masses

MONDAY - MARCH 5

7:30-8:30pm - Women's Endow Group (YGroup House)

TUESDAY - MARCH 6

7:00 p.m. - Bible Study

WEDNESDAY - MARCH 7

1:30p.m. - Ladies Group Meeting

3:00p.m. - Youth Bell Choir

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

7:00p.m. - Adult Bell Choir

THURSDAY - MARCH 8

1:45p.m. - School Stations of the Cross

3:00p.m. - Youth Choir

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

5:30p.m. - REP Choir

7:00p.m. - Adult Choir & Sounds of Joy

FRIDAY - MARCH 9

4:30-6:30p.m. - Parish Lenten Fish Dinner

6:00p.m. - Youth Group Family Pizza Night

7:00p.m. - Stations of the Cross

SATURDAY - MARCH 10

9:00-10:00a.m. - Rehearsal/Lenten Mass & Parent Meeting

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Mary Jane Fertal, Robert Dunnigan, Tim Salabsky, Jesse Salabsky, Corinne Ianelli, Susan Bauer, Theresa Spevak, Julia Clerici, Joel Rivera, Dorothy Pavlinski, Baby Layla, Ron Makos, Baby Avia, William Benzak, Terry & Al Bruch, Sylvia Klepeis, Pat Pavelko, Anne Gerber, Dolores Steffie, Maryann Wolfe, Baby Wyatt Sheffield, James Kotlik, Elizabeth Martlock, Don Pulley, Eugene Berg, John J. Jordan, Rose Lichtenwalner, Dorothy Midash, Henry Persons, Doris Roscioli, Barbara Tuscher, Larry Mancino, Rose Jackson, Joseph Midash, Edith & Richard Andresko, Marie Zullo, Michael Cunningham, Pucci Family, William Huber, 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 **January, including** Electronic Giving: **\$24,288.13**. We thank you for your support. May God bless you for your kindness.

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!

PARISH RETREAT

March 16th, 17th, & 18th. No cost! For more info, or an application, please email Linda Sullivan: lsullivan.olph@gmail.com

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

TRIP: Hollywood Casino: Fri., March 23rd. Leave OLPH parking lot at 9:00am. Cost: \$24 (Rebate: \$30 slots/\$5 food).

TRIP: New Hampshire White Mountain, Indian Head Resort. June 26-29, 2018. Cost: \$485/pp/dbl. Includes: Indoor & outdoor pool, spas, saunas, tennis, boating, live entertainment, Flume Franconia North Park Tour, Cannon Mt. Aerial Tram Ride, North Conway Village & Scenic Kancamagus Hwy. Breakfasts & Dinners included each day. Deluxe motor coach, baggage handling, all taxes & gratuities. For reservations/flyers call Tom (484-456-6818) or June (484-767-8669).

YOUTH GROUP CORNER

BLUE ARMY SHRINE TRIP: Sun., March 18th, 10am-2pm
Permission form needed!

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

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.

SEEKING SPANISH TEACHER

OLPH School is looking for a part-time Spanish teacher for the remainder of the 2017-18 school year. If you are interested in applying, contact Daniel Moser, Principal, by calling the school (610-868-6570 x400) or email moserd@olphbeth.org

MASSES FOR THE WEEK**MONDAY, MARCH 5 - LENTEN WEEKDAY**

6:45a.m. - Anita Memet - M/M Bill Mento

8:00a.m. - Rose Cunningham - Family

7:00p.m. - Margaret Brose - JoAnn & Jim Crosson**TUESDAY, MARCH 6 - LENTEN WEEKDAY**

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

8:00a.m. - Dolores Kerecz - Emily Gilotti

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7 - LENTEN WEEKDAY

6:45a.m. - Rose Kopczynskie - Marakovits Family

8:00a.m. - Msgr. Sacks (Int.) - Msgr. Morrison

7:00p.m. - Marie Chalufour - Joe Marcantognini

& Stanley Majewski - Michelle Majewski

THURSDAY, MARCH 8 - LENTEN WEEKDAY

6:45a.m. - Alfred Myers - David Myers

8:00a.m. - Marie Faber - Family

& Tess Roach (Int.) - Friends

FRIDAY, MARCH 9 - LENTEN WEEKDAY

6:45a.m. - Mary Majewski (Int.) - AnnMarie John

8:45a.m. - Joseph O'Donnell - Kelly & John Pohl

& Ruth Ehrig - Kelly & John Pohl

SATURDAY, MARCH 10 - LENTEN WEEKDAY

8:00a.m. - Marianne Bogunovich - Husband, Mark

5:00p.m. - Christopher Jeffers - The Hamas Family

& Thomas LeBeau, Jr. - M/M Larry Green

SUNDAY, MARCH 11 - FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

7:30a.m. - M/M Thomas Dunn - Jeff & Pat Andrews

& Sharon West - M/M Ed Pfeiffer, Sr.

9:00a.m. - Mary Borgia - Kate & Olivia Rosati

& Marion Donohue - Thomas Donohue

10:30a.m. - Angelina Cozzi - M/M Lanzieri

12:00noon - Stephen J. Zientek - Wife, Arlene

VOLUNTEER GREETERS NEEDED

*For: Holy Thursday (3/29 at 7pm); Good Friday (3/30 at 3pm); Easter Vigil (Sat., 3/31 at 8pm). Greeters are asked to arrive ½ hour before celebration begins.

*For: Confirmation (Tues., 4/10 at 4:15pm); Mass with Anointing (Sun., 4/15 at 3pm); First Holy Communion (Sat., 5/5 at 9:30am) Greeters are asked to arrive 1 hour before celebration begins. Sign-up sheets are available in the Coat Room. Info: Anita Guerriere 484-241-1615.

CYO NEWS**SPRING TRACK & FIELD TEAM REGISTRATIONS:**

Now open to children (grades K-8). Register at olph.ngin.com & click on the "Track & Field Registration Link" for the registration form. Please note: if your child is new to the team, please say 'yes' to the team shirt! For more info, please contact Julie Dody: dody6pa@yahoo.com or call 610-393-3765.

WEDDING LITURGY WORKSHOP

Sun., March 25th, at 2:00p.m., in the Church. Presented by our Music Director & Wedding Consultant. Couples getting married

in 2018 & early 2019, are encouraged to attend. Please register with: susan.bennettolph@gmail.com or call 610-782-1101.

HOME/SCHOOL 25TH ANNIVERSARY TRICKY TRAY

March 23rd, 24th, & 25th, in the Marian Inn. The Committee is presently asking for donations & 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 or handmade item, contact the school (610-868-6570) or Denise McGee (215-880-0275). Thank You!

PARISH LENTEN FISH DINNER

Fri., March 9th, 4:30-6:30p.m. Cost: \$10/Adults; \$5/Children 5-12yrs. **(For anyone not pre-registered/\$12 at the door!)**

BAKERS NEEDED: We ask parishioners whose last name begins with letters I through P to bake desserts for the dinner. Drop off at the Marian Inn, Fri., March 9th, 4-4:30p.m.

2ND ANNUAL OLPH GOLF OUTING

Mon., June 11th, Southmoore Golf Club. Shotgun start at 1pm. Cost: \$85/pp (includes cart, greens fee, lunch, dinner, 10% discount on Clubhouse purchases & range balls. Info: Dave Ney: davney@aol.com or 610-704-6909. Forms available soon!

ST. PATRICK'S DAY DINNER/DANCE

Sat., March 17th, Holy Infancy School Hall (4th & Webster Sts., Bethlehem). Dinner (5:30-7:15pm): Corned Beef & Cabbage. Donation: \$20 (\$25 at door). Oldies Dance: (7:30-11:30p.m.). Donation: \$13 (\$15 at door). **Both for \$30 Tickets:** Mark Marino (610-984-4995). Benefits Knights of Columbus supported activities in all parishes.

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!

THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

Jesus performed many signs, but it was in His death & resurrection that God's glory was fully revealed & made manifest.

When Jesus drives the money changers & animal vendors from the Temple, the Jews demand a sign to prove His authority. They do not have faith to see what is in front of them. Later, when Jesus dies & is risen, His disciples remember His words, & they understand & believe. Do we have the faith to see what is revealed right in front of us, in this Eucharist?