

**THE WORD OF GOD****TWENTY-SECOND ORDINARY SUNDAY**SIR 3:7-18, 20, 28-29  
HEB 12:18-19, 22-24a

LK 14:1, 7-14 (126)

**TWENTY-THIRD ORDINARY SUNDAY**WIS 9:13-18b  
PHLM 9-10, 12-17  
LK 14:25-33 (129)**SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK****\* 7:25 a.m. - Recitation of the Rosary (Mon-Sat.; Chapel)****SUNDAY - AUGUST 28**

1:00 p.m. - Summer Choir Rehearsal

**MONDAY - AUGUST 29**

FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL

**TUESDAY - AUGUST 30**

7:00 p.m. - Bible Study

**FRIDAY - SEPTEMBER 2**

SCHOOL CLOSED

**REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS**

Charlotte Bradley, Christina Davis, Jeff Salabsky, Parker Grant, Eleanor Berg, Marion Donohue, Rita Rossilli Mele, Eloise Lanski, Jeff DeCrosta, Frank Sforza, Betty Doederlein, Ruth Mientus Schaffer, Robin Ruhl, Nora Lee Tarney, Addy Wallace, Dorothy Pavlinski, Baby Juliana, Baby Layla, Barbara Meehan, Elizabeth Martlock, John S. Phillip, Kayleigh Galante, Janice Huber, Gabriel Adam Forbes, Michele Pierzga, John J. Jordan, Rose Lichtenwalner, Ken Bower, Joseph Persons, Dorothy Zimmerman, John Mies, Barbara Tuscher, Sergio Fernandes, Francisco Caninde Alves daSilva, Rose & Joseph Jackson, Olivia Ameer-Beg, Francesca Kostalis, Marian Sopko, Louisa Check, Sylvia Klepeisz, 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 July, including Electronic Giving: **\$20,624.00**. 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.**

**PROTECTING GODS' CHILDREN (PGC) WORKSHOP**

Mandated by the Diocese, for any adult volunteering or working with or near children, at any time, for any purpose, in the school or in the parish. **Each volunteer or employee MUST attend one PGC Workshop.** Session is three hours long (6:30-9:30pm) & held in the Marian Inn. Date: September 6th. Call Carol Salabsky (484-547-4412) to register!

**SUMMER CHOIR REHEARSALS**

New members are welcome to join our parish Music Ministry. Simply come to our Summer Choir rehearsal:

Sunday, August 28th at 1:00 pm.

Our Adult Choir sings weekly at the Sun. 10:30am Mass; Sounds of Joy (our contemporary choir) sings bi-weekly at the 5:00 pm Mass. Both are mid-Sept. to mid-May.

Our Adult Music Ministry sings together for Christmas, Holy Week & Easter. Contact Mr. John Keglovits, Director of Music, with questions: [JMKeglovits@iCloud.com](mailto:JMKeglovits@iCloud.com) or 610-462-1817.

**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: Ehrhardts Waterfront, Lake Wallenpaupack: Sept. 28th.** Oldies Motown show, music, dancing, open bar (wine, beer, soda), family-style meal, bus & gratuities. Cost: \$75/pp.

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

**YOUTH GROUP CORNER**

**CLOTHING DRIVE FUNDRAISER:** Sept. 18th, 8:30am - 1:30pm. Watch future bulletins for details!

**YOUTH GROUP FALL KICKOFF:** Sat., Sept 10th, 6-8pm. A night of Grillin' & Gamin'! All 6th-12th graders invited!

**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 2016-2017 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**

**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. Please note that not all of the paper inserts are placed on the website. --- *Mmgr. Morrison*

**SUBSTITUTES NEEDED FOR NOTRE DAME HS**

Notre Dame High School is looking for substitute teachers for the 2016-2017 school year. Anyone interested in being placed on the sub list should contact Jaclyn Welsh, Assistant Principal: [JaWelsh@ndcrusaders.org](mailto:JaWelsh@ndcrusaders.org) or call 610-868-1431 x114.

**MASSES FOR THE WEEK****MON., AUG. 29 - The Passion of St. John the Baptist**

6:45 a.m. - Sally Ryan - Joe Marcantognini

8:00 a.m. - Frances Buragino - Dcn./Mrs. Thoden

**TUESDAY, AUGUST 30 - WEEKDAY**

6:45 a.m. - M/M Guillermo Soto - Ortiz Family

8:00 a.m. - Daniel Mullins - Family

&amp; Thomas Keenan - Trina, Mike, &amp; Boys

**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 31 - WEEKDAY**

6:45 a.m. - Susan Harvilla - Liz &amp; Bill Crawford

8:00 a.m. - Dcn. Ray Goskowski - Jim &amp; Linda Snape

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 1 - WEEKDAY**

6:45 a.m. - Jim Lynch - M/M Marty Hartman

8:00 a.m. - Olga Delgado - Colon-Cummings Family

**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 2 - WEEKDAY**

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

8:00 a.m. - Leroy Dye - Mary &amp; Bill Mullins

**SAT., SEPTEMBER 3 - ST. GREGORY the GREAT**

8:00 a.m. - Wilma Brandt - GNO

5:00 p.m. - Mary Chickey - Son

&amp; Barbara Jordan - Son, John

**SUNDAY, SEPT. 4 - TWENTY-THIRD ORD. SUN.**

7:30 a.m. - M/M George Jaman - The Jaman Family

9:00 a.m. - Gerald Cox - M/M Art Donohue, Sr.

&amp; Heinz Wendland - Arlene Zientek

10:30 a.m. - Dcn. Joseph Buragino - M/M Bill Heil

&amp; Louise Romanell - Family

12:00 noon - M/M John Pavelko - Pat Pavelko

**'WE THE LIVING' GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP**

(For those grieving the loss of a loved one), will meet for 6 Mondays, beginning Sept. 19th & ending Oct. 24th, in the St. Anne Convent building (434 E. Washington Ave, Bethlehem), from 6:00-7:30p.m. For info/to register, please contact Fidelia: [fideljasa@gmail.com](mailto:fideljasa@gmail.com) / 610-419-1441 or call St Anne Rectory at 610-867-5039. "We the Living" is a regional Bereavement Support Program in cooperation with St. Anne, Our Lady of Perpetual Help, & Notre Dame of Bethlehem parishes.

**RECENTLY BAPTIZED**

Best wishes go out to **Zoey Jo Butler, Jacob Elliott Horwitz, Anna Joan Lumi, Sophia Faith Torres, and Alexander Vincente Zapata**, who have recently been brought into our faith by Baptism. May the Light of Christ always burn in their hearts!

**PARISH BREAKFAST**

The first of three breakfasts will be held Sunday, September 11th, from 8am-12pm, in the Marian Inn. Cost: \$10 adults; \$5 children ages 5-12 (children under 5 - free). Menu: scrambled eggs, potatoes, sausage, bacon, toast, coffee, tea, orange juice, coffee cake. **You MUST purchase your ticket in advance - there will be NO payment at the door!** Future Breakfast dates: Oct. 9th & Nov. 13th. Tickets will be on sale after each Mass.

**FALL BASKET RAFFLE**

Last year's Basket Raffle was very successful in raising money for our church. We are asking again for your assistance. There will be a table set up in the Gathering Space with items listed on pieces of paper. If you are able, please take a paper & return the item listed the next week. There will be a large bucket in the Gathering Space for returning your contribution. Thank you!

**DIOCESAN FAMILY FESTIVAL**

Sun., September 25th, 11:00am-5:00pm, at SteelStacks (101 Founders Way, Bethlehem, PA). The day begins with an outdoor Mass (11am) celebrated by Bishop Barres (bring a lawn chair). Games & fun activities for all ages, & delicious ethnic foods. Music provided by 'Island Time' band on the patio, & our talented high school & college students at the Levitt Pavillion. **Pre-order your 2016 Family Festival T-Shirts by August 24th** at: [www.allentowndiocese.org/familyfestival](http://www.allentowndiocese.org/familyfestival)

**PAINT & PIZZA PARTY**

Sponsored by Our Lady of Perpetual Help School Performing Arts Program on Sat., Sept. 17th, 6:00-9:00pm, in the Marian Inn. A local artist from Bottle and Bottega will guide you step by step to create your one-of-a-kind painting! **Cost: \$45/pp** (includes all supplies, slice of pizza, and softdrink/water - additional snacks available for sale). Raffle, Door Prizes, 50/50. **Limited seating - register online:** <http://bit.ly/BBolph> or call Meg Trunzo (484-287-5207) or email [mespaz13@yahoo.com](mailto:mespaz13@yahoo.com)

**DIOCESAN DAY OF REFLECTION FOR MEN**

Sat., September 17th, 9:00am-12:00noon, Queenship of Mary Church, Northampton, PA. Presenters: Rev. Msgr. Michael Chaback, Rev. Bernard Ezaki, & Rev. Patrick Lamb. This event is FREE. Register at: [www.CMFDA.org](http://www.CMFDA.org) Info: Deacon Mike Doncsecz (610-262-2227) or [deaconmike2006@hotmail.com](mailto:deaconmike2006@hotmail.com)

**TWENTY-SECOND ORDINARY SUNDAY**

We are not called on to judge our own worthiness or value, but to leave those judgements to God.

Whether we are at a social event or striving in our daily lives to attain the Kingdom of God, it is best not to place ourselves above others. In the Kingdom of God, rank or prestige carries no meaning; we are all brothers and sisters, children of the same God.