THE WORD OF GOD

THIRTY-FIRST ORDINARY SUNDAY

MAL 1:14b---2:2b, 8-10 1 THES 2:7b-9, 13 MT 23:1-12 (151)

THIRTY-SECOND ORDINARY SUNDAY

WIS 6:12-16 1 THES 4:13-18 or 4:13-14 MT 25:1-13 (154)

SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK

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

SUNDAY - NOVEMBER 5

3:30p.m. - Family Hour (Marian Inn)

TUESDAY - NOVEMBER 7

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

7:00p.m. - Book Discussion (Chapel)

7:00 p.m. - Bible Study

WEDNESDAY - NOVEMBER 8

3:00p.m. - Youth Bell Choir

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

7:00p.m. - Adult Bell Choir

THURSDAY - NOVEMBER 9

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

3:00p.m. - Youth Choir

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

5:30p.m. - REP Choir

6:30p.m. - Sounds of Joy

7:30p.m. - Adult Choir

SATURDAY - NOVEMBER 11

9:00-11:00a.m. - Morning of Reflection (w/Dcn. George)

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Mary Jane Fertal, Jeff Salabsky, Marion Donohue, Robert Dunnigan, Ann Janders, Linda Mankowski, Addison Torcivia, Henry Trexler, Olivia Ameer-Beg, Corinne Ianelli, Susan Bauer, Theresa Spevak, Marguerite Sobkow, Zachary Balga, Kathleen & Joseph Lippert, Parker Grant, Dorothy Pavlinski, Baby Layla, Ron Makos, Larry Mancino, Baby Avia, Terry & Al Bruch, Sylvia Klepeis, Pat Pavelko, Katie Marie Kislow, Stanley Banas, James Kotlik, Anne Gerber, Dolores Steffie, Maryann Wolfe, Newborn Wyatt Sheffield, Elizabeth Martlock, John J. Jordan, Rose Lichtenwalner, Donald Pulley, Sr., Cameron Kappus, Ann McAteer, Doris Roscioli, John Dancho, Barbara Tuscher, Rose Jackson, Joseph Midash, Edith & Richard Andresko, Shad Barry, Marie Zullo, William Benzak, Michael Cunningham, Pucci Family, William Huber, Dolores Lengyel, and Adam Recke. Remember the deceased members of our parish family: Mafalda Goretti. 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

<u>Sunday Collection:</u> (<u>Average</u> per week), for the month of **September**, <u>including</u> Electronic Giving: \$21,332.38. 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!

ENDOWMENT FOR CARE OF RETIRED PRIESTS

Thank you to those who have given so generously to the "Chosen, Blessed, Shared" Retired and Infirm Priests Annual Fund. If you haven't given, it isn't too late to support the retired priests of our Diocese. Please return your gift using the envelope you received in the mail. They may be returned in the mail or in the collection basket at Mass. Thank you for your generosity!

ADVENT CANDLE LIGHTING SIGN-UPS

As we have done in the past, a family will light the Advent candles prior to the start of each Mass throughout Advent. If you would like to be part of this beautiful tradition, sign-up in the Gathering Space (weekend of Nov. 11th & 12th), after Masses.

REP NEWS

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

YOUTH GROUP CORNER

S'MORES & SCRIPTURE: Tues., Nov. 7th, 6-7:30p.m.! All 6th-12th graders welcome!

ENCOUNTER: FAMILY HOLY HOUR: The Diocese has put together a monthly family adoration, for families of all ages. The first is at Notre Dame of Bethlehem, Nov. 12th, at 1p.m.

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

OLPH SCHOOL AND STUDENT NEWS

*facebook.com/olphbeth or Twitter @OurLadySchool

<u>Registration open</u> for new students wishing to enroll. Contact the school: (610-868-6570 or *moserd@olphbeth.org*) for info.

Check out the school video on YouTube! #olphschoolspirit

MORNING OF REFLECTION & DISCUSSION

<u>Sat., Nov. 11th</u>, from 8:30-10:30a.m. Book: "The Wisdom of St. Francis DeSales". <u>If attending, please stop by the Parish Office no later than Thurs., Nov. 9th to pick up your copy of the <u>book</u>. <u>Donation:</u> \$7 (includes book, coffee & 'munchkins'). Questions: Call Dcn. Kelly 484-626-2130.</u>

NEEDED: PEOPLE CERTIFIED IN AED USE

There are AEDs (automatic external defibrillators) available in the Church Gathering Space & the School Gym. In order to continue their availability, we are required to have a list of individuals who are certified in their use through American Heart Association or Red Cross. If you are currently certified in CPR/AED use & would be willing to be listed in our data base, OR are interested in becoming certified, please contact Dr. Celeste Saunders: csaunders@rcn.com or 610-438-1166.

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 6 - WEEKDAY

6:45a.m. - William Motko - Daughter, Geri

8:00a.m. - Marko Rukavina - Ortiz Family

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 7 - WEEKDAY

6:45a.m. - Rose Kopczynskie - Bernie & Carol

8:00a.m.- Philip Pokoluk - Lisa Pokoluk

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 8 - WEEKDAY

6:45a.m. - NO MASS - Priests Convocation

8:00a.m. - NO MASS - Priests Convocation

THURSDAY, NOV. 9 - Dedication of Lateran Basilica

6:45a.m. - NO MASS - Priests Convocation

8:00a.m. - NO MASS - Priests Convocation

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 10 - ST. LEO THE GREAT

6:45a.m. - NO MASS - Priests Convocation

8:45a.m. - NO MASS - Priests Convocation

SAT., NOVEMBER 11 - ST. MARTIN OF TOURS

8:00a.m. - Robert Croyle - Wife & Son

& Richie Irving - Family

5:00p.m. - Edna Chew - Family

& Edna H. McKeon - Family

SUN., NOV. 12 - THIRTY-SECOND ORDINARY SUN.

7:30a.m. - M/M Joseph Karetz - Family

& Celso Melendez - Scott & Lisa Miller

9:00a.m. - Carey Romanell - Guerriere Family

& Stan Majewski - The David Rath Family

10:30a.m. - Michalina & Paulo Zullo - Family

& Loretta Long - M/M Joseph Mies & Family

12:00noon - Kevin O'Grady - O'Grady Family

& John Majewski (Int.) - Family

WEDDING CONGRATULATIONS

Best wishes to M/M Mark Hamann & M/M Michael Kowalishen who were married at OLPH during the month of October.

SPIRITUALITY DISCUSSION GROUP

Thursday, November 9th, 9:00-10:30a.m., in the Chapel. INVITING ALL WOMEN TO PAUSE THIS AUTUMN SEASON: Come, support & encourage each other as you journey with the Lord. Discover new courage, strength, peace of body, mind & spirit. For more information, please contact Katie: 610-317-2765 or Kmedwards@ptd.net

OLPH IRELAND/SCOTLAND TRIP

Travel with Fr. Abraham Ha & Our Lady of Perpetual Help, June 14-26, 2019, for 13days in Ireland & Scotland (Galway, Our Lady of Knock, Cliffs of Moher, Killarney, Dublin, Edinburgh Castle, St. Andrews Cathedral). Cost: \$4,600 (airfare included from anywhere in the U.S.) Deposit required. Cost includes Airfare, Taxes, Security fees, Transfers, 4-5 star hotels, bus transportation, all breakfasts & dinners, tips for driver, hotel, & tour guide, guided tours & fees, luggage handling (1 suitcase, 1 carry-on). Call Proximo Travel at 1-855-842-8001 to register.

Visit the website: www.proximotravel.com for more info. Call Fr. Ha with any questions!

PARISH HAM & TURKEY DINNER

Sunday, November 19th, 3-6p.m. (Dinner served 3-5pm). Reservations & payments will be taken the weekends of Nov. 4th/5th, and Nov. 11th/12th. We ask that you pre-register with payment so that we can prepare enough for everyone. Walk-ins & payment at the door will be limited! Take out is available. Cost: Adults \$10; Children 5-12 \$5; Children under 5 are free. Menu: Ham, Turkey, Stuffing, Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Cranberry Sauce, Green Beans or Corn, Rolls, Butter, Tea, Coffee, Dessert. BYOB for those of you who like beer or wine.

MASS OF REMEMBRANCE PHOTO PICKUP

Photos that were submitted for the Mass of Remembrance electronic display, can be picked up in the Gathering Space after all Masses this weekend, or at the Parish Center during regular business hours (M-F: 8am-12noon; 1-6:30p.m.)

OLPH SCHOOL MEMORIAL FUND

A donation has been received in memory of **Bernie Ward** requested by M/M Michael Buonpane. 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 Fri. mornings.

VERA BRADLEY/COACH BINGO

On <u>Sunday</u>, <u>November 12th</u>, the Home/School Association will sponsor the 21st annual Vera Bradley/Coach Bingo, at 2pm (doors open at 1pm), in the Marian Inn. <u>Tickets</u> will be available at the door: Adults - \$25; Children under 13 - \$15. Call Margie Shields (215-353-7749) with any questions.

ST. FRANCIS CENTER FOR RENEWAL

IN SEARCH OF GUIDANCE: When We Suddenly Lose Our Ability to Navigate Life (with reflections on the Teachings of St. Augustine). Monday, Nov. 13th, 6:45-9:00p.m. Offering: \$25. Deposit: \$15 (includes refreshments). Retreat Director: Micah Sadigh, PhD. Call 610-867-8890. Visit: www.StFrancis.org

THIRTY-FIRST ORDINARY SUNDAY

Preach the Gospel and practice it.

A good leader is not self-seeking, but always has the best interests of his followers at heart. A poor leader thinks only of himself and what he has to gain from his position of authority. Leaders have the power to guide their followers to destruction or prosperity. Jesus is the model servant-leader, humbling Himself and serving all.