

THE WORD OF GOD**FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT**JER 31:31-34
HEB 5:7-9

JN 12:20-33 (35)

PALM SUNDAYMK 11:1-10 or JN 12:12-16 (37)
IS 50:4-7
PHIL 2:6-11
MK 14:1-15:47 or 15:1-39 (38)**SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK****SUNDAY - MARCH 18**

8:00a.m.-4:00p.m. - Parish Retreat (Church/Chapel)

MONDAY - MARCH 19

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

TUESDAY - MARCH 20

7:00 p.m. - Bible Study

WEDNESDAY - MARCH 21

3:00p.m. - Youth Bell Choir

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

7:00p.m. - Adult Bell Choir

THURSDAY - MARCH 22

1:30p.m. - Living 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 23

5:00-9:00p.m. - Tricky Tray (Marian Inn)

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

SATURDAY - MARCH 24

1:00-8:00p.m. - Tricky Tray (Marian Inn)

SUNDAY - MARCH 25

8:00a.m.-2:00p.m. - Tricky Tray (Marian Inn)

2:00p.m. - Wedding Workshop (Church)

7:00p.m. - Lenten Penance Service**REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS**

Mary Jane Fertal, Robert Dunnigan, Tim Salabsky, Jesse Salabsky, Corinne Ianelli, Susan Bauer, Theresa Spevak, Joel Rivera, Dorothy Pavlinski, Baby Layla, Ron Makos, Baby Avia, William Benzak, Terry & Al Bruch, Sylvia Klepeis, Anne Gerber, Dolores Steffie, Maryann Wolfe, Baby Wyatt Sheffield, James Kotlik, Elizabeth Martlock, Jenna Bodiford, Eugene Berg, John J. Jordan, Rose Lichtenwalner, Dorothy Midash, Joseph & Kathleen Lippert, Pat Rick, 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: **Joe Martin, & Don Pulley, Sr.** 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 **February**, including Electronic Giving: **\$21,916.38**. We thank you for your support. May God bless you for your kindness.

PARISH EASTER EGG HUNT

Saturday, March 24th, at 11:30a.m., in the courtyard between the Church and the School. (Ages 1-10). **See bulletin insert for registration form!**

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!

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, tours. Breakfasts & dinners included each day. Deluxe motor coach, baggage handling, taxes/gratuities. For reservations call Tom (484-456-6818) or June (484-767-8669).

YOUTH GROUP CORNER

JUNIOR HIGH THEOLOGY OF THE BODY PARENT MEETING: March 20th, 7pm, at the Youth Group House.

EASTER EGG STUFFING: Thursday, March 22nd, from 6-7:30p.m., at the Youth Group House.

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.

TRIDUUM RETREAT

Monday, March 19th, 6:45-9:00p.m., at St. Francis Center for Renewal (395 Bridle Path Rd., Bethlehem). Offering: \$25. Deposit: \$15. Pre-registration required. Call: 610-867-8890.

MASSES FOR THE WEEK**MONDAY, MARCH 19 - ST. JOSEPH**

6:45a.m. - John Dunn - Saldutti Family

8:00a.m. - Dec'd. Of Derlunas/Zawarski Family - Family

7:00p.m. - Tracey Sielski - Jean Kinhead**TUESDAY, MARCH 20 - LENTEN WEEKDAY**

6:45a.m. - Bernard Bankowski - Wife, Marie

& Msgr. Morrison (Int.) - Mullins Family

8:00a.m. - M. Victoria Karson - GNO

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21 - LENTEN WEEKDAY

6:45a.m. - Marion Donohue - Millie Hudak

8:00a.m. - Margit Ertl - Tibor Makos

7:00p.m. - James Miller - Joel & MaryAnne**THURSDAY, MARCH 22 - LENTEN WEEKDAY**

6:45a.m. - Francis John Marshall - Bill Mullins

8:00a.m. - Joan B. Warrelmann - M/M Jose Simoes

FRIDAY, MARCH 23 - LENTEN WEEKDAY

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

8:45a.m. - Alexander & Elizabeth Trotsky - Joann Trotsky

SATURDAY, MARCH 24 - LENTEN WEEKDAY

8:00a.m. - Laura Berger - M/M John Brown

5:00p.m. - Judy Oliver - OLPH Ladies Group

& Anthony Noto - Dot & Bob Straub

SUNDAY, MARCH 25 - PALM SUNDAY

7:30a.m. - William Lebers - Dr./Mrs. Ronald Curry

9:00a.m. - Arthur Donohue, Sr. - Katie Kislow

& Stan Majewski - Mary Ann Kelemen

10:30a.m. - Joseph Murphy - Family

& Anthony Zullo - Family

12:00noon - Mary Elizabeth Foster - Shad Barry

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.

WEDDING CONGRATULATIONS

Best wishes from our parish family to M/M Robert Kirk, who were married here at OLPH during the month of March.

OLPH SCHOOL MEMORIAL

A donation has been received in memory of **Marion Donohue** requested by M/M Patrick Murphy. We pray for these people on a daily basis, but most especially when we come together, as a school community, to celebrate the Liturgy on Friday mornings.

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

Friday, March 23rd (5:00-9:00pm), Saturday, March 24th (1:00-8:00pm), & Sunday, March 25th (8:00am-2:00pm), in the Marian Inn. Drawings begin 2:15pm, on Sunday. You need not be present to win.

*Tickets: On sale in the Gathering Space, after all Masses, this weekend! (\$5 for a sheet of 25/one door prize ticket). Check out our Ticket Bundles (save \$25/Big Ticket & Grand Prize tickets)

Food sold throughout the weekend, including a Lenten menu on Friday night. Big Ticket and 50/50 Specials, 1:00-4:00p.m. on Sat., March 24th. Check out the wonderful prizes including Disney Hopper passes, local sporting events tickets, & more! Come join us for fun, excitement, & if you're lucky, prizes!

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!

KEYS TO LIFE: EASTER HERE & NOW

March 23rd-25th at St. Francis Retreat House, Easton, PA. Guest Speaker: Fr. Bernard Ezaki. Featured talks by Fr. Kevin Bobbin. Cost: \$215 for the weekend. Register by March 12th (checks made out to St. Anne Church). Info: call Fidelia at St. Anne Church (610-867-5039)

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!

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

Everyone, great and small, will have God's law written in their hearts, and their sins forgiven.

The Lord reaches out once again to His people. God, ever faithful, extends His hand to those who break the covenant. No longer depending on prophets to communicate, under the new covenant each individual will know God's law, His love, His mercy. God's personal invitation calls for a personal response. Will we receive it?