

THE WORD OF GOD**SIXTH ORDINARY SUNDAY**

JER 17:5-8
1 COR 15:12, 16-20
LK 6:17, 20-26 (78)

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

DT 26:4-10
ROM 10:8-13
LK 4:1-13 (24)

SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK**SUNDAY - FEBRUARY 14**

Palm Burning Ceremony - During Noon Mass
6:00-7:30 p.m. - Sr. Youth Group
7:00 P.M. - RCIA

MONDAY - FEBRUARY 15 - President's Day Observed

SCHOOL CLOSED
PARISH OFFICE CLOSED
4:30-5:45 p.m. - **NO** REP Classes
7:00 p.m. - Prayer Group

TUESDAY - FEBRUARY 16

4:30-5:30 p.m. - REP Youth Choir
6:00-7:30p.m. - Jr. High Youth Group
7:00 p.m. - Adult Bible Study
6:30 p.m. - **NO** Grief Support Group (Chapel)
7:00 p.m. Weight Watchers Meeting (7th gr. classroom)
7:00-8:30 p.m. - First Communion Parent Meeting

WEDNESDAY - FEBRUARY 17 - ASH WEDNESDAY

7:15 a.m. - Walkaerobics
3:00 p.m. - **NO** Children's Bell Choir
6:00-7:00 p.m. - REP Classes
6:45 p.m. - **NO** Adult Bell Choir
7:00 p.m. - Mass
Adult & Contemporary Choirs - After Mass

THURSDAY - FEBRUARY 18

3:00 p.m. - **NO** Children's Choir
4:30-5:30 p.m. - REP Classes
6:30 p.m. - **NO** Contemporary Choir
6:45 p.m. - Cantor Workshop
7:30 p.m. - Adult Choir

FRIDAY - FEBRUARY 19

7:15 a.m. - Walkaerobics

SATURDAY - FEBRUARY 20

3:30 p.m. - First Reconciliation

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Pray for: Jeff Salabsky, James Hassett, Dolores Lengyel, Dawn Suarez, Barbara Zito, Ken Groh, Tammy Nelson, Marie Pologruto, Herman Gies, Matthew Kocsis, Louis Romanell, Bernard Bankowski, Maryann Adams, Mike Bedics, Matthew Medei Sr., Winnie Erdman, Patricia Pasda, Barbara Steager, Robert Varas, George Mitcho, Josephine Betsch, Joan McDevitt, Claire Kenna, Mary Piechota, Louise Sanita, Pauline Kopinga, Adam Recke, Virginia Riofski, Bob & Margaret Sladics, Filomena Bachman, Theresa Fornito, and Eric Gubich. Remember the deceased members of our Parish family: **Timothy Hogan**, and **Daniel Megenhardt** who died recently. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Sunday Collection amounted to **\$23,250.00**. As you know, total disbursements last year amounted to \$1,916,066.98. We ask that you share 5% of your weekly income with our parish, we thank you for your generous support. May God bless you.

OLPH FOOD BANK

'Thank You' to all who have been donating food. If you or someone you know is in need of food, call 610-867-8409 x26, or e-mail Carol at olphrep@rcn.com.

REP NEWS**SUMMER SESSION: 2010**

5th & 6th Gr. - June 21st through June 25th, 2010
AND July 19th through July 23rd, 2010
7th & 8th Gr. - June 28th through July 2nd, 2010
AND July 26th through July 30th, 2010

Students MUST attend both weeks for their respective grades, from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL:

Dates for Vacation Bible School are **July 12th - 16th, 2010**, from 8:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon.

Info: Carol at (610-867-8409 x26) or olphrep@rcn.com

HEALTH MINISTRY

LIFE LINE SCREENING: This Monday, in the Marian Inn. Screenings are fast, painless, & convenient. **Pre-registration is required** - please call (1-800-324-1851).

SHARECARE'S ANNUAL AUCTION: (April) Items are needed to fill theme baskets. Needed items are written on paper hearts, on a table in the Gathering Space. **If you can help, take a tag & bring back item by Feb. 28th.** Your help is appreciated!

GIVING UP HURTS FOR LENT: Our Parish "Healing Tree" will stand in the Gathering Space during Lent. It is a reminder of the barrenness of our lives when we do nothing to repair abandoned, desolate relationships. It is also a call to forgive, reach out, and make amends. Follow the printed directions near the tree & use one of the paper blossoms. In doing so, you can bring life back to the tree & your life. This will help us draw nearer to Our Lord as we prepare for the season of Easter!

OUR LADY'S HEALTH FAIR: Sunday, April 18th, 8:15 a.m. - 1:30 p.m., in the Marian Inn. Mark your calendars!!

OLPH FELLOWSHIP GROUP

TRIP TO VERMONT: **May 17-20, 2010.** Bus leaves OLPH parking lot at 8:00a.m. Cost: \$470-Single, \$432-Double, \$425-Triple (includes Full Breakfasts/Dinners, and all Side Trips & Shows, Taxes & Gratuity). For more information, please call Tom or Kathy DiSante at 610-866-8723.

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 15 - WEEKDAY

9:00 a.m. - Julia Duro - Betty Rostkowski

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 16 - WEEKDAY

6:45 a.m. - MASS FOR THE PEOPLE

8:00 a.m. - Dec'd. of the Derlunas Family - Family

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 17 - ASH WEDNESDAY

*6:45 a.m. - Ainsley Blair - Russell Blair

*8:45 a.m. - Jean Weiss - James & Anne Adams

*12:00 noon - Anthony J. Oravec - The Petrilla Family

*7:00 p.m. - Vincent Bolcar - Joseph Spisak Family

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 18 - LENTEN WEEKDAY

6:45 a.m. - James Gagliano - M/M Michael Toohey

8:00 a.m. - The People of Haiti - Cecile Montfort

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 19 - LENTEN WEEKDAY

6:45 a.m. - Dolores Lee - Friends

8:00 a.m. - Vincent Bolcar - M/M Sal Guastella

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 20 - LENTEN WEEKDAY

8:00 a.m. - Karen Moyer - Saldutti Family

5:00 p.m. - Sheila Bast - Bob & Sue Fulton

SUN., FEBRUARY 21 - FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

7:30 a.m. - James Brandt - Beth & Bruce Dague

9:00 a.m. - Joan Wernickie - Lee & Barbara Tuscher

10:30a.m. - Dolores Dietz - Friends

12:00 p.m. - James H. Munion - The Mahan Family

*Ashes Distributed DURING Mass

YOUTH GROUP CORNER

JR. HIGH: Meet: Tues, 6-7:30p.m. New members welcome!

SR. HIGH: Meet: Sun., 6-7:30p.m. New members welcome!
Small Group begins February 24th!

JR/SR HIGH: Keep checking e-mails & bulletin for details about Wii Olympic Night, Coffee House, Movie Night & Mother/Daughter Tea!

PRAYER TEAM: Please be praying for regular meetings, small group bible study, Mother/Daughter Tea, Special Events, and all new members!

Joey Moser (610-867-8409x25) or jomandi27@yahoo.com

OLPH SCHOOL AND STUDENT NEWS

It's not too early to register for the 2010-11 school year!
Openings in K, 2, 6, & 7th grades. See school brochure at www.olphbeth.org. Call 610-868-6570 to arrange a visit/pick up a registration packet.

As **Catholic Schools Week** has come to a close, the school thanks all the parishioners for their continued support! Students & families raised money for the Holy Childhood Association, and Catholic Relief Fund through Bingo & Mission Mardi Gras!

BOX TOPS & CAMPBELL'S LABELS for Education fundraising programs: With combined efforts of the School & Parish, we have earned **\$788 cash** (Box Tops) and **9962 points** (labels)! Thanks for your ongoing support!

TIP: Neatly clip the Box Top coupons & Campbell's product UPC's (bar codes) to reduce processing time. Thanks!

***Box Tops:** Clip the pink Box Top coupons - discard expired coupons (we can't submit them).

***Labels:** Clip the product UPC's & save V8 drink caps

Please turn in your coupons, UPC's, and caps to the collection bin in the Gathering Space by Feb. 21st. Questions, contact Lisa Tomko at 610-614-0923.

"OLPH COUNTLESS BLESSINGS"

Total sales for the weekend of 2/13-/2/14/10 were **\$3,840**. Total profit Giant sales - \$246, all other stores - \$55.65. Thanks to all who participate in this program. Next Special Order: 2/21 (pick up following weekend in Parish Library before all Masses). Questions, call: Suzanne (484-226-7375) or Steph (484-226-7372). Profits go directly to the Parish.

CYO NEWS

THINK SPRING!: Golf Tournament, **July 16th**.

COACH CHARITY GAME: OLPH coaches will play St. Anne's coaches for donations for LV Autism, Sun., Feb. 21st, at 7:00p.m., at St. Anne's gymnasium. Please support this event!

PARISH CRUISE

August 29 - September 5, 2010. Enjoy a seven day cruise to Bermuda departing from New York, on Holland America's "M. S. Veendam." Questions, call Susan Bauer at 610-838-6464.

BETHLEHEM CATHOLIC PRESENTS "NUNSENSE"

In the Richard B. Culver Performing Arts Center, 2133 Madison Avenue, Bethlehem, Feb. 19th & 20th, at 7:00 p.m., & on Feb. 21st at 2:00p.m. Tickets available at the main office or at the door. Adults: \$12, Students & Seniors: \$10.

BACKGROUND CHECKS FOR ALL VOLUNTEERS

The Diocese of Allentown requests that all those who volunteer in any capacity that brings them in contact with children **MUST** do a background check! **IT IS NOW TIME THAT ALL BACKGROUND CHECKS BE RENEWED (Whether done (5) years ago or only a few months ago!). Please contact Carol Salabsky at 610-867-8409 x26. ANYONE NOT RE-DOING THE BACKGROUND CHECKS WILL NOT BE ABLE TO CONTINUE VOLUNTEERING!**

MASS SCHEDULE

February 20	5:00 p.m.....Msgr. Morrison
February 21	7:30 a.m.....Msgr. Sacks
	9:00 a.m.....Msgr. Sacks
	10:30 a.m.....Fr. Bremsinger
	12:00 p.m.....Fr. Bremsinger

(Schedule Subject to Change)