

THE WORD OF GOD**FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT**

JOS 5:9a, 10-12
2 COR 5:17-21
LK 15:1-3, 11-32 (31)

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

IS 43:16-21
PHIL 3:8-14
JN 8:1-11 (34)

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

Home/School Easter Flower Sale - After All Masses

10:30 a.m. - Scrutinies

6:00-7:30 p.m. - Sr. Youth Group

7:00 P.M. - RCIA

MONDAY - MARCH 15

4:30-5:45 p.m. - REP Classes

6:30 p.m. - Confirmation Practice

7:00 p.m. - Prayer Group

TUESDAY - MARCH 16

4:30 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. - Grief Support Group (Chapel)

6:30 p.m. - Contemporary Choir

7:00 p.m. Weight Watchers Meeting (7th gr. classroom)

7:00 p.m. - **NO** Job Transition Support Group

7:00 p.m. - Adult Choir

WEDNESDAY - MARCH 17

7:15 a.m. - Walkaerobics

12:00-1:00 p.m. - Adoration & Confession

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

THURSDAY - MARCH 18

4:30 p.m. - CONFIRMATION

FRIDAY - MARCH 19

7:15 a.m. - Walkaerobics

6:00-7:00 p.m. - Adoration & Confessions

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

7:00 p.m. - 8th Grade Dance

SATURDAY - MARCH 20

BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING - After Mass

Cub Scout Bake Sale

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

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

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Sunday Collection amounted to **\$25,596.42**. 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.

IMPORTANT DATES:

MARCH 23 (6:30p.m.) Marian Inn: Registration for 5th, 6th, & 7th grade Religious Education Program. **NO** registration forms will be given out before this meeting!

APRIL 6 (6:30p.m.) Marian Inn: Parent Meeting & Registration for upcoming Confirmation Class. **MANDATORY** for OLPH School parents & Religious Education parents! Confirmation requirements will be explained & packets given out.

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

HEALTH MINISTRY

WEIGHT WATCHERS PROGRAM: The current 8-week program will end on March 16th. Provided there are 15 participants, a new program will start on Tuesday, March 23rd. Cost: \$80/8 weeks. Meetings are held at 7:00p.m. in the 7th gr. classroom of our school. The class leader will be available for registration & weigh-in at 6:30p.m. Advance registration is not necessary. If interested, call Beth (610-867-8409 x15) for info.

HOLD THAT MOLD!: Some molds are safe, some harmful. Throw out moldy bread & grain products, as well as moldy meats, nuts, peanut butter, soft cheese, yogurt, jams, syrups, applesauce, leftovers, and soft fruit such as melons or peaches. Discard small fruits if moldy. If a few berries are moldy it's okay to eat the rest, but look them over carefully.

It's okay to cut a small area of mold out of a large, hard fruit or vegetable, such as an apple, potato, cauliflower, or onion, but cut widely. It's also okay to cut mold off hard cheese, which has less moisture. Cut at least an inch away from the mold. Discard if very moldy. When in doubt, throw it out!

U C Berkeley Wellness Letter, March 2010

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY, MARCH 15 - LENTEN WEEKDAY

6:45 a.m. - Julia Duro - Szy Family
 8:00 a.m. - Dec'd. of the Derlunas Family - Family
 7:00 p.m. - Lou Owen - Tony Saldutti

TUESDAY, MARCH 16 - LENTEN WEEKDAY

6:45 a.m. - MASS FOR THE PEOPLE
 8:00 a.m. - Paula Ann Kacmarcik - Freedom H.S. Cafeteria

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 17 - LENTEN WEEKDAY

6:45 a.m. - Benedicta Cunningham - Family
 8:00.m. - Betty Kleinsorge (Ann.) - Sandy Magnes & Fam.
 7:00 p.m. - James Hassett (Int.) - Family

THURSDAY, MARCH 18 - LENTEN WEEKDAY

6:45 a.m. - James Ferry - Sister, Mary
 8:00 a.m. - Barbara Steager (Int.) - Anne M. Petrilla

FRIDAY, MARCH 19 - ST. JOSEPH

6:45 a.m. - Frank DiLorenzo - DiLorenzo Family
 8:45 a.m. - Stanley Krutsick - The Pohl Family

SATURDAY, MARCH 20 - LENTEN WEEKDAY

8:00 a.m. - Baby Angel Joy Kakarla - Carol Sadowski
 5:00 p.m. - Msgr. David Morrison (Int.) - Parish Staff

SUNDAY, MARCH 21 - FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

7:30 a.m. - M/M Andrew Oravec - Joe & Ginny Guman
 *9:00 a.m. - Joan Wernickie - Thomas Donohue
 10:30a.m. - Dec. Mike McGouldrick - Wife & Family
 12:00 p.m. - Yolanda Gotzon - Connie McCauley

***Signed Mass for the Hearing Impaired**

OLPH FELLOWSHIP GROUP

TRIP TO VILLA ROMA NEW YORK RESORTS: Sept. 21-24, 2010. Bus leaves OLPH parking lot at 9:00a.m. Cost: \$520-Single, \$440-Double, \$420-Triple (includes Full Breakfast/Lunch, Dinners, Shows, Taxes & Gratuity). For more information, please call Tom or Kathy DiSante at 610-866-8723.

YOUTH GROUP CORNER

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

SR. HIGH: Regular meetings resume on March 21st!

JR/SR HIGH: March 21st: penance service...join us in our youth group room (6-7p.m.) for an examination of conscience before the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

2010 HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES: Our special graduation Mass will take place on May 23rd, at 7:00p.m.

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

Stations of the Cross: Thurs, during Lent, at 2:15p.m. Parishioners are welcome to join us for Living Stations 3/25 at 1:45pm
 3/11: Gr. 5 went to NDHS for a Drug & Alcohol Awareness Program.

3/11: Students learned about stars & constellations in an inflatable planetarium at our Sky Dome Assembly.

Girl Scouts thank our parishioners for supporting their annual cookie sale. Also, enough money was raised to send 127 boxes to overseas US Troops!

Registrations for the 2010-11 school year: Call 610-868-6570 & check out our brochure at www.olphbeth.org

"OLPH COUNTLESS BLESSINGS"

Total sales for the weekend of 3/6-3/7/10 were **\$5,745**. Total profit Giant sales - \$420, all other stores - \$79.10. Thanks to all who participate in this program. Next Special Order: 3/21 (pick up following weekend in Parish Library). We also have Lowe's certificates (\$25), while supplies last! Questions, call: Suzanne (484-226-7375) or Steph (484-226-7372). All profits go directly to the Parish. Please give this program a try!

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.

17TH ANNUAL TRICKY TRAY GIFT RAFFLE

Fri., **March 26th** (6:00-9:00 p.m.), Sat., **March 27th** (11:00a.m.-8:00p.m.), & Sun, **March 28th** (8:00a.m.-3:00p.m.), in the Marian Inn. Drawings begin Sun., at 3:15p.m. You do not need to be present to win. Drop off advance ticket orders after every Mass this weekend & next. Tickets: \$5/sheet of 25. Special: Buy 5 sheets, get one free until March 21st! Delicious food sold throughout the weekend (Lenten menu Friday). **On Sat., bring the kids for free popcorn, Movie Trivia, and Face Painting from 12:00noon-3:00p.m.** Come join us!

EASTER FLOWER FUNDRAISER

OLPH students will be selling a variety of flowers in the Gathering Space this weekend & next. Cost: \$6 for a 6" pot. Pick up flowers 3/26 in the Gathering Space (3:00-6:00p.m.). All proceeds support our school. Have a blessed Easter Season!

BACKGROUND CHECKS FOR ALL VOLUNTEERS

IT IS TIME THAT ALL BACKGROUND CHECKS BE RENEWED Contact Carol Salabsky at 610-867-8409 x26. **ANYONE NOT RE-DOING BACKGROUND CHECKS WILL NOT BE ABLE TO CONTINUE VOLUNTEERING!**

MASS SCHEDULE

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

(Schedule Subject to Change)