

THE WORD OF GOD**THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD**

IS 40:1-5

TI 2:11-14; 3:4-7

LK 3:15-16, 21-22 (21)

SECOND ORDINARY SUNDAY

IS 62:1-5

1 COR 12:4-11

JN 2:1-11 (66)

SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK***7:25a.m. - Recitation of the Rosary (Mon-Sat; Chapel)****SUNDAY - JANUARY 13**

6:30p.m. - RCIA (Chapel)

MONDAY - JANUARY 14

1:30p.m. - OLPH Fellowship Group Meeting

TUESDAY - JANUARY 15

6:00-7:30p.m. - Sr. High Into the Deep

7:00 p.m. - Bible Study

WEDNESDAY - JANUARY 163:00p.m. **NO** Youth Bell Choir7:00p.m. - **NO** Adult Bell Choir**THURSDAY - JANUARY 17**

9:00a.m. - Prayer Group (Chapel)

3:00p.m. - School Choir

4:30p.m. - REP Classes

5:30p.m. - REP Choir

6:30p.m. - Sounds of Joy

7:00pm- Adult Choir

FRIDAY - JANUARY 18

6:00-7:00p.m. - Youth Group Holy Hour (Chapel)

SATURDAY - JANUARY 19

Girl Scout Cookie Sale - After Mass

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Ray Murphy Sr., Tim Salabsky, Laurie Kelly, Mary Lawrence, Anne Gerber, Dorothy Pavlinski, Baby Layla, Paul Enright Sr., Baby Avia, Matthew Reese, Sylvia Klepeis, Elizabeth Martlock, John J. Jordan, Michele Pierzga, Robert Dunnigan, Rusty Krajczar, Bob Walker, James Kotlik, Ann Marie Janders, Nancy Flounders, Rose Lichtenwalner, Dorothy Midash, Loretta Granger, Eileen DalSasso, Doris Roscioli, Larry Mancino, Rose Jackson, Michael Cunningham, Pucci Family, Dolores Lengyel, and Adam Recke. Remember the deceased members of our parish family: **Jean Munson, Bernadine Tarola & Mary Ann Wolfe**. 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 **December**, including Electronic Giving: **\$22,199.00**. We thank you for your support. May God bless you for your kindness.

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!

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

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 2019: We will be going on the "Vatican Express" **July 8-12, 2019**. Children will hear stories of St. Jerome, St. Peter, the Swiss Guard, & of course, Pope Francis. We will have fun learning all about the Vatican! For more info, please contact Carol.

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

OLPH FELLOWSHIP GROUP

Open to all 55+. Meets 2nd & 4th Mondays, 1:30pm, in the Marian Inn. George (610-868-0044), Tom (484-456-6818).

TRIP: Villa Roma Resorts: June 25th-28th. Three meals daily, shows, bingo, indoor/outdoor swimming pools, DJ for dancing. Cost: \$505pp/double, \$595pp/single (bus, gratuities, taxes incl.) Call Tom (484-456-6818) or June (484-767-8669).

TRIP: Wildwood Crest, NJ; El Coronado Hotel: Sept. 8-12th. Cost: \$470/pp, dbl. (Includes bus, 4 breakfasts, 3 dinners, pizza night). Cape May Zoo, Cape May Winery, Resort Casino. Call: Tom (484-456-6818) or June (484-767-8669).

OLPH LADIES GROUP

REMINDER: There will be NO January or February meetings! Have a happy & healthy New Year!

YOUTH GROUP CORNER

SPRING CALENDAR: Keep an eye on our bulletin board in the Gathering Space for upcoming events. Many fun things planned including: Poker & Pampering Kickoff, Family events, Movie Nights, Senior High Theology of the Body, A Woman's Lenten Book Club and much, much more!!

JANUARY SERVICE PROJECT: All 6th-12th graders are invited to join us for a morning of games with the residents of Country Meadows, Sat., January 26th, from 10:00-11:45am. **Permission forms are needed!

**Check us out on social media @*olphyouthgroup*
Joey Moser (610-867-8409x25) joey.moser@my-olph.org

OLPH SCHOOL AND STUDENT NEWS

*Open to children, grades K-8. For more info/schedule a tour, call us at 610-868-6570 or visit www.olphbeth.org

*Applications for the 2019-20 school year now accepted.

MASSES FOR THE WEEK**MONDAY, JANUARY 14 - WEEKDAY**

6:45a.m. - Gertie Brita - M/M Bernie Tarola

8:00a.m. - Linda Haluska - M/M Rob Zampella

TUESDAY, JANUARY 15 - WEEKDAY

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

8:00a.m. - Deacon William Wagner - Wife

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 16 - WEEKDAY

6:45a.m. - M/M Louis Gazitano - Family

8:00a.m. - Darrun Hilliard (Int.) - Mary Louise Kaufmann

THURSDAY, JANUARY 17 - ST. ANTHONY

6:45a.m. - Anita Memet (Int.) - M/M Mento

8:00a.m. - Msgr. Joseph Dooley - Katie & Friends

FRIDAY, JANUARY 18 - WEEKDAY

6:45a.m. - Tommathew Thomas - Wife, & Family

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

SATURDAY, JANUARY 19 - WEEKDAY

8:00a.m. - Richard Weidman - M/M John Bordick

5:00p.m. - James Saltry - Family

& Donald Pulley, Sr. - Bill & Mary Mullins

SUNDAY JANUARY 20 - SECOND ORDINARY SUN.

7:30a.m. - Russell Schlauch - Wife

9:00a.m. - Stephen Magee - Sewell Family

& Hollis Mitchell - Family

10:30a.m. - Lidia Cavalli - John & Paul Cavalli

12:00noon - Gertie Brita - Lucille Kozsey

CHILDREN'S 2019 ENVELOPES

Can be picked up at the Parish Center anytime during regular business hours (M-F: 8am-12noon, 1-6pm).

WARM COATS NEEDED!

Christopher Santos, Chaplain at Northampton County Corrections, is in need of warm coats for the male & female prisoners he shepherds. If you have any adult sized coats that you feel you can donate (especially larger sizes), please contact Tony Saldutti (610-533-2711 or tsaldutti99@gmail.com), or leave them in the container in front of the bulletin board in the Gathering Space.

OLPH MARCH FOR LIFE BUS TRIP

Seats for the OLPH March for Life bus trip to Washington D.C. (January 18, 2019) are still available on a first-come, first-served basis. Cost: \$20/per adult; \$10/per student. Bus leaves parish parking lot at 7:30am & arrives back around 9pm. Info: Tony Saldutti: 610-533-2711 / tsaldutti99@gmail.com

RETROUVILLE

Is your marriage going down the right road...or is it a little off track? Life can be difficult, and so can the challenges you face in marriage. Retrouvaille (retro-VIE) can help, and offers hope for a better relationship. Retrouvaille is a peer ministry of volunteer couples who can help you re-awaken the love, trust, and commitment that originally brought you together, just as they

have done in their own marriages. Retrouvaille can help heal your marriage. The next program begins the weekend of February 8-10, 2019, at the Family Life Center in Malvern, PA. Additional weekends will be held in April & August. For more info, or to register for one of the weekends, please visit the website: www.HelpOurMarriage.org or call 1-800-470-2230. All inquiries are kept strictly confidential.

CHRISTIAN BURIAL IN A CATHOLIC CEMETERY

For Christian Burial, please contact Holy Saviour Cemetery at 610-866-2372, or Resurrection Cemetery at 610-395-3819.

WEDDING CONGRATULATIONS

Our best wishes go out to M/M James Chrismer and M/M Christopher Shoemaker who were married at OLPH during the month of December.

PORK & SAUERKRAUT DINNER

Sat., Jan. 20th, from 1-4pm, in the Marian Inn. Admission: PRE-PAID ONLY! (Adults: \$10; Children 5 & up: \$5). Menu: Pork, Sauerkraut, Potatoes, Green Beans, Roll, Coffee, Tea, Iced Tea, Desserts. Tickets sold after all Masses. **Takeout available!** Questions: Suzanne Skinner (610-865-2835).

PARISH MEMBERSHIP

New families/singles moving into the area, families/singles who attend our parish, young adults (age 21 or older) living with parents or on their own, that are within our boundaries and are not registered, should register as soon as possible. Membership in the parish is important for occasions such as sacramental reception, or when a sponsor certificate (certificate of eligibility) is needed. You can register with the parish by calling the Parish Center (610-867-8409: M-F). **Note: Young adults living on a college campus must obtain sponsor certificates from the church or campus chapel where they attend Mass while away at school.** Any adult 21 years of age or older must be receiving their own envelopes to be considered a member (not considered to be a member under parents membership!).

THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

God's saving grace is found in Jesus Christ.

It is easy to forget the tremendous blessings we enjoy because of God's love for us - perhaps even taking them for granted. It is good to spend time with Scripture, and at Mass, thanking God for His never-ending love. We are reminded in word and sacrament that God's saving grace is found in Jesus Christ.