

# *Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church*

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***“Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself, take up his cross, and follow me.”***

Matthew 16:24

## **22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**August 31, 2014**

### **PASTORAL STAFF**

**Pastor:** Rev. Msgr. Joseph DeGrocco

**Parochial Vicars:** Rev. Ethel Anarado + Rev. John Sureau

**Pastor Emeritus:** Rev. Msgr. Daniel S. Hamilton

**Deacons:** Deacon Frank A. Odin + Deacon William Crosby + Deacon Douglas G. Smith

**Business Manager:** Deacon Thomas J. Bast

**Coordinator of Faith Formation:** April Kleinlaut

**Music Director:** Christopher Ferraro

### **COME IN AND PRAY...**

Our church is open **6:00 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.** seven days a week, except for Thursdays when it closes after the 12:15 p.m. Mass for cleaning.  
Come in and spend some time in prayer.

### **MASS SCHEDULE**

**Monday – Friday**

6:30 a.m. and 12:15 p.m.

**Saturday Morning:** 8:00 a.m.

**Saturday Vigil:** 5:00 p.m.

**Sunday Masses:** 6:30 a.m., 8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m.,  
11:00 a.m., 12:30 p.m. & 5:00 p.m.

### **HOLY DAY MASS SCHEDULE**

**Vigil:** 5:00 p.m.

**Holy Day:** 6:30 a.m., 12:15 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.

### **LITURGY OF THE HOURS**

We pray Evening Prayer each Saturday and Sunday  
after the 5 p.m. Mass.

We pray Daytime Prayer each Wednesday  
at 1:50 p.m.

### **SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**

Monday – Friday following the 12:15 p.m. Mass.  
Saturday: 4:00 to 4:45 p.m.

*The Sacrament of Reconciliation is always available by making an appointment with one of our priests.*

### **OLPH NOVENA DEVOTIONS**

Monday evenings at 7:00 p.m. in the Church  
(unless otherwise announced)

### **ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**

**Monday Evening:** after OLPH Novena Devotions  
**Wednesday:** 12:45 to 2:00 p.m.  
**First Sunday:** 7:00 to 8:00 p.m.  
**First Saturday:** 8:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m.

### **PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

*210 S. Wellwood Avenue, Lindenhurst*

**Monday- Friday:** 9:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.  
**Saturday:** 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.  
**Sunday:** 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

# SUMMER EVENING PRAYER



Our final Summer Evening Prayer brought us first to the BBQ Table for a delicious meal hosted by our Knights of Columbus. Then we journeyed to the

## TABLE FOR FIVE...THOUSAND!

### The Miracle of the Loaves and Fishes

where our young people showed us the power  
of God's love in prayer, song and dance!

The people came, they saw, they ate.

All were MORE than satisfied.

(More pictures found on page 21.)



## THE PASTOR'S PAGE

### **Thank you, Fr. Iffio!**

We take this opportunity to thank Fr. Iffio Iyang, who was with us as a summer helping priest for approximately five weeks through July and August. We appreciate his coming to OLPH to help us out, as his presence provided assistance while Fr. John, Fr. Ethel and I took vacation at various times.

Fr. Iffio arrived while I was away, so I was not able to introduce him at that time; if you will pardon this "after-the-fact" introduction, I'll be happy to mention that Fr. Iffio is a priest from Nigeria and is a member of the religious order of the Missionary Society of St. Paul, an indigenous congregation in Nigeria. Fr. Iffio is the Secretary General of the Congregation and also teaches in their missionary seminary.

As several of you have mentioned to me, Fr. Iffio was a wonderful addition to our parish this summer, and I am very grateful for his presence and his priestly ministry. He finished his time with us this past Monday, but I have extended an open invitation to him to return for future summers if he wishes.

### **Knights of Columbus Installation of Officers**

This coming Saturday night, September 6, the Knights of Columbus will hold their Installation of Officers in the church, immediately following the 5:00 p.m. Mass. This is an important occasion for the Knights, and I am pleased and honored to continue to be their Chaplain. OLPH enjoys a wonderful relationship with the Knights of Columbus, and time and time again the Knights offer their time, resources and financial assistance to support the parish.

I offer my congratulations to all the K of C officers being installed, especially to the incoming Grand Knight, Phil Renna, Jr. Special thanks also go to John Reynolds, the outgoing Grand Knight, as I thank him for a wonderful working relationship over the past two years. The Knights and their good works will continue to be in my prayers.

### **Liturgical Minister Training**

Our recruitment of new liturgical ministers continues! I ask everyone to take this call seriously and to recognize that NOW is the time for you to

step forward to offer your service if you are not already serving as a Reader, an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion or as an Usher (our recruitment of new altar servers will take place separately).

Week after week we come to the Sunday Eucharist seeking to be nourished not simply by our reception of Holy Communion, but by the entire experience of praying the ritual of the Mass together, in all its beauty and good order. All members of the liturgical assembly have the responsibility to one another to offer themselves 100% in that act of worship through their full, conscious and active participation in the responses, singing, gestures, and their inner attentiveness, focus, and prayerfulness. Beyond that participation, however, there is also the need for members of the assembly to step forward and offer themselves in service in a liturgical ministry.

By being a Reader, Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion or an Usher, you are not only serving the Lord, but also serving your brothers and sisters, and you are giving a wonderful witness of your love and concern for the liturgy, as liturgical ministers are needed for a full and proper celebration of the liturgy in its good order and beauty. You are not an "add-on" or an "extra" as though it does not really matter if you do this; it does matter, and we need you and want you!

Further information about becoming a Reader, Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion or an Usher can be found elsewhere in this bulletin. I strongly urge you to prayerfully come forward for one of these ministries, and if you are already a minister, please encourage someone you know to step forward.

### **Religious Formation of Children**

At this time of year, many peoples' thoughts turn to the start of a new school year, and of course in parish life we begin to focus on the beginning of another year of religious formation for our children.

As you know, our religious formation program involves a large number of children in levels 1-8. It is an extraordinary program that is very well-run by our Coordinator of Faith Formation, Mrs. April Kleinlaut. While textbook content and classroom learning are obviously a large part of

the program, it is also rightly much more than that — it is a true process of **formation** that seeks not only to impart knowledge, but to form the children in living the Christian life and shaping them into Catholics who are connected to the life of the parish. Along those lines, the program involves parents in many meetings and formation experiences, and formation experiences beyond the classroom are given to the children as well. The preparation to receive First Holy Communion is a two-year preparation process (Levels 1 and 2), and the preparation to receive Confirmation is a three-year preparation process (Levels 6, 7, 8). In all years throughout the program, participation in Sunday Eucharist is emphasized.

I cannot extend enough thanks to all the wonderful **catechists** who offer their time in our religious formation program. The offering you give of your time and the witness of your faith is a gift which cannot be measured, and we are all grateful to you.

At this time, we are still looking for **more catechists**. We heard witness talks last weekend at all the Masses describing the beautiful spiritual benefits to be obtained by offering this service. There really is nothing to be afraid of, since full support and training are given. I urge YOU to step forward to offer yourself as a **catechist** to teach our young people as you help them to come to know the Lord Jesus and share with them the beauty of our faith. You will be sharing the greatest gift of all!

On a related note, we are working hard to make sure that all families with children in grades 1-8 are connected to our parish religious formation program as they should be. Diocesan policy states that sacraments are to be celebrated in the home parish of the children, so it's important that we have the proper connection and lines of communication between the religious formation office and all families. April and I have already met with families who home school their children, and we will be meeting shortly with families who send their children to a Catholic elementary school. These families need to be a part of our parish religious formation program in the ways appropriate to them. If you home school your child and you were not aware of the meeting recently held, please contact me. If you have children in a Catholic elementary school, you will be hearing shortly about a meeting coming up; if for

some reason you think we may not be aware of you, please contact us and let us know.

### **Labor Day Weekend**

Well, I guess this is where we say with a modicum of disbelief, "*Labor Day weekend already??!!*" Indeed, this is Labor Day weekend, which, unfortunately, is the unofficial ending of the "summer season." I personally am a "summer person" and would not mind having the hot summer weather all year long (even though this summer on the whole has been quite moderate in temperature... not all that sultry and steamy!), so I lament, to a small degree, the transition into the cooler, and then colder, weather.

I hope you and your family have a happy, fun and relaxing Labor Day. As students at all levels return to school, let's keep all students and teachers in our prayers. As announced elsewhere in this bulletin, we'll be having a special blessing for students in two weeks.

### **In conclusion...**

Together, let's aim high in Christ. Together, let's bring out the best in each other. Together, let's be the best we can be in Christ.

And let's always remember: LOVE IS A GIFT.

Sincerely,

**In observation of**

**LABOR  
DAY**

**This Monday,  
September 1, 2014**



**OLPH Novena Devotions  
Will NOT BE CELEBRATED  
All parish offices  
will be closed.**

# FAITH FORMATION

## O.L.P.H. RELIGIOUS EDUCATION BOOK PICK-UP

Book pick-up for children in grades 1-8 already registered in Our Lady of Perpetual Help's Religious Education Program for 2013 - 2014 will be held beginning September 6<sup>th</sup>. One parent *must* come to the Religious Education Office to pick up the child's book and pay the annual family fee. Please see dates listed below:

**SEPTEMBER 6th, Saturday**

**9:00 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.**

**SEPTEMBER 8th, Monday**

**3:00 P.M. – 8:00 P.M.**

**SEPTEMBER 10th, Wednesday**

**3:00 P.M. – 8:00 P.M.**

**SEPTEMBER 11th, Thursday**

**9:00 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.**

**SEPTEMBER 12th, Friday**

**9:00 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.**

**SEPTEMBER 13th, Saturday**

**9:00 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.**

**SEPTEMBER 15th, Monday**

**3:00 P.M. – 8:00 P.M.**

**PLEASE NOTE:**

**OFFICE IS CLOSED ON TUESDAYS.**

**NO BOOK PICK-UP ON OPENING DAY OF CLASSES.**

**D**on't let anyone look down on you because you are young, but set an example for the believers in speech, in conduct, in love, in faith and in purity."

*1 Timothy 4:12*

**Are you in Grades 9 – 12?  
Do you desire to receive your  
Confirmation?**

No matter the reason why you have not received this sacrament, you are welcome to a Teen Faith Formation class beginning this Fall.

*Call the Faith Formation Office at (631)226-2384 or  
email ReligiousEd@OLOPH.org  
for more information.*

## **VIRTUS TRAINING CLASSES**

**TUESDAYS,  
SEPTEMBER 9<sup>TH</sup> & 30<sup>TH</sup>**

**7:00 PM IN ROOM 1**

**TRAINING IS REQUIRED  
FOR ALL PARISH OFFERERS  
IN ALL MINISTRIES.**

***Registration MUST be done online  
in advance of the date.***

Simply go to [drvc.org](http://drvc.org), then Protecting God's Children and to Virtus training schedule to find OLPH Lindenhurst.

# PRAYER AND WORSHIP

*Proclaiming God's Word...*

## READERS

Readers prepare and proclaim the Scriptures and the Intercessions at Sunday and daily liturgy. Women and men—from middle school to older adult—are welcome to be involved in this ministry. Lectors would serve approximately once or twice a month.

Training sessions will take place on:

**Saturday, September 20** 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.  
McGann Mercy HS

**Saturday, September 27** 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.  
Kellenberg Memorial HS

**Wednesday, October 15** 7:00 – 10:00 p.m.  
St. Elizabeth Parish, Melville

For more information, contact  
Robert Becker at 631-226-6175 or  
e-mail to [rabecker@optimum.net](mailto:rabecker@optimum.net).

*“...the liturgical proclamation of the word of God, especially in the Eucharistic assembly, is not so much a time for meditation and catechesis as a dialogue between God and his People, a dialogue in which the wonders of salvation are proclaimed and the demands of the Covenant are continually restated.”*

-Saint John Paul II,  
*Dies Domini*, 41

*Serving the Body of Christ...*

## EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

Soon the Diocese of Rockville Centre will be sponsoring training and formation days for women and men interested in being Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion.

### What does it take to be an Extraordinary Minister?

- Participation in Sunday Eucharist
- Commitment to serve two or three times a month
- Attendance at a Diocesan Training and parish training

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If you have other questions or are interested in becoming an Extraordinary Minister, please contact Barbara McPhail at 631.226-1354 or e-mail to [gospa254@gmail.com](mailto:gospa254@gmail.com) and send a letter to Msgr. Joe at the Parish Office or e-mail to [msgrjoe@olph.org](mailto:msgrjoe@olph.org).

## USHERS

Ushers serve an important role in the liturgy! They assist with taking up the collection, guiding people for the reception of Communion and welcoming those who visit our Church.

**New ushers are welcome! If you are interested in becoming an usher we will get you started! Men, women, teenagers and families are all welcome!** For more information, please contact the Parish Office at 631.226.7725 or send an e-mail to [olphushersministry@gmail.com](mailto:olphushersministry@gmail.com)

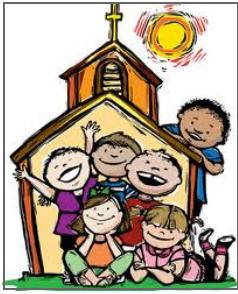


USHERS

## PRAYER AND WORSHIP

*Calling students of all ages...*

### **BLESSING OF STUDENTS**



**Next Sunday  
September 7  
ALL MASSES**

### **RECOMMITMENT OF LITURGICAL MINISTERS**

**Thursday, September 25,  
7:30 p.m.**

Recommitment of All Liturgical Ministers: Priests, Deacons, Readers, Altar Linen Crew, Environment Crew, Altar Servers, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Ushers, Cantors, Choir, Instrumentalists, Sacristans, Children's Liturgy of the Word Homilists, Readers and Shepherds, Ministry of Consolation EM's and Greeters, Wedding Rehearsal Ministry, RCIA.

### **Liturgy of the Hours EVENING PRAYER Every Saturday and Sunday**

What can any one of us accomplish on our own in 10 minutes? Probably not much.

What can **God** accomplish in 10 minutes? More than we could ever imagine!

In just 10 minutes, you can pray the same prayer the entire Church all over the world prays at the end of each day, thanking God for all His blessings, and praying for His peace to reign in our hearts, in our families, and in the world.

Join us for 10 minutes, for Evening Prayer, every Saturday and Sunday after the 5 pm Mass.

### **FIRST SATURDAY And FIRST SUNDAY DEVOTIONS**

*All are invited to come and pray with our parish community for First Friday, Saturday and Sunday devotions. If you have not come before, consider attending in the week ahead.*

**First Friday Devotions**—in honor of the Sacred Heart of Jesus - will be conducted Friday, September 5th, after the 6:30 A.M. and 12:15 P.M. Masses.

**First Saturday Devotions**—in honor of Our Lady of Fatima—will be conducted Saturday, September 6th beginning with the Rosary at 7:40 A.M., Mass at 8 A.M. and continued devotion following Mass. A continental breakfast will follow in the cafeteria.

Each month, all are invited to join the members of the Nocturnal Adoration Society for Eucharistic Adoration. **Adoration will be held on SATURDAY, Sept. 6th from 8:00 P.M. to 11:00 P.M.**

Reflecting the diverse community present at OLPH, each hour of the evening is celebrated in different languages (Spanish, Polish, then English). The evening concludes with Benediction at 11:00 P.M.

**First Sunday Devotions**—Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will take place next Sunday, **September 7** at 7:00 P.M. in the Church.

Please consider taking some time each **first Sunday evening** to pray with us.

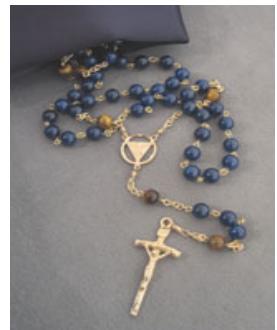
## Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Pray for Us!



# The Legion of Mary

**O.L.P.H. Praesidium**

Invites you to attend their  
Annual Legion Function  
Celebrating the Birthday of  
the Blessed Mother



**Saturday, September 13, 2014**  
**8 A.M. Mass**

**Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church**

**Refreshments after Mass in School Cafeteria**

*Our 10th Anniversary Celebrating*  
**The Feast of the Sorrowful Mother**

**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 15**  
**AT 6:30 P.M.**

**At OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP CHURCH**

*The Schedule for the Evening will be:*

- *Chanting the Stabat Mater*
- *The Seven Sorrows of our Blessed Mother*
- *The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass*
- *Reception of the Anointing of the Sick at Mass*
- *The Presentation of a rose to each child*

**Our pastor, Msgr. Joseph DeGrocco, will be the celebrant at  
this special Mass.**

*The intentions of this Mass will be for*  
**CHILDREN WHO ARE TERMINALLY ILL**  
**AND CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS**



*This beautiful devotion is for everyone and especially all mothers and all children in our parish and in our diocese. It helps us contemplate on how much our dear Mother Mary suffered and sacrificed for us all. It strengthens us in our own sufferings and teaches us how to unite our sufferings with Mary who will lead us into total union with her Son Jesus Christ.*

Please let us know if you plan on attending this Mass with your child by September 13.  
Call Linda Setti at 631-884-6892

# PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY

- + Catholics for the Freedom of Religion: Marie Foster—631.592.1509-[ripalda@optonline.net](mailto:ripalda@optonline.net)
- + Driving Ministry: Maureen Russo - 631.226.4182—[princessmorge@optonline.net](mailto:princessmorge@optonline.net)
- + Golden Age Society: Dolores Barone—631.957.3432
- + Hospital Visitors: Peter O'Neill - 631-226-6340—[oneillp@optonline.net](mailto:oneillp@optonline.net).
- + Middle Ages: Gail Tonnessen—631.957.1449—[gtonness@optonline.net](mailto:gtonness@optonline.net)
- + New Mother's Meal Ministry: Carol Stysiack - 631.255 3506 -[carolstys@verizon.net](mailto:carolstys@verizon.net)
- + Nursing Ministry: Regina Muir - 631.226.2709 - [rmuir11@aol.com](mailto:rmuir11@aol.com).
- + Respect Life Committee: Louise Perrotta - 631.412.3831—[louiseperrotta@optonline.net](mailto:louiseperrotta@optonline.net).
- + St. Bernard League: The Consi Family—631.226.7725
- + St. Vincent de Paul Society: Deborah Deasy—631.226.7725, x. 234
- + Senior Moments/Spirituality: Fran Grasso - 631.956.3003—[sixfingers13@gmail.com](mailto:sixfingers13@gmail.com)
- + Special Needs Ministry: Fr. John Sureau—631.226.7725—[jsureau@oloph.org](mailto:jsureau@oloph.org)
- + Widows/Widowers: Rita Gardell— 631.252.5494/Denise Segreto 631.220.0888

## **NEW Food Pantry List!**

JAR PASTA SAUCE  
 CANNED FRUIT  
 PANCAKE MIX & SYRUP  
 COFFEE  
 SUGAR  
 SHELF STABLE MILK  
 SOUP WITH MEAT  
 SMALL PKGS. RICE  
 JUICES  
 BATH SOAP, SHAMPOO  
 PERSONAL ITEMS  
 TOILET PAPER  
 WATER

Cut out this list and bring it with you when you go shopping!

## **Society of St. Vincent de Paul**

Located in the “New” School Building  
 Use Parking Lot located on corner of  
 Gates & High Streets

**631.226.7725 x. 234**

*The office is open:*  
**Monday, Wednesday and Friday**  
**9 A.M. —12 Noon**

Today, we hear Jesus say to us, “For whoever wishes to save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for my sake will find it.” The challenge is to let go so God can lead us.

Have you considered answering the call to help serve the poor by joining the Society of St. Vincent de Paul?

## **DRIVING MINISTRY**

Our Driving Ministry assists parishioners in need of a ride to a doctor's appointment or to another serious appointment when needed. Over the past few months we have been able to help many parishioners! Now,

### **WE NEED MORE DRIVERS!!!!**

If you are interested in being a part of this ministry,  
 contact Maureen Russo at 631.226.4182—  
[princessmorge@optonline.net](mailto:princessmorge@optonline.net).

Thanks for offering the gift of you (and your car!)



## PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY

*Parish Social Ministry  
Mass of Thanksgiving &  
Communion Breakfast  
Sunday, September 28, 2014  
11:00 A.M. Mass*

*followed by a Communion Breakfast in the  
School Auditorium.*

### **Guest Speaker**

**Ms. Jan Jamroz**

*Jan is the Director of Parish Social Ministry for Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Rockville Centre. She will both challenge and engage us on the importance of this ministry in the life of our parish.*

### **ALL ARE WELCOME**

*(especially those in any of our parish social ministries as remember the Feast of St. Vincent De Paul—celebrated on September 27th)*

More info in next week's bulletin. RSVP's will be required!

## **PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY**

### **Happenings**

### **Middle Ages**

*Are you in your late 40s, 50s, or early 60s?  
Are you looking to meet other women and men your age for times of spirituality, socializing and social action?*

**YOU** are invited to join the Middle Ages group To RSVP or for more info call Gail Tonnessen at 631-957-1449 or [gtonness@optonline.net](mailto:gtonness@optonline.net).

### **Senior Moments**

*Avail yourself, men and women, 55 years +, of the opportunity to strengthen your relationship with God and with our parish community. Each time this group meets there will be times for formation, spiritual growth, friendship and community building.*

**Next Meeting—Tuesday, September 9th**

## **LABOR DAY REFLECTION**

The following is an excerpt from the annual Labor Day Message by the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops:

*Our challenge this Labor Day is to rise to the challenge of solidarity posed by Jesus when he commanded, "[L]ove one another. As I have loved you, so you also should love one another" (Jn 13:34). The Catechism of the Catholic Church teaches, "Socio-economic problems can be resolved only with the help of all the forms of solidarity: solidarity of the poor among themselves, between rich and poor, of workers among themselves, between employers and employees in a business, solidarity among nations and peoples" (No. 1941). Since each of us is made in the image of God and bound by His love, possessing a profound human dignity, we have an obligation to love and honor that dignity in one another, and especially in our work.*

*What would our communities, parishes, and country look like if we all recommitted to each other and the common good? If, instead of lamenting the dwindling hopes of our young people, we create institutions, relationships, and an economy that nurture human flourishing? If, instead of bickering about ideologies, people acknowledged the human dignity of others and worked together?*

**Archbishop Thomas G. Wenski of Miami  
Chairman, Committee on Domestic Justice and Human Development  
United States Conference of Catholic Bishops  
September 1, 2014**



# YOUTH MINISTRY @ OLPH

High School & Middle School Youth Ministry:

Brittany Marie Evans (youth@olph.org)

Youth Service Corps: Fr. John Sureau (jsureau@olph.org)

Catholic Youth Organization: Mr. Dave Reid (dreid88@optonline.net)

CYO Website: [www.leaguelineup.com/olphcyo](http://www.leaguelineup.com/olphcyo)

Boy Scouts: Mr. Tom Duffy (baggage25@hotmail.com)

K of C Squires: Mr. Frank Nicosia (happynicosias@yahoo.com)

## ATTENTION HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS (All 8th Graders and above!)

**CHANGE  
OF  
PLANS**

**NEW DATE:  
Saturday,  
September 6<sup>th</sup>**

**7:30AM—12:30PM**

**(times approximate)**

Join with our High School Youth Group to St. Anne's Hospitality Too

*Soup Kitchen* in Brentwood.

We will work with those most in need preparing meals, serving them and greeting guests. It promises to be a great day for our young people and those they will encounter.

For more info and permission slips, contact Fr. John at [jsureau@olph.org](mailto:jsureau@olph.org).



OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP

Catholic Y outh O rganization



CYO Registrations Are Now Open For Boys & Girls Fall Basketball - 1<sup>st</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> grade

Track - 1<sup>st</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> grade,

Volleyball - 4<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> grade,

Girls Cheerleading - 4<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> grade

Register on line: <http://www.sportssignup.com/Our-Lady-Of-Perpetual-Help-Catholic-Youth-Organization-Online-Registration.start>

Like Us on Facebook: OLPH CYO, Lindenhurst

## MIDDLE SCHOOL NIGHTS

This past Thursday, Youth Ministry sponsored its final Middle School Night. On the Thursdays of August, nearly 30 middle schoolers came together for evening of faith, fellowship, good food and lots of fun! Thanks to Brittany Evans, our adult leaders, the high school offerers and all who helped to make these events a huge success!

Middle School Youth Group begins in September. Check these pages for more info!





### SCHEDULE:

- 6 AM**—Bus leaves OLPH K of C council  
**7AM**—Registration & Full hot Breakfast  
**8AM**—Shotgun Start  
**Lunch at the turn:** Hot Dogs, Burgers, Sausage & Peppers  
**1PM**—Cocktails  
**Dinner Buffet**—choice of 10 items!  
Awards & 3hr. Open bar  
**4PM**—Bus returns to OLPH Council

Tee signs and other sponsorships are available! For additional information contact: Bob Dobres at 631-592-8697 or email: Boca461@verizon.net

## 4th Annual OLPH Golf Outing

### Monday, Sept 22nd

### Rock Hill Country Club

### Manorville, NY

**8:00AM Shotgun Start**

**All for \$140/golfer**

(Optional bus @ \$15/pp available)

Make checks payable to: "**OLPH Knights of Columbus**"  
And mail to:

Bob Dobres  
46 Linden Street  
Lindenhurst, NY 11757



OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP  
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL #794  
CORDIALLY INVITE YOU TO ATTEND THEIR  
**INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS**  
**SATURDAY - SEPTEMBER 6, 2014**

5 PM MASS & INSTALLATION  
OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP CHURCH  
210 SOUTH WELLWOOD AVENUE  
LINDENHURST, NY

COCKTAIL HOUR & RECEPTION TO FOLLOW  
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS HALL  
400 SOUTH BROADWAY  
LINDENHURST, NY

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**An Afternoon  
at the Races**



**Sunday, October 5, 2014**  
Food Served: 3:00 pm Post Time: 3:30 pm  
Our Lady of Perpetual Help Knights of Columbus  
400 South Broadway Lindenhurst, NY  
**\$10.00/Adult \$5.00/Child**  
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# PRAYING FOR AND SUPPORTING ONE ANOTHER

## MASS MEMORIALS

A beautiful way to remember a loved one!  
Memorials used during the Masses for week of  
August 31—September 6:

### Altar Bread & Wine

In Memory of

**Msgr. Anthony J. Savastano**

Requested by

**The Matera & Renna Families**

Please contact the Parish Office at 631.226.7725  
for other options for memorials.

## WE REMEMBER

We remember those who have died in our parish community this week:

**Lillian Burns  
William J. Pugh  
James M. Sullivan**

"O God, who through the ending of present things open up the beginning of things to come, grant, we pray, that the soul of your servant may be led to you to attain the inheritance of eternal redemption."

## BRINGING FORWARD THE OFFERINGS OF BREAD AND WINE

If the announced intention at Mass is for your intention, or if you have memorialized the bread and wine, and you would like to carry those offerings forward at the Presentation of the Gifts during Mass, please be sure to let the ushers know this before the Mass begins. They will be happy to have you do this. If no one steps forward to specifically request this, then they will select people from the assembly.



## WE BELIEVE

Almighty and Eternal God,  
You are the everlasting health of those  
who believe in You.

Hear us for Your servants  
for whom we implore the aid of Your tender mercy,  
that being restored to bodily health,  
they may give thanks to You in Your Church.  
Through Christ our Lord.

We pray for the sick of our parish...

Ann DiNunzio-Ricardo

Patricia Sheevers

Frank Gravano

Bill Cody

Mary Pellegrino

Margaret Girgenti

Bunny Rieger

Rev. Hoppenjans

Donna Sheehan

Ro Kane

Grace Sottile

Josephine Palazzolo

Geraldine Romeo

Richard Brosan

Catherine Tamburino

Adam & Josie Whiston

Dolores Otten

Marisa Florio

Debbie Lazinsky

Kevin Curran

Peggy Curran

If a family member or close friend is ill, please let us know so our community can pray for them. To have your name or the name of a loved one listed in our parish bulletin, please call the parish office at 631.226.7725, x. 200.

## WE CELEBRATE

God the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ has freed you from sin, given you a new birth by water and the Holy Spirit, and welcomed you into his holy people.

-Rite of Baptism

**James Matthew McCoy  
Jaxson Robert Ciancarelli  
Jovanni Richard Franzese  
Luciano Giovanni Palmisano**

We welcome the newest members of  
the Catholic community here at  
OLPH!



## MASSES FOR THE WEEK

**MONDAY, September 1 —**

**Weekday in the 22nd week in Ordinary Time**  
*(Labor Day—for the Sanctification of Human Labor)*

6:30 Richard Northrup

12:15 Catherine Araujo

7:00 *No Novena tonight*

**TUESDAY, September 2 —**

**Weekday in the 22nd week in Ordinary Time**

6:30 Tadeusz Cimaszewski

12:15 Louis Taiano

**WEDNESDAY, September 3 —**

**St Gregory the Great, Pope & Doctor of the Church**

6:30 Allison Lumsden

12:15 Josephine Noto

12:45- Exposition

2:00

**THURSDAY, September 4**

**Weekday in the 22nd week in Ordinary Time**

6:30 Thomas Daniel Matias

12:15 Angelina Glass

**FRIDAY, September 5 —**

**Weekday in the 22nd week in Ordinary Time**

*(Blessed Teresa of Calcutta, Religious)*

6:30 The Savastano Family

12:15 Walter Borowicz

**SATURDAY, September 6 —**

**Weekday in the 22 Week in Ordinary Time**

8:00 Thomas Moylan

**Vigil for**

**TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

4:00 Special Needs Mass

5:00 Eleanor & Henry Zuber

**Sunday, September 7**

**TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

6:30 Grazia Azzaro

8:00 Sanctity of Life

9:30 Charlotte Ferraro

11:00 Joel Berkowitz

12:30 Sherman Glass

5:00 For the People of the Parish

## MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK

**Monday, September 1, 2014**

All parish Offices are closed and all parish functions are cancelled for Labor Day

**Tuesday, September 2, 2014**

7:45 PM	Community of Praise	Room 16
8:00 PM	Alcoholics Anonymous	Cafeteria

**Wednesday, September 3, 2014**

12:45 – 2:00 PM	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	Church
1:50 PM	Daytime Prayer	Church
2:30 PM	Legion of Mary Prayer Meeting	Room 24
7:30 PM	Youth Ministry -Boy Scouts	Cafeteria

**Thursday, September 4, 2014**

7:00 P.M.	Respect Life Meeting	Room 21
7:00 P.M.	Liturgy Committee	St. Lucy Rm
7:00 PM	Spanish Prayer Group	Cafeteria
7:30 P.M.	New Mothers Meal Ministry	Room 18
7:30 P.M.	Parent Baptismal Prep Class	Room 16
8:00 P.M.	Narcotics Anonymous	Room 24

**Friday, September 5, 2014**

8:00 P.M.	Alcoholics Anonymous—Young People	Room 24
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**Saturday, September 6, 2014**

9:00AM-1:00 P.M.	Religious Education Book Pick-up—All grades	Vestibule & Room 4
4:00 P.M.	Special Needs	Church
6:00 P.M.	Installation of K of C Officers	Church
6:15 P.M.	Evening Prayer	Church
8:00 P.M.	Alcoholics Anonymous	Cafeteria
8-11:00 PM	Nocturnal Adoration	Church

**Sunday, September 7, 2014**

1:30 P.M.	CYO Basketball Grade 1&2	Auditorium
6:15 P.M.	Evening Prayer	Church
7:00 PM	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	Church
8:00 P.M.	Alcoholics Anonymous	Cafeteria

# SERVING AND SUPPORTING ONE ANOTHER

## IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS

**Parish Office:** 631.226.7725

**Religious Education:** 631.226.2384

**St. Vincent de Paul (Parish Outreach):**

631.226.7725 X 234

**Parish Website:**

[www.olphlindenhurst.org](http://www.olphlindenhurst.org)



Facebook: Our Lady of Perpetual Help

## THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptism ceremonies are held on the second and fourth Sundays of the month. Parents wishing to have a child baptized must attend a baptism preparation session before the baptism; these sessions are held on the first and third Mondays of the month excluding holidays. Contact the Parish Office to begin the process of having your child baptized.

## PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK & ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Those who are seriously ill or facing surgery, as well as those in danger of death, should receive the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick. Please call the Parish Office and ask for one of our priests.

## RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

Adults who wish to be baptized, or who have been baptized in another Christian faith and wish to become Catholic, or who have been baptized Catholic and wish to be confirmed and receive Holy Communion, are invited to join the process of the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults. Please contact Deacon Doug or Fr. John at the Parish Office to begin the process.

## ADULT CONFIRMATION

Adults who have been baptized Catholic and who have received Holy Communion but who still need the Sacrament of Confirmation should enroll in our Adult Confirmation Classes. Please contact Deacon Doug or Fr. John at the Parish Office.

## THE SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Please contact the Parish Office at least SIX MONTHS before the desired date of your wedding.

## YOUR PASTORAL COUNCIL

Jean Bjork

Tricia Buckley (Chair)

Lori Byron

Marie Foster

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Christina Tatarata

James Totino

Pete Triolo

Msgr. Joe DeGrocco

*Please feel free to speak to any member of the Pastoral Council with any questions you might have.*

## YOUR PARISH TRUSTEES

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John Reynolds

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*Please feel free to speak to any member of the Finance Committee with any questions you might have.*

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Chris Ferraro

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Fr. John Sureau

Alice Vozzo

*Please feel free to speak to any member of the Liturgy Committee with any questions you might have.*

# OFFERING UPDATE

**August 23/24, 2014**

Mass Time	Weekly	# of Envelopes	Attendance
<b>5:00 P.M.</b>	<b>\$3,537.00</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>312</b>
<b>6:30 A.M.</b>	<b>1,348.00</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>107</b>
<b>8:00 A.M.</b>	<b>2,138.00</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>257</b>
<b>9:30 A.M.</b>	<b>1,612.00</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>271</b>
<b>11:00 A.M.</b>	<b>2,505.00</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>375</b>
<b>12:30 P.M.</b>	<b>1,711.00</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>290</b>
<b>5:00 P.M.</b>	<b>896.00</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>168</b>
<b>Total coin:</b>	<b>21.47</b>		
<b>Mail-ins:</b>	<b>356.00</b>		
<b>Children's env.</b>	<b>5.00</b>	<b>5</b>	
<b>Faith Direct</b>	<b>2,179.00</b>		
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>16,308.47</b>	<b>527</b>	<b>1,780</b>
<b>2013 Total</b>	<b>\$16,124.94</b>	<b>568</b>	<b>1661</b>
<b>Candles</b>	<b>1,066.11</b>		
<b>Poor Box</b>	<b>354.68</b>		

## REMEMBER OUR PARISH

Please consider continuing your lifelong stewardship by leaving a bequest to our Parish.

A gift to us in your Will or Trust affirms your everlasting commitment to our Parish's life and work.

**For more information about remembering our Parish in your will please contact Barbara Kilarjian, Dir. of Development at 516-379-5210 x 229.**



# EL MINISTERIO HISPANO

El grupo de oración- "Jesús es el camino, La verdad y la vida" te invita a alabar y glorificar a DIOS todos los Jueves a las 7:00 PM en la cafetería. Comenzando con el Santo Rosario. Unete a nosotros en oración, alabanzas y reflexión de la palabra de DIOS.

También todos los martes llevamos el Santo Rosario a los hogares para orar en familia. Interesados favor llamar a Virginia Constantino al (631) 957-1149.

Para las ofrendas de pan y vino en el altar, favor llamar a la oficina parroquial al 631-226-7725.

Adoración al santísimo Sacramento del altar, en español. El primer sábado de cada mes. Recuerda Cristo siempre te espera.

Para más información sobre los sacramentos del bautizo matrimonio y servicio pastorales Unción de los enfermos y la Eucaristía, contacto Padre Juan Sureau - 631.226-7725 x. 224 email jsureau@olph.org o en español Irma González 631 620-2401 o correo electrónico: lanegra628@yahoo.com.

### LECTURAS DEL DOMINGO 7 DE SEPTIEMBRE DEL 2014

**Primera Lectura (Eze 33:1-9):** El Profeta es un vigilante de la casa de Israel. Su tarea es advertir a los Pecadores de su miseria y peligro de condenación. Debe advertir a los malvados de su mal camino, para que se conviertan y puedan vivir. Así Como el vigilante y se prepara cuando viene el enemigo, así cada profeta, debe avisar a su pueblo de su mal, y cada Cristiano a su prójimo. ¿Cómo es de sabios y audaz el hombre para las cosas temporales, y tan lento para las cosas espirituales. Y no se preocupa del peligro que corre su alma. Ay de nosotros sino acatamos la advertencia. Cada día, cada hora cada minuto que pasa nos acercamos más a ese día en que nos enfrentaremos a la justicia divina.

Segunda lectura. De la carta del apóstol Pablo a los romanos 13, 8-10

Los cristianos debemos evitar gastos inútiles y no adquirir deudas que no tienen ningún valor y luego no podemos pagar. No retengan a nadie lo que le deben. Dar a cada uno lo que le corresponde. Haciéndolo todo con amor. En esto se construye esa regla de oro, de hacer con otros lo que nos gustaría que se hiciera en nosotros mismos. El amor es un principio vivo y activo de la obediencia a toda la ley. Que nos permite no sólo evitar lesiones físicas sino también ninguna clase de desagrado moral a las personas.

Lectura del santo evangelio según San Mateo 18, 15-20

Si un cristiano ha sido ofendido por otro, no debería quejarse con los demás, como a menudo se hace simplemente, ir al infractor en privado, amablemente, hágale ver el problema hasta llegar a un acuerdo. Realmente nosotros somos la Iglesia, somos una comunidad en torno a Cristo y por tanto somos hermanos los unos de los otros. Esto significa: Nos amamos unos a otros, nos aceptamos y servimos unos a otros, tanto que tenemos el valor de corregirnos unos a otros cuando erramos. Porque esas personas son mi hermano o hermana, ellas son mi preocupación. -- Oremos con Jesús, el Señor, que está aquí entre nosotros, para que tengamos tal valor, y que nuestros hermanos y nosotros aceptemos la ayuda que nos ofrecemos para liberarnos.

## PREPARING FOR

*Sunday, September 7, 2014:  
23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time*

*"For where two or three are gathered together in my name,  
there am I in the midst of them."*

*Matthew 18*

### **Ezekiel 33:7-9**

Ezekiel is commissioned by the Lord as a watchman for Israel. In ancient Israel, each town and city had a person positioned upon the wall in order to call out a warning about the approach of unexpected and possibly hostile people. This watchman had to "sound the trumpet" if an enemy was approaching, so that the townspeople could get ready for an attack. Prophets in Israel took on the function of spiritual "watchmen" (e.g. Ez 3:17; Jer 6:17), warning the people of impending punishment by God unless the nation changed its ways.

### **Romans 13:8-10**

There are principles that govern a Christian's conduct. Earlier in Romans 13 we read how we are to behave ourselves among ourselves, towards our enemies, and the government. Now Paul's attention turns to the law of love. What does love demand? Paul points out our debt to love (v.8), our duty to love (v.9) and our desire to love (v.10).

### **Matthew 18:15-20**

Passing from the duty of Christian disciples toward those who have strayed from their number, the discourse of Chapter 18 now turns to how they are to deal with one who sins and yet remains within the community. First there is to be private correction (Mt 18:15); if this is unsuccessful, further correction before two or three witnesses (Mt 18:16); if this fails, the matter is to be brought before the assembled community (the church), and if the sinner refuses to attend to the correction of the church, he is to be expelled (Mt 18:17). The church's judgment will be ratified in heaven, i.e., by God.

## Readings for the Week

*Take time each day to read the daily readings of the Church.  
You can access the readings through our parish website.*

### **Monday, September 1, 2014:**

1 Corinthians 2:1-5 + Luke 4:16-30

### **Tuesday, September 2, 2014:**

1 Corinthians 2:10b-16 + Luke 4:31-37

### **Wednesday, September 3, 2014:**

1 Corinthians 3:1-9  
+ Luke 4:38-40

### **Thursday, September 4, 2014:**

1 Corinthians 3:18-23  
+ Luke 5:1-11

### **Friday, September 5, 2014:**

1 Corinthians 4:1-5  
+ Luke 5:33-39

### **Saturday, September 6, 2014:**

1 Corinthians 4:6b-15  
+ Luke 6:1-5

### **Sunday, September 7, 2014:**

Ezekiel 33:7-9  
+ Romans 13:8-10  
+ Matthew 18:15-20

## Gospel Reflection Questions....

*After reading next Sunday's Gospel (Matthew 18:19) take some time to pray on it before you come to Mass. Use the questions below to aid your reflection.*

1. Can you rely on God's granting your request in some way when you and another person agree to pray about something? Do you trust that promise?

2. In light of this Gospel discuss the invitation below from Pope Francis to pray for world peace, given June 6, 2014.

Pope Francis has invited Catholics to join him in prayer for world peace, to participate spiritually in this great act of solidarity by uniting themselves in prayer with him on this special day, when he meets with Israel's President Shimon Peres and President of Palestine Mahmoud Abbas in the Vatican this Sunday afternoon.

As he states,

*"In this way, the invocation for world peace, emanating from the tomb of St Peter, will extend throughout the earth. Let us be confident that the promise of the Lord may be fulfilled: 'if two of you agree on earth about anything for which they are to pray, it shall be granted to them by my Heavenly Father'"*



## DIOCESAN & COMMUNITY NEWS

**Marian Healing Ministry—Healing Mass** at St. Anastasia's Church, 45-14 245th St., Douglaston, Little Neck. Tuesday, **September 2** at 7:00PM. Rosary, Mass & Healing service. For more information call 718-631-4454.

**The Opening Word Program**—In Our Lady of Miraculous Medal Church, Wyandanch, provides classes for women who want to improve their English language skills. Many mothers attend while their children are in school. Classes are Monday through Friday 9:00AM—2:00PM. Registration **Sept. 3, 4 & 5** from 9-11:30AM. Bring identification and \$20 registration fee. For info call 920-0916.

**Our Lady of Consolation Bereavement Group:** Pastoral Care and Hospice will provide a support group for those who are mourning the loss of a loved one. Eight sessions on Monday afternoons: **Sept. 8, 15, 22, 29; Oct. 6, 13, 20, 27.** 2:30–4:00PM at *Our Lady of Consolation*, 111 Beach Drive, West Islip. Call 631-587-1600, X 8297 to reserve a place. Space is limited—register early.

**Powerful Tools for Caregivers:** a six-week course designed to better enable you to take care of yourself. Six—2 1/2 hour sessions held weekly from 6:00—8:30PM, **Sept. 10-Oct. 15** in Good Samaritan Hospital Administrative Conference Room. For more info call 631-376-4444. (\$25 suggested donation but not required to attend)

**Gennesaret Retreat**, for persons living with a life threatening illness, at the Monfort Spiritual Center in Bay Shore, **Sept. 12-14**. This retreat focuses on God's love, forgiveness and faithfulness. Call Colette Fanelli 631-665-7052 for registration & information.

**The 26<sup>th</sup> Annual Mass for Deceased Children** will take place on Saturday, **September 13**, 2014 at St. Agnes Cathedral, Rockville Centre at 12:30 p.m. Bishop Robert Brennan will be the presider. Please come early to inscribe your child's name in the "Book of Families." All are welcome. Light refreshments and fellowship will follow in the Parish Center. For further information please call 516 678-5800 Ext 236.

**Catholic High School Entrance Exam Prep Course** through Molloy College's Continuing Education Program beginning **Sept. 13** at the Rockville Centre campus & **Sept. 14** at the Suffolk Center in East Farmingdale. Contact Molloy's Continuing Ed. office 516-323-3550 or enroll online: [www.molloy.edu/ce/chsee](http://www.molloy.edu/ce/chsee).

**Catholic High School Entrance Exam Prep Course**—at St. John the Baptist High School. Four Saturday classes 8:00—10:30am, **Sept. 13, 27, Oct. 4, & 18<sup>th</sup>** and one Wednesday class 6:00—8:30pm **Oct. 22**. Exam is Oct. 25th. Fee: \$275. Phone registration: 631-8000 X 117. For more info go to [www.stjohnthebaptistdhs.net](http://www.stjohnthebaptistdhs.net).

### Calling all PFI Alumni and Instructors!

You are cordially invited to the

### Pastoral Formation Institute of the Diocese of Rockville Centre 25 Year Celebration

Sunday, October 5, 2014

Seminary of the Immaculate Conception  
Huntington, NY

Mass—2:00 p.m.

Celebrated by Bishop William Murphy

Gathering and Reception in McGivney Lounge after Mass

Cost: \$50.00 per person

To Register, visit [drvc-faith.org](http://drvc-faith.org).

For any questions call Debbie Ventura at  
**(516) 678-5800 ext. 223**

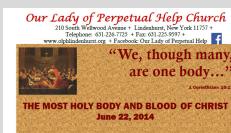
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Doors to the main chapel open at 1:00p.m

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Coordinator of Faith Formation: April Klement

CHURCH HOURS AND MASS TIMES  
Our church opens at 8:00 a.m. for the 8:30 a.m. Mass. The church closes at 12:00 p.m. for the 12:15 p.m. Mass. Our church is closed on Wednesdays.

MASS SCHEDULE  
8:00 a.m. (8:30 a.m.) • 12:15 p.m.  
Saturday Vigil Mass: 5:00 p.m.  
Sunday Masses: 8:00 a.m. (8:30 a.m.), 12:15 p.m. and 5:30 p.m.

HOLY DAY MASS SCHEDULE  
Holy Day: 8:00 a.m., 12:15 p.m. and 5:30 p.m.

LITURGY OF THE HOURS  
We pray the Liturgy of the Hours daily.  
Our great Diocesan Prayer is recited on Wednesday at 4:00 p.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION  
Please call the rectory for an appointment.

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BLESSED MUSICAL INSTRUMENT  
Musical instruments may be used during the Divine Office.

FUNERAL SERVICES  
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Parish Office: 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

## PILGRIMAGE TO NEW YORK



### **TUESDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2014 PILGRIMAGE TO NEW YORK “A SPIRITUAL DAY”**

Reservations are on a first come, first serve basis and cannot be taken until payment is received. Please make check payable in the amount of \$130.00 to Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church, and drop it off at the Rectory, 210 South Wellwood Avenue, Lindenhurst, NY 11757, Attn: Pilgrimage into New York. Please include your phone number and email address on the check. Contact the Rectory at 631-226-7725 for more information.



The cost of the trip includes  
Bus transportation, dinner,  
snacks, all tips and fees -  
Departing from OLPH at  
8:00 AM and will  
Return at 8:00 PM  
\$130 per person

Mass at  
Mother Cabrini Shrine  
Tour of the Cloisters  
(The Metropolitan Museum)

Free Time  
In  
Midtown Manhattan

Dinner at 4:30 PM at  
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