

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Byzantine Catholic Church



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Glory to Jesus Christ! Glory Forever!

Contributions - Thank You, OLPH!

June 5 & 6, 2021	
Building Fund	\$53.00
Candles	\$39.00
Loose	\$20.00
Regular	\$1262.00
Tithe.ly	\$250.00
Total	\$1624.00
Attendance	50

*Do not neglect
good deeds and
generosity, God is
pleased by
sacrifices of that
kind.*

- Hebrews 13:16

Candle Intentions June 2021

Diakonik (Altar of Blessing)- In memory of +Ronald Kopcho requested by wife Nadia Kopcho

Tetrapod- In memory of +Nellie G. and +Robert C. Donatelli (wedding anniversary) requested by grandson Robert P. Donatelli

General Information

BULLETIN SUBMISSIONS

Please send submissions for the bulletin to Fr. Paul no later than 12:00PM the Wednesday before you wish for them to appear.

FACEBOOK & VIRTUAL DIVINE LITURGY

Visit www.facebook.com/OLPHLevittownPA to join us live or watch archived recordings. You DO NOT need a Facebook account to view the OLPH facebook page.

ONLINE TITHING - Interested in tithing online? Visit the parish website and click on the donate link to sign up on the tithe.ly.

Liturgical Schedule Week of June 13, 2021

Confession every Saturday from 4:30 to 5:00 or by appointment

Saturday June 12 - 3rd Sunday After Pentecost

5:00 PM Vigil Divine Liturgy (Tone 2)

Rom 5:1-10; Mt 6:22-34

❖ For the Parish Family of OLPH

Sunday June 13 - 3rd Sunday After Pentecost

9:00 AM Divine Liturgy (Tone 2)

Rom 5:1-10; Mt 6:22-34

❖ Health and blessings for Stephen Macinsky requested by his sister Anna Maria Macinsky

Wednesday June 16 - Tychon the Wonderworker, Bishop

7:00 PM Akathist to the Theotokos

Friday June 18 - Leontius, Martyr

8:30 AM Divine Liturgy

Rom 11:25-36; Mt 12:1-8

❖ In memory of +Susan Sabol requested by husband Jack Sabol

Saturday June 19 - 4th Sunday After Pentecost

5:00 PM Vigil Divine Liturgy (Tone 3)

Rom 6:18-23; Mt 8:5-13

❖ In memory of +Helen Snyder requested by Tom & Fran Hadzik; and a special intention for the the men of the parish, all fathers and father-figures

Sunday June 20 - 4th Sunday After Pentecost

9:00 AM Divine Liturgy (Tone 3)

Rom 6:18-23; Mt 8:5-13

❖ For the Parish Family of OLPH, especially the men of the parish, all fathers and father-figures

Live Streaming of Services

Given the recent changes in directives from Bishop Kurt regarding the liturgical dispensation, OLPH will continue to live stream Divine Liturgy on Sunday's (including Saturday Vigil) and Holy Days (of Obligation) as a means to minister to the homebound of the parish. All other services scheduled will be "in person only." If you wish to stream a sacramental/"family event" (i.e. Baptism, Wedding, Funeral, Memorial Liturgy, etc.) to include participation of homebound family members, or those unable to travel due to illness or physical distance, please arrange this with Fr. Paul **IN ADVANCE**.

Liturgy Intentions - Available upon request. Please submit a request form with a suggested donation of \$15 per request.

Candle Intentions - Available by month. Please submit a request form and suggested donation of \$25 per request.

Hospital & Home Visitation - Available upon request.

Father's Day Intentions

Please be sure to submit the names of living/deceased fathers for the Father's Day Intentions. *Names must be submitted to Fr. Paul NO LATER than Wednesday, June 16, 2021.*

Dates to Remember

- June 20 - Father's Day
- June 27 - Patronal Feast Day of Our Lady of Perpetual Help
 - Celebration details to come!

You're Invited

A message from Fr. Yuriy:

Come and celebrate the 130th Anniversary of The Assumption of the Virgin Mary Byzantine Catholic Church with us at a picnic on Sunday, August 15th, from 12:00 PM to 5:00 PM at Liberty Lake, Bordentown, New Jersey (<https://libertylakepicnic.com/>). Tickets are \$25 for adults, \$9 for children ages 5-12, and free for children under the age of 5! You do not want to miss this event!

Please Pardon Our Dust!

As we prepare for major projects occurring with our physical plant, please excuse the mess in the narthex and general disruption to parish life over the coming weeks.

What's Happening This Week?

Waiting on utility companies to give us the go ahead.

Sisters of St Basil House of Prayer - Upcoming Virtual Programs

June 1, 8, 15, & 22, 10-11:30am - Tuesday Morning Reading Series

A Tree Full of Angels: Seeing the Holy in the Ordinary (by Macrina Wiederkehr) With Sr. Barbara Jean, OSBM

Offering: \$5.00 per session or \$15.00 for all 4 sessions

July 13, 6:30 p.m. -7:30 p.m.

Tuesday Evening Reflection for Men and Women

Introducing the Desert Fathers With Deacon John Evancho

Offering: \$10.00 - Registration due: July 9

July 15, 6:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m.

Thursday Evening Reflection for Men and Women

Introducing the Desert Mothers With Helenanne Hochendoner, MAT

Offering: \$10.00 - Registration due: July 12

CALL TO REGISTER: 724-438-7149



FATHER PAUL'S ECF CORNER



A little reminder from last week's homily:

Please prayerfully put on your thinking caps and call to mind all those of our flock who have "left" OLPH over the past decade (give or take) and let's go fishing to invite them back! Over the coming weeks as you think of names, please write down the name(s) and addresses on a piece of paper and place it in the *Prayer Intentions* box in the Candle Room. Remember—THIS WILL BE KEPT CONFIDENTIAL! The plan is to send out invitations this summer, simply letting people know that OLPH is alive and well and we are here, praying; and they are welcomed to join us!

Christ, through the discipleship of our Baptism, has called us ALL to be "fishers of men" (Mt 4:19). Unfortunately, this is not the first time in the history of the Church where the flock has been scattered. In the Anaphora of St. Basil (composed in the **FOURTH CENTURY**), the priest prays:

Remember, O Lord, the people here present and those who are absent for good reasons and have mercy on them and on us according to the abundance of your mercy. Fill their houses with every good thing; preserve their marriages in peace and harmony; nurture the infants, instruct the young, support the aged, **encourage the faint-hearted, gather the scattered, lead back those who have strayed and unite them to your holy, catholic and apostolic Church.**

Let us go fishing. Let us gather the scattered, and lead back those who have strayed, so that we, as the Body of Christ made manifest on earth, may follow in His example that "while I was with them, I kept them in thy name, which thou hast given me; I have guarded them, and none of them is lost" (Jhn 17:12).

As we pray, keep these words of Christ's close to your heart:

I am the good shepherd; I know my own and my own know me, as the Father knows me and I know the Father; and I lay down my life for the sheep. And I have other sheep, that are not of this fold; I must bring them also, and they will heed my voice. So there shall be one flock, one shepherd. (Jhn 10:14-16)

God be with you!
Fr. Paul

