



OUR LADY OF THE WOODS

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SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 2021

24TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



He summoned the crowd with his disciples and said to them, "Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself, take up his cross, and follow me. For whoever wishes to save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for my sake and that of the gospel will save it." - Mk 8:34-35



Sunday, September 12

- Lena Cialkowski.....died 1981
- Darrell Sergent.....died 1995
- Ronald Dowie.....died 1996
- Michael Balconi.....died 2002
- Lucy Arnoldy.....died 1998

Monday, September 13

- Joseph Darichuk.....died 1995

Tuesday, September 14

- Genevieve Barlage.....died 1998
- Donald Simons.....died 1984

Wednesday, September 15

- Robert Aeben.....died 1985
- Edwardo Lauron.....died 1988
- Daniel Sliker.....died 1992
- Mary Ellen Reeves.....died 1997
- Cynthia Hill.....died 1998
- Sophie Torok.....died 2005
- Joseph Marcissuk.....died 1999

Thursday, September 16

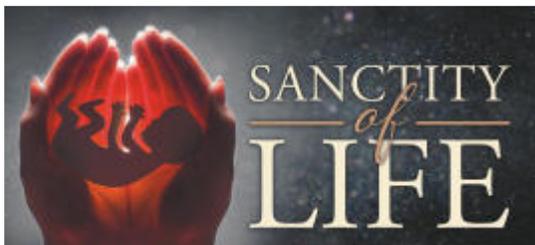
- Kathryn Richards.....died 2000
- Russell Danko.....died 1995

Friday, September 17

- Roger Trine.....died 1993
- Gerald Wanat.....died 1999
- Lila Yokley.....died 2008
- Donald Ring.....died 1993

Saturday, September 18

- Rose Mary Thomas.....died 1997
- Agnes Furlong.....died 1998
- Mary Perkowski.....died 2000
- Patsy Older.....died 2001
- Mary Mamo.....died 2006
- Cecilia Pennebaker.....died 1984



Prayer to Save a Baby from Abortion

“Jesus, Mary, and Joseph, I love you very much. I beg you to spare the life of the unborn baby that I have spiritually adopted who is in danger of abortion. Amen.”

-Prayer of Archbishop Fulton J. Sheen

63,092,945

abortions in the United States since *Roe v. Wade* (1973).
Source: numberofabortions.com

PRAYER REQUESTS



Prayer List for Service Men & Women

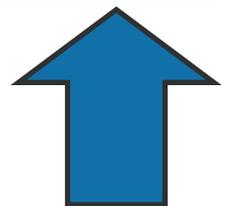
- SSgt. Erika Antanovich (US Air Force)
- Cpt. Andrew Compean (US Army)
- Maj. Eric DuChene (US Marine)
- Jacob Godlewski (US Navy)
- 2nd Lt. Jeremy Gomez (US Air Force)
- 1st Lt. Brandon Marquette (US Marine)
- O1 Nicholas Rigotti (Naval Reserves)
- MA2 Adam Strachan (US Navy)
- Spec. Nicole Kimberlin (US Army)



Lord God, Almighty Father, creator of mankind and author of peace, as we are ever mindful of the cost paid for the liberty we possess, we ask you to bless the members of our armed forces. Give them courage, hope and strength. May they ever experience your firm support, gentle love and compassionate healing. Be their power and protector, leading them from darkness to light. To you be all glory, honor and praise, now and forever. Amen.

Mildred Bartkovich	Dawn Marie Dick	Joanne Klein
Bruce Bennet	David Doig	Beth McCracken
Bob Bochenek	Alice Dull	Phil & Judy
Mike Brady	Jason Dull	Andi Pigott
Dan Budz	Alma Villalobos	Maynard Pittenger
James M. Butcko	Duncan	Mark Rigotti
Joyce Butcko	Marian & Dave	Sylvia Rigotti
Joseph W. Butcko	Eplett	Ernie Riopelle
Joseph M. Butcko	Robert Heldt	Jeannine Saylor
Andrew Butcko	Ron Ivan	Sylvia Steed
Michele Butcko	James Johnson	Tom Steed
Patricia Butcko	Adaline Kaczor	Luke Theobald
Calleigh Butler	James Kapsa	Kristin Triplett
Evelyn Roga	Mary Kay	Nanette Viecelli
Calopez	Marilyn Keller	Laura Wright
Adrian Collinson	Billy Kennedy	Sarah
Lisa Colson	Mickey Kent	Tim & Crisara
Sebastian Davis	Michael Kinney	

The Parish Prayer List will be cleared on September 13. If you would like to submit a name, please contact the office or complete the request online.



CONGRATULATIONS TO THE EARLY BIRD WINNER

TICKET #24699 SELLER: TINA TURNER \$250.00

Thank you to all who have turned in tickets thus far. We are doing great!

Next Early Bird Drawing for Sellers is on Sunday, Sept. 19 after the 11 AM Mass. Good Luck to All!

Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK



Monday, September 13

9:00am †Ron Curry
req. by his family

Tuesday, September 14

9:00am †Tony Ramirez
(8th anniversary of death)
req. by his wife Lu

Thursday, September 16

9:00am †Martha A. Jimenez
(3rd anniversary of death)
req. by Lu Ramirez

Friday, September 17

9:00am †Fr. Cliff Ruskowski
(9th anniversary of death)
req. by the Kennedy family
†Robert Renaud
req. by Richard and Barbara Truskowski

Saturday, September 18

4:00pm †Kay Pushman
req. by Ann Cornell and family
†Frank Krueger
req. by Debra Musial

Sunday, September 19

9:00am †Jerry Obdziejewski
req. by his wife Donna
†Stan Potok
(6th anniversary of death)
req. by his family

11:00am

Areline
(Happy 1st birthday!)
req. by her family
†Joseph Hung Nguyen
req. by his wife



What's Happening at Our Parish?

Sunday	Mass (with live stream), 9 AM First Communion Prep, 10:15 AM Mass (with live stream), 11 AM Confirmation Prep, 4 PM
Monday	Mass, 9 AM Rosary Makers, 1 PM RCIA, 3 PM Sacred Space Prep, 6 PM
Tuesday	Mass, 9 AM Commissioning Mass (St. Timothy), 7 PM
Wednesday	SVdP Food Pantry (drive-up only), 10 AM Planners, 11 AM RCIT, 5 PM Christian Service Meeting, 6:30 PM Rosary, 6:30 PM
Thursday	Anniversary of 1st Mass at OLOW Mass, 9 AM RCIA, 7 PM New Spirit Singers Rehearsal, 7 PM
Friday	Mass, 9 AM
Saturday	Memorial Mass for Attard, 10 AM Individual Confession, 3 PM Mass, 4 PM

Observances

Sunday:	24th Sunday in Ordinary Time; Grandparents' Day
Monday:	St. John Chrysostom, Bishop and Doctor of the Church
Tuesday:	The Exaltation of the Holy Cross
Wednesday:	Our Lady of Sorrows
Thursday:	Sts. Cornelius, Pope, and Cyprian, Bishop, Martyrs
Friday:	St. Robert Bellarmine, Bishop and Doctor of the Church
Saturday:	BVM
Next Sunday:	25th Sunday in Ordinary Time; Catechetical Sunday



August 28 & 29

Envelopes:	\$6,627.64 (186)
Loose:	\$772.00
<u>Electronic:</u>	<u>\$3,668.00 (73)</u>
Total:	\$11,067.64
Budget:	\$9,992.30
Over(+)/Short(-)	\$1,075.34

From Our Hood in the Woods

24TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

It has been 20 years...two decades, as we remember that horrific day in our nation's history: 9/11. For many, the aftershocks continue to be real: those survivors who have lasting medical conditions including the victims and the heroes who assisted in trying to save lives.

For many families, their loved ones continue to be encased through the memories found in each of their hearts as they continue to confront, work on, and move forward with their grief.

And for us as a nation: we are called to truly be aware of what happened, why it happened, and what we must do because of this day, and how it has re-defined this nation.

On this weekend, as we remember "the narrative" of that one moment in history through its people, the victims, the heroes, those left behind, in all the inner twining moments and stories, we confront two questions: "***Do you remember where you were that day?***" and if you came afterwards, "***What should this day, known as 9/11, mean for me, and why must it be remembered?***"

I remember well that I was teaching and one of my colleagues went by remarking: "Did you hear: a plane flew into one of the twin towers in New York City." My immediate thought was that a plane lost control, some malfunction or pilot error, and thought: "What a tragedy." It was not until a little later on that I then heard it all centered around terrorism, including the second tower, the Pentagon, and Flight 93, and a whole different dynamic became more explosive than simply an accident, or mistake of some kind: the viciousness of violence and the lack of reverencing the sacredness of life came rearing its ugly head as the darkest part of humanity's soul.

A myriad of new films and TV series are being released now around the 20th anniversary of the September 11, 2001, attacks, taking different approaches as the United States looks back on that day that changed everything.

One of them, National Geographic, is airing "9/11: One Day in America," a six-part docuseries that will feature first-person testimonials from first responders and survivors.

Each of the readings this weekend is as though it is a "first-person testimonial" from a first responder:

In the first reading, we hear Isaiah respond:

"The Lord GOD opens my ear that I may hear; and I have not rebelled, have not turned back...See, the Lord GOD is my help; who will prove me wrong?"

In the second reading, we hear James give testimonial through a question:

"What good is it, my brothers and sisters, if someone says he or she has faith but does not have works? Can that faith save him or her?"

And finally, in the gospel of Mark, we hear Peter give a "first person testimonial" responding to Jesus proclaiming: "You are the Christ." And Jesus responds: "Whoever wishes to come after me must deny yourself, take up your cross and follow me. For whoever of you wishes to save your life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for my sake and that of the gospel will save it."

And so, how do we react and live in the presence of God with that specific time and situation our national narrative calls 9/11?

As New York-based psychiatrist Dr. Karinn Glover remarks: "I think for some of us, 9/11 feels like yesterday and that depended on how much trauma we were exposed to at the time and if we've had to deal with symptoms since then. There are other people for whom it's a distant memory and seeing a movie about 9/11 could be just art."

In our own Catholic perspective, we hear the words of Franciscan Father Joseph Bayne, chief chaplain of New York's Erie County Emergency Services: "I did not see the devil's face at Ground Zero. I saw the face of God in the people working, caring, sweating, crying, rescuing, recovering and being very spiritual in their very humanness."

I close with an excerpt of a poem entitled: "MEET ME IN THE STAIRWELL" (author unknown)

...Did you sense Me?

I want you to know that I saw every face.

I knew every name – though not all know Me.

Some met Me for the first time on the 86th floor.

Some sought Me with their last breath.

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Some couldn't hear Me calling to them through the smoke and flames;

'Come to Me... this way... take my hand.'

Some chose, for the final time, to ignore Me.

But, I was there.

I did not place you in the Tower that day.

You may not know why, but I do.

However, if you were there in that explosive moment in time,

would you have reached for Me?

Sept. 11, 2001, was not the end of the journey for you.

But someday your journey will end.

And I will be there for you as well.

Seek Me now while I may be found.

Then, at any moment, you know you are 'ready to go.'

I will be in the stairwell of your final moments.

Love, God"

In the tragedy of 911, and in every tragedy of our own lives...may each of us, and we as a nation, find the stairwell. Hope to see you in the stairwell, (and pray I find it, too!)

In the Word,
Fr. Bob



OKTOBERFEST WRISTBAND CLARIFICATION

We have received some push back from a few regarding the \$5 Oktoberfest Admission Wristband. Please know we have established this charge to help defray the cost of hosting an "Outdoor Event" which is much more costly and includes the tent rental, lighting rental, additional tables and chairs, dance floor, portable toilets and a Polka Band! This is our first crack at a big outdoor event, as opposed to previous years when we were able to use the Social Hall and we thank you in advance for your support. We aim to make the Oktoberfest and Raffles an enjoyable event for all.

We cordially invite ALL to join in this autumn event. It is our hope that any OLOW Parishioner who would like to attend the Oktoberfest will be able to do so, and if ANYONE feels the admission charge is hindering them from joining in the fun, PLEASE, by all means, stop by the Parish Office and pick up a "Complimentary" Wristband. It should be noted that CHILDREN are FREE and do not need a Wristband and that Admission Wristbands for Parish SUPER SENIORS(80 +) are FREE.

If you have any questions regarding the Oktoberfest, please call Kathy & Jerry LeBoeuf at 692-8827.

2021/2022 CSA Summary as of August 24, 2021



EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP - CAN YOU WALK THE WALK?

I've met and talked with enough people to feel confident that if you polled 100 fallen-away Catholics about why they didn't want anything to do with the Church, the term "accountability" would pop up in almost all of their answers.

And to be fair, a lack of accountability isn't just a Catholic problem. Talking the talk but not walking the walk has been a shortcoming handed down throughout the ages, across all creeds and nationalities.

Loving our neighbor, welcoming the stranger, clothing the naked, feeding the poor — it all sounds fantastic, especially when we're the ones saying it. But the doing — well, that's a different story, isn't it? We would do well to remember that Christ calls one of his best friends "Satan" when Peter tries to convince Jesus to stray from his destiny.

Have you ever been called Satan by one of your good buddies? I'll bet it's not a great feeling. But think about what Peter was doing. He had just said, "You are the Christ." And now, mere moments later, he's saying: "Don't say these things. Don't say you're going to suffer. Don't say you'll be killed."

He was telling Christ to squander what the Lord had given him. He was telling him that having faith was fine, but being faithful? It's just a little too hard. God has a destiny for you, too, and He's asking you to be open to it. Maybe it's not in your comfort zone. Maybe you don't think you can do it.

Lord, give us faith — but help us, also, to do the work.

— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS



WHY DO WE DO THAT?

Question:

I've noticed that when I go to Mass at different parishes, sometimes people say and do different things. Why is that?

Answer:

The Mass in its current form has taken shape over the course of 2,000 years. Over time, traditions, structures, and prayers have been put into place. There are certain rubrics for the Mass that are normative wherever you go. This means you could attend Mass in Malawi or Thailand or Italy and still watch the same basic liturgy unfold, even if you don't understand the language. There may be some cultural differences from place to place, things that aren't specifically listed. For example, in the United States most people go up for Communion in a nice neat line. In Europe, everyone gets up around the same time. It's a bit of a free-for-all!

Some people might take it upon themselves to change things individually. People may not like something that feels too "liberal" or "conservative," and they may take a well-meaning stance in the opposite direction. When people (including the presiders) do things that are distracting or change the liturgy, it introduces an element that breaks the unity of the assembled community. The important thing to remember is that we gather as the Body of Christ to celebrate the Eucharist. If you are confused, ask! If you are frustrated, pray for the spirit of charity.

LIVE THE LITURGY

Rest in the presence of God simply because God is God and you are you. This is all that is necessary. Out of this relationship will come inspiration, understanding, courage, constancy, truth, and virtues of all kind. We will find ourselves knowing the true meaning of things and developing a depth of insight that is not found following purely human venues. It is God who inspires and opens human hearts to see truth and beauty. In God, we understand all of our relationships with a richer appreciation and come to know who Jesus, who speaks of God's kingdom, really is. The trust that is fostered from resting with the Divine One allows us to see that God's ways are not our ways. There is something bigger going on in this picture of life. It is something mystical and magical that seeks to surprise us at every turn. It is not for us to cling to this world and its limitations. Our adventure is to dream bigger and brighter, realizing that it is even in suffering that the radiant light of the dawn will come. God's ways allow for our paths to be rocky, challenging, difficult, and even crippling at times. Purely human eyes cannot understand the 'why' of such experiences. The eyes and mind of God, however, reveal and detail a journey that ends in glorious resurrection joy. When we lose our axis and become too human in our thinking, Jesus rebukes us and gently reminds us how to see.

As we remember the 20th Anniversary of 9/11 this weekend, you are invited to reflect on the poem

“MEET ME IN THE STAIRWELL”

(AUTHOR UNKNOWN)



You say you will never forget where you were
When you heard the news On September 11, 2001.

Neither will I.

I was on the 110th floor in a smoke filled room
with a man who called his wife to say ‘Good-Bye.’
I held his fingers steady as he dialed.

I gave him the peace to say, ‘Honey, I am not going to make it,
but it is OK..I am ready to go.’

I was with his wife when he called as she fed breakfast to their
children.

I held her up as she tried to understand his words
and as she realized he wasn’t coming home that night.

I was in the stairwell of the 23rd floor when a woman cried out to Me
for help.

‘I have been knocking on the door of your heart for 50 years!’ I said.

‘Of course I will show you the way home – only believe in Me now.’

I was at the base of the building with the Priest ministering
to the injured and devastated souls.

I took him home to tend to his Flock in Heaven.

He heard my voice and answered.

I was on all four of those planes, in every seat, with every prayer.

I was with the crew as they were overtaken.

I was in the very hearts of the believers there,
comforting and assuring them that their faith has saved them.

I was in Texas , Virginia , California , Michigan , Afghanistan .

I was standing next to you when you heard the terrible news.

Did you sense Me?

I want you to know that I saw every face.

I knew every name – though not all know Me.

Some met Me for the first time on the 86th floor.

Some sought Me with their last breath.

Some couldn’t hear Me calling to them through the smoke and
flames;

‘Come to Me... this way... take my hand.’

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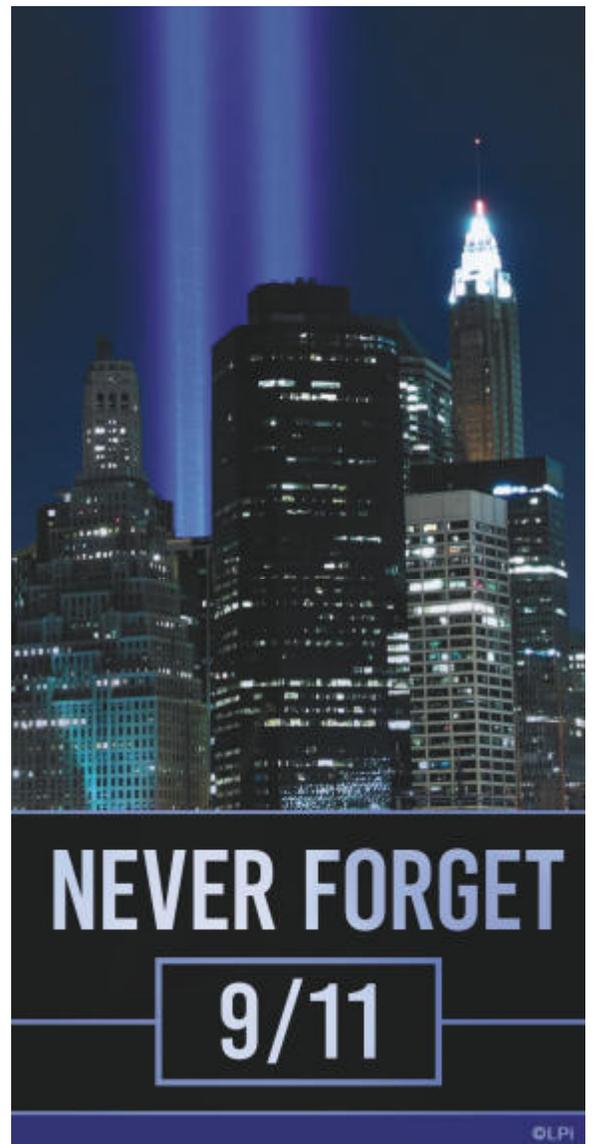
And I will be there for you as well.

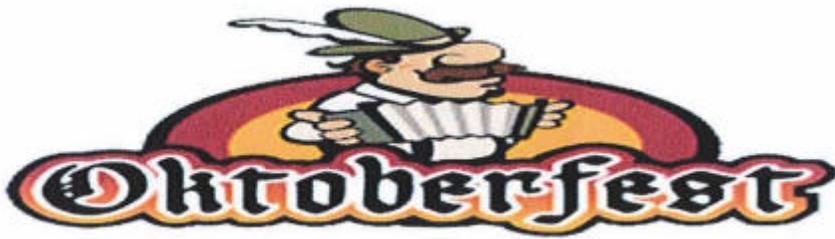
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Then, at any moment, you know you are ‘ready to go.’

I will be in the stairwell of your final moments.

Love, God





Our Lady of the Woods Parish

Saturday, October 2, 2021

All are invited: We hope you will join in the fun! Prost!

- 4:00 PM Polka Mass in the Church (Mask Required in the Church)
- 5:30 PM Music & Dancing w/“The Kielbasa Kings”
- Food & Beverage Service Opens
- Autumn Garden Café – Strudels & Baked Goods
- Basket Raffle Tickets on sale throughout the evening
- 6:30 PM First 50/50 Drawing
- 8:30 PM **GRAND RAFFLE DRAWING**
- 1st Prize \$4,000
- 2nd Prize \$1,000
- 3rd Prize \$ 500
- 9:00 PM Basket Raffle Drawings
- 9:30 PM One more Polka? & Fr. Bob’s Closing Song

PARKING INSTRUCTIONS: If you plan to attend the Mass at 4 PM and will be staying for the Oktoberfest Social, you will be asked to park in the BACK Parking Lot to allow others who are not staying to leave after the Mass. Please follow the directions of the Parking Crew for most efficient parking and for the safety of all. Let’s pray for a successful event, good weather and a “good time” to be had by all!

\$5 Admission Charge Wristband Required

Admission charge will help defray the cost of the Band/Music and Tent, Table & Chair Rentals. It also includes a chance to win an Overnight Stay w/Dinner for 2 at the Frankenmuth *Bavarian Inn*

Wristband Pre-Sale

After all Masses beginning the weekend of Sept. 5th

Please purchase a wristband for yourself, family and friends who wish to attend the Oktoberfest, as it is our best way of getting a count and enables us to plan for enough seating, food and beverages for all.

Food and Beverages will be sold separately at very reasonable prices.

BEER

WINE

SODA

BRATS, KIELBASA, KRAUT

GERMAN POTATO SALAD

STRUDELS, CAKES, COOKIES

COFFEE & TEAS

HOT PRETZELS

Also Available

Hot Dogs, Pizza, Chips

NO OUTSIDE FOOD OR BEVERAGES ALLOWED.

Information:

734-692-8827



Christian Service Meeting & Volunteers

Submitted by: Sue Perry

Interested in taking a more active role at OLOW. Our Christian Service Commission welcomes men and women to join as we create and promote programs that strive to address human needs. Some of the areas we are involved in are Right to Life, Homebound Ministry, Shawl Ministry, Planners, Giving Tree, and Blood Drive. We will be meeting at 6:30 on Wednesday, Oct.20th in the social hall. You are welcome to join us. Or if you have questions please contact Sue Perry, Christian Service Coordinator at (734) 676-2546

RCIA Classes Starting Soon!

What does this have anything to do with you? Let's find out. RCIA stands for Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults. What? It is simply the way non-Catholics, baptized or not, enter the Catholic Church. Let's say you are unbaptized but are interested in finding out more about the Catholic faith. Next step would be to email me, Pat Butler, at pbutler@olow.org. I will contact you and we can meet and talk. If you're like most people, you may not be ready to make a commitment, but you are curious. I will invite you to come to our classes to learn more about us. There will be NO pressure for you to join the Catholic faith.

Or you are a baptized Christian from one of the many non-Catholic churches. You may know someone who is Catholic, a friend, a co-worker, a relative. You both have discussed your religions and some of the things your friend, co-worker or relative has said intrigues you.

Or you are a fully initiated Catholic (you have received your Baptism, Communion and Confirmation sacraments), you attend mass regularly but you do not know a lot about your faith. After all 8th or 12h grade was quite a while ago and you just do not remember a lot. Why do I do what I do at Mass, when I pray or when I talk to others about my faith?

If you fit into one of the above categories, consider joining the RCIA class. Right now we are meeting on Monday nights at 6:30 or 7:00pm. The time will depend on the participants' work schedules. The class will last only one hour. If Monday night is not a good time for you, other times may be available.

If you have any questions, email me or call Becky, our church secretary, at 734-671-5101. She will give the information to me. I hope to hear from you soon.

Reflections On Scripture

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Despite his suffering, the prophet Isaiah insisted "the Lord God is my help." In what way do you need the Lord's help today?

NEW TESTAMENT READING

James sees faith alone as insufficient for Christians. He even asserts: "I will demonstrate my faith to you from my works." Could you do the same?

GOSPEL READING

We need to get our bearings straight and properly lay life's cornerstone. Otherwise, the rest of our journey will be skewed, and our judgment clouded. We can recall Jesus' famous rebuke of Peter, "You are thinking not as God does, but as human beings do." Even he, as one of Jesus' closest friends struggles with understanding things and grasping the big picture. Pierre Teilhard de Chardin (1881-1955) a renowned and learned French Jesuit priest often has these words attributed to him: "We are not human beings having a spiritual experience. We are spiritual beings having a human experience." Whether they were actually from his lips, they certainly mimic his thought. These wise words orient us and capture the essence of who we really are.

Many people consider spirituality an option. It is no wonder that they come to this conclusion when they predominantly define themselves using human terms and concepts. Immersed in this world view, they struggle finding any semblance of God because God does not work according to human expectations! This is especially true when suffering and death enter life's picture. If we are only human beings having a spiritual experience, then we wrongly expect our spirituality to serve us as we desire. The human expectation is that my spiritual life is something that is useful in avoiding pain, hardship, and death, not something that gives the courage to live through it!

So, when we protest and get upset with God because our journey is becoming difficult, painful, treacherous, disappointing, and even pointing us toward death, Jesus rebukes us as he did Peter and gently reminds us how to see. It is God who inspires and opens hearts to see truth and beauty. In God, the true meaning of things is understood, and we receive a depth of insight and understanding that is not found following purely human paths. It is not our task to understand God, as God is beyond human understanding. Ours is the joyful privilege of simply resting in God's presence simply because God is God and we are who we are. As spiritual beings having an exciting and adventurous human experience, it is in our DNA to do so. Through prayer we can let go and let be. This is how we lose our lives but then save them.

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Hours, Mass, Sacraments, & Other Contacts**Parish Office Hours (temporarily closed)**

Monday-Friday..... 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM
 (Closed for lunch from 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM)

Weekend Liturgies

Saturday 4:00 PM
 Sunday 9:00 AM & 11:00 AM

Weekday Liturgies

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday 9:00 AM

Private Confession

Saturday..... 3:00 - 4:00 PM or by appointment

Baptisms

(Registered, Active Parishioner for at least 3 months)

Call Fr. Bob for details and to set up an appointment.

Weddings

(Registered, Active Parishioner for at least 6 months)

One member of the engaged couple must be a participating, registered member of OLOW before wedding date. Call the office during business hours to make an appointment.

Funerals

Family members should contact the Parish Office at 734-671-5101 x107.

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