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Our Lady Help of Christians



Resurrection



St. Josaphat

January 22, 2023

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Office Hours: Mon., Wed. & Fri. 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday (Vigil):	4:00 p.m. - OLHC Church	Sunday:	7:00 a.m. - OLHC Chapel
	5:30 p.m. - Resurrection		8:30 a.m. - Resurrection
	(2nd & 4th Saturday of the Month)		10:00 a.m. - OLHC Church
	5:30 p.m. - St. Josaphat		11:00 a.m. - St. Josaphat
	(1st, 3rd, & 5th Saturday of the Month)		12:30 p.m. - Latin (Tridentine Mass)

THE CHAPEL OF OLHC IS OPEN MONDAY - FRIDAY 8 A.M. - 2 P.M FOR PRIVATE ADORATION

PASTORAL TEAM

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Dcn. Ted May
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CALL PARISH OFFICE REGARDING THE FOLLOWING:

BAPTISMS: Please contact the Parish Office of OLHC and request the Holy Baptism.

RECONCILIATION: Confessions are available in our Churches 20 minutes before every daily Mass and 30 minutes before Vigil Saturday Masses. Also by request after Mass.

WEDDINGS: Couples must make an appointment with the parish office of OLHC at least six months before the wedding date.

CARE/ANOINTING OF THE SICK: Every Tuesday at Resurrection Church after noon Mass. Call your office to request a home visit by our priests. Email Father Jozef at ksdudzik@gmail.com or Fr. Marcin at moszhenryk@gmail.com. In case of emergency, contact (716) 579-1745.

PRIESTHOOD/RELIGIOUS LIFE: If you hear Gods calling to serve as a Priest, Deacon, or Religious woman or man, contact the Vocation Office, Diocese of Buffalo at 716-847-5335.

PARISH REGISTRATION: New members are always welcome. Registration is arranged by a personal visit to the parish office you want to belong to or by telephone. PLEASE NOTE: If you are moving out of the parish, please notify your parish office.

MASS INTENTIONS (OLHC, Resurrection, St. Josaphat)**SATURDAY, January 21 Saint Agnes, Virgin & Martyr; Vigil of the Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8:30 am OLHC Chapel +Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI

4:00 pm OLHC Church +Dolores Domagala—by Ray & Margie Hauser

5:30 pm St. Josaphat +Wayne Wardak—by Joseph Mol & Anna
Lukaszewicz**SUNDAY, January 22 Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**

7:00 am OLHC Chapel John Doud, Chapel Usher

8:30 am Resurrection +Leonard Zak—by Ed & Eleanor Kantowski

10:00 am OLHC Church +Frank & Marge Schwab—by Tony & Jean
Schwab

11:00 am St. Josaphat +Deanine Haney—by Mom, Dad, & Corey

MONDAY, January 23

8:30 am OLHC Chapel +Ana Forsberg—by Mike Balk

9:00 am—6:00 pm OLHC Chapel - Eucharistic Adoration

TUESDAY, January 24 Saint Francis De Sales

12:00 pm Resurrection +Henry & Dorothy Dylong—by Fran Davidzik

WEDNESDAY, January 25 The Conversion of Saint Paul, Apostle

8:30 am OLHC Chapel +Thomas Algoe—by Liz Secord-Smith

12:00 pm St. Josaphat +Debra Harenza—by Mother

THURSDAY, January 26 Saint Timothy & Saint Titus, Bishops

8:30 am OLHC Church +Michael Evers—by Linda Evers

12:00 pm Resurrection +Kay Parrent—by Linda Zakrzewski

FRIDAY, January 27 Saint Angela Merici, Virgin

8:30 am OLHC Chapel +Emelie Bevelock—by Thomas Cone

12:00 pm St. Josaphat +James Taberski—by Theresa Kapturowski

SATURDAY, January 28 Saint Thomas Aquinas; Vigil of the Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00 pm OLHC Church +Mary Ferguson—by Ferguson Family

5:30 pm Resurrection +Salvatore Gallo—by Filomena, Pina, Francine &
Families**SUNDAY, January 29 Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

7:00 am OLHC Chapel +Joyce Hastrich—by Susan Cywinski

8:30 am Resurrection +Leonard Zak—by Lucille Puccio

10:00 am OLHC Church +Sylvia Stachura—by Husband, Leo & Family

11:00 am St. Josaphat +Walter & Helen Golen—by Family

SPIRITUAL LIFE IN OUR CHURCHES

- ◇ Daily Eucharist (see bulletin)
- ◇ Sacrament of Confession - 20 minutes before every Mass except Sundays
- ◇ Rosary - After daily morning Mass & 20 minutes before 12 pm daily & all weekend Masses.
- ◇ Novena to St. Joseph every Wednesday after 12 pm Mass at St. Josaphat.
- ◇ Anointing of the Sick - Every Tuesday after 12 pm Mass at Resurrection.
- ◇ Chaplet to the Divine Mercy - Every Friday 10 minutes before morning & noon Masses.
- ◇ First Fridays - Eucharist about the Sacred Heart of Jesus followed by First Friday devotion at 8:30 a.m. in the Chapel and 12:00 p.m. at St. Josaphat.
- ◇ First Saturdays - Eucharist about the Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin followed by First Saturday devotion at 8:30 a.m. at Resurrection.
- ◇ Eucharistic Adoration - Every Monday from 9:00 a.m.—6:00 p.m. in the OLHC Chapel and the First Tuesday of the Month at St. Josaphat from 1:00 p.m.—3:00 p.m.
- ◇ Blessing of Sacramentals (rosary's, crosses, and other holy items) - Every First Saturday of the month after 8:30 am Mass.

**Eucharistic Adoration Volunteers
(Members of all 3 Churches are welcome)****Every Monday 9:00 am—6 pm (Chapel)****9-10 am**—Rosary Group & Sandy Smith**10-11 am**—Marion Dascomb and
Susan & Timothy Cummings**11-12 pm**—Connie DiPasquale &
MaryAnn Blachowiak**12-1 pm**—Jan Thomsen & Geraldine Christel**1-2 pm**—Patricia & Robert Kurdziel**2-3 pm**—Marlene Stallone & Maureen Roos**3-4 pm**—Mary Gorski & Mark Seifert**4-5 pm**—Penny Moore and Daniel Vulaj**5-6 pm**—Elizabeth Gazy & Pauline Kinecki

New volunteers are welcome for every hour. If you are unable to attend and cannot find a replacement, please contact the Parish Office. Otherwise, please come and pray anytime between 9 am and 6 pm.

**Meetings for OLHC, Resurrection, & St.
Josaphat****Edelweiss Dance Group**—Wednesday, January 25th at 7:00 pm—OLHC Upper Parish Hall**Chapel Seniors**—Thursday, January 26th at 1:00 pm—OLHC Parish Hall**OLHC Parish Meeting**—Monday, February 6th at 7:00 pm—Upper Parish Hall

**WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP WEEKEND
January 7/8 2023**

Resurrection — \$4,194.61
St. Josaphat — \$6,092.75
Capital Repair Project Total—\$49,255.00
OLHC — \$12,307.00
St. Vincent DePaul — \$92.00

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

PRAYERS FOR OUR SICK & HOMEBOUND PARISHIONERS

Dave Borgioli Sr., Rita Ross, Chet Ross, Doreen Radzikowski, Lorry Bedtke, Matt Moore, Natalie Habert, Clair & Patricia Johnson, Ron Walters, Helen Wilczak, Kathleen Connors, Carolann Andrzejewski, Mary Zulawski, Marcia Stachewicz, Schuster Family, Nancy Dlugosz, Donna Jusiak, Linda Rebadow, Cheryl Rossi, Mary Ann Notaro, Paula DiJoseph, Grace Tomasello, Lucas Michael Nowak, Patricia Kubiak, Julie Korst, Ann Marie Lattuca, Martin Sehl, Connie Valentine, Patty Newton, Emily Mizerkiewicz, Patricia Urbanczyk, Patricia Piatkowski, Rebecca Beres, Rita Casey, Nancy Baumgartner, Carol Robichaud, Patricia Hicks, Veronica Szalecki, Andrea Jeski, Jane Seifert, Beth Luther, Gary Powers, Dave and Marian Dascomb, Bernard Raczyk, Patricia Adamski, Luisa Cerrato and all in need of healing.

LET US PRAY FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

Mary Brzyski
†

PRAY FOR THOSE IN THE MILITARY

Matthew Anthon, USAF, Mark Pastwick, USMC, Dan Donahue, US Army, Aaron Erdolino, Jr., US Army, Sean Michalski, US Army, Nathan Hafner, USMC, & Jacob Taft, LCpl., USMC; Matthew Carroll, USMC; Mark Morgano, USMC; Mark Moscicki, Sr. Mstr. Sgt., USAF; Austin Harmon, Seaman, USN; and Jeremy Jeziorski



Welcome to OLHC Parish

Ronald & Elizabeth Kolasinski and Family

~and~

Welcome to Resurrection Parish

Tyler Sekuterski



March for life

Thank you for the anonymous donation of \$1,000.00 to support our young pilgrims to Washington DC.

On **January 20th**, we will celebrate the 50th annual March for Life and the momentous overturn of *Roe v. Wade*! We will honor those who have gone before us making this historic victory possible, and we will present the strategic plan for building a culture of life in this moment in time.

Vital to our strategic “Next Steps” is continuing to boldly march each year in Washington, DC, now that the power to protect the unborn has returned to the American people through their elected representatives.

This year, rather than marching to the steps of the Supreme Court, where we have for decades asked our highest Court’s Justices to undo the destructive decision that was *Roe v. Wade*, we will now march to a new front in our battle for life, the steps of the United States Capitol.

Please watch on **EWTN**, who will air the entire events for March for Life on **January 19th (Vigil) and January 20th**. Please pray for all Pilgrims especially Youth participating in this beautiful event. Our Lady of Guadeloupe, pray for us.

Road to Renewal

Our path to renewal for the 4 Parishes (Our Lady Help of Christians, Resurrection, St. Josaphat, and Queen of Martyrs) to become one family will begin in 2023. Our main steps and dates to work toward this goal is as follows:

- **March 2023** – Staff to meet from all 4 Churches
- **April 2023** – All Parish Councils to meet
- **June 2023** – Begin meeting of 6 Pillars to prepare for the future of our family.
- **June 2023** – All Finance Councils to meet
- **December 1, 2023** – Officially become one family with new schedule of Masses for all 4 Parishes.

2022 YEAR END TAX REQUEST FORM

If you need a year-end tax form for 2022, please complete the form below and return it to the Parish Office **where you are registered** either in the weekly collection basket or by mail. The tax forms will be mailed (if requested) beginning the 3rd week of January, 2023.

Name: _____ Envelope # _____

Address: _____

**St. Josaphat Parish
Spiritual & Financial Report
Sept. 1, 2021—Aug. 31, 2022**

				<u>Sept. 1, '20—Aug. 31, '21</u> <u>(previous fiscal year)</u>
No. of Registered Households	290	Receipts:	<u>Sept. 1, '21—Aug. 31, '22</u>	
Total Individuals	560	Sunday/Holyday Collections	\$186,044.24	\$251,035.65
Attendance/weekend	230	Monthly/Special Collections	7,828.00	22,713.00
		Reimbursements	9,322.89	2,480.18
<u>Sacramental Information:</u>		Votive Candles	6,390.78	11,544.92
Baptisms	13	Flowers	3,259.00	2,316.00
First Reconciliation	0	Donations	2,774.42	39,109.08
First Eucharist	5	Misc. Receipts (e.g., ERC credit, fuel, pew-rent)	15,499.13	<u>6,937.53</u>
Confirmation	8	<u>Approved Capital Funds</u>	<u>20,100</u>	
Marriage	0			
Anointing of the Sick	35			
		TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$251,218.56	\$336,136.36
		<u>Expenses:</u>		
<u>Lay Ministries:</u>		Payroll/Benefits (clergy /staff)	\$69,081.75	\$86,678.09
Eucharistic Ministers	9	Altar/Office/Bldg. Supplies	23,972.57	30,580.27
Lectors	5	Envelopes/Missalettes	3,570.30	4,016.56
Altar Servers	6	Utilities	33,673.94	37,632.13
Catechists	2	Diocesan Assessments	158,626.00	75,729.96
		Insurance	30,173.60	25,317.02
		Maintenance/Repairs	41,724.00	48,010.04
		Equipment and Furnishings	4,407.00	16,443.94
		<u>Misc. Expenses</u>	<u>12,312.46</u>	<u>1,582.27</u>
		TOTAL EXPENSES	\$377,541.02	\$325,990.28
		Assets as of 8/31/2022:		
		Total in Checking Accts.	\$164,711.21	
		Total in Emergency Fund	\$ 76,232.47	

Parish Committees/Organizations:

Parish Council	Faith Formation Program	Eucharistic Adoration
Finance Committee	Music Ministry	Buildings & Grounds
Collection Counters	Eucharistic Ministers	Lectors
RCIA Program	Bible Study	Youth/Adult Altar Servers

To our parishioners, friends and benefactors: It was through stewardship that our ancestors built up the church that we have today. It is through your prayers and generosity that we are able to continue our journey in faith and can make the necessary repairs and improvements to our buildings and grounds. We have been richly blessed and appreciate your continued giving of your time, talents and treasure as we move forward in spreading God's message of love. Blessings to all of you who support us here at St. Josaphat Parish.

**OLHC Faith Formation (716) 458-3130
olhc.faithformation@gmail.com**

Starting in January, all Kindergartners and 1st grade students will meet during class time on Saturdays with Mrs. Fortuna.

January Schedule

January 28th 9:30—10:30 am



Monogram for the Holy Name

The Cross as a Symbol for the Divine Name. The similarity between the Chi-Rho symbol and the Cross is so apparent that it was not long before the two became related artistically. The Cross and the divine Name serve as symbols of redemption, and as a means of protection against the attacks of the demons. Thus, it became customary to put the cruciform monogram on doors and houses. One of the more common methods for the cruciform arrangement involved the use of the two words Φως and ζωη (light and life), terms which Christ applied to Himself in John 8:12; 11:25. Jesus is our Light and Life, for He gives us divine faith and grace. The liturgy desires, prays for, and obtains light and life for the living and the dead. Here we have the reason why the combination of the two concepts, light and life, in the form of a cross became such a popular word symbol in the early Church and is frequently found on doors of houses (Syria), on tombs, and also on ampullas, terracotta lamps, and other articles.



Bible Study - Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible

Many Catholics want to read the Bible but get bogged down by the long stretches that seem not to make sense or get lost among the sea of Old Testament names and places. Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible, an eight-part Bible study, helps you uncover the story woven throughout Scripture, so you can get the “big picture” of the Bible and understand what it’s all about. Aided by a unique color-coded *Bible Timeline*TM Chart that arranges the key people, places, and events of the Bible in chronological order, Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible will help you pick up the Bible with confidence and understand how you fit into God’s plan.

Our Lady Help of Christians will begin the Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible study on **February 9th, 2023 at 6:30 pm**. Participants will meet every week to view an engaging video presentation followed by a time of lively group discussion and fellowship. For more information or to register, contact Renée Fortuna at 716-458-3130 or at olhc.faithformation@gmail.com. **Registration is due by February 2nd. Late registrations will need to order their own material.**

Parishioners of the Latin (Tridentine) Mass

Our Priests: Fr. Martin Gallagher, Fr. Paul Nogaro, Fr. Justus Ndyamukama, Fr. Denning Achidi

Confessions: Fr. Jozef Dudzik and Fr. Marcin Porada

Today is the Third Sunday After Epiphany—Mass Intentions

SUNDAY January 22 Third Sunday After Epiphany
12:30 pm OLHC Chapel For the Parishioners of OLHC, St. Josaphat, and Resurrection

SUNDAY January 29 Fourth Sunday After Epiphany
12:30 pm OLHC Chapel +James Powers—by Mom

The Latin Mass is in need of one or two people who could help set up the altar for Mass each Sunday. If you are interested, please call the OLHC Parish Office or see Rick Torsell in the sacristy after Mass.

CEMETERY NEWS

Mission Statement: Believing in the sanctity of the human body, the resurrection and eternal life, we are dedicated to the respectful care of God’s people, who even in death remain a part of our Faith community.

The cemetery at **Our Lady Help of Christians** has plots available in the cemetery as well as niches in the 3 columbarium's.

CEMETERY PLOTS:

- \$1,300 (parishioner rate)
- \$1,400 (non-parishioner rate)

**The cost of the grave does not include the foundation. The foundation will need to be paid upon installation of a grave marker.

COLUMBARIUM: (St. Francis, St. Joseph, & St. Barbara)

- Level A (top)..... \$2,075
- Level B.....\$1,975
- Level C.....\$1,875
- Level D (bottom).....\$1,775

Note: Price includes engraving with no additional opening/closing fees.

If you would like to discuss purchasing a grave or columbarium, please call the Parish Office 716 276-9288.

Chapel Senior Trip-All ages welcomed

"Come join us on a 3-day trip, **March 29-31, 2023**, to Lancaster, Pa to the Sight & Sound Theater to Experience one of the Bible's most epic stories as Moses comes to life with massive sets, special effects and live animals in this original stage production from Sight & Sound Theaters. Trip cost \$425.00 Contact Joan or David Rosner at 716-675-4766 . www,GroupTrips.com/JandDtours". **Final payment due January 23, 2023.**

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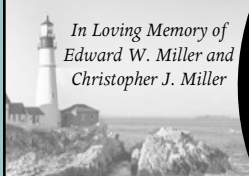
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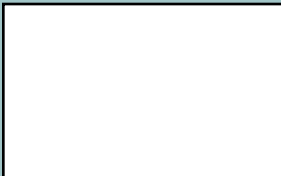
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