Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

Last Saturday, we had our junior high and high school youth rally here at OLPH. It was a great turnout of youth, parents, and especially the help we had from the Knights of Columbus and the Catholic Daughters of America providing food for the event. Thank you to all who helped put on the event! As you all know it is very difficult for youth today to distinguish good from evil as the devil appears as an angel of light. Matt Regitz (speaker for the youth rally) talked about distinguishing real from fake, which leads into the recent disaster that took place at Astroworld/NRG.

On November 5th there were eight people that died and eleven went into cardiac arrest at the concert that evening. The eight that died ranged in age from 14-27 and many others were seriously injured. Evil begets evil and the more darkness we allow, the more darkness follows. Why would parents expose their children to such a diabolical event? The pictures that have surfaced and what this music artist promotes are very disturbing. We pray for the conversion of hearts that the light of Christ may permeate every aspect of their lives and our lives as well. Satan appears as an angel of light and will present all sorts of flowery invitations, which will draw many away from Jesus Christ. We must continue to push forward with cultivating our prayer lives, strengthening our families, having well-formed consciences, and encouraging/promoting healthy/wholesome Christ-like events where youth or any person can encounter the presence of God's love as beloved sons and daughters of our heavenly Father. God's love was completely absent at this concert, because in the end we cannot serve both God and mammon. We will serve and dedicate our lives to one and the other will become less and less.

As we prepare for the Advent season, which is about preparation for the coming of Jesus Christ, how can we as a parish family invest in the ultimate treasure of knowing Jesus Christ intimately so we can identify truth from lies, good from evil, God from Satan? Be not afraid as we are beloved sons and beloved daughters of the most high King!

Your servant & shepherd in Christ,

Father Preston Quintela

**That Man Is You (TMIY) is an interactive men’s program focused on the development of male leadership in the modern world. It combines the best research from science with the teachings of the Catholic faith and the wisdom of the saints to develop the vision of authentic men capable of transforming themselves, their families and greater society. The program is on Friday’s, from 5:30am till 7am at OLPH hall.**

Our series The Bible Timeline with Jeff Cavens is still going on Monday’s. We have a morning session at 9:30am and 7pm at OLPH. If interested, please show up for the time that is more convenient for you.



**Saturday, Nov. 13**

5:00pm SJA † Joseph Nguyen Gia Bao

**Sunday, Nov. 14**

8:30am OLPH † Mike A. Nunez

10:30am SJA † Willie Barak

12:30pm OLPH † Candelario Gutierrez

**Monday, Nov, 15**

6pm SJA

**Tuesday, Nov. 16**

5 pm SJA † Doris Follett

**Wednesday, Nov. 17**

8:30am OLPH † Antonio Espina

*Adoration following mass*

**Thursday, Nov. 18**

8:30am SJA † Doris Follett

*Adoration following mass*

**Friday, Nov. 19**

8:00am OLPH † Rafael Vaca Ramirez

**Saturday, Nov. 20**

5:00pm SJA   † Joseph Nguyen Gia Bao

**Sunday, Nov. 21**

8:30am OLPH Juanita Griffith-Rec. of Health

10:30am SJA † Paul Jenkins

12:30pm OLPH † Candelario Gutierrez

**PRAYER LIST** Carrie Lisario**,** SC Hutze, Dale Hudson**,** Renalda Brown**,** Josie Gupton**,** Jim Curdie**,**  Brittney Billings, Estella Ellis, Brylie Stowers, Cindy Delgado, Ann Polka, Annabel & Vance Sechelski**,** Rosa Ramirez, R. J. Perez, Alainah Perez, Jerri Morris, Arthur Ramirez, Eric Hatz, Joey & Jenni Nallie, Granny Matejka, Lloyd Lambert, Ralph Nairn, Millie Gresham, Julia Foote, Viviana Salazar, Lucy Laker, Luis Covarrubias, Debra McCormac, Maria Rosas, Sofia Patino, Dana Gilson, Naomi Smith, Chrisitan Robles, Michael Rivera, Judy Bernard, Tony Liserio, Nelda Alford, Mary Karstedt, Genevieve Buenger Frances Gonzalez, Linda Miska, Robert Apricio, Fatima Perez,, Diana Barak, George Gracia, Juan Martinez, Theresa Siska, Aubrey Schultz, Beth McQueen, Wayne Schmidt, Ed Klaiber, Emma Smith, Sam Hollis, Lucy Casarez, Mary Weeks, Elsie Engle, JeanMaire Pempek, Diana Berlanga, Ricardo Rodriguez, Frank Matusek, Dorothy Havel, Sarah Beth Strother, Lori Comley, Janie Ordonez, Eriverto Garcia, Marissa Miska, Myra Houston, Juanita Griffith, Yolanda Guerrero, Esther Martinez, John Garza, Sr., Erica Janette Reyna, Roger Edgar, James Pisklak, Mary Anna Gercius, Lorraine Castro, Verenice Ferer, Richard Gunn, Larry Barak, Itzel Rodriguez, Esperansa Curiel, Rodolfo Curiel, Brett Perkins, Ana Saucedo, Anna Ruth Hickey, Betsy Hutson, Leon Bertsch.

**Reifel’s Feed & Ranch Supply**

**Readings for the Week of November 14, 2021**

**Sunday Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**

 Dn 12:1-3; Ps 16:5, 8, 9-10, 11; Heb 10:11-14,

 18; Mk 13:24-32

**Monday Saint Albert the Great, Bishop and Doctor of**

 **the Church**

1 Mc 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63; Ps 119:53, 61,

 134, 150, 155, 158; Lk 18:35-43

**Tuesday Saint Margaret of Scotland; Saint Gertrude,**

 **Virgin** 2 Mc 6:18-31; Ps 3:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Lk 19:1-10

**Wednesday Memorial of Saint Elizabeth of Hungary,**

 **Religious**

2 Mc 7:1, 20-31; Ps 17:1bcd, 5-6, 8b and 15;

 Lk 19:11-28

**Thursday The Dedication of the Basilicas of Saints Peter**

 **and Paul, Apostles; Saint Rose Philippine**

 **Duchesne, Virgin**

1 Mc 2:15-29; Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15; Lk 19:41-44

**Friday** 1 Mc 4:36-37, 52-59; 1 Chr 29:10bcd, 11abc,

 11d-12a, 12bcd; Lk 19:45-48

**Saturday** 1 Mc 6:1-13; Ps 9:2-3, 4 and 6, 16 and 19;

 Lk 20:27-40

**Sunday Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of**

 **the Universe**

Dn 7:13-14; Ps 93:1, 1-2, 5; Rv 1:5-8;

 Jn 18:33b-37

2nd Collection is for Local St. Vincent de Paul.

**OLPH-Nov. 7, 2021**

Regular Collection $2,681.00

Weekly amount needed $2,400.00

No 2nd Collection $679.00

**SJA-Nov. 7, 2021**

Regular Collection $1,839.00

Weekly amount needed $2,000.00

No 2nd Collection $304.00

**![MC900436180[1]]()Please pray for our Troops** including Spec. Abel Carrasco, Major Stephen Koether, GY Sgt. Phillip James Sanchez III, Javier Villisana, Cpt. Mike Knight, Cpt. Ciara Knight, Chris Roche, Jared Nelson, Staff Sgt. Robert Reynolds, Cpt. Jake Knight, Warrant Officer Dylan Diaz, Sgt.Gabriel Quinones, Pvt. Edgar Servantes, Staff Sgt. Jazmin Cisneros, D.J. Cisneros, Gage Alderman.

**Happy Anniversary Nov. 16-30**

Chris & Lisa Klesel 21Years

Enrique & Lisa Leal 5 Years

Sergio & Maria Trujillo 6 Years

Mel & Linda Diaz 51 Years

Benjamin & Esther Vera 13 Years

Cesar & Dulce Ramirez 16 Years

Vicente & Rosario Borrego 58 Years

**Our next parish workday will be on Saturday, November 20th. Mark your Calendar.**

We will have an Altar Boy training class on Sat., Nov. 27th at SJA from 9am to 11:30 am. This is for all new and existing Altar Servers.

As we prepare for Advent, here are the Christmas Schedule and activities that will take place throughout this Joyous Season.

**MASSES**

**We will have three Ad Orientem Masses in December at OLPH at 9am on December 4th, 11th, and 18th.**

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**Friday, December 24-Christmas Eve Mass Schedule**

4:00 pm – SJA – Children’s Mass

 6:30 pm – OLPH –

 8:30 pm – OLPH - Spanish

 12:00 pm – OLPH – Midnight Mass

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**Saturday, Dec. 25 - Christmas Day Mass Schedule**

9:30am – SJA

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**Sunday, December 26 –** Regular Mass Schedule

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**Friday, December 31 – New Year’s Eve Mass Schedule**

8:30 am – OLPH

5:00 pm – SJA

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**Saturday, January 1–New Year’s Day Mass Schedule**

5:00 pm – SJA

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**Sunday, January 2** – Regular Mass Schedule

**ACTIVITIES**

**Sunday, December 5-Children’s Pageant**

5:00 pm -SJA

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**Friday, Dce. 3rd – 6:30pm -OLPH-**Christmas Party for both parish Finance, Parish Council, & Maintenance

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**Thurs., Dec. 9th at 5pm-OLPH**- All ladies from both parishes are invited to the Altar Society/Altar Guild Christmas party. Please R.S.V.P. to 548-2020

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We will be starting a new video series called “A Biblical Walk Through the Mass” on **Sat., December 11th at 9:45am at OLPH**. Bring your phone, tablet, I-pad, or Laptop if you would like help in downloading “Formed”. We will have a training session at 1pm and help you download it to your device. This is provided by the parishes and has a lot of great documentaries, series, and is great for all ages.

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 **Wed., Dec. 15th OLPH at 5:30pm** Faith Formation Christmas Party for both parishes.

**Rosary-Sorrowful**

Nov. 20 5:00pm Roxann Martinez

Nov. 21 8:30am Laurie Kane

Nov. 21 10:30am Denise McKeon

Nov. 21 12:30pm Angelica Salazar

Confessions are 30 minutes before and after weekday masses. Tuesday and Saturday’s confessions start at 4pm.

**Summer Camp 2022 Registration is in still ongoing.**