



August 7, 2022

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

OLHC PARISH/CEMETERY OFFICE

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ST. JOSAPHAT PARISH OFFICE

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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

Fr. Jozef Dudzik
 Fr. Marcin Porada
 Dcn. Ted May
 Dcn. Bob Badaszewski

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

Mrs. Joanna Sell
 Mrs. Kathy Reinard
 Mrs. Renee Fortuna

FAITH FORMATION

Mrs. Renee Fortuna, Director

YOUTH MINISTRY

Mr. Cristian Swiatek

BOOKKEEPER

Mrs. Shannon Justo
 Mrs. Carol Zipp

BUILDINGS & GROUNDS

Mr. Michael Hora
 Mr. William Lunger

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, August 6 The Transformation of the Lord; Vigil of The Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

4:00 pm OLHC Church +Arthur Kosnik—by Wife & Family

5:30 pm St. Josaphat Ed & Norma Bender 60th Wedding Anniversary —by Family

SUNDAY, August 7 The Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00 am OLHC Chapel +Beverly Bristol—by Ed Witul

8:30 am Resurrection +Charles Baco—by Family

10:00 am OLHC Church Jozef Makula—by Grandma and +Don Franklin—Family

11:00 am St. Josaphat +Geraldine Ladowski—by Susan Brudz

MONDAY, August 8 Saint Dominic, Priest

8:30 am OLHC Chapel +Waldo & Dombrowski Families—by Delphine Waldo

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

TUESDAY, August 9 Saint Teresa Benedicta of the Cross, Virgin & Martyr

12:00 pm Resurrection +Joseph Roman, Anniversary of Death—by Family

WEDNESDAY, August 10 Saint Lawrence, Deacon and Martyr

8:30 am OLHC Chapel +John Joseph Roos—by Maureen Roos and +Florence Witul—by Family

12:00 pm St. Josaphat +Stephanie Garasz—by Aunt Nancy

THURSDAY, August 11 Saint Clare, Virgin

8:30 am OLHC Church +Frank VanDette—by Wife

12:00 pm Resurrection +John Puccio—by Family

FRIDAY, August 12 Saint Jane Frances de Chantal, Religious

8:30 am OLHC Chapel +Robert Strzalkowski—by Wife, Anita

12:00 pm St. Josaphat +James Barciniak—by Wife, Dolores

SATURDAY, August 13 Saints Pontian, Pope, and Hippolytus, Priest, Martyrs; Vigil of The Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00 pm OLHC Church +Dorothy Czigowski—by Carol

5:30 pm Resurrection +Diane Sekuterski—by George Nowicki

SUNDAY, August 14 The Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00 am OLHC Chapel +Irene & Geary Robida—by Daughter/Sister Gayle

8:30 am Resurrection +Raymond Makowski—by Marge Makowski and +Richard Rogacki—by Family

10:00 am OLHC Church +Angeline, Walter, Maryann & Richard Kowlski—by M/M Robert Kurdziel and

+Norbert Donhauser—by May Family

11:00 am St. Josaphat +Lipinski Family—by Karen Kawczynski

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 Devine 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—Michele Reger and Penny Moore

5-6 pm—Elizabeth Gazy, Pauline Kinecki, & Michele Reger

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

Rosary Apostolate—Sunday, August 7th at 1 pm—OLHC Parish Hall

Holy Name—Monday, August 8th at 7 pm—OLHC Parish Hall

Edelweiss Dance Group—Wednesday, August 10th at 7 pm—OLHC Upper parish Hall

St. Josaphat Parish Meeting—Monday, September 12th at 7:00 pm—Parish Center

**WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP
WEEKEND July 23/24 2022**

Resurrection — \$13,576.00

St. Josaphat — \$4,583.98

OLHC — \$10,556.34

St. Vincent DePaul — \$199.00

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

**PRAYERS FOR OUR SICK &
HOMEBOUND PARISHIONERS**

Dave Borgioli Sr., Helen Walkowiak, Diane Wasielewski, Rita Ross, James Wojcik. Sr, Justine Janora, Chet Ross, Doreen Radzikowski, Joe Pace, Lorry Bedtke, Matt Moore, John Reinard, 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, Millie Sikinoff, Connie Valentine, Patty Newton, Emily Mizerkiewicz, Geraldine Ignatowski, Patricia Urbanczyk, John Kammerer, Patricia Piatkowski, Mickey Pijanowski, Rebecca Beres and all in need of healing.

LET US PRAY FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

Lawrence Helminiak

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Resurrection Church Chicken Dinner/Basket Raffle

We will be holding our BW Chicken Dinner and Basket Raffle on **Sunday, September 18 from 1:00 – 4:00 PM** in the Resurrection Parish Center. Proceeds from this fundraiser will go towards renovations to the church and parish hall. Chicken dinner tickets are available for \$12 at Resurrection Church (back of church) before and after all Resurrection Parish masses and at the Resurrection Rectory during regular office hours. Basket raffle tickets will be available at the Resurrection Parish Center beginning Saturday, August 27 before and after all Resurrection Parish masses. **We will begin to accept donated gift baskets on August 1.** Baskets can be left in the Resurrection Parish Usher's Room before or after Resurrection Parish masses and at the Resurrection Parish rectory during regular office hours. If you have any questions, please contact Judy Glinski, 803-2176; Shirley Schnettler, 949-3851; or Cheryl Tubisz, 901-2617. Thank you all for your generosity.

**Feast of the Assumption at
Our Lady Help of Christians**

~August 15, 2022~

The Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary and OLHC's Day of Prayer for the 175th Anniversary of the Diocese of Buffalo

*OUTDOOR MASS/BLESSING OF HERBS & FLOWERS ~
LATIN MASS ~ ROSARY FOR PEACE ~ FOOD TRUCKS ~
*BAKE SALE ~ BASKET RAFFLE ~ ~ROSARIES
AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE FROM ROSARY
APOSTOLATE ~ ACTIVITIES FOR KIDS & MORE~*

****All activities will be at OLHC. Watch for further details****

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MASS SCHEDULE FOR ALL 3 CHURCHES

8:30 am – Mass - OLHC Chapel
8:30 am – Mass - Resurrection
10:00 am – Mass - Blessing of Herbs - OLHC Grotto
12:00 pm – Latin Mass – OLHC Chapel
12:00 pm – Mass – St. Josaphat
2:00 pm—Rosary for Peace - OLHC Grotto
6:30 pm - Living Rosary—OLHC Church
7:00 pm – Healing Mass OLHC Church
(Anointing of the Sick)

*Volunteers are needed to bake items for the sale as well as to donate items for the basket raffle. Interested parties contact Sandy Smith for details at 716-866-6493 or SmithSandraG@gmail.com.

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All baked goods can be dropped off on Sunday, August 14th after all OLHC Masses or the morning of August 15th no later than 10 am in the tent near the mausoleum.



Congratulations to Matthew & Michelle DiCenzo whose son Luca Matthew was baptized on July 31st at OLHC.

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion.

The Office of Worship of the Diocese of Buffalo will host a training session for individuals who wish to become Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Community on **Saturday, August 20 at 9:30 am at St. Jude the Apostle Parish Hall, 800 Niagara Falls Blvd., North Tonawanda.** Please first discuss the possibility with your pastor/parish administrator. Once your pastor approves, complete an application form (available from your parish office or the Office of Worship) and present it to your parish office for final approval, pastor's signature and parish seal. Forms should then be sent to the Office of Worship, 795 Main St., Buffalo, NY 14203 no later than 7 days prior to the training. When attending a formation session, please bring your personal Bible and a means of taking notes. For more information, email worship@buffalodiocese.org or call 716-847-5545.

Buildings and Grounds Updates for Our Lady Help of Christians, Resurrection, and St. Josaphat's Churches

OUR LADY HELP OF CHRISTIANS:

During my two years as pastor here at Our Lady Help of Christians, I have been blessed by the astounding love and generosity of our parishioners. Such generosity has enabled us to bring about some transformations to the Our Lady Help of Christians Chapel, the Main Church Building, the School, our Parish Office, the Rectory, and our Cemetery grounds. With your help and cooperation, we have witnessed an increase in parishioner membership, restored financial health, and an increase in the prayerfulness and activities of the various groups here at Our Lady Help of Christians. I am confident in a strong and healthy future for Our Lady Help of Christians Parish.

A special THANK YOU is owed to Michael Hora for all he has done **for all three parishes**, and his help with completing all of our major buildings and grounds projects! Without him all of the improvements you see (**especially here at Our Lady Help of Christians**) would not be possible! Currently, we are working on creating a strong and vibrant Faith Formation Program and Youth Ministry for all three parishes. We will continue to work on making our parish more holy, strong, and secure for generations to come, and we ask for your patience, trust, and further cooperation as we continue to embark on some additional projects that will make our churches more beautiful. Some of these projects include but are not limited to:

- Restoring the Chapel roof (done last week) • Renovating the bathrooms in both the school and Chapel • Continued work to enhance our landscaping and parking lots • Creating a new entrance to the Rectory and the Parish Office • Provide a new outside altar for the Grotto • Address the many necessary repairs and renovations needed in the Grotto • Tend to the many small improvements necessary to make our daily lives easier and ensure well cared for parish grounds and buildings in the future (for example necessary repairs of floor and roof in Mausoleum)

RESURRECTION CHURCH:

Since the beginning of the year, and most especially within the past six months, Resurrection has seen the most improvements and renovations to its buildings and grounds. The projects completed include but are not limited to:

- The complete renovation of the Malinowski Center • New bells were installed on the church- *courtesy of a special donation made for the project* • A new floor was put into Resurrection Church • The tabernacle has been refurbished and put back into its original place- *in the center of the church* • Side doors have been renovated • New ramp was installed and sidewalks restored • New parking spaces were added around the church • Landscaping was improved • Air conditioning was newly installed in the Rectory and Parish Office • Our rectory was recently renovated to house our new live-in priest and parochial vicar-Rev. Marcin Porada • New tables and chairs have been ordered for the Malinkowski Center-*courtesy of a generous donor*

Our future projects in the coming winter and beyond include but are not limited to:

- Additional renovation of the interior of Resurrection Church by repainting the Sanctuary wall • Restoring all the pews • Restore and Renovate the exterior Masonry of Resurrection Church • Repair and renovate Resurrection Church windows

Thank you to all who donated to Resurrection Church and helped bring about the many improvements to all of our buildings! Your help ensures that our parish will be strong for years to come. A special thank you to Michael Hora, Phil Nowicki, and Patrick Stites who continually volunteer their time, talents, and faith in making our parish strong and vibrant.

ST. JOSAPHAT'S CHURCH:

Since the beginning of the year the following projects have been completed at St. Josaphat's Church:

- The heating system in both the church and parish center has been fully upgraded and repaired • All old boilers have been removed • All utilities have been shut off in the old school (Annex) building, convent, and rectory to prepare two buildings for demolition, Annex will stay and later we will decide about its future • Lights inside the church have been replaced with newer energy efficient bulbs • Stations of the Cross were partially renovated-*but renovations were paused due to recurring water damage* • Parish office was successfully relocated to the Parish Center which was recently renovated • 5 rooms and all the hallways in the Parish Center were renovated (*New offices for Youth Ministry and the Parish Secretary*) • Air conditioning was installed in the Parish offices

Projects to consider for the future:

- Renovate all bathrooms in the Parish Center during the winter time • Pending Diocesan approval, focus on removing the convent, rectory, and old school building • Prepare project for new parking lots (**once convent and rectory buildings are demolished**) • Proceed with the masonry restoration project -**dependent upon how much is raised**

If St. Josaphat's cannot raise the \$180,000 required to complete the Masonry Restoration Project for the church building, the Family of four Parishes will meet in October to discuss the future of St. Josaphat's Parish. Everything will now depend upon the people of St. Josaphat to trust us and to step up to the plate to help secure their parish for future generations. Let us focus on what we can do right now to make sure our church lasts for years to come. With the help of God and the people of St. Josaphat's, all things are possible.

Brothers and Sisters, our most important task is getting everyone to heaven! Let us continue to live authentic Christian Lives, and by our example, prayers, words and deeds, bring others back to the one true Catholic Faith! Let us serve God first and place our trust in him to provide for all our needs. Please accept our never-ending gratitude to all who work at all three parishes with generous hearts and minds!

~ Fr. Jozef and Fr. Marcin

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

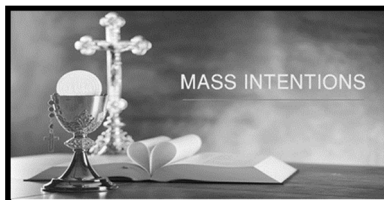
The Religious Education Resource Center is open to all our families at Our Lady Help of Christians Parish, Resurrection and St. Josaphat Church. **The Faith Formation office and Religious Education Resource Center is open on Wednesdays from 2:30 pm-5:30 pm. Please call Renee at 716-458-3130 or email at olhc.faithformation@gmail.com, to set up a time for a meeting outside of these hours.**

Attention Parents/Guardians of our Faith Formation program, our Fall semester planning is well underway! The new Faith Formation program will begin **September 10th**, starting at 9:30 am-10:30 am and will be held at Our Lady Help of Christians Faith Formation School building. We will hold classes for grades 2nd-10th. Sacraments are: 2nd grade-1st Reconciliation, 3rd grade-1st Holy Communion, 10th grade-Confirmation. Our teachers from all 3 parishes will work with the children who did not receive their sacraments or need to catch up in order to be ready to receive their sacraments.

Registration forms will be mailed to all families within the parish that have school-aged children. All children, including homeschooled kids are welcome and encouraged to register. Attending Mass with your child/children is a requirement for the program. If you have any questions, Renee can be reached at the Faith Formation office 716-458-3130 or at olhc.faithformation@gmail.com. Father Jozef and Father Marcin are also available to speak with any parents that have questions or concerns. Please email them directly Fr Jozef: ksdudzik@gmail.com; Fr Marcin: moszhenryk@gmail.com.



The Faith Formation program will offer a special class for students that have not received the Sacraments of Baptism, 1st Reconciliation and 1st Holy Communion. These students will need to be within the ages of 8-14 years old. The students will meet on Saturday from 9:30 am-10:30 am starting **September 10, 2022**. Once their first year is completed and they have received their Sacraments, they will be able to join their respective classes moving forward. Please contact Renee Fortuna at the Faith Formation office at 716-458-3130 to register.



OLHC Mass intentions are still available for **2023**. Please stop by the Parish office or call us at 716 276-9288 during business hours.

Senior/Congregation Trip: Nashville

Oct 24 to Oct 29, 6 Days 5 Nights. Cost \$789 PP double occupancy. Two great shows-The Grand Old Opry, Nashville Nightlife dinner Theater. Contact Joan & David Rosner 716-675-4766
***www.grouptrips.com/janddtours. Final Payment due 08/17/2022.**

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 9th Sunday After Pentecost
Mass Intentions

SUNDAY August 7, 9th Sunday After Pentecost

12:30 pm OLHC Chapel For the Parishioners of OLHC, St. Josaphat, and Resurrection

SUNDAY August 14, 10th Sunday After Pentecost

12:30 pm OLHC Chapel +Matthew Piskorowski—by Daughter, Janice

- ◇ Please register with the parish by calling the office at 716-276-9288. The office hours are listed on the front page of the bulletin.
- ◇ Fr will be hearing confessions 20 minutes before Mass.
- ◇ The Rosary will be prayed together before Mass.
- ◇ If you wish to request a Mass intention to be said at the Latin Mass, please call or visit the rectory during office hours. Also, do so if you are planning a Baptism, wedding or have other needs.
- ◇ Please register your children in our Faith Formation Program.
- ◇ Fr Jozef and Fr Marcin invites you from time to time, to participate in the Masses in the main church, and to pray with them, and listen to their preaching.

Bible Study - A Powerful Study on the Blessed Mother

Filmed on location in the Holy Land, *Mary: A Biblical Walk with the Blessed Mother* will place you in the midst of the powerful drama of Mary's earthly life, taking you through her joys and her sorrows. You will learn how she works in our lives today, drawing us ever closer to her divine Son. Seeing Mary in this way will change you forever. She will become a part of your daily life and help you to become more like Christ.

Join us for *Mary: A Biblical Walk with the Blessed Mother* at Our Lady Help of Christians, **beginning September 15** from 6:30 pm-8:00 pm and continuing every Thursday for 8 weeks. The cost is \$30. For more information or to register for the study, call Renee Fortuna at 716-458-3130 or email olhc.faithformation@gmail.com.

Youth Ministry

As part of its outreach to the young people of our congregation, St. Josaphat's Church is proud to announce the introduction of "Youth for Christ"-a youth ministry geared for people ages 12 to 25. Everyone from all three parishes are encouraged to participate. Our first meeting will begin on Tuesday September 13, 2022 from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. The ministry will be overseen by Rev. Jozef Dudzik, Rev Marcin Porada and Mr. Cristian Swiatek. Anyone interested in participating can e-mail the ministry at stjyouthministry368@gmail.com.