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**WEEKEND MASS TIMES:**

Saturday 5:30 pm  
Sunday 10:30 am

**WEEKDAY MASS TIMES:**

Tuesday– Friday 9:00 am

**OFFICE HOURS:**

Tuesday – Friday 9:00 am – 3:00 pm

**ROSARY PRAYER GROUP:**

9:45am – 10:00am every Sunday prior to Mass

**PRAYER CHAIN:**

Call Audrey Little @ 690-1536 Or email Karen Crapps at crappspk@gci.net

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION & BENEDICTION:**

First Friday of each month, 9:30am – 8:00pm.

**PRAYER MEETING:**

Please contact Janice Wilsack for more information.

**BULLETIN & INSERT DEADLINE:**

Articles for the weekly bulletin must be in by Wednesday at noon. Thank you!

# Our Lady of the Angels

~Archdiocese of Anchorage~

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**JULY 22nd, 2018**

**OUR MISSION:**

As Community,

We celebrate Christ through the Word, the Eucharist, and the Sacraments of the Church.

We educate and enrich through worship, faith formation, and living out our faith rooted in the gospel of Jesus Christ.

We welcome and reach out to members of our local community through sharing our many and varied gifts, and practicing the corporal and spiritual works of mercy.

We commit to building parish community by welcoming, embracing, and serving all.

**UPCOMING ACTIVITIES/EVENTS:**

- ✚ July 15-20 St. Therese's Camp, Wasilla
- ✚ July 22-27 St. Therese's Camp, Wasilla
- ✚ July 29-Aug 3 St. Therese's Camp, Wasilla
- ✚ Aug 3 Eucharistic Adoration and Benediction 9:30 am – 8:00 pm
- ✚ Aug 3 Holy Land Pilgrimage informational mtg. @ 6pm
- ✚ Aug 4 ABC Pregnancy Care Center Run/Walk
- ✚ Aug 4 Holy Land religious goods for sale downstairs after mass
- ✚ Aug 5 Holy Land religious goods for sale downstairs after mass
- ✚ Aug 9 2018 Seminarian Night Dinner and Fundraiser, Anchorage
- ✚ Aug 15 2018 St. Francis Stewardship Awards Deadline
- ✚ Aug 15 OLA Tijuana Mission Sign-up Deadline



A joyous welcome to everyone who is visiting our parish today! If you are not Catholic and would like to learn more about the Catholic faith, or if you are baptized Catholic and have been away for a while and have some questions, please contact Father Tom Rush in the parish office at 283-4555.

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### ELECTRONIC GIVING

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Enjoy the Convenience of Electronic Giving! OLA wants to remind you that we offer electronic giving as a way to automate your regular offering. Electronic giving offers convenience, as well as providing a much-needed donation consistency for our parish.

Go to [www.kenaicatholicchurch.org](http://www.kenaicatholicchurch.org) at any time to set up and maintain your automatic donation plan. Questions or assistance please contact the parish office.

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### HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE 2019

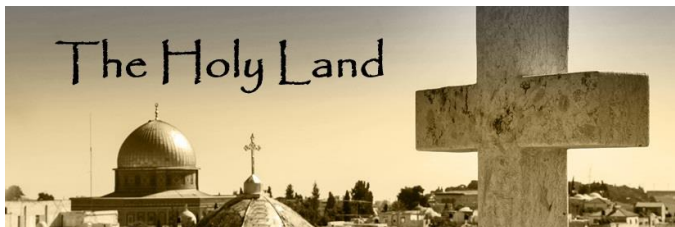
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**May 4-17, 2019.** Join us for a group pilgrimage to Israel and Jordan.

**An informational meeting will be held in OLA's church basement on Friday, August 3<sup>rd</sup> at 6pm.**

This package has been thoughtfully tailored with the specific needs of our community in mind. Leave the Kenai Peninsula before the fishing starts, tour during the cooler part of Israel's summer, but be back in time to see your kids/grandkids graduate.

Walk where Jesus walked, and visit the sites where the Lord performed miracles. Some of the sites of our spiritual journey include, Way of the Cross, Church of the Holy Sepulcher, Bethlehem, the Jordan river, floating on the Dead Sea, and Petra. There are many more sites and experiences included in this pilgrimage. For a complete itinerary, please see Fr. Tom or stop by the parish office.



"To walk where Jesus walked cannot be described, it can only be experienced."

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## STEWARDSHIP & THE NEW EVANGELIZATION

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### Stewards of the Church

Stewards of God's gifts are not passive beneficiaries. We cooperate with God in our own redemption and in the redemption of others. We are also obliged to be stewards of the Church—collaborators and cooperators in continuing the redemptive work of Jesus Christ, which is the Church's essential mission. This mission—proclaiming and teaching, serving and sanctifying—is our task. It is the personal responsibility of each one of us as stewards of the Church. All members of the Church have their own roles to play in carrying out its mission:

- ✚ Parents, who nurture their children in the light of faith;
- ✚ Parishioners, who work in concrete ways to make their parishes true communities of faith and vibrant sources of service to the larger community;
- ✚ All Catholics, who give generous support—time, money, prayers, and personal service according to their circumstances—to parish and diocesan programs
- ✚ and to the universal Church.

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### A LITTLE BIT OF HUMOR...

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A devout old shepherd lost his favorite Bible while he was out looking for a wayward lamb. Three weeks later, a sheep walked up to him carrying the Bible in its mouth. The shepherd couldn't believe his eyes. He took the precious book out of the sheep's mouth, raised his eyes heavenward and exclaimed, "It's a miracle!"

"Not really," said the sheep. "Your name is written inside the cover."

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### CHRISTIANS IN THE HOLY LAND

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The number of Christians in the Middle East is decreasing rapidly. The conflicts they live with on a daily basis put much stress and many burdens on them.

On Aug 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> after Mass, we will have some Christian representatives from the Holy Land selling religious artwork. Supporting them will help Christians there with their special needs. We invite you to stop by the Stewardship Hall after Mass to offer your support.

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### 2018 ST. FRANCIS STEWARDSHIP AWARDS

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Who in OLA inspires you to be a great steward of Christ? Be sure to nominate them for the 2018 St. Francis Stewardship Awards **before August 15.**

Winners will be announced at an awards banquet on October 24, 2018. More details on the St. Francis Stewardship Awards Banquets are coming soon!

*To nominate someone from our parish, please visit:*  
<https://www.archdioceseofanchorage.org/st-francis-stewardship-awards>

## SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION & FAITH FORMATION

### **Sacrament of Reconciliation:**

First Fridays' of the month 7:00-8:00 pm  
Saturdays' before Mass 4:45-5:15pm

### **Sacrament of Baptism:**

By appointment only. Please contact the Parish Office.

### **Sacrament of Marriage:**

Six month preparation. Please contact the Parish Office.

### **Faith Formation Classes:**

Returning this Fall

*Please contact the parish office for 2018-2019 Faith Formation classes.*

### **Confirmation Class:**

Please contact the Parish Office.

**RCIA Class:** For individuals who are not Catholic and would like to learn more about the Catholic faith.

Please contact the Parish Office.

## STEWARDSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

### **Parish Lawn Mowing**

Please help with our lawn care this summer. We have a brand new riding lawn mower waiting just for you. Families welcome. Allow approximately an hour and half to mow the parish grounds.

There is a letter describing the duties and a sign-up sheet located on bulletin board near the front doors.

*For more information, contact Joe Pault @ 398-1380.*

### **Fellowship Doughnut Procurement**

So easy, yet important! Pick up the fellowship doughnuts at the Safeway customer service desk before mass and bring them to the Stewardship hall downstairs. These doughnuts are already paid for. We just need volunteers to get them. Sign up on the Hospitality sheet located on the bulletin board near the front doors.

### **Altar Servers**

OLA is still looking for additional altar servers this summer. The commitment is minimal depending on how many servers we have. They will usually serve once a month -either Saturday or Sunday (you can state a preference).

For yourself or your children, please prayerfully consider taking on this important service to the church.

*If you would like to volunteer yourself or your children to be an altar server, please contact the parish office @ 283-4555, or via email at: ladyoftheangels@gmail.com*

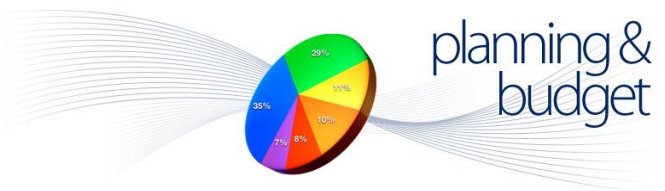
## REMEMBRANCE

Please keep the family and friends, as well as those who went before us in eternal life in your thoughts & prayers. In this month we remember the passing of:

- ✠ Rudy Corona
- ✠ Don Gillman
- ✠ Taieasha Stamer
- ✠ Nikki Gillman
- ✠ Duncan Wilsack
- ✠ Willy Rediske
- ✠ John Walsh

\*If you wish to remember a loved one, please contact the parish office.

## FISCAL YEAR 2019



### **Revenue**

Weekly Offertory	\$180,000
Investments	\$21,591
Other Income	\$23,200 (fundraisers, fees, & donations)
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$224,791</b>

### **Expenditures**

Payroll & Benefits	\$82,800
Supplies, Repairs, & Utilities	\$69,450
Archdiocese Stewardship	\$28,741**
Other expenses	\$43,800 (insurance, charity, fund raising exp., advertising, travel, background checks)
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$224,791</b>

\*\*Includes Annual Assessment of \$27,341 (16.6% of previous year's adjusted revenue).

Note: Budget preparation began in June 2018 and involved reviewing every line item with previous years' revenues or expenditures. Adjustments were made as needed taking in to account the requirements of the new year. This budget has no unnecessary expenditures.

The FY2019 budget was reduced by \$46,385 due to restructuring parish administrative duties, resulting in reduced personnel costs, greater participation in the One Berad One Body campaign, and reduction of other expenditures.

Spending will continue to be monitored closely by parish administration.

**MINISTERS OF THE LITURGY AND MINISTRY SCHEDULE:**

<p><b>Saturday @ 5:30pm July 28<sup>th</sup>, 2018</b></p>	<p><b>Sunday @ 10:30am July 29<sup>th</sup>, 2018</b></p>	
<p><b>Lectors:</b> Jane Fuerstenau</p> <p><b>Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:</b> Margaret Simon Phil Pijahn</p> <p><b>Altar Servers:</b> To be determined</p> <p><i>If you or your child would like to be an altar server, please contact Fr. Tom or the parish office @ 283-4555. We will be creating a new roster for the summer.</i></p> <p><b>If you have any questions or comments regarding all ministry schedules, please contact Fr. Tom.</b></p>	<p><b>Lector:</b> Karen Burris</p> <p><b>Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:</b> Eileen Bryson Janice Wilsack Lee Halstead Time Agosti Lucy Ritter Yasko Lehtinen</p> <p><b>Altar Servers:</b> To be determined</p> <p><b>Hospitality:</b> Nancy DuPaul</p> <p><i>If you or your child would like to be an altar server, please contact Fr. Tom or the parish office @ 283-4555. We will be creating a new roster for the summer.</i></p>	<p><b>Children's Liturgy:</b> Returning this Fall</p> <p><b>Collection Counters:</b></p> <p><b>(July 24 @ 10am)</b> Robin F. Elizabeth H.</p> <p><b>(July 31 @ 10am)</b> Karla S. Helen H.</p> <div data-bbox="1133 993 1453 1087">  </div> <div data-bbox="1159 1119 1429 1218">  </div>



**One Bread, One Body**  
2018 Annual Catholic Appeal

The people of our faith community have contributed **\$9,305.00** to this year's One Bread, One Body Annual Catholic Appeal. Our parish goal is \$24,634.00. If you haven't already, please join this effort to nurture the ministries of our local Church.

Please make your pledge today at [www.archdioceseofanchorage.org/donate](http://www.archdioceseofanchorage.org/donate).