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WEEKEND MASS TIMES:

Saturday 5:30pm

Sunday 10:30am

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES:

Tuesday– Friday 9am

OFFICE HOURS:

Tuesday – Friday 9am – 3pm

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

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION & BENEDICTION:

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

PRAYER MEETING:

Please contact Janice Wilsack for more information.

BULLETIN & INSERT DEADLINE:

Articles must be in at noon by the third Wednesday of every month to be considered for the upcoming monthly bulletin.

Our Lady of the Angels

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Month of the Most Precious Blood

JULY 2019

MONTHLY BULLETIN

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 1 Fr. Michael Ko begins his new pastoral assignment at Our Lady of the Angels
- ✠ July 4 Independence Day
- ✠ July 5 Eucharistic Adoration and Benediction 9:30am – 8:00pm
- ✠ Aug 2 Eucharistic Adoration and Benediction 9:30am – 8:00pm
- ✠ Aug 18 Backpack Blessing at Mass



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.

ELECTRONIC GIVING

Enjoy the Convenience of Electronic Giving! OLA offers electronic giving as a way to automate your regular offering. Electronic giving offers convenience, while providing much-needed donation consistency for our parish.

Go to www.kenaicatholicchurch.org at any time to set up and maintain your automatic donation plan. Click the "Donate Online" link in the upper right had corner of our web page to create your online-giving profile. Questions or assistance, please contact the parish office at 283-4555.

ABC 5K RUN & WALK

ABC Life Choices Celebrate Life! 5K Run & Walk

REGISTRATION IS FREE!
T-shirts & Brunch Provided
Donations Appreciated
Mens, Womens, Kids Divisions
All Ages Welcomed!

SATURDAY AUGUST 3rd
REGISTRATION: 8:30 a.m.
START TIME: 10:00 a.m.

Soldotna Bible Chapel
300 W. Marydale Ave

☞ Make Your Life Choices Right Choices ☞

For Questions call or email KRIS ~ (907) 283-9062 kharris@abclifechoices.org

LAWN CARE & SCHEDULE 2019

Please volunteer to help keep our parish lawn mowed. We have a brand new 2018 riding lawn mower waiting just for you! Families welcome.

A sign-up sheet is located on the bulletin board near the front doors. Allow approximately an hour and half to mow the parish grounds.

For more information, call Phil @ 690-0046.

JULY: THE MONTH OF THE MOST PRECIOUS BLOOD

The month of July is dedicated to the **Most Precious Blood of the Redeemer**. Supreme homage is given to the Sacred Blood. As we adore the Sacred Heart, because it is the Heart of Jesus, who is God, so we adore the Most Precious Blood.

The Blood of Jesus is the fountain of salvation. Each drop that flowed from the wounds of the Savior is a pledge of man's eternal salvation. All races of the earth have been ransomed, and all individuals, who will allow the saving power of the Sacred Blood to be applied to their soul, are heirs of heaven.

St. John Chrysostom calls the Precious Blood "the savior of souls;" St. Thomas Aquinas, "the key to heaven's treasures;" St. Ambrose, "pure gold of ineffable worth;" St. Mary Magdalene de Pazzi, "a magnet of souls and pledge of eternal life." The sins of mankind, in their number, in their offense to the Supreme Being, in the effects on transgressors, are immense; yet, the Precious Blood of Jesus is not frightened by numbers, it has in Itself the power to appease an angered God and to heal wounded creatures.

The Precious Blood is a cleansing bath. Unlike all other blood, which stains, the Blood of Jesus washes clean and white. According to the words of St. John, in the Apocalypse, the Angels wonder, and the question is asked: "These that are clothed in white robes, who are they?" The Lord answers: "These are they that have washed their robes, and have made them white in the Blood of the Lamb." For no other reason did the Precious Blood flow but to regain for the souls of men the beautiful dress of innocence, and, once regained, to preserve it throughout life and into eternity.

~Excerpt from Heavenly Friends, by Rosalie Marie Levy (St. Paul Editions: Boston, 1984)

NEW OLA PASTOR

We welcome Fr. Michael Ko, KMS as our new pastor on **July 1st, 2019.**



Fr. Ko is originally from Seoul, Korea and has been a priest for approximately 10 years. He was the parochial vicar at Sacred Heart Church in Wasilla, Our Lady of the Lake Church in Big Lake, St. Bernard Church in Talkeetna, St. Phillip Benizi Mission in Trapper Creek, and St. Christopher Mission in Willow before joining Our Lady of the Angels parish.

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. Please contact the Parish Office.

Sacrament of Marriage:

Six month preparation. Please contact the Parish Office.

Funeral Preparation:

Please contact the Parish Office.

Faith Formation Classes:

Returning this fall.

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.

SEMINARIAN DINNER AND FUNDRAISER



2019 SEMINARIAN NIGHT DINNER & FUNDRAISER

Reserve Your Spot Today!

Join Bishop Bellisario, Archbishop-Emeritus Schwietz, and our Seminarians for a 5-Star Dinner catered by Alaska Coastal Catering. Dine and Donate to Support Seminarian Formation

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 7, 2019

6:00PM - 8:30PM

LUMEN CHRISTI HIGH SCHOOL

Tickets and table sponsorship information available online:
archdioceseofanchorage.org



FAREWELL TO FR. TOM



This month we wish Fr. Tom Rush the best at his new pastoral assignment in San Bernardino, California. He has been our pastor for the last seven years. For those who wish to stay in contact with Fr. Tom, his new address is below:

Fr. Tom Rush, OMI
Santa Rosa Church
668 South Workman Street
San Fernando, CA 91340
Telephone: 818-361-4617
Email: trush@omiusa.org

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:

- ✝ John Walsh
- ✝ Rudy Corona
- ✝ Don Gillman
- ✝ Taieasha Stamer
- ✝ Ann Fitzpatrick
- ✝ Nikki Gillman
- ✝ Duncan Wilsack
- ✝ Willy Rediske

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

LITTLE BIT OF HUMOR...

Not so very long ago, an old German man was feeling guilty about something he had done, so he decided to go to Confession.

He said, "Bless me, Father, for I have sinned. I feel terrible because during World War II I hid a refugee in my attic."

The priest said, "But that's not a sin! I wouldn't feel bad about that if I were you!"

"But I made him agree to pay me 50 Marks for every week he stayed."

The priest said, "Well, I admit that certainly wasn't the noblest thing to do, charging the man to save his life -- but you did save his life, after all, and that is a good thing. Don't worry about it too much; God forgives."

The man said, "Oh thank you, Father, that eases my mind. I have only one more question to ask you -- Do I have to tell him the war is over?" 😊



THANK YOU for your generous support of the 2019 One Bread, One Body Annual Catholic Appeal. Together, members of Our Lady of the Angels parish have raised \$5,730.00 to support ministries that serve children and adults throughout our local Church.

If you have not yet pledged your support, it's not too late! Please join your fellow parishioners in helping to make possible the vital work of your local Church. **Our parish goal this year is \$20,248.00.**

MINISTERS OF THE LITURGY AND MINISTRY SCHEDULE:

July 13th				
Lector	EM	Altar Servers		
Margaret Simon	Sonja Foutty Lucy Ritter	Anderson Family		
July 14th				
Lector	EM	Altar Servers	Children's Liturgy	Hospitality
Janice Wilsack	Karen Crapps Eileen Bryson Lee Halstead Phyllis Halstead Wayne Ogle Bob Seymour David Karpik	Burke Family	<i>Returning this Fall</i>	Braun Family
July 20th				
Lector	EM	Altar Servers		
Linda Groleske	Margaret Simon Tim Agosti	Stockton Family		
July 21st				
Lector	EM	Altar Servers	Children's Liturgy	Hospitality
John Williams	Terri Wisniewski Janice Wilsack Yasuko Lehtinen Nora Satathite Joan Seaman Nancy DuPaul James Adcox	Braun Family	<i>Returning this Fall</i>	Carol Hamilton & Janina Efta
July 27th				
Lector	EM	Altar Servers		
Thi Pijahn	Lucy Ritter Karla Smith	Dammeyer Family		
July 28th				
Lector	EM	Altar Servers	Children's Liturgy	Hospitality
Karen Burris	Karen Crapps Jim Burris Lee Halstead Phyllis Halstead Wayne Ogle Bob Seymour David Karpik	Giesler Family	<i>Returning this Fall</i>	Nancy DuPaul
August 3rd				
Lector	EM	Altar Servers		
Margaret Simon	Robert Peterson Phil Pijahn	Burke Family		
August 4th				
Lector	EM	Altar Servers	Children's Liturgy	Hospitality
Linda Zimmerman	Terri Wisniewski Janice Wilsack Yasuko Lehtinen Tim Agosti Joan Seaman Nancy DuPaul	Stockton Family	<i>Returning this Fall</i>	Jim & Nora Satathite