

Parish Bulletin for  
Our Lady of Perpetual Help  
And St Jude's

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**JULY MASS SCHEDULE:**  
**5P SAT: OLPH**  
**8:30A SUN: OLPH**  
**10:30A SUN: ST JUDE**



**wisdom 12:13, 16-19; psalms 86:5-6, 9-10, 15-16; romans  
8:26-27; matthew 13:24-43 OR 13:24-30**

In the parable of the weeds in the field from Matthew, Our Lord is revealing something that "has lain hidden from the foundation of the world."

God wants men to be morally good so as to be children of the kingdom and one day in heaven "shine like the sun."

Yet some men, by their actions, are morally evil, and so, children of the evil one. One day they will suffer in hell in "the fiery furnace, where there will be wailing and grinding of teeth." This fate will be deserved because in the kingdom of God they have been those "who cause others to sin and [are] evildoers."

This parable provides an answer to why God permits some evil. The Master in the parable says, "if you pull up the weeds you might uproot the wheat along with them." God does not uproot every evil now because to do so would do greater harm than good.

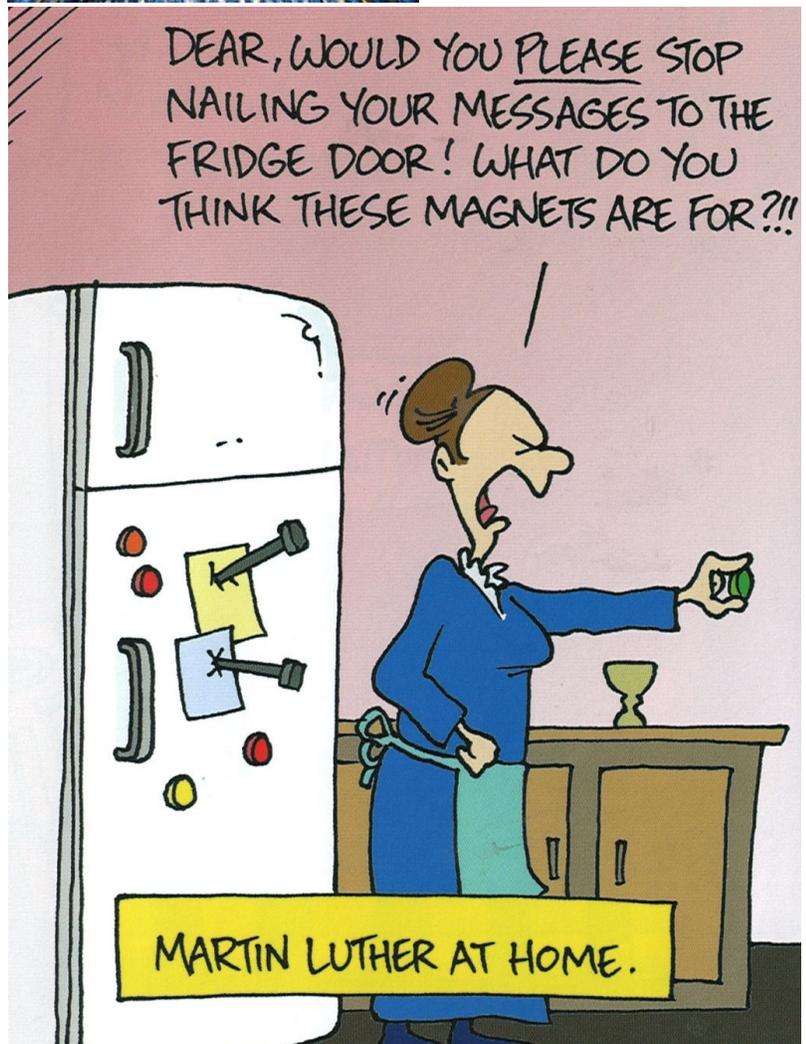
One reason God permits on-going evil is that those who do evil and cause others to sin can repent. In addition, those who are "good seed" also need time to repent. It could be said that some wheat stalks want some weeds around them. Some Christians are living compromised lives.

Ultimately, we are either "weeds" because we do evil and follow the devil (whether or not we know it) or "wheat" because we do good and follow God (whether or not we know it).

We are all good seed planted in God's garden, but we have a liking for the weeds and some of us choose to become all weed. God lets us be what we want to be, while he helps us be good if we want that. We are choosing either the most terrible fate or the best possible fate.



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is held from 5p to 9p at OLPH this Tuesday.



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**future events**  
Aug 1—Hyllen-Morgan Wedding SJ  
Aug 15—Confirmation and First  
Eucharist at St Jude's  
Sept 27-30—Fall Priest Meeting  
Oct 6—SJ Parish Council  
Oct 8—OLPH Parish Council  
Jan 12 2021—SJ Parish Council  
Jan 14 2021—OLPH Parish Council

## PARISH AND CEMETERY LAWN AND SNOW CARE AT OLPH

Brad Adam will start to take care of  
the church and cemetery care  
starting 1 August 2020

To Help Understand the Scriptures for  
the 16th Sunday of Ordinary Time, the  
following references from the Cate-  
chism of the Catholic Church are provid-  
ed:

CCC 543-550: the Kingdom of God  
CCC 309-314: God's goodness and the scandal of  
evil  
CCC 825, 827: weeds  
and seed of Gospel in  
everyone and in the  
Church  
CCC 1425-1429: need  
for ongoing conver-  
sion



Farewell and thank you to  
Ken and Tarra Ihry as they leave our parish. They  
have been an integral part of our parish family;  
teaching religious education, member of the par-  
ish council and liturgy committee, a faithful partici-  
pant in our CWO group and maintaining our  
church yard and cemetery for many years and so  
much more. They will be missed! Ken and Tarra,  
our prayers go with you. May you be blessed in  
your new home.

July 19, 2020 - 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

*"The kingdom of heaven may be likened to a man  
who sowed good seed in his field...He who sows good seed is the Son of Man, the field is the world, the good seed the children of  
the kingdom."* - MATTHEW 13:24, 37-38

As children of God, we are all "good seeds". We are blessed by God with the potential to accomplish much good in the world.  
We fulfill God's plan when we spend time in prayer every day, use our skills to help others and share our financial gifts to help  
build God's kingdom on earth. Through our example of gratitude and generosity we sow "good seeds" on earth and ultimately  
help each other get to Heaven!

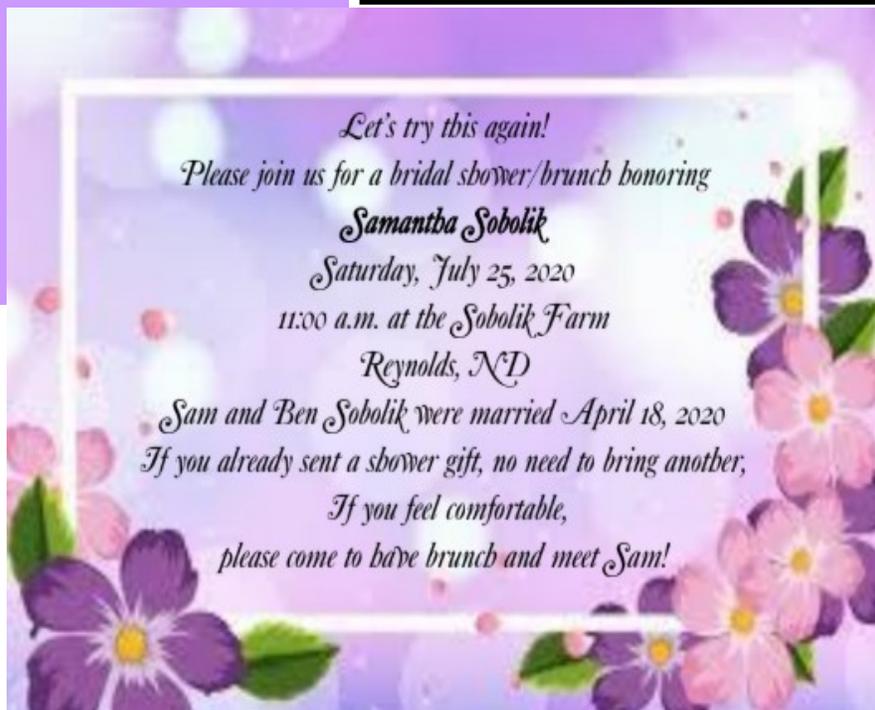
### OLPH Religious Education Help Needed

Help us hand on the Catholic faith to the children of our parish! We are looking for one middle school teacher and  
others to assist in classrooms or with child care. Contact Kristie Unterseher if interest-  
ed! [kristie.unterseher@gmail.com](mailto:kristie.unterseher@gmail.com)

### mass intentions

July 2020

18 DLPH +Millie Leddige by Lottie Breidenbach  
19 DLPH Mass for the people  
SJ +Roxanne Kvasager by Anne Griggs  
21 DLPH Maria Steed by J/K Unterseher  
22 SJ +Kenneth J. Cunningham by P/K Cunningham  
23 DLPH Ruby Ritteman by J/K Unterseher  
24 SJ +Arlene Storbakken-Memorial Mass  
25 DLPH +Kate Adam by L/V Knipping  
26 DLPH Mass for the people  
SJ +Jim Griggs by Ann Griggs  
28 DLPH +Dorothy Rakoczy by L/M Austrang  
29 SJ +Tom Meagher by his dad  
30 DLPH +Lais Zidon by F/S Argenziano  
31 SJ +Carolina Adams by Mary Adams



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