

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

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Year of
Saint
Joseph



World Day for Grandparents and the
Elderly—July 25



ST KATERI TEKAKWITHA, the Lily of the Mohawks, is the first Native (Indigenous) born person declared by the Church as a Saint. For many decades her cult of holiness and sanctity were known throughout North America, especially on Native soil (reservations).

A great honor has been bestowed on Our Lady of Perpetual Help in that with the blessing of the new altar, the "first class" relic (a sliver of her bone) is now beneath the altar. The relic can be viewed if one goes between the back

altar and the new altar and see the glass enclosure on the new altar. Relics of this nature (first class) are verified and have a seal behind the relic indicating as such, coming from the repository in Rome.

Fr John was given this precious gift after his ordination to the priesthood and will remain beneath the main altar at Our Lady of Perpetual Help. A decree issued by Bishop John Folda is located on the wall in the sanctuary stating his installation of the relic in this parish.

July 14th is the feast day of St Kateri Tekakwitha which now has a greater significance due to the relic of her body lying in state beneath the altar where the sacrifice of God's love for all His people is celebrated.

Catechist Retreat: Friday, August 27, Maryvale, Valley City or Saturday, August 28, Lake Metigoshe Ministries, Bottineau

Come away for a day of retreat at Maryvale, Valley City or Lake Metigoshe Ministries, Bottineau, where Fr. Andrew Jasinski will direct a retreat with a series of talks reflecting on words, "Go to Joseph". These retreats are primarily for those involved in catechesis, however, all are welcome.

The day will begin at 9:00am and end at 4:00pm. Deadline to register for these retreats is Thursday, August 19. Please register on-line at www.fargodiocese.org/catechistretreat. Any questions please contact mary.hanbury@fargodiocese.org. 701-356-7909

Pope Francis established a "World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly" to take place each year on the fourth Sunday in July. (This date was chosen because it is close to the feast day of Sts. Joachim and Anne, the grandparents of Jesus.) In 2021, the first "World Day For Grandparents and the Elderly" will take place on Sunday, July 25

Pope Francis: "I am with you always" (Mt 28:20): this is the promise the Lord made to his disciples before he ascended into heaven. They are the words that he repeats to you today, dear grandfathers and grandmothers, dear elderly friends. "I am with you always" are also the words that I, as Bishop of Rome and an elderly person like yourselves, would like to address to you on this first World Day of Grandparents and the Elderly. The whole Church is close to you— to us—and cares about you, loves you and does not want to leave you alone! It makes no difference how old you are, whether you still work or not, whether you are alone or have a family, whether you became a grandmother or grandfather at a young age or later, whether you are still independent or need assistance. Because there is no retirement age from the work of proclaiming the Gospel and handing down traditions to your grandchildren. You just need to set out and undertake something new ... The prophet Joel once promised: "Your old men shall dream dreams, and your young men will have visions" (3:1). The future of the world depends on this covenant between young and old. Who, if not the young, can take the dreams of the elderly and make them come true? Yet for this to happen, it is necessary that we continue to dream. Our dreams of justice, of peace, of solidarity can make it possible for our young people to have new visions; in this way, together, we can build the future. You need to show that it is possible to emerge renewed from an experience of hardship. I am sure that you have had more than one such experience: in your life you have faced any number of troubles and yet were able to pull through. Use those experiences to learn how to pull through now. Dreams are thus intertwined with memory. I think of the painful memory of war, and its importance for helping the young to learn the value of peace. Those among you who experienced the suffering of war must pass on this message. Keeping memory alive is a true mission for every elderly person: keeping memory alive and sharing it with others. Edith Bruck, who survived the horror of the Shoah, has said that "even illuminating a single conscience is worth the effort and pain of keeping alive the memory of what has been." She went on to say: "For me, memory is life."³ I also think of my own grandparents, and those among you who had to emigrate and know how hard it is to leave everything behind, as so many people continue to do today, in hope of a future. Some of those people may even now be at our side, caring for us. These kinds of memory can help to build a more humane and welcoming world. Without memory, however, we will never be able to build; without a foundation, we can never build a house. Never. And the foundation of life is memory.

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JULY SCHEDULE
5P SAT: SJ—830A SUN: SJ
1030A SUN: OLPH
AUGUST SCHEDULE
5P SAT: OLPH—830A SUN: OLPH
1030A SUN: SJ

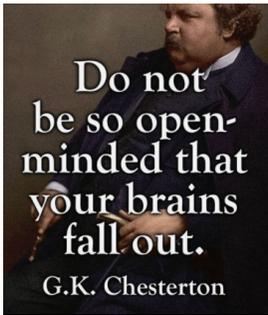
Ministry Schedule—OLPH
Sunday, July 11, 10:30 a.m. OLPH
 Lector: Phil Zubrod
 Offertory: Rick & Rita Lang
 Ring Bell: Jerry Linneman
Sunday, July 18, 10:30 a.m. OLPH
 Lector: Joyce Riske
 Offertory: Lance Keller family
 Ring Bell: Kevin Sondreal
Sunday, July 25, 10:30 a.m. OLPH
 Lector: Arlan Vonesh
 Offertory: Jake Unterseher family
 Ring Bell: Jerry Linneman
Sunday, August 1, 8:30 a.m. OLPH
 Lector: Lance Keller
 Offertory: Phil Zubrod family
 Ring Bell: Kevin Leddige



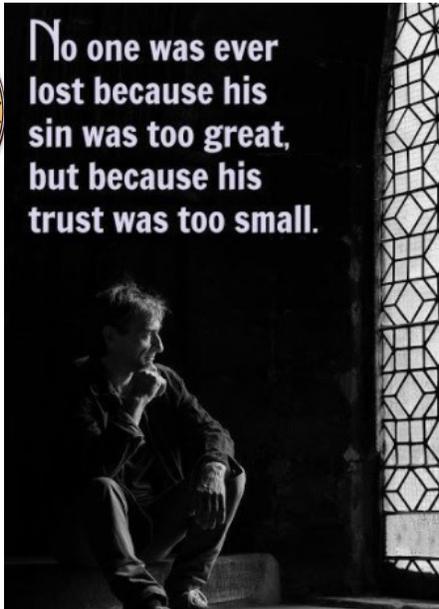
mass intentions
 July 2021

10	OLPH	+Avis Majkrzak by her family
11	SJ	Mass for the people
	OLPH	+Pauline Sletten by her family
13	OLPH	+Mary Ann Rakoczy by T/K Wigestrang
14	SJ	+Veronica Gregoire by Dn J/R West
15	OLPH	+Fr. Ben Bachmeier by L/P Kuster
16	SJ	
17	OLPH	+Vernon Adams by his family
18	SJ	Mass for the people
	OLPH	+Nancy Sandral by her family
20	OLPH	+Mary Leddige by J/J Riske
21	SJ	
22	OLPH	+Pauline Argenziano by F/S Argenziano
23	SJ	+Nadine Trapnell by Dn J/R West
24	SJ	+Mary Ann Rakoczy by Jim Weber
25	SJ	Mass for the people
	OLPH	+Pauline Sletten by K/V Krogstad
27	OLPH	+Mary Leddige by Colleen Hathaway
28	SJ	+Thomas Kasprovicz by D/B Berg
29	OLPH	+Mary Ann Rakoczy by K/M Knutson
30	SJ	+Sharon Johnson by Dn J/R West
31	SJ	+Donald Muffenbier by Dn J/R West

future events
July 18 OLPH 5p—Baptism of Maverick Fischer
July 25—World Day for Grandparents & Elderly
July 31 SJ Burial of +David Huard 12:30p
Aug 2-6—Fr John Away
Aug 10 SJ—Parish Council 630p
Aug 12 OLPH—Parish Council 630p
Sept 27-30 Presbyterate Days—Jamestown
Nov 9 SJ—Parish Council 630p
Nov 11 OLPH—Parish Council 630p



Ministry Schedule St Jude
Saturday - July 10th
 Lector: Carol Johnson
 Gifts Tim & Kim Weber
Sunday - July 11th
 Lector: Michael Bittner
 Gifts: Daria Harbacheck & Maureen Larrabee
Saturday - July 17th
 Lector: Phil Schettler
 Gifts: Phil & Sarah Schettler
Sunday - July 18th
 Lector: Mary Franklund
 Gifts: Brent & Stacy Majkrzak



OLPH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION HELP NEEDED!
 OLPH is in need of help with Religious Education classes this year: teachers, substitutes, and assistants. If you are available to help, please contact Kristie Unterseher at kristie.unterseher@gmail.com or 701-870-1549

15th Sunday in Ordinary Time—*“He instructed them to take nothing for the journey but a walking stick – no food, no sack, no money in their belts.” ~ MARK 6:8*

Imagine taking nothing but a stick when you go on a trip. The Apostles must have really trusted in God’s providential care. Think of all the material things “we can’t live without” in today’s world. We make our life’s journey more difficult because of all the material baggage that we drag along. Putting God first in everything and putting our money and possessions second gives us freedom because we don’t become “slaves” to wanting to acquire more things.

As of 2021-07-09—No change from last week
St Jude parish is 41.96% participation with 60 of 143 families and 98.75% of goal with \$25057.63. SJ needs \$460.17 to meet the goal of \$25,518.

OLPH parish is 50.56% participation with 45 of 89 families and 91.46% of goal with \$18,021.00. OLPH needs \$1682.20 to meet the goal of \$19,703.

Offertory 2021-07-04 OLPH—\$408.00 Online—\$234.98 / St Jude—\$1374.00 Online—\$720.94

15th Sunday in Ordinary Time **2021-07-11**