

Church of Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Highlands, New Jersey 07732

Founded in 1883

August 29, 2010

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St. Vincent de Paul Society
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MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday: 5:00PM Sunday: 9:00AM, 10:30AM

WEEKDAYS: Monday—Friday: 8:00AM

Saturday: 8:00AM

HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION: To be announced

NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP

Saturday: 7:50AM

SACRAMENTS

Baptism:

Every Sunday following the 10:30 Mass. Baptismal Prep Classes are held on the second Tuesday every other month. Please call the rectory office to schedule.

Adult Baptism and Inquiry Group (R.C.I.A.):

Please call the Religious Education Director for details and registration.

PREP:

Classes for students in public school are in session September—May

Grades K-8: Sunday: 9:30AM—11:15AM

Reconciliation (Confession):

Saturday: 4:00—4:30PM

Marriage:

Engaged couples are requested to make arrangements at least one year in advance with Parish Priest. We follow the policy of the Diocese.

Pastoral Care of the Sick:

Every Sunday morning we visit the homebound. Please contact the rectory to arrange home visits.

PARISH LIFE

New Parishioners are welcome and are requested to register at the Parish Office and become active members in the spiritual and social life of the parish family. When changing your address, PLEASE notify us.

Letters of Eligibility in connection with sponsorship of the Sacraments of Baptism and Confirmation are issued only to parishioners registered longer than three months, and if they meet all requirements and attend Mass regularly.

Dear People of the World, Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish and Saint Agnes Parish, May the Lord give you His peace:

Many thanks go to all the parishioners who helped at the Installation Mass on Friday, August 13th. The Mass was a great liturgical celebration; wonderful music, wonderful singing and wonderful symbols.

I was very gratified with the attendance, and that there was a bus full of people from Visitation in Brick. A number of people from Brick sang with the choir.

Good Liturgy is good prayer; if we pray well (by singing), we are performing our Spiritual discipline and are entering through the narrow gate. Let us support one another on our journey.

Many thanks to all who gave gifts of various types and service. The Installation was enhanced by that discipleship. The Holy Name Society certainly lived up to its Holy reputation for service to Christ and the people of the parish. I will be looking toward this group for good examples far into the future.

There are many other groups in both parishes that I will meet as the days pass by. Let us remember a couple of slogans that will help our mutual faith journey:

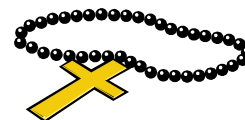
- ♦ *Service is our most important product.*
- ♦ *To forgive is company policy.*

Many thanks to one and all,

Father Will

Mass Intentions

Sat.	8/ 28	8:00am	Quinn & Smith Families r/o Estate
		5:00pm	Regina Kurdes r/o Bob & Irene Higgins
Sun.	8/29	9:00am	Eston Brink, Sean Alvator & David Smock r/o Joan Brink
		10:30am	Edwin Custer r/o Carol Custer
Mon.	8/30	8:00am	Anthone DeLouise r/o Campbell Family
Tues	8/31	8:00am	Clair Blewett r/o Jill, Joanne & Jenn Branin
Wed	9/1	8:00am	Lucilla Donoso r/o OLPH Community Garden
Thur	9/2	8:00am	Timothy Griffin r/o Joan Brink
Fri.	9/3	8:00am	Clair Blewett r/o Bernice Reynen
Sat.	9/4	8:00am	Joseph Smith r/o Estate
		5:00pm	A.J. Bruder r/o Bill Rannertshauer
Sun.	9/5	9:00am	Robert Renner r/o Patty & Jimmy Black
		10:30am	John & Viola McConnell r/o Tony & Carol Bucco



The Rosary and the Chaplet are recited each Wednesday evening at 7pm in the Church.
“Whoever places his trust in My mercy will be filled with My divine peace at the hour of death.”

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS



Saturday, August 28, 2010

Thrift Shop Open
Giving Weekend

Sunday, August 29, 2010

RAS Recites Rosary 8:30am
Giving Weekend
Food Pantry Open 12-2pm

Monday, August 30, 2010

Community Garden Hours: 6-7pm
Food Pantry Open 7-9pm
Finance Committee Meeting 7pm-Rectory
Bobby Byrne Planning Meeting 7pm-CH

Wednesday, September 1, 2010

Community Garden Hours: 6-7pm
K of C Recites Rosary 7pm

Thursday, September 2, 2010

Thrift Shop Open 9-3

Friday, September 3, 2010

Thrift Shop Open 9-3

Saturday, September 4, 2010

Thrift Shop Open 9-3
K of C Collection-Route 36

Sunday, September 5, 2010

K of C Collection-Route 36

Monday, September 6, 2010

Labor Day
Rectory Office Closed

If you or someone in your family would like to be put on a monthly prayer list for the sick and homebound, please call the rectory office at 732-872-1290, ext. 201.



Please remember in your prayers all our beloved sick, especially Lois Cunningham, mother of Mary Palmisano and Anthony J. Bucco, grandson of Tony & Carol Bucco.

WEEKEND LITURGY SCHEDULE

Saturday, September 4, 5:00pm

Lector: Jill Capone
Extraordinary Ministers: Joann Muller, Paul Muller
Altar Servers: Jimmy Trivett

Sunday, September 5, 9:00am

Lector: Megan Hesterhagen
Extraordinary Ministers: Marie Testa, Lorraine Kephart
Altar Servers: Robert Alvator, Corrine Creighton

Sunday, September 5, 10:30am

Lector: Carol Bucco
Extraordinary Ministers: Carol Alleva, Muriel Smith
Altar Servers: Rachel Kovach, Emily Seidler

Vibrant Parish Councils Workshop

Our parish is going to be creating a Pastoral Council over the next several months. If you are interested in learning how to create a vision for our parish, please consider attending this one day workshop. It will be held on Saturday, November 20th, from 9am to 3pm at Church of the Visitation in Brick. Registration is only \$5 which includes lunch. For more information, or to register, call Kathy McBurnie at 732-872-1290.

Parish Pastoral Planning A Mission Activity

"I must proclaim the good news of the Kingdom of God, because for this purpose I have been sent."- Luke 4:43

Please pray on the Scripture passage above, and consider attending an information session to discern if you are called to serve on a Parish Pastoral Council. The information meeting will be held once for both parishes, and then we will have separate meetings for each parish. The first meeting will be held on Tuesday, September 28th, 7:15-8pm at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church. As disciples of Jesus, we cannot be content to take a passive approach. Discipleship is about mission! God invites us to be co-workers, and challenges us to grow and to respond in the midst of changing events.

To learn more about the Diocese of Trenton's Pastoral Plan, go to <http://www.dioceseoftrenton.org/LBTS/ledbythespirit.asp>

St. Vincent de Paul Society



Today, we hear Jesus say to us, "...when you hold a banquet, invite the poor, the crippled, the lame and the blind; blessed indeed will you be because of their inability to repay you. For you will be repaid at the resurrection of the righteous."

We thank you for your generous support of our today's monthly Giving Weekend. In a way, your donations to our organization are like providing a "banquet" to our local needy. While we are rarely repaid for our financial assistance in kind, we often receive the blessing of hearing that someone we helped is back on track and most grateful for the assistance we were able to provide when they were most in need.

As always, if you think you may need assistance or referral to any of the many organizations and agencies that SVDP is aware of, please leave a message at 732-872-1290 Option 6 and we will return your call. Please speak clearly and spell your first and last name. Also please be sure to leave a phone number and the best time that we can reach you. Messages are picked up daily Monday through Friday.

"No work of charity is foreign to the Society"

Theme: Humility and self-knowledge go hand in hand. Those who conduct their affairs with humility shall be exalted, while those who exalt themselves shall be humbled. The humble shall rejoice and exalt before God in the assembly of the heavenly Jerusalem.

- Sunday**— *Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time*
- Monday**— *Weekday*
- Tuesday**— *Weekday*
- Wednesday**— *Weekday*
- Thursday**— *Weekday*
- Friday**— *Gregory the Great, pope, doctor of the Church*
- Saturday**— *Weekday; BVM*



Flowers: *Flowers may be requested by calling the rectory office.*



Flag: *This week the flag is flown in memory of John McNamara.*



Sanctuary Light: *The Sanctuary Light this week is for Alma Bumgardner (Happy Birthday) requested by her daughter, Karen.*

Seniors Trip to Atlantic City



The Seniors Club of OLPH will sponsor a bus trip to Atlantic City's Showboat Casino on Tuesday, September 14, 2010. Cost: \$25; Voucher Return: \$30. The bus will leave from OLPH at 8:30am and return at 6:30pm. For further information, call Rose Penta at 732-872-1645.



Please pray for the repose of the souls of the military and all deceased members of Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church.

Religious Education News



The first day of classes will be Sunday, September 12th at 9:30am in the Gym; there will be a mandatory parents meeting at this time.

Mother Teresa Regional School News



Registration

Mother Teresa Regional School is still accepting registrations for the 2010-2011 school year. MTRS currently offers a full day and half preschool program for three and four year olds. The school office is open from 8 am until 3 pm each weekday. Tours may be arranged at a mutually convenient time. Registration information can also be found on the school website www.mtregional.com.

MTRS Alumni Gathering

Mother Teresa Regional School is hosting an alumni picnic on Sunday, September 14th from 1:00 pm until 4:00 pm. The Alumni Picnic will be free and open to all alumni of the Bayshore Catholics schools and their families. Please pick up a ticket from the parish office or the school in order to help us prepare with a count.

MTRS Annual Fund

Thank you for your generosity for the annual fund for Mother Teresa Regional School. Over \$10,000 was raised last year from the parish collections and the Polar Plunge fundraiser. Once again, we are asking for your contributions at Mass. The annual fund is a special fund that contributes to tuition assistance, an endowment fund, and a special capital expense fund. For the 2009-2010 school, MTRS has provided financial assistance in the amount of \$10,000 to families in need. The collection will be held **September 4-5 at Saint Agnes, September 11-12 at Our Lady of Perpetual Help, and September 18-19 at Saint Ann Church and Saint Catherine Church.** Thank you in advance for your generosity.

Collections

Weekly Collection: 8/15/10	\$4,554.00
Last Year's Collection:	\$4,744.00
Weekly Collection: 8/22/10	\$3,696.00
Last Year's Collection:	\$4,613.00

Attention Counters:



Week 1—Sept. 5, 2010

Tricia Curtin
Sheila Brown
Jane or Tommy Snow

We are in need of counters for the 3rd weekend; if you are interested, please call the rectory office at 732-872-1290, ext. 201.

Save the Date:

Grandparent's Day
Sunday, September 12, 2010
10:30am Mass, Picnic follows at
Highlands Community Center

OLPH Food Pantry Fundraiser
Saturday, October 9, 2010
Bobby Byrne Performing!

Banns

Congratulations to the following couple that will be married at OLPH:



I

II *Bridget Lennon & Daniel Duffy*

III



Baptisms

We welcome Jenna Charlize Brumond into our parish family. Jenna will be baptized in our church this weekend. We congratulate her parents and godparents.

PARISH MINISTRIES

OLPH Parish Ministry Leaders 2010

<u>Ministry</u>	<u>Leader</u>
Choir	Joe Accurso
Finance	Frank Teeple
Garden	Jen Compagni
Food Pantry	Dan Curtin
Hospitality	Kathy Trivett
Knights of Columbus	Nick Ferrante
Knitting for the Needy	Roberta Pandolfo
Liturgical Scheduling	Carol Bucco
PREP	Barbara Hardiman
Rosary Altar	Kathy Eri
Seniors	Rose Penta
SVDP	Parish Office
St. Raphael	Roberta Pandolfo
St. Jude Thrift Shop	Grace Del Monaco
Ushers	Gabe Tauro

To contact a Ministry Leader, please call the rectory of-
fice at 732-872-1290.



- ◆ Meetings are held on the first Wednesday of the month at 8pm in the Church Hall.
- ◆ We pray the Rosary every Wednesday at 7:30 pm in the church; all are invited.
- ◆ The Knights of Columbus is committed to Right to Life. Please pray for the unborn.
- ◆ Interested in joining the Knights? Please contact Dan Curtin at 732-291-8947 or Gabe Tauro at 732-291-9358.

OLPH FOOD PANTRY

Sunday 12-2pm

Monday 7-9pm



Please use Miller Street Entrance

Jewel by the Sea Gift Shop



The Jewel by the Sea Gift Shop is closed for the summer.



St. Jude Thrift Shop
151 Navesink Avenue
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732-872-0066

Thursday, Friday & Saturday
9am-3pm



Community Garden

We continue to hold Community Gardening hours on Monday & Wednesday evenings at 6pm. We could sure use your help, please join us!

See you in the Garden!

Religious Education



Help Needed:

Our Religious Education Program is in need of Catechists, Aides and Volunteers for the 2010-2011 Faith Formation Classes.

Please consider giving just 90 minutes of your time to share your faith with the children of the parish.

If you are 16 years of age or older, male or female, please call Mrs. Barbara Hardiman at 732-872-1290, ext. 208 for more information.



**Our Lady of Perpetual Help
Family Picnic**

Honoring Grandparents

Sunday, September 12

10:30 AM Mass

Picnic at

Highlands Community Center

11:30 AM

Volley Ball and other games!

We will provide grilled meats and soft drinks

Last Names A-M – Please bring a salad or a side dish

Last Names N-Z – Please bring a dessert

RSVP by September 7 - 732-872-1290