

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

I want to extend an invitation again to have you join us when we get together with our sister parish, St. Veronica's, on Saturday, November 22 at the 4:30pm Mass followed by dinner together in the parish center. This will be a wonderful time of celebration together both in prayer and fellowship. Please take a minute to sign-up in the back of church.

As was announced last week, our parish will be purchasing new hymnals that we hope to start using at the beginning of Advent. I am grateful to all those parishioners who donated our current *Gather* hymnals that have served our parish for over ten years now. As you can see, they have gotten worn over the years and it is now time to replace them. *Would you consider donating a new hymnal in memory of a loved one?* This is a wonderful way of honoring a loved one or of marking a special occasion, such as a wedding anniversary or birth. The new hymnals that have been chosen, *Ritual Song*, have a nice balance of both contemporary and traditional hymns. (The *Gather* hymnals were designed to be 70% contemporary and 30% traditional, while *Ritual Song* is designed to be 50% traditional and 50% contemporary. We will continue to make use of supplemental song sheets when more contemporary music is chosen for a particular Mass.)

Finally, please keep in your prayers all of those who will receive the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick at our Noon Mass on Sunday. We pray that the Lord will bring healing in body and soul as they draw close to Him and invite Him into their suffering and illness. Have a blessed new week!

Fr. Arnold

Thursday, November 27, Thanksgiving Day, Mass will be celebrated at 9:00am. Plan on joining your fellow parishioners in giving thanks to God for the abundant gifts we have been given. Bring something that you will serve at dinner—a bottle of wine, some rolls, or whatever is easy to carry—we will ask God to bless it and your meal.

Please include the sick of our parish in your prayers that they may experience Christ's comfort and healing.

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| Carol Beall | Mary Grace Howard | Rosemarie Rippel |
| Clyde Bradley | Francis Hubbard | Mary Ann Sharp |
| Diane Buckley | Eugene Huget | Ann Shively |
| Helene Cadman | MaryAnn Humm | Mary Ellen Shotting |
| Jane Caldwell | Jack Kelly | Billy Simpson |
| David Clark | Fred Lourenso | Jack Simpson |
| Daniel Couvillion | Lois Malarkey | Ardelia Smith |
| Amy DeSantis | Joyce Mathias | Julia Smith |
| Patricia Donadio | Lucy McKenna | Bill Snyder |
| Mike Doshim | Joseph Murray | Joanne Strock |
| Warren Drell Jr. | Nathan Niessner | Edna Walker |
| Doris Eustis | Mary Joyce O'Neill | Laura Wall |
| Jayne Fleischer | Larry Putgenter, Sr. | Libby Weller |
| Richard Flynn | Mary Reichel | Kyla Zeilinger |
| Caroline Herrmann | | |

If you or your loved one is on the mend, please notify the Parish Office!



Masses For The Week

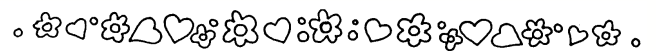
Mon., November 17	6:30 am	Richard E. Smith †
	8:15 am	The Kim Family
Tues., November 18	6:30 am	Robert E. Smith †
	8:15 am	Edward Turos †
Wed., November 19	6:30 am	Hunter Cynkar
	8:15 am	Sister MaryAnn †
Thurs., November 20	6:30 am	Mark Wilkens †
	9:30 am	James Hines †
Fri., November 21	6:30 am	Mary Ellen Sadowski †
	8:15 am	Joseph Galletti †
Sat., November 22	8:15 am	Mary Buckley †
	4:30 pm	For the People
Sun., November 23	7:30 am	Msgr. Francis X. Zorbach †
	9:00 am	Anna Dolores Sperlein †
	10:30 am	Albert Onheiser †
	12:00 noon	Gerry Rafferty †



In December we have the **Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception**, which is a holy day of obligation. This year it falls on a Monday, so we will NOT be having the regular 7:00pm vigil Mass the night before. Our Mass schedule on **Monday, Dec. 8** will be:

6:30 am
9:30 am (School)
7:00 pm

Attention Married Couples: Save the Date!



A Scripture-based Valentine's Day Retreat for Married Couples

February 13-15, 2009

Join Fr. Erik Arnold and Joe and Cinda DeVet for a special married couples retreat entitled *Living Covenant in a Contract World*. The retreat will be held at the newly renovated Bon Secours Spiritual Center in Marriottsville, MD. Please stay tuned for more information!



Our Lady of Perpetual Help Music Ministry

Look for *RitualSong*
Coming to OLPH in time for Advent 2008!

The OLPH Music Ministry is pleased to introduce our new parish hymnal, *RitualSong*. *RitualSong* is published by GIA, the same publisher who produced the *Gather Comprehensive* hymnals that have served our parish well for many years. It contains the best hymns for congregational singing, from traditional hymns, chant, and spirituals, to newer classics by contemporary composers like Marty Haugen and David Haas.

To help defray the cost of purchasing new hymnals for our parish, please consider donating a hymnal as a gift from your family, as a sign of your commitment to music and liturgy at OLPH, or in memory of a loved one. Your contribution will be acknowledged by a customized bookplate on the inside front cover of your donated hymnal.

To donate a hymnal, please fill out and detach the form below, and include it with your contribution of \$20 per hymnal. You may place your donation in the box in the narthex, put it in the collection basket, or return it to the parish Office. Thank you for your generosity!

RitualSong Hymnal Donation

Name: _____ Phone: _____

I wish to donate _____ *RitualSong* hymnal (s) at \$20 each, for a total donation of \$ _____

Your donation will be acknowledged by a customized bookplate on the inside of each donated hymnal. Please print the information you would like to be included on the bookplate in the space below.

Hymnal 1: Gift of _____ In Memory of _____

Hymnal 2: Gift of _____ In Memory of _____

Hymnal 3: Gift of _____ In Memory of _____

Hymnal 4: Gift of _____ In Honor of _____

Hymnal 5: Gift of _____ In Honor of _____

MINISTRY SCHEDULE for November 23, 2008
Saturday 4:30 pm Fr. Augustine, Fr. Arnold, Fr. Larry;
St. Veronica's Parishioners of Cherry Hill visiting

Lectors Kathy McAndrew, Donna Weaver
 EMHC Biagiotti, Brasauskas, Crizer
 Servers Rau, Rau, _____
Sunday 7:30 am— Fr. Arnold
 Lectors Benedict, Massari
 EMHC Horan, Jones, O'Connor
 Servers Sinnott, Sinnott, Sinnott
Sunday 9:00 am— Fr. Arnold
 Lectors The Youth
 EMHC Funk, Glover, Grauman, Holthaus, D Hunter,
 Manley, Mulroy, Niehenke
 Servers Funk, Hunter Mulroy
Sunday 10:30 am—Fr. Larry
 Lectors Arterburn, McBride
 EMHC Childres, Childres, Coelho, Coelho, Douglas,
 Roth, Schwerdt, Smith, Trask
 Servers Ackroyd, Hartman, Hartman
Sunday 12 Noon— Fr. Larry
 Lectors Snavely, Zeminsky
 EMHC Berdan, Corkrin, Hanratty
 Servers Graziano, Graziano, Graziano

*Subject to change when necessary.

BIBLE CONFERENCE



Join us on Monday, 17 November, at 7 pm in the Parish Center for the Third Monday of the Month Bible Conference. This month's topic is the Church in First Corinthians which was delivered by Scott

Hahn. Bring your Bibles and a desire to learn. For more information, contact Fr. Larry.

18th Annual Breakfast with Santa on December 7th



'Tis *ALMOST* the season already! Volunteers are needed on December 7th to help make this event a success! There are many types of jobs available from face painting to helping with Greenery Sales. Please sign up in the back of church today.

Donated items for the Secret Shop are also needed. The Secret Shop is a place where children can buy inexpensive items for their family and friends with assistance from some of Santa's finest elves. Donations for the Secret Shop can be left in the school office.

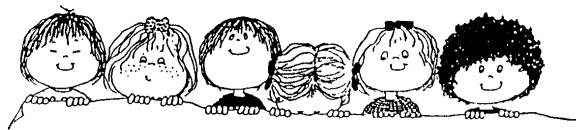
Thanks for your support and we're looking forward to another successful Breakfast With Santa this year!

"Blessed are those who fear the Lord."

CATHOLIC FORMATION MINISTRIES

Office Phone Numbers: 410-747-0131, 410-455-0399

Office Hours are Monday—Friday 9am—4pm



Last chance! Clean out those desks drawers!! Donate school supplies to Haiti! This is your last chance to donate those extra school supplies to the poor children of Haiti. A collection box will be in the School lobby Monday and Tuesday evenings during Religious Education classes. **November 21st is the last day to donate. If you miss our classes, just bring your donation to the Ministry Center. Thanks so much for your generosity!**

OLPH Nursery: Our Nursery is available to all parishioners on Sundays during the 9:00 and 10:30 Masses. Children who can sit up, up to age three are welcomed to join us! The Nursery is located in the Kindergarten Room, on the first floor of the School. There is no cost for Nursery services. Space is limited to two toddlers per high school volunteer.

The Next Revelations Youth Night is next Sunday, November 23rd from 6:30 - 8:30 in the Ministry Center! All in High School are invited to come :)

Don't forget: Jason Evert is coming to OLPH this Wednesday from 7 - 9:30! Don't miss out!

Last Week's Collection	
Offering for 11-9-08	
Envelopes 468	\$17,095.68
Loose	\$1,446.00
Children	\$78.25
Total	\$18,619.93
Poor Box	\$421.57
Utilities Collection	\$1,942.00

Next week's second collection will be **The Catholic Campaign for Human development**. This collection supports programs that help poor and low-income people help themselves. These efforts know no racial or religious boundaries. They help people find a way out of poverty for a lifetime. CCHD supports groups as they create jobs and improve neighborhoods.

THIRTY THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Jason Evert is coming to OLPH!

Calling all teens (8th grade and up) and young adults! Do not miss this opportunity to hear Jason Evert at Our Lady of Perpetual Help parish, 7pm. on Wed. November 19th! Bring your friends to hear Jason Evert's life changing message, "Romance Without Regret"! Jason Evert speaks internationally to 100,000 teens a year. His talks are always great. Don't miss out. Jason Evert will also speak at St. John Neumann church in Annapolis on Nov. 18 at 7 and at St. Stephen parish Bradshaw on Nov. 20th. at 7:30 pm. All three evening talks are open to all.

In addition, Jason will be visiting some local high schools during the day. For more information call Jennifer Schuberth at 410 750-7964.

FAITH AND LIGHT COMMUNITY MEETING

"Jesus Teach Us to Pray"

OLPH and Resurrection Parishes will hold our next meeting on Wednesday, November 19 at 7:00-8:30 PM, in Harrison Hall, adjacent to the OLPH School, 4795 Ilchester Road, Ellicott City, Maryland. This week's meeting will include a discussion of Jesus' teachings from the Holy Bible on how and why we pray. We invite our developmentally disabled friends to join us along with their friends and families for an evening of fellowship and fun activities. Refreshments will be served.

For information or transportation, please contact Dr. Robert Donadio, 301-596-5122 or John Hooper, 410-799-8897. At Resurrection contact Chris Duck, 410-465-9240.

When one finds a worthy wife, her value is far beyond pearls. Her husband, entrusting his heart to her, has an unfailing prize." Do we value the prize we have in our spouse enough to take time to enjoy it? The next **Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends** are Feb. 8-10, 2009 and August 8-10, 2009. For more information or to register call toll free 1-877-558-LOVE (5683) or visit our Web site at <http://wwme.net>