

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish

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Mass Schedule and Other Services

MASSES
Saturday Anticipation5:30 p.m.
Sunday
WeekdayTuesday & Thursday, 5:30 p.m.
OTHER SERVICES
ConfessionsWednesday 5:00-7:00 p.m. in Church.
Saturday 12:00-2:00 p.m. drive-thru
AdorationFirst Friday of month 9:00 a.m1:00 p.m.
Concludes with Benediction at 12:45 p.m. in Church
Sacramental EmergencyCall 502-536-8544
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Pastoral Ministers and Staff
Pastor Very Rev. Joseph M. Feltz, VF 944-1184
Deacon Jeff Powell944-1184
Pastoral Associate
Principal
Parish Secretary
Business Manager Rikki McGuire
Communication Coordinator
Director of Youth & Childhood Ministries Evonne Corrales
Director of Liturgical Music Ministries Katelyn Stumler
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Sacramental Information and Preparation

"The seven sacraments touch all the stages and all the important moments of Christian life: they give birth and increase, healing and mission to the Christian's life of faith. There is thus a certain resemblance between the stages of natural life and the stages of spiritual life." (Catechism of the Catholic Church, 1210)

Sacraments are visible signs of God's invisible presence for Catholics. The following paragraphs describe how Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church prepares children and adults to receive and celebrate the sacraments.

Baptism

This sacrament welcomes one into the family of God and Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish. Participation in one baptism class offered every other month is required for parents with first time baptisms. This class will clarify the roles of parents, godparents, and the meaning of the various signs and symbols used within the baptismal rite. Baptisms are normally held the first Sunday of the month after the last Mass (except during Lent). Please call the Parish Office to register for a baptism class or to schedule a baptism.

Eucharist

Preparation for First Holy Communion (First Eucharist) begins in the fall of the second grade for our school and Faith Formation students. Besides classroom catechesis, there are parent meetings, evening programs for parents and children, and an all-day retreat for the children, which parents are encouraged to attend. The celebration of First Holy Communion occurs in the Easter season.

Confirmation

Confirmation is one of the three sacraments of initiation along with Baptism and Eucharist. Confirmation deepens our relationship with God, the Holy Spirit, and strengthens us to live lives of faith and mission. Preparation for Confirmation is open to high school youth. Candidates are prepared annually with formation sessions. Date of the Rite of Confirmation is typically in October.

Reconciliation

The celebration of First Reconciliation occurs in December of the second grade for most students. To prepare for the sacrament our second grade school and Faith Formation children begin their classroom catechesis soon after school starts. Families are included in the child's preparation through parent meetings and evening sessions for parents and children.

Anointing of the Sick

This sacrament is made available as a communal service usually once a year. However, if needed privately at any other time, please call the parish office. In an emergency, please notify a priest immediately by calling the Sacramental Emergency Line 502-536-8544.

Matrimony

Arrangements are to be made with the parish priest at least 6 months prior to the proposed wedding date. Participation in a marriage preparation program is required.

Holy Orders

Those considering entering the priesthood or a Religious Vocation, please contact our Pastor or the Archdiocesan Vocations Office at 317-236-1490 (E-Mail: vocations@archindy.org)

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (R.C.I.A.)

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church offers a process for helping those who are not Catholic to learn and discern if the Catholic faith is what they seek and want in their walk with Jesus Christ. The RCIA follows a school year schedule of faith formation meeting weekly on Wednesday evenings from August through April. The Easter Vigil (Saturday evening before Easter Sunday) is the norm for candidates to receive some or all of the Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist). Please call the Parish Office at 812-945-2374 to schedule an initial interview that explains this process in more detail.

Children or adults who need sacramental preparation which do not fit the criteria already mentioned above, please contact the Parish Center so appropriate catechesis may be determined.

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic School

Welcome to Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic School! Whether you are a potential new family to our parish-school community, a visiting guest, or a dedicated parent or grandparent gathering information, we are glad you are interested in our school. We have a proud story to tell!

With an enrollment of 370 students in Preschool through Grade 8, Our Lady is part of the Archdiocese of Indianapolis and the New Albany Deanery. We are fully accredited with the state of Indiana and are recognized as an Indiana Four Star School by the Indiana Department of Education. Our Lady students consistently attain some of the highest rankings of any school in the area on standardized testing. We also participate in the state wide voucher program allowing more families to choose a Catholic education for their children. With an outstanding, dedicated and progressive faculty, an integrated accelerated curriculum, an appreciation for students' individual gifts and low pupil-teacher ratios, we work hard to meet each child's full spiritual and academic potential.

Our exemplary reputation is supported each day as we combine academic excellence with a strong Catholic faith life to educate the whole child. Religious education, daily prayer, weekly Masses and service learning are an integral part of life at Our Lady. Retreats, vocational awareness, and social justice projects enrich the conscience and character of our students.

We offer full day Kindergarten as well as Preschool for three and four year olds. Three-year-old Preschoolers meet on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays in the morning or afternoon while our four-year-old Pre-Kindergarteners meet five days a week for half a day in either the morning or afternoon session. We even have an Early Preschool program two mornings a week for little ones who are two and a half or three years old and potty trained. Our Child Care Ministry is a wonderful option for children when they are not in Preschool, running each day from 7:15-3:00. At 3:00, the Aftercare program begins for all students, Preschool through Grade 8, until 6:00 PM.

You will notice right away that we have a family-focus at Our Lady. Older students partner with our youngest to support and set an example. We have prayer partners, mass buddies, and cadet readers sharing their talents and kindness in our school community. You will hear us cheer for one another with Middle School Houses and engaging electives. Parent feedback helps us meet the needs of students and improve instruction. We also value input from our students and their leadership at Mass, National Junior Honor Society, and in their day to day event planning and activities.

I welcome you to schedule a tour of our school. The excitement of learning, growing, and making friendships will be evident. Visit our website at school. olphna.org and feel free to call or email if you have questions.

God Bless,

Steve Beyl, Principal sbeyl@olphna.org

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Kindergarten Brandy Balser, Carrie Beth Andres

Grade 1 Terri Day, Abby Haynes

Grade 2 Christine Castleberry, Jessica Miller

Grade 3 Pat McGuire, Megan Donald Grade 4 Kristie Ferree, Matt Stemle

Grade 5 Anne Woods, Melissa Schellenberger

Grade 6 Sarah Reardon, Eryn Wolf

Grade 7 Kristina Bauerla, Christy Russell-Read

Grade 8 Jeff Wiles, Hannah Gish

Grades K-8 Katie Cassady Technology

Grades K-8 Michelle Welp Music/Musical Theatre Grades K-8 Susan Stengel Physical Education

Grades 1-8 Tiffany Smith Art Grades PreK-8 Susan Goodman Library

Instructional Assistants

Ben PopsonTammy DunnTaylor WilsonVicki LoweryPatty SpellmanAbigail RadkeKelly ConradOlivia McCurdyAriel ConradSusan SchultzLaura BergstromHannah Day

Maintenance

John Martin (Manager), Robert Aemmer

Cafeteria

Sandy Gilland (Cafeteria Manager) Scott Radke Bob Aemmer

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Pat Roehm Shelly Embry Ann Marie Camarata

Kelli Neafus Tonja Harp

Aftercare

Shirley Dant (Director)

Hannah Day Allison Mercer Maddisen Beyl

Child Care Ministry

Angie Troutman Shirley Dant Annie Thomas

Our Lady of Providence High School

707 Providence Way, Clarksville, IN 47129-159 812-945-2538

Preschool through eighth are important to the formation of Catholic values, yet the world broadens and diversifies when our children reach high school. The responsibility to educate our youth in the Catholic faith does not end with eighth grade graduation. To extend beyond the parish grade school, the New Albany Deanery provides both the environment and the expertise for continuing Catholic Education through grade twelve at Our Lady of Providence High School.

Providence High School is an extension of our parish school. As the high school of the New Albany Deanery, it is a mission-driven community designed to nurture your son or daughter from childhood lessons to adult-level understanding of faith. At Providence, life-enriching faith and friendships are planted. In just four years, each child becomes a young adult. Thus, during these years, teens need the best possible soil in which to change, grow and mature. PROVIDENCE IS GOOD SOIL.

Parish Mission Statement

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish exists to nurture a faith-filled Catholic community, which inspires and empowers all people to follow Jesus Christ. We will continue to "Keep our eyes fixed on Jesus" (Hebrews 12:2) by living the Gospel, celebrating meaningful worship, and calling one another to prayer, Christian Service, and fellowship.

Parish Ministries/Organizations

TC denotes "Time Commitment"

Pastoral Council

Finance Council

Christian Service

Soup Kitchen

Visitation Ministry

Prayer Blanket Ministry

Pro-Life Ministry

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Ministry of Consolation

Funeral Luncheons

Contact.......Volunteer Needed
Our parish provides a luncheon after funerals for a deceased member's
family and friends upon request. Volunteers are needed to prepare
a dish, solicit entrees and help set up, serve and clean up after the
luncheon. TC: Varies/as needed.

Resurrection Choir

Faith Formation

Faith Formation Commission

ContactVolunteer Needed
The Faith Formation Commission assists the Pastor, Pastoral Council,
and the Faith Formation staff in establishing policies and setting goals
pertinent to Life Long Faith Formation opportunities for the parish. Nine
to thirteen appointed members make up the Faith Formation Commission.
TC: Three year terms, monthly meetings, and committee work as needed.

Week One

Lenten Retreat

Bible Study Facilitator

Faith First: Faith Formation for Children (Age 4 to Grade 4)

Vacation Bible School (VBS)

Children's Liturgy of the Word

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

Family and Parish Life

Marriage Preparation Sponsor Couples

Prime Timers

Child Care

Prayer Line

Men's Club

Young Adults (Age 18 - 35)

School

Commission for Education (CFE)





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Parent Teacher Organization (PTO)

Liturgy

First Friday Eucharistic Adoration

Liturgical Ministries

Lectors

Ushers

Greeters

Contact.......Hugh Ernstberger812-246-0228 Greeters welcome people at the church doors prior to Sunday and Holy Day Masses and distribute bulletins at the end of Mass.

Altar Servers

Eucharistic Ministers

Church Decoration

Contacts......Beth Duffy-Dries812-987-2898 This ministry coordinates decorating the church for the appropriate seasons: Advent, Christmas, Lent, Easter & Ordinary Time.

Mass Coordinators

Music Ministries

Traditional Choir

Contemporary Choir

Children's Choir

Cantors

Instrumentalists

Stewardship

Main Event

Contact......Volunteer Needed

Main Event is the Parish and School main fundraiser. Many volunteers are needed to plan and coordinate this event. Please contact the parish office for more information.

Buildings & Grounds

Our grounds and facilities require a great deal of care and continuing maintenance. Professional or skilled craftsmen often handle major maintenance. Volunteers may do minor maintenance (gardening, painting, some cleaning, etc.). TC: As needed.

Youth Ministry

Core Team

Middle School Discipleship Group

High School Discipleship Group



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Confirmation Preparation

Youth Ministry Athletic Committee

Boy Scouts

Girl Scouts

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church Organizational Chart



