



## January 26, 2025 Third Sunday of Ordinary Time

### WHAT IS A JUBILEE



A Jubilee Year is celebrated by the Universal Church every 25 years. This special year is dedicated to encouraging the faithful to embark on pilgrimages, repent of their sins, forgive others' sins, and renew their focus on spiritual life. In the Hebrew tradition, as recorded in Leviticus, a Jubilee was celebrated every 50 years, marked by the freeing of slaves and the forgiveness of debts. In 1300, Pope Boniface VIII instituted the first Christian Jubilee. Since then, the Church has designated each new Jubilee as a year of grace and forgiveness, providing the faithful with an opportunity to obtain a plenary indulgence.

### SAVE THE DATE

**Sunday February 9, 2025 -12:30 pm OLPH Parish Hall**

Join with Fr. Mark Miller C.Ss.R. and Francis Maza of Providence Health Care for a conversation around "The art of dying well from a Catholic Perspective." We struggle to promote a greater understanding of the dignity of all human life from conception to natural death. Both Fr. Mark and Francis are enthusiastic about human dignity and are eager to share their professional and their personal experiences in this area.

### NOTE FROM PASTORAL CARE

If you know of someone who is housebound or in hospital and would appreciate a visit from our Parish Community, please call the Parish Office and let us know. If you or someone you know is about to undergo surgery or another medical procedure and would like to celebrate the sacrament of the sick, please contact Fr. Leo or Fr. Alfredo.

### NONPERISHABLE FOOD ITEMS

We continue to support those who have less. Thank you for all your generosity over the Christmas season. Please remember nonperishable food items when you come to church.

### SUNDAY COFFEE VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

If you can help with setting up and taking down our Sunday morning coffee after 9 AM Mass please, scan the QR code to sign up. Your help is greatly appreciated. Thank you for considering being part of our parish hospitality.





## ✿✿ Missionary Association of Mary Immaculate ✿✿



As we begin this New Year, the Oblates of Mary Immaculate extend our heartfelt gratitude to your parish for welcoming Fr. Ken to celebrate Sunday Eucharist. During that visit, he shared our Oblate global missionary work in faith and social development. We are also grateful that many of you have joined MAMI, partnering with the Oblates and the poor in our missions. Indeed, you are a parish with a mission!

Fr. Ken Foster OMI



### OLPH CATHOLIC Book Fair

Wednesday, February 19th, 2025  
Parish Hall (OLPH Church Basement)



Our Lady's School will be hosting a Catholic Book Fair with the *Daughters of St. Paul*. The Catholic Book Fair is a wonderful opportunity to provide your family with quality books, find gifts, and support your school. It also creates excitement around reading Catholic content and emphasizes the importance of books to help us to know, love, and serve God.

For PRIMARY students, if you are sending money to school with your child please make sure it is marked clearly with your child's name, and their teacher will hold on to it for them until it is their turn to go to the Book Fair.

WHEN	Wed., Feb. 19th, 2025
WHERE	<b>OLPH PARISH (*church basement)</b>
TIME	<b>8:30 am - 1:30 pm Parish Hall* 1:30 pm - 3:00 pm Madonna Room*</b>

A percentage of the proceeds go directly to Our Lady's School library to purchase NEW books!

The *Daughters of St. Paul* also accept Visa, Mastercard, and debit cards.

You can check out the books on their website (<https://paulinestore.ca/>).

OLPH PARENTS & PARISHIONERS WELCOME ALL DAY (8:30 am - 3:00 pm)

*We look forward to seeing you there to support The Daughters of St. Paul and Our Lady's School!*

## ✿✿ How do I participate in the Jubilee Year of Hope ✿✿

The Ordinary Jubilee of 2025 offers an opportunity for all to embark on a pilgrimage of hope whether locally in our dioceses, cathedral or shrine, or Canada's National Shrines, or by journeying to Rome. Over the coming months, there will be plenty of opportunities and resources to help you observe this special year of grace in our archdiocese. See below on how you can take part of the Jubilee Year of Hope.

### Resources to follow up on Year of Jubilee

<https://dublindiocese.ie/jubilee2025/>

<https://www.usccb.org/jubilee-2025-resources>

<https://www.catholiccy.ca/jubilee.html>

<https://www.cccb.ca/evangelization-catechesis-catholic-education/the-ordinary-jubilee-of-the-year-2025/>

### MASSES & SERVICES

Saturday Anticipated Mass: 5pm

Sunday Masses: 9am, 11am, 5pm

Daily Mass :

Mon – Fri 8am

Thurs OLPH Novena: After 8am Mass

Sat & Holidays: 9am Mass

Sat Adoration: 9:30am – 10am

Reconciliation: Sat 4pm – 4:45pm

### OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Friday 9:30am-4pm

Stat Holiday, Sat & Sun: Closed

Pastor: Fr. Leo English, CSsR

Associate Pastor: Fr. Alfredo Medina Ramos, CSsR

### CONTACT

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