



## SA PRAYER S FOR NEW SCHOOL YEAR

Lord, bless and fill our parish and school community with love, truth and goodness. As our students begin a new school year, keep them in your care and send the Holy Spirit to open their minds to all that is good and beautiful. May the presence of your Spirit fill the hearts of our school families. teachers and everyone in the community. Amen.



## WEEKLY CATECHISM CLASS FOR CHILDREN NOT IN CATHOLIC SCHOOL

If you child is in Grade K-7 (or beyond G.7 if they are not yet Confirmed) who does not attend Catholic school, consider joining PREP (Parish Religious Education | journey of faith and conversion. Program) for sacramental preparation - First Reconciliation, First Communion and Confirmation. Our first class will begin on Tue, Sep 23 from 6:30 -7:30pm. To register, visit <a href="https://">https://</a> olphchurch.ca/join/prep/ or email prep.olph@gmail.com for more information.



## ARE YOU THINKING ABOUT **BECOMING CATHOLIC?**

Whether you are considering becoming Catholic or simply want to learn more about the Catholic faith and the teachings of Jesus Christ, we welcome you on this RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) will be held on Tuesday evenings from 6:30pm - 8:00pm in the parish hall. If you are interested in joining the RCIA program, visit https://olphchurch.ca/join/become -catholic/ Our first class will begin on Tue, Sep 9. Note: Deadline to <u>submit registration is September 15</u>



We have set aside nine Monday evenings spread across the year of 2025 - 2026. Our First Session will be on Mon. Sep 15 from 7 - 8:30pm. Fr. Nick Misel will be our first guest speaker. Pick up a Passbook and have your passbook stamped for all nine sessions to enter a draw for a scrumptious dinner with the Redemptorists at the rectory. We look forward to seeing you!

# Happy Labor Day September 1st

Morning Mass will be at 9:00am
Parish Office is closed

Alpha Course



On this Labor Day, we thank God for the blessing of work. We ask for the strength and guidance to complete each day. Bless those who work tirelessly each day for the good of us all. Amen.

## ৯৯ NEWS & NOTICES ৯৯

#### VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY: MEAL PREPARATION FOR THE HUNGRY

Meal Preparation for the needy will be resumed after the summer break. Our next Meal Preparation will be on Sat, Sep 13. If you can be a part of the cooking team, please sign up at <a href="https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050B4BAFAA2DA1FB6-46459533-inner#/">https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050B4BAFAA2DA1FB6-46459533-inner#/</a> Thank You!

#### \* DEVELOPMENT & PEACE - CARITAS CANADA REGIONAL ASSEMBLY SEP 19-21

Join DPCC members from BC and the Yukon at Little Flower Monastery, Deroche, BC

Explore: Laudato Si: Continuing to be People of Action

Keynote Speaker: Dr. John W. Martens, PhD, St. Mark's College - Get to know the work of DPCC across the world and how we can Create Hope for our world's people and environment in our parishes. 2 night, 1 night, or Day Rates available. Contact pinkydevpeace@gmail.com for full registration package.

\* ALPHA COURSE AT OLPH: Come explore the Christian faith in an informal and friendly way that has helped countless people grow closer to God. ALPHA will begin in the fall - 12 Tuesday Mornings in the parish hall. STAY TUNED! REGISTRATION TO BEGIN SOON!



WELCOME BACK! First day of School	Sep 2	Dismissal at 10:30am
OLPH Junior Kindergarten Open House	Sep 3	9:30am & 11:30am
RCIA First Class - 6:30pm	Sep 9	Church Hall
Commissioning Mass at 11am & Back to School BBQ	Sep 14	Church & School
Celebration of Fr. Mark's 50th Ordination Anniversary	Sep 14	Church & School
Adult Faith Formation Session #1 of 9 - 7:00pm	Sep 15	Church Hall
Harvest Fair - 10:00am	Sep 27	School
National Day for Truth and Reconciliation	Sep 30	School & Parish Office closed

## **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 - 10:00am Reconciliation: Sat 4pm - 4:45pm

Or by appointment: 604-224-4344

## **OFFICE HOURS**

Monday-Friday 9:30am-4pm Stat Holiday, Sat & Sun: Closed

Pastor: Fr. Leo English, CSsR

Parochial Vicar: Fr. Alfredo Medina Ramos, CSsR

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