

# ONE MIND...ONE HEART...ONE SPIRIT!

## ***Vianney!***

***Performed by Leonardo Defilippis***

We at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church are very excited that the national tour of the live theatrical production ***VIANNEY*** is ***coming to OLPH on Sunday, November 8 at 7:30 pm.*** Leonardo Defilippis, the talented actor who starred in and directed the feature film ***THÉRÈSE*** that took the movie industry by surprise and generated phenomenal grassroots enthusiasm in the Church and the general public. This production is sponsored by the Parish Council of Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church.

We are very fortunate to have the opportunity to host this professional production, which promises to be inspiring and entertaining for the entire community. Please don't miss the opportunity to experience a first class theatrical event, right in our own diocese.

***Admission will be: \$5 for individuals; \$20 per family (cash preferred please)*** Juan Carlos Mendoza from Christian Formation and Daniel Subia with the Youth Group will be selling the tickets after the masses. ***Priests, Seminarians, Religious and Deacons attend for free.*** *The play is suitable for ages 9 and up.*

## **Gift Shop News!**

We have great news for all of our parishioners! We will be getting in some very nice gifts for all occasions very soon. Because we do not have all the space we wish we had, we are going to have to sell a lot of what we do have at sale prices to make room for the new. Starting now we will be cutting our prices on all items. Books, CD's and DVD's will be at 20% off. Most other items will be reduced 25% off. Come in and help us make room for all the new items, and you can pick up some really great buys! Your purchases help the church and its ministries.

We are located in the hall behind the rectory. If you cannot make it after any of the weekend masses, call the rectory and we can make arrangements for you to come in during the week

## **Coffee & Donuts!**

Next ***Sunday, November 1st*** after the 8:30 and 10:30 am masses there will be coffee & donuts in the hall, hosted by members of our SVDP.

*Come and socialize with your fellow parishioners!*

## **Quarterly Financial Report**

***July—September 2009***

### **INCOME**

Grants	\$2,800.00
Fundraising	\$5,317.00
Sales	\$2,397.00
Cafeteria	\$14,297.00
Tuition-School	\$318,016.00
Tuition, Pre-K	\$14,151.00
Extended Day Care	\$5,580.00
Registrations	\$16,034.00
Interest	\$31.00
Plate	\$151,700.00
Unrestricted	\$9,068.00
Stole Fees	\$7,085.00
Programs	\$4,418.00

**TOTAL INCOME:** ***\$550,876.00***

### **EXPENSES**

Salaries & Benefits	\$428,411.00
Utilities	\$36,585.00
Fundraising	\$160.00
Insur./Property/Liability	\$17,275.00
Maint/Equip/Furn	\$6,361.00
Buildings	\$6,399.00
Grounds	\$496.00
Refunds/Tuition etc	\$380.00
Office/Instruct supplies	\$4,424.00
Hospitality	\$399.00
Marketing/Develop	\$0.00
Professional Services	\$8,566.00
Postage	\$792.00
Hosts/Flowers/Vestments/Envelopes/Missals etc	\$3,039.00
Cafeteria	\$3,752.00
Programs	\$1,181.00
Janitorial supplies	\$2,388.00
Diocese Assessments	\$1,486.00
Bank Fees	\$562.00
Dues/Memb/Semin/Confer	\$1,270.00

**TOTAL EXPENSES:** ***\$523,926.00***

**DIFFERENCE:** ***\$26,950.00***

## **Night of Remembrance**

***November 2 at 7:00 pm***

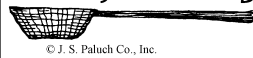
As last year, we will have votive candles for those of you who would like to have a candle with the name of your dearly departed on it. Please call the office and leave the name so we can put it on the candle for procession on November 2nd.

Our Lady of Perpetual Help  
 Weekly Contribution Amounts  
**Sunday, October 18, 2009**  
 Sunday Collection

\$11,861.42

*Thank you for your continued generosity!*

**Weekly Offering**



**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

**Monday:** Rom 8:12-17; Lk 13:10-17  
**Tuesday:** Rom 8:18-25; Lk 13:18-21  
**Wednesday:** Eph 2:19-22; Lk 6:12-16  
**Thursday:** Rom 8:31b-39; Lk 13:31-35  
**Friday:** Rom 9:1-5; Lk 14:1-6  
**Saturday:** Rom 11:1-2a, 11-12, 25-29; Lk 14:1, 7-11  
**Sunday:** Rv 7:2-4, 9-14; Ps 24; 1 Jn 3:1-3; Mt 5:1-12a

**Call to Protect**  
**Remaining Vigilant**

St. Helen's will be holding the Remaining Vigilant class for **those who need to attend the Continued Commitment portion** of the Call to Protect. It will on **Thursday, October 29th at 7:00 pm**, it will be a 45 minute session. Please register online or call the rectory office to register you online.

**Music Ministry Concert**  
**Fundraiser**

Dan Duet is a Catholic country artist and songwriter. His style has been compared to John Denver. Dan Duet will be at OLPH on **Wed., Oct. 28, 2009 at 7PM**. There is no charge, but there will be a free-will offering that Mr. Duet will split 50/50 with the OLPH Choir. **Please support the choir in this event.** It is a family event and the music will be spiritually uplifting.

**PARISH SCHEDULE**

**Monday, Oct. 26/Lunes, 26 de Octubre, 2009**  
 5:30 pm Children's Choir Practice Confer. Rm  
 7:00 pm Youth Group Hall  
 7:30 pm Neocatechumenal Way Church  
**Tuesday, Oct. 27/Martes, 27 de Octubre**  
 9:30 am World Apostolate of Fatima Chapel  
 6:00 pm Christian Formation, Spanish Class Rms  
 7:00 pm RCIA, Spanish Confer. B  
 7:00 pm RCIA, English Confer. A  
 7:00 pm Novena/Rosary Church  
**Wednesday, Oct. 28/Miercoles, 28 de Octubre**  
 6:00 pm Christian Formation, English Class Rms  
 7:00 pm Music Ministry Concert Church  
 7:00 pm Bible Study, Gospel of Luke Confer. Rm  
**Thursday, October 29/Jueves, 29 de Octubre**  
 6:00 pm Spanish Choir Practice Confer. Rm  
 7:00 pm Adult Catechism Classroom  
 7:00 pm Agua Viva Hall  
 7:00 pm Guadalupanos Capilla  
 7:30 pm Neocatechumenal Way Church  
**Friday, October 30/Viernes, 30 de Octubre**  
 7:00 pm Grupo Familiar Capilla  
 7:00 pm Grupo Jovenes Casa Maria  
**Saturday, October 31/Sabado, 31 de Octubre**  
**Sunday, November 1/Domingo, 1 de Noviembre**  
 8:00 am Donuts & Coffee Hall

**Masses for the Week**

**Monday, October 26**  
 6:15 am - † Jack Whalen  
 8:30 am - † George Schmalz  
**Tuesday, October 27**  
 6:15 am - † Maria Arzate  
 8:30 am † Noe Carrazca  
**Wednesday, October 28 — Ss. Simon & Jude**  
 6:15 am - † Sylvia Fierros  
 8:30 am † Andrew Reveles  
**Thursday, October 29**  
 6:15 am - † Julia Serna  
 8:30 am - † Maria Arzate  
**Friday, October 30**  
 6:15 am - † Intong Yap  
 8:30 am - † Jorge Gaytan  
 7:00 pm - † Xavier (Gus) Cabrera  
**Saturday, October 31**  
 8:30 am - † Colonel Donald E. Ryan, Sr.  
 5:00 pm - † All Souls in Purgatory  
 7:00 pm - † Leolegario Gonzales  
**Sunday, November 1 — All Souls Day**  
 6:30 am - † deceased members of Yap family  
 8:30 am † Tellez & Cordova families  
 10:00 am † Jorge Avila  
 10:30 am † Guadalupe Rios Lopez  
 12:30 pm - For the People

**Remember in prayer all who are sick in our community, and those who have asked for your prayers:** Jason Abril, Cruz Hernandez, Leonard Schroeder, John Simmons, Michael Alvarez, Donny Mangerie, Lupe Andrade, Anita de la Cruz, Ben Figueroa, Doug Brunner, George and Lydia Bicolis, Mary Fedro, Anne Fogus, Delfina Noriega, Darrell Dockery, William Seely, Lupe Escamilla, Jenny Dunston, Arvilla Schrayner, Mark Dreher, Pam Meyers, Kevin Chisquet, Concha Jauregui, Pat Norby, Frances Bowers, Maria Carpenter, Cindy Gentry, Michael Manners, Rose Ann Carpenter, Belen Ani, John Boland, Madeline Gross, Pat Hofer, Ron Benson, Ann Whiting, Thomas Hassett, Rene Woodward, Paula Cano, and Marjorie A. Weise. **Pray for deployed members of the military:** Lance Corp. Juan Torres **Pray for all who have died:** Mary Tovar

## Neocatechumenal Way

As A Reminder, Take Advantage of this Time



**Adult catechesis (Ages 13 & older)**

Mondays & Thursdays 7:30pm  
Inside the church

**Free Babysitting provided**  
**Neocatechumenal Way**

## TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Today is the feast of the Forty Martyrs of England and Wales, the first representative body of many Catholics who died for their faith between 1535 and 1679 to be beatified or canonized. Almost all of them died at Tyburn, a place of public execution near today's Marble Arch in Hyde Park, London. The first to suffer were Carthusian monks who refused to swear an oath supporting Henry VIII as supreme head of the Church in England, and the last was Saint Oliver Plunkett, the Primate Archbishop of Ireland. The method of execution was particularly vile, since the condemned were hanged and their living bodies quartered to be displayed around London as a horrific warning.

Today, the tree-like gallows provides the design of a religious symbol, the canopy over the altar of the martyrs in Tyburn Convent. There, at the heart of the bustling city, a monastic community of women practices contemplative prayer and "spiritual hospitality" in the Benedictine tradition. Oddly, the community is French in origin; it was expelled from France a century ago when France outlawed contemplative monastic life. England, where the laws against Catholicism had been lifted, invited the community in. In gratitude to their new homeland, and in honor of those who gave their lives for the Catholic faith, the nuns came to Tyburn. In the public crypt, coats of arms stand for each of the 350 martyrs. A Web site visit is possible at [www.tyburnconvent.org.uk](http://www.tyburnconvent.org.uk).

—Rev. James Field

## GOOD HEARING

Faith is the ear of the soul. —St. Clement of Alexandria

## TRADICIONES DE NUESTRA FE

En varias ocasiones, Jesús le declara al recién sanado: **"tu fe te ha salvado"** (Marcos 10:52). Todos los cristianos deseamos ser salvados. Y, ¿qué es la salvación? La palabra **"salvación"** viene del Latín *salus* que también significa **"salud"**. La salvación es el bienestar en todas sus formas. Es el estar bien con Dios, con las demás personas, con la creación y consigo mismo. Los hebreos le llaman *shalom* y los árabes llaman *salam* que quiere decir: **"paz y bien"**. Por siglos y hasta el presente, el saludo de los pueblos semitas es: **"La paz sea contigo"**. Se responde **"Y también contigo"**.

Según Jesús este *shalom*, *salam*, *salus*, *salvación*, *paz y bien* se consigue por medio de la fe. Hay que tener un deseo profundo de tenerlo, para así pedirlo: **"Jesús, Hijo de David, ten piedad de mí"** (Marcos 10:47). La salvación no llega a quienes la esperan sentados en una Iglesia, más bien, llega a los que se mueven y obran por ella.

—Fray Gilberto Cavazos-Glz, OFM, © Copyright, J. S. Paluch Co.

## LA ESPERANZA Y PROMESA DE REDENCIÓN

El profeta Jeremías anuncia el fin del exilio en Babilonia. Describe cómo los débiles y los tristes ahora regresarán con alegría. Éste es el pueblo dispersado de Dios: los ciegos y cojos; preñadas y paridas. Serán guiados por un camino llano para que nadie tropiece. La bondad y misericordia del Señor están con este pueblo débil y deshecho.

Aquí y en el Salmo 126 (125) encontramos imágenes poéticas extremadamente hermosas del amor y cuidado que Dios tiene por nosotros. **"Los que sembraban con lágrimas, / cosechan entre cantares. Al ir, iba llorando, / llevando la semilla; / al volver, vuelve cantando, / trayendo sus gavillas"** (Salmo 126[125]:5-6). Si bien Dios tuvo que castigar a Israel por sus muchos pecados, nunca se olvidó de ellos aun cuando estaban dispersos, y los llevó de regreso a la tierra de sus ancestros para que prosperaran y fueran felices de nuevo. En esto encontramos la esperanza y la promesa de nuestra propia redención al reunirnos, desde todos los rincones del mundo, para celebrar el gran banquete de Dios. —© Copyright, J. S. Paluch Co.

## PERDÓN

El perdón es la fragancia que la violeta deja en el talón de quien la ha pisado. —Mark Twain