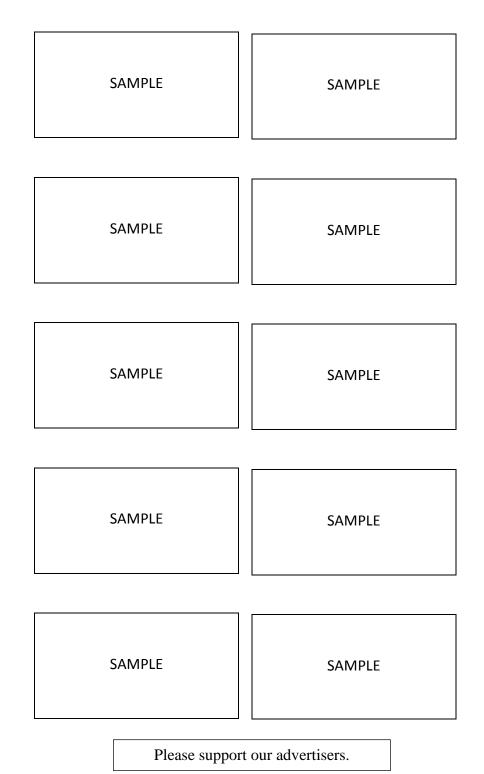
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# OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP 295 McLEOD CHATEAUGUAY, QUEBEC

# **Mission Statement**

We, the members of the Christian Community of Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish, in the missionary spirit of Mary, our Patroness, strive to be followers of Jesus. Our vision is to build and support an inclusive and intergenerational faith community, guided always by the spirit of the Second Vatican Council.

#### MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 5:15 PM Sunday: 10:30 AM No Mass Monday: Tuesday: 7:30 PM followed by Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Help Wednesday, Thursday & Friday: 9:00 AM HOLY HOUR: First Friday of the Month after Mass **CONFESSION (RECONCILIATION):** Before all Masses or by appointment MAILING ADDRESS: 34 St. Charles St., Chateauguay, J6J 5E6 **Office Phone:** 450-691-4430 Hall: 450-691-7141 Fax: 450-691-7144 Email: olphparish@outlook.com http://olph-chateauguay.org Website: **Facebook:** Our Lady of Perpetuel Help- OLPH-Ville de Châteauguay Faith First Email: olphparish-faithfirst@outlook.com

**OFFICE HOURS:** Monday through Thursday – 9 AM to 3 PM **FRIDAY: OFFICE CLOSED** 

# March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2020 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Lent

COLLECTION FOR SUNDAY, February 23 <sup>rd</sup> :	\$2,250.78
PAD (Pre-Authorized Deposit):	\$ 253.08
2 <sup>nd</sup> COLLECTION (Heating & Maintenance)	72.00
TOTAL:	\$2,575.86

Thank you for your faithful support to our parish needs. May God bless you.

## MASS SCHEDULE for the week of March 1<sup>st</sup>:

Mon.		NO MASS
Tues.	7:30 PM	+ Catherine Hooper by Mary Langlois
		+ Brenda Habib by Spiritual Friends
		* Martha Casass by Charlie & Margaret & Family
Wed.	9:00 AM	+ Agnes Griffin by her Estate
Thur.	9:00 AM	NO INTENTION
Fri.	9:00 AM	+ Josephine Ferro by the Secular Franciscan
		<ul> <li>Bonaventure &amp; Angelin Gabriel in Thanksgiving by Cecil Alfred</li> </ul>

### MASS SCHEDULE for Saturday/Sunday, March 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> :

#### Saturday 5:15 PM

**†** Kyle Sheppard (3<sup>rd</sup> Anniv.) by his Family

### Sunday 10:30 AM

NO INTENTION

If you would like to remember a loved one, we invite you to contact the parish office to reserve a date for an announced mass or intention.

## UPCOMING EVENTS AND MEETINGS

CWL World Day of Prayer, Friday, March 6<sup>th,</sup> 2 PM at OLPH International Women's Day Conference – March 7<sup>th</sup> 10 AM to Noon in the Hall CVIHA – Mass of Anticipation– Sunday, March 8<sup>th</sup> at 10:30 AM CVIHA General Meeting – Sunday, March 8<sup>th</sup> at 1 PM CWL Meeting – Monday, March 9<sup>th</sup> at 7 PM Orientation Leadership Team Meeting – Thur. March, 12 at 7 PM Secular Franciscan's Meeting – Sunday, March 15<sup>th</sup> at 2 PM Kinghts of Columbus Meeting – Monday, March 16<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 PM Faith First Hunger Meal – Friday, March 20<sup>th</sup> at 6 PM SFO-The Way of the Cross – Fridays, March 13<sup>th</sup>, 20, 27 SFO Hunger Meal – Friday, March 27<sup>th</sup> at 6 PM **SEASON OF LENT:** The season of Lent is a special time for Prayer, Fasting and Almsgiving. We have many special opportunities in the parish to support our spiritual preparation during this season. The Friday night Hunger Meals are delicious and modest dinners which create an opportunity for communal penance, solidarity with the poor, union with Christ's sacrifice, and Christian fellowship. All free will donations at the Hunger Meals will be donated to support the work of Development & Peace/Caritas Canada for their Lenten Campaign.

**STEWARDSHIP GOAL:** *"Let us focus on generosity, or returning God's gifts with increase, through the generous sharing of our time, talent and treasure."* (Archbishop of St. Louis, Missouri).

March 1, 2020 - 1st Sunday of Lent : "It is written, 'Worship the Lord, your God, and serve only him'." (Matthew 4:10) Tempted between the riches and power of this world and service to God, Jesus chose service to His Father. If we wish to truly follow Jesus, we, too, must decide to turn away from worldly power and riches and put God at the center of our lives. Lent is our time to prune ourselves of earthly things. Ask God how he is calling you to serve.

### **OLPH JOURNEY OF RENEWAL, REBUILDING AND REVITALIZATION**

In this 2020 Lenten season our parish will begin a Journey of Renewal, Rebuilding and Revitalization (RRR). This journey is a follow up to the Diocese of Valleyfield survey, report and recommendations on the future of the parishes. A team from a cross-section of our parish will lead an organized process to revisit our vision and mission priorities. We will discern together as a faithcommunity the pathway to being missionary disciples. We will explore practical steps we can take as a parish community to move us forward from maintenance to mission - and to begin to allow our dreams, hopes and ideas of the future to grow into a pastoral plan and process for the parish. In the coming days and in the next few months, we will ask for your participation, input and most especially your prayers to the Holy Spirit of Love and Light to guide and inspire all of us in this crucial journey of our own parish and in this challenging period for our Diocese and the Universal Church. The outcomes of these reflections will be shared with all the members of our parish community in the coming months. We will be posting information on how you can participate and regular updates on this planning process in our bulletin and through other means of communication.

**POPE'S MESSAGE FOR LENT 2020**: During this season of Lent, he wants to invite the faithful to fix their eyes on the crucified Lord, and allow ourselves "to be saved over and over again". "Jesus' Pasch is not a past event; rather, through the power of the Holy Spirit it is ever-present, enabling us to see and touch with faith the flesh of Christ in those who suffer".

**CWL WORLD DAY OF PRAYER** a global ecumenical movement led by Christian women who welcome you to join in prayer and action for peace and justice. Each year the ceremony is passed on from parish to parish. This year it is CWL OLPH council's turn to host. March 6th at 2pm we will gather in the church for prayer. This year the country chosen is Zimbabwe and the motto is "Pick Up Your Mat and Walk" There will be a small gathering in the hall afterwards. Everyone is welcome.

**CWL General Meeting Monday March 9th at 7pm**. There will be a short meeting followed by a speaker on women's health. Members are encouraged to bring a friend!



## INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY BRUNCH:

March 7<sup>th</sup>, 2020 – 10 AM to Noon. Doors open at 9:30 AM. Inspirational Speakers, Brunch, Raffle and Giveaways. Space is limited. Register before March 4<sup>th</sup>. Co-hosted by CWL. For Tickets call: Linda Chisholm at 450-429-6212.

# DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE: The tree of solidarity that is

**Development and Peace – Caritas Canada** In 1967, the Bishops of Canada sowed a seed of solidarity, seeking to nurture a movement for social justice. This seed took root and blossomed into a strong tree. Its roots are the thousands of Canadians who support the organization by donating time and money. Its branches are partners who flourish and help build a world of justice. Their work bears fruit for millions of people in the Global South who are taking charge of their own destiny.



THANK YOU FROM THE COFFEE HOUSE to all those who helped to make this a successful event. \$715.95 was raised for the Chruch . Thanks to the Squires & Roses, the Musicians, the organizers and those who attended.

