



# OLPH VOICE

OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP SYRO MALABAR CATHOLIC MISSION OF GREATER WASHINGTON



Beloved OLPH family members,

**June 24<sup>th</sup> is the feast of Saint John the Baptist.** Jesus says of John, “Truly I tell you, among those born of women there has not risen anyone greater than John the Baptist” (Matt 11:11). Although John the Baptist denied he was the second Prophet Elijah, Jesus was referring to John the Baptist when he said “But I tell you that Elijah has already come, and they did not recognize him, but they did to him whatever they pleased” (Matt 17:12-13). St. Jerome gives us a good insight into similarities between St. John the Baptist and Elijah by saying that it would be foolish to think that Elijah’s soul passed from his body to John’s body. Instead, John the Baptist came in the Spirit and power of Elijah, and had the same grace and measure of Holy Spirit. They were similar in austerity of life and fortitude of spirit, they both dwelt in the desert and both were girded with a girdle of skins. Because Elijah reproved Ahab and Jezebel for their wickedness, Jezebel wanted to kill him. Because John the Baptist rebuked Herod and Herodias for their adultery, Herodias got him killed.

I would like to wish all the **OLPH dads a very HAPPY FATHER’S DAY!!!** Let us pray for fathers all over the world, who are with us, and those gone to their heavenly abode. Let us also pray to St. Joseph, the foster father of Jesus, who is a shining example of faith, righteousness and surrendering to God’s will. May he guide all fathers to be like him.

With love,  
Royachan

**Rev. Fr. Roy Moolachalil**  
**OLPH Mission Director**

# Congratulations to our 2021 Graduates!!!

We are so proud of you!!



Kevin Bobby  
B.S.  
UMD College  
Major: Computer Science



Namitha Thomas  
B.S.  
UMD College  
Major: Biological Science

Great job!!!



Melwin Mathew  
High School Graduate



Aden Gonsalves  
High School Graduate



Abhishek Shiva Shankar  
High School Graduate

High Achievers!!!



Alana Elizabeth Alexander  
High School Graduate

Awesome!!!



Suzanne Thachenkary  
Pre-K Graduate



Jaiden Puthenkalam  
Middle School  
Graduate



Serin Palathingal  
Middle School  
Graduate



Nidav Sojan  
Elementary School  
Graduate



Maxin Mathew  
Elementary School  
Graduate



**Wishing all OLPH  
Dads**

**HAPPY  
FATHER'S  
DAY**



# Marian Group & Entertainment Committee

invites



LPH Family to

MUSIC - DINNER - FUN



— CELEBRATE —

**FATHER'S**

— DAY —



## Saturday June 19

5:00pm - 8:00pm

Location: Church Site - 20533 Zion Rd, Gaithersburg MD 20882

**\*\* Please bring your own chair \*\***

**\*\* RSVP to your ward rep ASAP \*\***

# SUMMER BIBLE QUIZ FOR CCD KIDS



JULY  
**17TH**

All OLPH CCD students Grades 4 and up are required to participate in the Summer 2021 Bible Quiz, which will be held on **Saturday, July 17, 2021**. It will be an online Quiz that will be done at home. A small fee will be charged upon registration.

Details about the Quiz, registration, fees and prizes will be announced shortly. **The Bible Quiz will be based on the GOSPEL OF MARK** (New American Bible Revised Edition or NABRE).



**GOSPEL OF ST. MARK**

**REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

**GRADES 4 AND UP**

**EXCITING PRIZES**



# OLPH SOUVENIR

**MANDATORY  
PARTICIPATION FOR  
ALL CCD STUDENTS.**

**LAST DATE:  
AUGUST 31, 2021**

**EARLY BIRD  
SURPRISE IF  
SUBMITTED BY  
JULY 31, 2021**

**Where to send your articles?  
[newsletter.olph@gmail.com](mailto:newsletter.olph@gmail.com)**



**What to  
contribute?**



**ARTICLES/STORIES**



**POEMS**



**PAINTINGS**



**CARTOON**

# SPONSOR AN ITEM

## To-be Committed items

Consider sponsorship by Ward, multiple families or individuals.  
Option to pay in installments is available.

Description	Yes/No	Amount (\$)
Chapel Lights (in cash or gold)	<input type="checkbox"/>	16,000
Bath Floor Tiles	<input type="checkbox"/>	15,000
Gym VCT Tiles	<input type="checkbox"/>	15,000
Portable Stage	<input type="checkbox"/>	15,000
Bath Wall Tiles	<input type="checkbox"/>	10,000
Chairs - Gym: 300	<input type="checkbox"/>	8,000
Sound System (donate any amount to this cause)	<input type="checkbox"/>	5,750
Conference Room furniture	<input type="checkbox"/>	2,000
Total		86,750

## Committed items

Description	Yes	Amount (\$)
Altar Design & Build-Out	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	75,000
Pews: (20 x \$1,500) With Naming Right	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	30,000
Grotto of Our Lady	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	25,000
Site Light Poles WITH NAMING RIGHT (11 x \$1,500)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	16,500
Chapel and Vestibule VCT Tiles	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	15,000
Tabernacle	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	10,000
Altar Table	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	10,000
Sound System (Out of \$15K)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	9,250
Altar Cross	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	5,000
Arulika	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	5,000
Confessional	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	5,000
Sign Board	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	5,000
Altar Chairs	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	5,000
Gym Equipment	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	5,000
Sacristy Counter Top	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	5,000
Flag Pole - Outside	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	5,000
Sacristy Cabinets	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	5,000
Chapel Lights	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	4,000
Baptismal Stand	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	4,000
Bema	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	4,000
Refrigerator	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	4,000
Vicar's Office Furniture	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	3,000
Ceremonial Umbrellas: 24	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	3,000
Bethgaza (2 x \$1,500)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	3,000
Parish Office furniture	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	3,000
Roopakoodu (2 X \$1500)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	3,000
Lecterns: 2	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	2,500
CCD Office Furniture	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	2,000
Warming Oven	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	2,000
Golden Procession (Outside) Cross	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	2,000
Mass Procession Cross	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	2,000
Roof Top Cross	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	2,000
Tables - Gym: 30	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	2,000
Altar Cloths	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1,500
Vestments: 5 Sets	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1,500
Silver Procession Cross	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1,500
Crucifix for Sacristy & Good Friday	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1,500
Stove	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1,000
Chalice: 2 Sets	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1,000
Statue of St. Thomas	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1,000
Statue of St. Joseph	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1,000
Statue of St. Mary	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1,000
Statue of St. George	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1,000
Statue of St. Antony	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1,000
Statue of St. Jude	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1,000
Nilavilaku	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1,000
Candle Stands: 2	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1,000
Sanctuary Lamp (Eternal Flame)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1,000
Altar Servers' Dress	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1,000
Microwave Oven	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	500
Altar Book Stand	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	500
Incense Burner (Thurible)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	200
Total		300,450

# Holy Mass & Services

**FOR LIVE STREAMING OF DAILY MASS CLICK HERE**

**SUNDAY'S MASS is also open to the public at**

**Mother of God Community Gym**

**20501 Goshen Rd, Gaithersburg, MD 20879.**



DAY	TIME	WORSHIP SERVICE	READINGS
Saturday, June 19, 2021	9:30 AM	Holy Mass in Malayalam	<b>Reading 1:</b> 2 Cor 2:12-17 We are the fragrance of Christ.
	10:15 AM	OLPH Novena	<b>Gospel:</b> Mk 1:40-45 Jesus heals the leper
Sunday, June 20, 2021	9:30 AM	Holy Mass in Malayalam	<b>Reading 1:</b> Deut 1:33-46 Punishment for the unbelief of the people <b>Reading 2:</b> Is 1:21-31 God's anger is on them who do injustice
	1:00 PM	Holy Mass in English	<b>Reading 3:</b> 1Cor 14:1-12 Love is our goal <b>Gospel:</b> Lk 12:22-34 Become the rich in the presence of God
Monday - Friday	7:00 PM	Holy Mass in Malayalam	<a href="#"><u>Click here to see readings</u></a>





# Weekday Mass Readings

DATE	DAILY MASS READINGS
<b>MONDAY, JUNE 21, 2021</b>	Reading 1: 2 Cor 1:8-11 Suffering to depend on God. Gospel: Jn 16:25-33 I have conquered the world.
<b>TUESDAY, JUNE 22, 2021</b>	Reading 1: Col 2:20-23 New life in Christ. Gospel: Mt 11:1-6 Blessed are those who are not scandalized in Christ.
<b>WEDNESDAY, JUNE 23, 2021</b>	Reading 1: Rom 5:12-21 Justification through Christ. Gospel: Mk 12:1-12 Servants of the vineyard.
<b>THURSDAY, JUNE 24, 2021</b>	Reading 1: Gal 4:1-7 You are no longer a slave but a son. Gospel: Lk 1:57-66 The birth of John the Baptist.
<b>FRIDAY, JUNE 25, 2021</b>	Reading 1: 1 Pet 3:14-18 Die in body and live in Spirit. Gospel: Mt 13:24-30, 36-43 Parable of weeds among the wheat.



# June 21 - 25

Prayer & fasting for success of the Church construction



Day	Family
Monday	Tisha & Renju
Tuesday	Deepu & Deepa
Wednesday	Sally Joseph & Divia
Thursday	Elsamma Pachikara
Friday	Thomas Antony & Gitty

**Click here to sign up for the day of Fasting & Prayer**

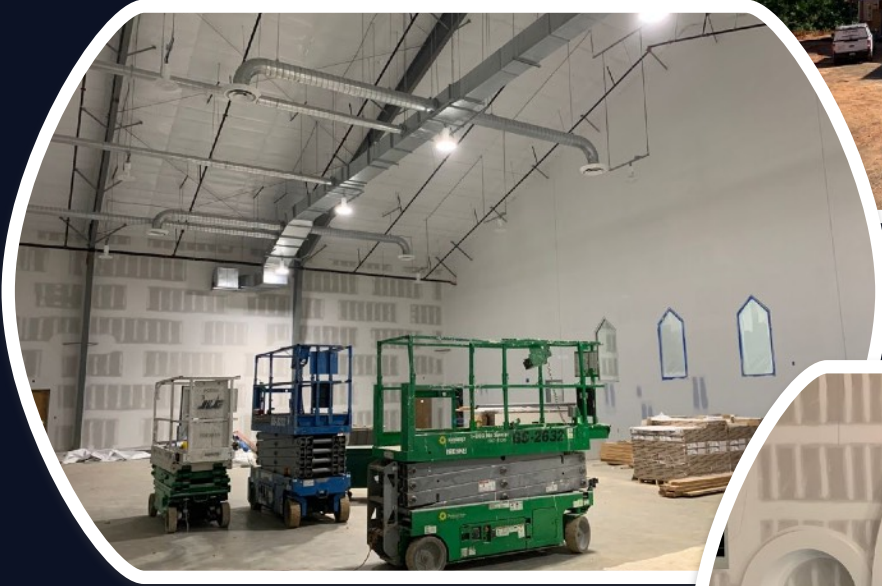
**The following are suggestions for each family on their the day of prayer and fasting for the success of our Church construction:**

- Participate in Holy Mass (or Online Mass)
- Fast at least one full meal if possible
- Pray the Rosary (if possible full Rosary - Glorious, Joyful, Sorrowful and Luminous)
- 1 Divine Mercy chaplet
- Pray the "Apostles' Creed" 33 times
- Pray the "Flying Novena" (Memorare) 9 times
- Confession whenever possible





# CHURCH CONSTRUCTION UPDATES





# TEAM WORK MAKES THE DREAM WORK!!!





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