Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

How blessed are we to be able to walk this earthly pilgrimage with one another as members of Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish! No matter what is happening around us — be it a pandemic, challenges in our culture, or social strife — **Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish is our safe haven.** It is the place where we can come together, gathered around the Eucharistic table, to worship and serve our Lord.

It is also the place where we serve one another. Here, united in God's love, we are a visible sign of the body of Christ and together we can accomplish amazing things. Nourished by prayer and the sacraments, members of our parish community are journeying on the path of discipleship and growing in relationship with Jesus Christ each day. We value formation in the faith and sharing our faith with others through evangelization. We also know the importance of bringing the love of God to our neighbors through acts of charity and service. Through our many ministries, and our social and service-oriented outreach programs, we put into action the truth stated so eloquently by St. John the Apostle: "If God so loved us, we also must love one another" (1 Jn 4:11).

With this in mind, I invite you to respond to Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish's new stewardship program: "Moving Forward Together in Faith." Please review the contents of this brochure and prayerfully consider how you and your family can play an active role in continuing the work of Jesus Christ through our parish community. Our goal is to increase our Sunday offertory contributions in order to bring Jesus Christ to as many people as possible. This is no easy task in today's climate, but I am confident that our dedicated parishioners are up to the challenge.

On March 11^{th} and 12^{th} , the parish will be holding a special Commitment Weekend, inviting members of our community to connect with one another and to make a financial commitment

that will allow Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish to continue its important work. **We are counting on you!** Please participate in our "Moving Forward Together in Faith" Program and help us respond to God's great gift of love by loving one another with the heart of His Son.

Thank you for your generosity, prayers, and commitment to Our Lady of Perpetual Help!

In Christ,

Fr. Jose Joseph Kuriappilly

OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP PARISH



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Making your Commitment

Fill out the enclosed Commitment Card and bring it to Mass next weekend

Fulfilling your New Commitment

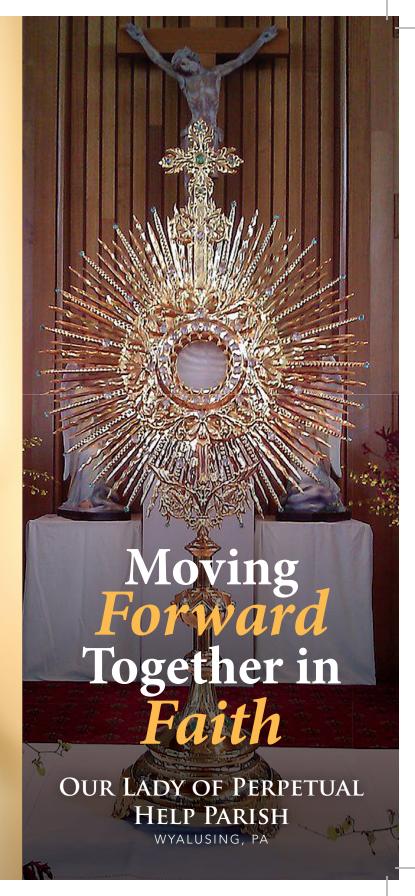
Two simple and secure ways to do so:



Use your **offering envelope**and bring it to Mass each
Sunday or mail it to the parish office.
245 State Street
Wyalusing, PA 18853



charitable gifts such as IRA
Distributions, Gifts of Stock, or
remembering the parish in your will.
Contact the parish office at
(570) 746-1006





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110

Families in our parish

5Baptisms

First Communions

Savior

Your

8 Confirmations

36 Children in Religious Ed Pre K – Grade 8 Funerals

Children in Religious Ed / Youth Ministry Grades 9 to 12

15
Adult Formation / Religious Ed

As we strive to love one another better, good stewardship plays a key role. Stewardship isn't a code word for financial support. Stewardship is about doing the work of Christ and engaging our many resources to further the ministry and mission of Our Lord. Remembering that everything we have is a gift from our creator.

208

Masses said in our church

Eucharistic Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament - Every First Friday of each month at 11:30 a.m.

Parishioners serve in Liturgical Ministry

Greeters + Ushers welcome Parishioners

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Ministry of Mercy - With support from our generous community provides support to Helping Hands Food Pantry in Wyalusing, PA

Parishioners help in supporting Giving Tree Ministry and Baby Bottle Campaign

Neighbor

Your

Parishioners give support to the Endless Mountain Pregnancy center and Pro – Life Committee

Prayer to Our Mother of Perpetual Help

O Mother of Perpetual Help, grant that I may ever invoke your most powerful name, which is the safeguard of the living and the salvation of the dying.

O Purest Mary, O Sweetest Mary, let thy name henceforth be ever on my lips.

Delay not, O Blessed Lady, to help me whenever I call on you, for, in all my needs, in all my temptations I shall never cease to call on you, ever repeating thy sacred name, Mary, Mary.

O what consolation, what sweetness, what confidence, what emotion fill my soul when I pronounce your sacred name, or even only think of you.

I thank God for having given you, for my good, so sweet, so powerful, so lovely a name.

But I will not be content with merely pronouncing your name: let my love for you prompt me ever to hail you, Mother of Perpetual Help.

Amen.