

**Eighteenth Week in Ordinary Time**  
**August 1, 2021**

**Call to Worship**

We would like to welcome everyone joining us today, especially any visitors. We are glad you are here.

Today we continue the “Bread of Life Discourse,” Those who witnessed the miracle of the multiplication of fishes and loaves go in search of Jesus looking for more. We too are called to hunger for Christ and to search for Him in every moment of our lives.

Are there times in my life when I put the goods of this world before my relationship with Christ? What changes do I need to make to put Him first?

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### Intercessions

For the Church: that we may be a witness to Christ's love by practicing charity and promoting justice and peace throughout the world. We pray to the Lord.

For the dignity of every human life: that we may find ways to promote a greater respect for all human life throughout the world. We pray to the Lord.

For our country: that we may always remember that our greatest strength is in how we care for the weak, the poor, and the vulnerable in our society. We pray to the Lord.

For our faith community: that we may never grow weary of bringing Christ, the Bread of Life to the faithful at Mass, in homes, hospital, and to those in prison. We pray to the Lord.

For an increase in vocations: that young men and women may hear the call to the Consecrated Life and respond with a generous yes. We pray to the Lord

For those who have died: may they one day share in the fullness of Christ's love for all eternity. We pray to the Lord

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### **Announcements**

#### **OLGH Only**

All High School Students are invited on a trip to the National Catholic Youth Conference this November 18th through the 21st in Indianapolis, IN. If you have any questions, a youth ministry representative will be available in the back of Church after mass.

#### **Both Parishes**

Youth Ministry is hosting an Outdoor Movie Night this Sunday, August 1st at 7:30pm at Our Lady of Good Hope for all Junior High and High School Students. Bring a friend and join us!