Hearing Assistance available in OLPH Church

and McDonnell Hall



OLPH has a hearing loop installed. Users with a t-coil in their hearing aids can listen to the sound system directly. Check with your hearing care professional to determine whether your hearing aid or cochlear implant has a t-coil.

Please note that while the hearing loop can be accessed in both the main church and McDonnell Hall, both spaces cannot access the hearing loop at the same time. For example, at the 9:30am Sunday Mass when services are held concurrently in the main church and McDonnell Hall, the hearing loop can only be accessed in the main church.

For best results in the church, please sit in the front half of the church. The hearing loop may not be effective in the back of the church, in the side pews, or in the Lady Chapel.

For those with a hearing device that does not have a t-coil, or if you simply would like to hear the service better, **FM based Assistive Listening Devices (ALD's) are available to borrow.** Please plan to arrive for Mass a few minutes early to find Sr. Paulanne or an usher to access an ALD.

Note: An FM based ALD uses radio waves to conduct sound that is broadcast through the microphone.

Instructions for an FM based ALD

- 1. Remove any hearing aid that you may be wearing
- 2. Turn on the ALD device
- 3. Place the ALD ear piece in your ear
- 4. Adjust volume as necessary

Return all borrowed equipment to Sr. Paulanne after Mass.

For questions about using the hearing loop or ALD, please feel free to contact parishioner **Jean Draths**. phone: 847-287-5564 or email: **jeandraths@gmail.com**

Visit www.thunderhearing.com for more information.

You will be amazed at the clarity of sound!

