

Our Lady of the Visitation Catholic Church
27th Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 3rd - 4th 2015

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 Monday – Thursday 9 AM – 4 PM

Liturgical Assignments

Oct. 3-4	5:00 P.M.	8:30 A.M.	11:00 A.M.
Lector:	Roger Waters	Alyssa Dalida	Dustin Coover
Ushers:	Harold Best	Randy Prue	Leonard Joy
	John Bonitz	Brian VanScyoc	Volunteer
Altar Servers:	Wyatt Williams	Josh Connor	Julia Nye
	Volunteer	Alvin Dalida	Gabriella Nye
Eucharistic Ministers:	Jack Benhart Geri Bazner	Melissa Stahl Cathy Hoffman	Tom Bradley Emily Keating
Oct. 10-11	5:00 P.M.	8:30 A.M.	11:00 A.M.
Lector:	Andrew Williams	Erica Frontino	Matt Courson
Ushers:	Joe Cretella	Tom Wright	Leonard Joy
	Frank Kerch	Bob & Sue Kiley	Volunteer
Altar Servers:	Noah Cramm	Dominic Frontino	Alina McKnight
	Volunteer	Hunter Parks	Volunteer
Eucharistic Ministers:	Rich & Vickie Bonitz	Joe & Nancy Redington	Emily Pfister Maureen Pfister

Mass Schedule and Intentions

Saturday	Oct. 3 rd	8:30am 5:00 pm	Maria Fuehrbeck John McGrath
Sunday	Oct. 4 th	8:30 am 11:00 am	Stewart & Gelas Families People of the Parish
Tuesday	Oct. 6 th	8:30 am	Rev. David Hillier
Wednesday	Oct. 7 th	8:30 am	Intentions of Becky Hess
Thursday	Oct. 8 th	8:30 am	David Cretella
Friday	Oct. 9 th	8:30 am	John Zarichansky
Saturday	Oct. 10 th	5:00 pm	Theresa Germaine
Sunday	Oct. 11 th	8:30 am 11:00 am	People of the Parish John Shields

**** Coffee Hour****

Your hosts will be:

Oct. 4th 8:30am Karen Collard & Jackie McCardell, 11:00 The Nye Family

Oct. 11th 8:30am Carl & Joan Bivens, 11:00 The Emmons Family

To volunteer, please call Ana Maurer at 532-2250



Pro-Life Rosary and Movie Night- The OLV Pro-Life group is sponsoring a **Rosary and Movie Night on Tuesday, October 13th at 6 pm** in the parish hall. We will pray the rosary for Life and show the movie *Bella*, rated PG -13, by Ignatius Press. Popcorn and drinks will be provided. Please join us, all are welcome!

Weekend Masses - Saturday 5:00 PM; Sunday 8:30 & 11:00 AM

Holy Day Masses - 8:30 AM & 6:00 PM on the Feast Day

Daily Mass - 8:30 AM Tuesday - Friday and the First Saturday of the month

Reconciliation - Saturdays, 3:30-4:30 PM First Friday, 7:30 AM and other times by appointment.

Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament - 7:30 AM - 8:30 AM First Friday of the month

New Parishioners: Welcome! Registration cards are located in the sacristy. Or you can contact the office.

Baptism Class Call Pastor to schedule.

Weddings: Congratulations! Please contact the parish office at least one year in advance to your wedding date in order to prepare.

Sacrament of Anointing & Communion to the Sick: Please notify us if someone is sick, in the hospital, or confined to their home and unable to attend church. We will be happy to arrange for them to receive the sacraments.

Little Flowers Girls Club - Jill Lear - jilllear@hotmail.com

Wild Flowers Girls Club (Grades 6-8) - Jessica Reinsfelder - jessreins@yahoo.com.

Middle School Youth Group Leader - Beverly Robillard - beverlyandcarl3@gmail.com

High School Youth Group Leader - Matt Courson - Mattcourson1973@gmail.com

Adult Ed. Coordinator - Lisa Christiansen at tedandlisac@msn.com or 263-0002

Pro - Life Ministry - Joanne Meehan - (717) 491-6495

Contribution for week of Sept. 26-27

Ordinary Income		Non-Operating Income	
Weekend Collection	\$4,011.63	Building Improvements	305.00
		Social Outreach	65.00
		Youth Education	243.00
Diocesan Collections		Votives/Coffee Hr./Media Rack	52.95
Peter's Pence	95.00	Extraordinary Income	
Catholic University	354.00		
		Total Income	\$5,126.58



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FOOTBALL TICKETS

"Please support the Knights of Columbus who are selling "Football Sweepstakes" tickets after the Masses. Each \$10 ticket will be valid for 10 weeks of the pro football season. \$2500 is given away each week across our state in cash prizes. Winners are contacted automatically. Remember that you donation helps the KC support your church."



"The annual OLV Knights of Columbus Council Anniversary and Memorial Mass will be celebrated on Sat. Oct 17th at 5 P.M. A reception will follow in the parish social hall. All Knights, Ladies Auxiliary members, and widows of deceased Knights are encouraged to attend."



Sanctity & Sanity: Finding God in Your Daily Life

Dear Women of Faith:

Feeling overwhelmed? Searching for God in your life? Too busy to find time for prayer? Struggling with hustle & bustle of family life? Needing more peace? Could you use some fellowship with other women struggling with the same things? Well, your prayers have been answered!

You are warmly and cordially invited to the October 24 Diocesan Women's Conference!

"Early Bird" Registration Deadline has been extended until October 14 and is \$30 per woman!

Well-known Speaker and Author, Sister John Sheila Galligan, IHM, will be the Keynoter and is speaking on the Blessed Virgin Mary. There will be 30 outstanding workshops from which to choose + adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, opportunity for Confession, and celebration of Mass by Bishop Ronald Gainer. The Women's Conference is at Bishop McDevitt High School, 1 Crusader Lane, Harrisburg, PA 17111. We anticipate many hundreds of women attending. You may register online at www.hbgdiocese.org/women. You don't want to miss the grace!

"UPCOMING MEETING DATES"



Knights of Columbus and Ladies Auxiliary

"The next meeting of the **Knights of Columbus will be Thursday, Oct. 15th at 7:00pm** in the social hall." **Any Catholic men over the age of 18 are invited to join the K of C.** For more information contact Ed Kutlik at 717-776-8347 or jekutlik@hotmail.com **Brother Knights are asked to turn in all KC Football ticket stubs and money by Sunday, Oct. 11th."**

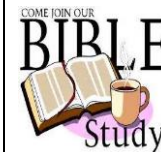
"The next meeting of the **Ladies Auxiliary will be Tuesday, Oct. 6th at 7 pm** in the Parish Hall"

MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP

"The next meeting will be **Wednesday, October 7th from 6:30-8:00pm**. The Middle School Youth Group is for any student currently in 6th – 8th grade. We meet every other Wednesday evening. Please join us in the high school classroom in the basement of the parish hall at 6:30. Please email Beverly Robillard at beverlyandcarl3@gmail.com

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP

"The next meeting will be **Sunday, Oct. 11th**. Any student currently in 9th -12th grade is invited for games and discussion of our faith. We will meet every other Sunday night at 6:30. Future dates are Oct. 25, Nov. 8 and 22, and Dec. 6 and 20. Questions? Please call Matt Courson at 860-0535 or email at mattcourson1973@gmail.com



Adult Education Class

Our next Adult Ed Class will be meeting on Wednesday, Oct. 7th from 6:30-8:00pm. Also, if you were unable to come to our first meeting, there is still time to join us this week. No registration is necessary; just show up! If you have any questions, please contact Lisa Christiansen at tedandlisac@msn.com or 263-0002.



LITTLE FLOWERS & WILD FLOWERS

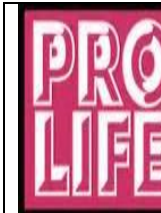
The Little Flowers will be holding their first meeting on Monday, Oct. 5th from 6-7:30pm in the social hall. **It is not too late to join!!**

The Little Flowers Group is for girls in grades k-5.

The first Wild Flowers meeting will Monday, Oct. 12th from 6-7:30pm in the social hall. The Wild Flowers is for girls in grades 6-8.

Little Flowers contact info: Jill Lear at jilllear@hotmail.com

Wild Flowers contact info: Jessica Reinsfelder at jessreins@yahoo.com



PRO-LIFE GROUP

The next Pro-life meeting will be a special meeting on Tuesday, October 13 Please see the bulletin for details. All parishioners are invited to join the Pro-Life Group at Our Lady of the Visitation Parish. The mission of the group is to plan and support various church activities that promote and protect all human life from conception to natural death. For more information please contact Joanne Meehan at 717-491-6495



Month of the Most Holy Rosary

Our Lady made 15 promises to St. Dominic for all those who would pray the Rosary...one of special importance for our time is that praying the Rosary "will cause virtue and good works to flourish; it will obtain for souls the abundant mercy of God; it will withdraw the hearts of men from the love of the world and its vanities, and will lift them to the desire for eternal things." This month, commit to praying the rosary. And check out our Resource Display for CDs/books/booklets that will help deepen your understanding of the Mysteries of the Rosary and lift you "to desire the eternal things". Thank you for your generous donations that help to support the mission of Stewardship: A Mission of Faith and Lighthouse Catholic Media to bring these resources to more parishes.



PARISH NURSERY PROGRAM

We are forming a parish nursery program for one of the Sunday Masses. If you are a parent with a child 5 years and under, please come to an informational meeting today, **Sunday Oct.4th**. There will be a meeting after the 8:30am Mass and after the 11am Mass in the foyer of the Church lead by Nina Seibel. If you are unable come to one of those meetings or if you have any other questions, please email Nina at abtacha@hotmail.com



Our goal is to have enough people helping (preferably the parents of the kids being watched) so that one person doesn't have to watch the kids more than once a month.



Sunday, Oct. 4, 2015 2:00-3:30 p.m. Join the 28th NATIONAL LIFE CHAIN!

- Stand with thousands of pro-lifers throughout the USA! You'll be a light in a darkened world as you help put an end to abortion through prayer! Bring your whole family! Rain or shine!
- Signs will be provided. Do not park in front of an open business.
- NO GRAPHIC PICTURES PERMITTED.

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Contact: Joanne Meehan (717) 491-6495 or jcmeehan@comcast.net

See www.LifeChain.net for more than 1900 locations in 1550 cities and towns across the United States and Canada. **LIFE CHAIN** is a peaceful, prayerful public witness of pro-life Americans standing in honor of 58 million lives lost to abortion, praying for our nation, for people in crisis situations and for an end to abortion. It is a visual statement of solidarity by the Christian community that abortion kills children and that the Church supports the sanctity of human life from the moment of conception to natural death.



As we have pushed and

struggled our way through Scripture these past several weeks, the Good News is almost upon us!! As you read this week, you will be happy to see that finally, FINALLY Jesus arrives on the scene! In class, we will spend a bit of time filling in the gap from the Exile to the arrival of Jesus, and begin to see how Jesus fulfills everything. Below, you'll find what to read for class if time allows. If not, read what you can and come anyway! We love seeing you!

(Ezra and Nehemiah were summarized as part of the Return last week, but their readings were left off the homework assignment by mistake. In order to "fill in the gap" between last week and this week you can read Ezra and Nehemiah as follows:

- Ezra 1,3 *Cyrus foretold; Return; Foundations of the Temple laid*
- Ezra 4-6 *Samaritan opposition*
- Nehemiah 1,2,6 *Nehemiah's return; rebuilding of Jerusalem walls)*

This week's reading covers the Maccabean Revolt, and the beginning of the Messianic Fulfillment:

- 1 Maccabees 1,2 *Maccabean Revolt*
- 2 Maccabees 7 *Seven martyrs and their mother*
- Luke 1 – 4 *The announcement and birth and temptation of the Messiah*
- Luke 6:12-36 *The Twelve Apostles; "Sermon on the Plain"*
- Luke 9:1 -36 *Sending out the Twelve; Feeding the 5000; Peter's confession of Christ; the Transfiguration*

Can't wait to see you on Wednesday!



Our Ladies Auxiliary is having a *PAINTING NIGHT! Tuesday, October 6th at 7pm in the social hall*. All are welcome to come. Try your artistic skills with us. Instead of painting pumpkins we will paint on canvas. All supplies are provided. Total for this venture is \$30.00/person. Meet our Art Teacher, Amanda from the Chambersburg Rec. Center. *Everyone will be amazed* how well they (do) can do. Light refreshments will be served. For more information contact Deb at 717-360-2439

