



OUR LADY OF THE VISITATION CATHOLIC CHURCH

SHIPPENSBURG, PA

"My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord; my spirit rejoices in God my savior."

SEPTEMBER 15TH 2019

24TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

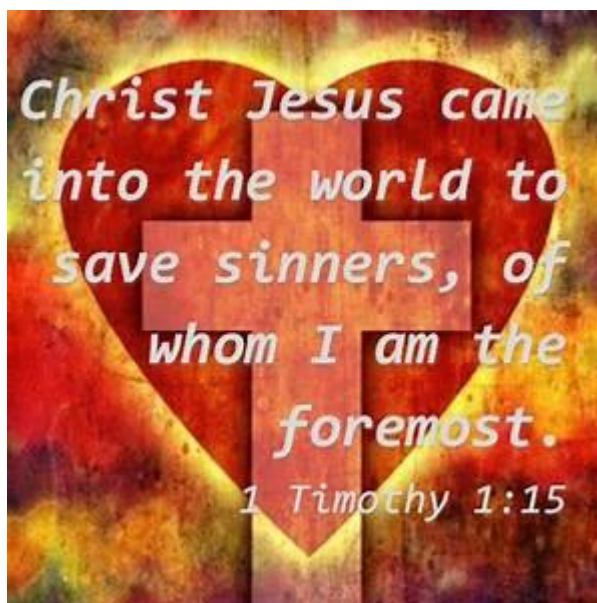


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Shippensburg, PA
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Campus: 477-1244
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Office Hours:
Mon. – Thurs.
9:00 AM-4:00 PM

Website:
www.OLVShippensburg.org



Scripture Readings:

Exodus 32:7-11, 13-14

1 Timothy 1:12-17

Luke 15:1-32

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Our Mission

To Proclaim the Kingdom of God
for the Salvation of Souls

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

Daily Mass - 8:30 AM Monday - Saturday

Holy Day Mass - Check www.olvshippensburg.org click on "Liturgical Schedule."

Reconciliation - Saturdays, 3:30PM-4:30PM; First Fridays of the Month, 7:30AM-8:20AM and upon request

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

Bible Study - Bible Study on the Prophets Wednesdays at 6:30PM

Religious Education- Sundays 9:45AM-11:00AM

Bulletin Deadline: Tuesday 9:00AM. Email proposed bulletin and lector announcements to the Office Manager at tplotner@hbgdiocese.org

PRO-LIFE GROUP:

The next Pro-Life meeting is Tuesday, Oct. 8th at 7:00PM the social hall.

Please contact Joanne Meehan at (717) 491-6495 or jcmeehan@comcast.net for more information.

BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP:

The Book Discussion Group will meet on Tuesday, Oct. 8th after the 8:30AM Mass. The new book is *Gifts of the Visitation, Nine Spiritual Encounters with Mary and Elizabeth*. For more information, contact Signe Kelker at 717-532-7353



Knights of Columbus & Ladies Auxiliary

The next Knights meeting will be Thursday, Sept. 19th at 7:00PM in the parish hall.

For more information contact Mike Connor at 717-377-4042 or mconnor2001@gmail.com

Ladies Auxiliary: The next Ladies meeting will be Tuesday Oct. 1st at 7:00PM. Please bring a covered dish to share. For more information about the Ladies Auxiliary please contact Donna Bonitz at 717 532-5369 or ddbonitz@gmail.com

PARISH PANCAKE SOCIAL SUNDAY, SEPT. 29TH



**IN THE SOCIAL HALL FROM
12-2PM**

COFFEE FELLOWSHIP

Join us!



Please join us for Coffee Hour downstairs in Mary's Kitchen after Mass.

Your hosts will be:

Sept. 15th 8:30AM – Kasarda 11:00- Nye
Sept. 22nd 8:30AM – Frontino 11:00 - Huffner



The 5:00 PM Saturday and 11:00 AM Sunday Masses are in dire need of **GREETERS!** Greeting is not difficult. You just need to be friendly and welcoming; observe how the greeters act toward you at each mass. **You** can do it! Our goal is to have a minimum of 20 greeters before we move on to the next phase of the Safety Committee's plan for the **Safety** and **Security** of our congregation. We need your help to do this. If you would like more information please contact John Thornton (717) 477-2765 or johnnie7746@gmail.com. Peace.

! SAFETY FIRST !

Heath, Safety, and Security Committee

The next Heath, Safety, and Security Committee meeting will be Tuesday, Sept. 17th at 6:30PM. All are invited to attend. The committee now has a page on the **Parish Website** – and there is information on it to provide transparency about the committee's activities.

Bible Study



Prophets Bible Study

6:30PM Wednesdays

Our Bible Study this fall will cover the prophets, who afflict the comfortable and comfort the afflicted, challenging us to repair our relationship with God. All are welcome to join us for videos and discussion even if you have missed one or more weeks. If you have questions about a previous week's content or what will be discussed this coming week, ask Jev Voight at JevVoight@gmail.com.

Contributions for Sept. 14-15

Ordinary Income	
Weekend Collection	\$4,559.50
Votives/Coffee Hour	65.50
Building Improvements	301.50
Parish Youth Education	45.00
Social Outreach	161.50
Peter Pence	1,130.00
TOTAL INCOME	\$6,263.00

CHURCH CALENDAR

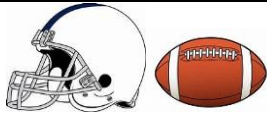
Saturday Sept. 14	8:30AM Mass 3:30PM-4:30PM 5:00PM Mass	People of the Parish Confession Intentions of Yvon Belley
Sunday Sept. 15	8:30AM Mass 9:45-11:00AM 11:00AM Mass 12:00-2:00PM	In Memory of John A. Bonitz Religious Education Class In Memory of JT Kuhn CCM Small Group Study – Social Hall
Monday Sept. 16	8:30AM Mass	Intentions of Paul Barner
Tuesday Sept. 17	8:30AM Mass	For Catholic Campus Ministry
Wednesday Sept. 18	8:30AM Mass 6:30PM	For OLV Young Adult Ministry Bible Study on the Prophets
Thursday Sept. 19	8:30AM Mass 7:00 PM	For OLV Safety Committee Knights of Columbus Meeting
Friday Sept. 20	8:30AM Mass	For OLV Pro-life Ministry
Saturday Sept. 21	8:30AM Mass 9:00AM-1:00PM 3:30PM-4:30PM 5:00PM Mass	People of the Parish OLV Pro-life Ministry Symposium – Social Hall Confession In Memory of Knights of Columbus & Ladies Auxiliary Members
Sunday Sept. 22	8:30AM Mass 9:45-11:00AM 11:00AM Mass 12:00-2:00PM	In Memory of Austin Springer Religious Education Class Intentions of Linda Sanders CCM Small Group Study – Social Hall

LITURGICAL ASSIGNMENTS

Sept. 14-15	5:00 PM	8:30 AM	11:00 AM
Lectors:	Andrea Thornton	Chris Meehan	Tom Feeney
Ushers:	Volunteer	Randy Prue	Leonard Joy
	Frank Kerch	Brian VanScyoc	Ed Kutlik
Altar Servers:	Anezka Pospisilova & Volunteer	Micheal Righter & Volunteer	Garrett Courson & Volunteer
Sept. 21-22	5:00 PM	8:30 AM	11:00 AM
Lectors:	Chuck Music	Mary Poffenbarger	Ed Pfister
Ushers:	Volunteer	Tom Wright	Leonard Joy
	Frank Kerch	Brian VanScyoc	Ed Kutlik
Altar Servers:	Mary Lindsey & Matthew Lindsey	Carlisle Crawley & Volunteer	Xavier Rodriguez & Volunteer



Sunday, December 1, 5pm-7pm - Advent By Candlelight
 Sunday, December 8 at 4pm - Parish Christmas Party
 Sunday, December 15 at 10am - Religious Ed Christmas Program
 Wednesday, December 18 at 6:30pm - Parish Advent Penance Service



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 your donation helps the KC support **your** church.



Women's Conference Diocese of Harrisburg Diocese of Harrisburg Women's Conference

All women are cordially invited to experience the 5th annual Diocese of Harrisburg Catholic Women's Conference, October 12, 2019 at Bishop McDevitt High School, Harrisburg. The past three years, we have had 750-900 women attend this conference. Our theme is *Women of Light, Sisters in Christ!* The keynote address will be presented by Helen Alvaré, internationally known speaker and writer. The conference features 41 workshops, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament with Rosary & Benediction, 25+ Priests hearing Confession, great music, Catholic exhibitors, tasty food, Mass with Bishop Gainer (also giving a workshop), and wonderful fellowship with hundreds of women from within and outside the Diocese. Early-bird, reduced-fee registration is \$37 and lasts through October 7. On-site, same day registration is \$60. Register online at

www.hbgdiocese.org/women

Mass for Healing from Addiction

"God is faithful: he will not let you be tempted beyond what you can bear. But when you are tempted, he will also provide a way out so that you can endure it." I Corinthians 10:13

Milton, St. Joseph / Tuesday, Oct 1st at 9:00am
Harrisburg, St. Catherine Laboure / Saturday, Oct. 12th at 9:00am
Lewistown, Sacred Heart of Jesus / Monday, Oct. 14th at 7:00am
Berwick, Immaculate Conception of the BVM / Sun. Oct. 27th at 9:30am



Stages of Human Life – Month 7

If you haven't already checked out the poster in the back of the church please do so. This will be the last chance to view it. Next week you will see how much more I have developed during this eighth month and may be surprised. For anyone who has not been working on the questions that have been asked since I was conceived they are below. You will need a brochure to answer them.

1. Where will I snuggle and be nurtured for about 9 months?
2. During my first Month I grew 10,000 times my size at conception, how big am I?
3. What language does 'fetus' come from and what does it mean?
4. What does the baby now have that is unique?
5. What does the baby have in common with Martin Luther King, Jr.?
6. What does this 5th month represent in the Baby's development?
7. What happens to this natural skin cream after birth?
8. How many senses is the baby now using?

September Young Adult Event.



"The Sex Talk: Discovering the Gift"

Saturday, September 28th, at University Grille in Shippensburg. Dinner & drinks at 6:30pm (available for purchase), talk at 7:00pm.

Guest speaker, *Rocio Perez*, recently served as a missionary in Ethiopia for two years and she has served in the chastity ministry, *Corazón Puro* (Pure Heart) based in New York City. Rocio considers herself indebted to St. John Paul II and hopes to spend the rest of her life sharing the Good News of his teaching on the Theology of the Body. She loves to dance and enjoys good chocolate and bold sunsets. She currently works as a nanny in NYC.

Young adults in their 20's and 30's from any faith background are invited.

AVAILABLE?



Fr. Dwight's homily last weekend emphasized being available to do God's work. We need you to be available for two (2) things. First and foremost - we have been asked to support the Hagerstown **40 Days For Life** on **September 30th and October 17th from 7AM until 7PM**. 24 volunteers are needed for the 2 hour time frames on those days. As supporters of Pro-Life we need to help in this effort.



Second we still need greeters for the 5PM and 11AM masses. Contact John Thornton (717) 477-2765 or johnnie7746@gmail.com if you can assist in either of these activities. Thank you in advance. Peace.



**Catholic Charities Come and See Dinner -
Wednesday October 23rd**

The annual Catholic Charities Come and See Dinner will take place on **Wednesday, October 23rd** starting at 5:00pm at the Diocesan Center (4800 Union Deposit Road, Harrisburg). The evening includes a reception, silent and chance auctions, buffet dinner, and remarks from Bishop Ronald Gainer. Our featured speaker will be Teresa Tomeo - an author, syndicated Catholic talk show host, and motivational speaker. Proceeds will benefit the Catholic Charities Homes for Healing - Evergreen House, Interfaith Shelter for Homeless Families, and Lourdeshouse Maternity Home. All are welcome. For more information and/or to register online, visit www.cchbg.org.



The Annual Fishers of Men Dinner

And Jesus said to Simon, "Do not fear, from now on you will be catching men." Luke 5:10.

The Diocese of Harrisburg has been blessed with 27 men, training to be "fishers of men," but we need your help. The Diocese supports each man in formation for the priesthood to the tune of \$40,000 annually, per seminarian. These men are giving their lives to service for the Church and its people. Will you help them along this journey? Please consider attending the Annual Fishers of Men Dinner on Friday, **October 4, 2019 from 6:00pm-9:00pm** at the Diocesan Center, 4800 Union Deposit Road, Harrisburg. More information, including an RSVP form, can be found at www.hbgdiocese.org/fishersofmen or by calling the Diocesan Office of Vocations at (717) 657-4804 ext. 282. **Deadline for registration is Friday, September 27, 2019**

Rediscovering the Pro-life Family

OLV Pro-life Ministry Symposium

Saturday, September 21, 2019

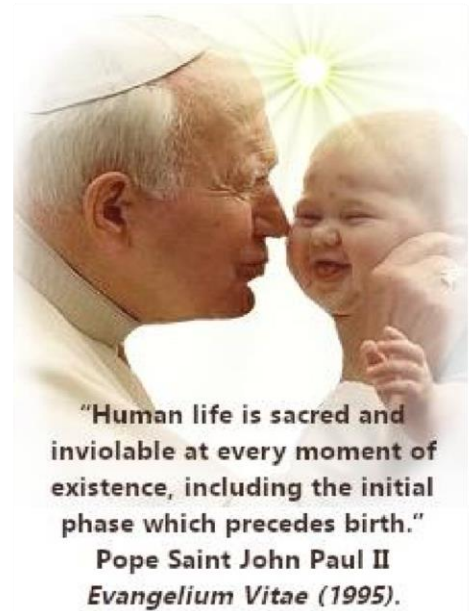
8:30 am - 1:00 pm

**Our Lady of the Visitation Catholic Church
305 N. Prince St. Shippensburg, PA 17257**

Cost of attendance is \$20 per person (\$15 for additional family members) and pre-registration is highly recommended though same day registrants are welcome. Cost of attendance includes light breakfast and lunch. Please complete the form below, detach, and mail to:

Joanne Meehan
126 Park Place
Shippensburg PA, 17257

**Make all checks payable to OLV Pro-Life Ministry*



Pro-life Symposium Registration Form

Name of Attendee: _____

Additional Attendees: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

ONLINE REGISTRATION OPTION:

To learn more about the event, and to register, please visit

<https://events.eventzilla.net/e/rediscovering-the-prolife-family-2138738709>

or search "Rediscovering the Pro-Life Family" at <https://www.eventzilla.net/events#>



