Our Lady of the Visitation Catholic Church

Shippensburg, PA

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

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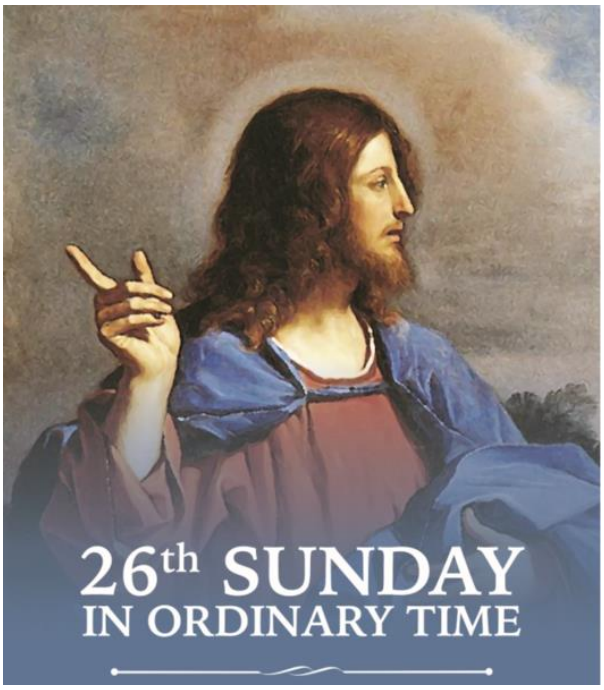

September 27, 2020

This Weekend's Scripture Readings:

Ezekiel 18:25-28
Philippians 2:1-11
Matthew 21:28-32

Our Mission:

To Proclaim the Kingdom of God
for the Salvation of Souls

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Weekend Masses - Saturday 5:00 PM (in the church)
Sundays: 8:00 AM and 11:00 AM - Weather permitting. BOTH Masses will be held outside, please bring a chair.
Daily Mass - 8:30 AM Tuesday – Friday. Weather permitting, Masses will be held outside. Bring a chair.
Holy Day Mass - Check www.olvshippensburg.org click on "Liturgical Schedule."
Reconciliation - Saturdays,3:30PM-4:30PM
Religious Education Class - Sunday 9:30AM-10:45AM Classes begin on September 27th
Click here for Registration Form **Click here for Rel. Ed. Calendar**

Saturday September 26	3:30 – 4:30PM 5:00 PM Mass	Confessions Intentions of Paul Barner
Sunday September 27	8:00 AM Mass 9:30 - 10:45AM 11:00 AM Mass	People of the Parish Religious Education Class In Memory of Sarah Lutz
Tuesday September 29	8:30 AM Mass 7:00 PM	In Memory of Martin & Theresa Thornton Outside Adoration – Bring a chair
Wednesday September 30	8:30 AM Mass	In Memory of Anna Janelli
Thursday October 1	8:30 AM Mass	In Memory of Margaret Steinour
Friday October 2	8:30 AM Mass	In Memory of Mark Gauvin
Saturday October 3	3:30 – 4:30PM 5:00 PM Mass	Confessions In Memory of Bob & Freda Babel
Sunday October 4	8:00 AM Mass 9:30 - 10:45AM 11:00 AM Mass	In Memory of Stewart-Gelas Family Religious Education Class People of the Parish

Children's Liturgy of the Word starts Sunday, Sept. 27th.

LECTORS

Sat. Sept. 26th	5:00pm	Signe Kelker
Sun. Sept. 27th	8:00am 11:00am	Chris Meehan Roberta Huffner
Sat. Oct. 3rd	5:00pm	Mike Hess
Sun. Oct. 4th	8:00am 11:00am	Sheryl Rose C.C.M.

Young Adult
CATHOLICS

Diocesan Mass for Young Adults –

On Saturday, October 3, at 7 pm, Bishop Ronald W. Gainer will act as Principal Celebrant and Homilist for the Diocesan Mass for Young Adults. The Mass will be celebrated at Saint Catherine Laboure Parish (4000 Derry Street, Harrisburg, 17111). Young adult Catholics in their 20's and 30's are most welcome and heartily encouraged to attend!

September 19-20, 2020 Collection

Ordinary Income	
Weekend Collection	$2,272.00
Building Improvements	215.00
Parish Youth Education	15.00
Social Outreach	55.00
Disaster Fund	392.00
Peter Pence	135.00
Total Income:	**$3,084.00**

Diocese of Harrisburg 6th Annual (Virtual) Women's Conference

Conference Registration, schedule, and other information are available at www.hbgdiocese.org/women for the sixth annual Diocesan Women's Conference, taking place **Saturday, October 17, 2020 from 9 am – 12:15 pm.** This year's conference is Virtual. The theme is ***Catholic Women: Our Place at the Table.*** The Keynote is from Emily Stimpson Chapman, nationally known Catholic author, speaker, and blogger.

The title of her keynote address is: **Tasting the Love of God: Finding Healing and Joy at the Catholic Table.** Other featured speakers are Bishop Ronald Gainer and Mrs. Megan Murphy. There will also be Eucharistic Adoration as well as Praise and Worship music. Cost this year is just $10 per person. Registration this year is online only.

Please join us for this fabulous conference!

Bishop Ronald W. Gainer, D.D., J.C.L. to Celebrate the Red Mass – Oct. 12

The Most Reverend Ronald W. Gainer, D.D., J.C.L., Bishop of Harrisburg, will be the principal celebrant for the Annual Diocesan Red Mass on Monday, October 12, 2020 at 5:30 p.m. at the Cathedral Parish of St. Patrick, Harrisburg. Most Reverend Michael F. Burbidge, Bishop of Arlington, Va., will be the guest homilist.

At the Red Mass, law students, lawyers, judges, lawmakers, and public officials gather together to pray for God's wisdom and guidance in their pursuit of justice. The Red Mass originated in medieval England during the time of King Edward I, when the 12 judges of the High Court attended Mass as a group on the opening day of the judicial calendar. Today, the Red Mass coincides with the time period in which the U.S. Supreme Court begins its new term. The Saint Thomas More Society of Central Pennsylvania, an organization of Catholic lawyers, sponsors the Red Mass each year. Those unable to attend the Mass in person are encouraged to view the live stream of the Mass on the Diocesan YouTube channel: www.YouTube.com/hbgdiocese.

Join us on Friday, January 29, 2021

for the annual March for Life in Washington, DC. **The March for Life is the largest rally against abortion in America**. We will be taking a bus from OLV. Thanks to a very generous donation from the Chambersburg council of the Knights of Columbus, we will be offering this year's trip for **no cost** but we will be taking a free will offering for driver's tip. For more information or to register, please contact Travis Detwiler at 717-809-0672 or travisedetwiler@gmail.com with your name, email address, phone number, and number of seats. **Friday, December 11, 2020 is the deadline.**

Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Entrance Antiphon

All that you have done to us, O Lord,
you have done with true judgment,
for we have sinned against you
and not obeyed your commandments.
But give glory to your name
and deal with us according to the bounty of your mercy.

Glory to God

Glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace to people of goodwill.
We praise you;
we bless you;
we adore you;
we glorify you;
we give you thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King,
O God, almighty Father.
Lord Jesus Christ, only Begotten Son.
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us;
you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us.
For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father.
Amen.

Reading 1

EZ 18:25-28

Thus says the LORD: You say, "The LORD's way is not fair!" Hear now, house of Israel:
Is it my way that is unfair, or rather, are not your ways unfair? When someone virtuous turns away from virtue to commit iniquity, and dies, it is because of the iniquity he committed that he must die. But if he turns from the wickedness he has committed, he does what is right and just, he shall preserve his life; since he has turned away from all the sins that he has committed, he shall surely live, he shall not die.

Responsorial Psalm

PS 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9

R. (6a) **Remember your mercies, O Lord.**
Your ways, O LORD, make known to me;
teach me your paths,
guide me in your truth and teach me,
for you are God my savior.
R. **Remember your mercies, O Lord.**
Remember that your compassion, O LORD,
and your love are from of old.
The sins of my youth and my frailties remember not;
in your kindness remember me,
because of your goodness, O LORD.
R. **Remember your mercies, O Lord.**
Good and upright is the LORD;
thus he shows sinners the way.
He guides the humble to justice,
and teaches the humble his way.
R. **Remember your mercies, O Lord.**

Reading 2

PHIL 2:1-11 OR 2:1-5

Brothers and sisters: If there is any encouragement in Christ, any solace in love, any participation in the Spirit, any compassion and mercy, complete my joy by being of the same mind, with the same love, united in heart, thinking one thing. Do nothing out of selfishness or out of vainglory; rather, humbly regard others as more important than yourselves, each looking out not for his own interests, but also for those of others.

> Have in you the same attitude that is also in Christ Jesus,
> Who, though he was in the form of God,
> did not regard equality with God
> something to be grasped.
> Rather, he emptied himself,
> taking the form of a slave,
> coming in human likeness;
> and found human in appearance,
> he humbled himself,
> becoming obedient to the point of death,
> even death on a cross.
> Because of this, God greatly exalted him
> and bestowed on him the name

which is above every name,
that at the name of Jesus
every knee should bend,
of those in heaven and on earth and under the earth,
and every tongue confess that
Jesus Christ is Lord,
to the glory of God the Father.

Alleluia

JN 13:34

R. **Alleluia, alleluia.**

My sheep hear my voice, says the Lord;
I know them, and they follow me. **R**.

R. **Alleluia, alleluia.**

Gospel

MT 21:28-32

Jesus said to the chief priests and elders of the people: "What is your opinion? A man had two sons. He came to the first and said, 'Son, go out and work in the vineyard today.' He said in reply, 'I will not, ' but afterwards changed his mind and went. The man came to the other son and gave the same order. He said in reply, 'Yes, sir, ‘but did not go. Which of the two did his father's will?" They answered, "The first." Jesus said to them, "Amen, I say to you, tax collectors and prostitutes are entering the kingdom of God before you. When John came to you in the way of righteousness, you did not believe him; but tax collectors and prostitutes did. Yet even when you saw that, you did not later change your minds and believe him."

The Nicene Creed

I believe in one God,
the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the Only Begotten Son of God,
born of the Father before all ages.
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,

begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father;
through him all things were made.
For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven,

and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary,
and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate,
he suffered death and was buried,
and rose again on the third day
in accordance of the Scriptures.
He ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory
to judge the living and the dead
and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son he is adored and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one holy, catholic and apostolic Church.
I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins
and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Sanctus

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts.

Heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

The Mystery of Faith:

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup,

we proclaim your Death, O Lord,

until you come again.

Agnus Dei

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,
grant us peace.

Communion Antiphon

Remember your word to your servant, O Lord,
By which you have given me hope.
This is my comfort when I am brought low.

Prayer to St. Michael the Archangel

Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle

be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil.

May God rebuke him, we humbly pray and do thou

O Prince of the Heavenly Host by the power of God cast into hell, satan and the evil spirits who

prowl about the world seeking the ruins of souls. Amen

ROOTED IN FAITH
2020 Diocesan Annual Campaign

Diocesan Annual Campaign

(Updated as of September 1, 2020)

Goal: $27,475 Paid: $31, 387.00

The 2020 DAC will conclude on Jan. 31, 2021.

In the next few weeks the Diocese will be sending out the 90 day reminders to pledges with no activity on them since June. To pay on your pledge, you may mail a check to the parish and identify it as a DAC contribution. Checks payable to OLV.

Online contributions to the campaign can be made through these three easy steps:

1. Go to:

https://hbgdiocese.formstack.com/forms/dac

2. Complete the form, making sure to select "***Our Lady of Visitation Parish, Shippensburg***" from the Parish drop down menu and click "Next." (This is the only way your contribution will be credited to meeting our parish's goal.)

3. Review your information and then click "Submit Form" to complete your donation. Once submitted, you will receive an email confirming your donation.

Thank you for your continued support of the Catholic Diocese of Harrisburg and our parish. The ministries supported by this campaign are vital to the lives and livelihoods of many people in our area. The mission of the church must continue! May God reward your generosity!

SHIPPENSBURG UNIVERSITY CATHOLIC CAMPUS MINISTRY

You may donate online by going to the following webpage: https://www.hbgdiocese.org/youth-and-youngadults/campus-ministry/. Simply select "Donate Now" and choose Shippensburg University from the dropdown menu on the donation page.

The gift of prayer via a Mass intention makes a wonderful gift for a birthday or anniversary, for someone who is ill, or a perpetual way to lift up in prayer the souls of departed relatives or friends. If you would like to request a Mass be offered for a specific intention, please complete the form below and return it by mail or you may put it in the collection box.

Mass Intention Requests

Intention:_____

Is this a deceased person?

☐ Yes ☐ No

To have a Mass **card** sent, please provide name and address: *(optional)*

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Preferred Date *(optional)*: _____

We cannot guarantee the date you request, but will try our best. Many weekday Masses are available at this time, but no Sundays.

Suggested donation per Mass: $10. Make checks payable to Our Lady of the Visitation Church.

Mass Schedule

SATURDAY VIGIL MASS:

5:00PM

IN THE CHURCH

OUTSIDE SUNDAY MASSES:

8:00AM & 11:00AM BRING A CHAIR

OUTDOOR DAILY MASS:

8:30AM TUES-FRI. (PLEASE BRING A CHAIR)

At this time no, no one is obligated to attend Mass. If you are sick in any way, stay home and watch mass online, visit Shippensburg Catholic Channel on YouTube. If you have recently been in close physical contact with someone who has COVID 19, please stay home.

CONFESSION:

3:30-4:30PM SATURDAYS

OUTSIDE BY MARY'S GARDEN.

Guidelines & Restrictions on resuming Mass in the Church.

Only the front double doors will be used for ***entering*** the Church. Upon ***leaving*** the Church, the downstairs parishioners will exit the front double doors, the balcony parishioners will exit down the right side ramp and leave thru the side door, nearest the pulpit.

Please maintain proper social distancing while at Mass. Please do not sit in pews that are blocked off.

Parishioners must continue to wear masks when in the Church buildings.

Congregational singing is still restricted.

The donation box will be placed in the lobby of the Church.

The Social Hall area will be restricted. Please use the restrooms across from Mary's Kitchen.

United States Bankruptcy Court for the Middle District of Pennsylvania

In re: Roman Catholic Diocese of Harrisburg Case No. 1:20-bk-00599 (HWV)

Claims Notice for Victims of Sexual Abuse and Others with Claims Against the Roman Catholic Diocese of Harrisburg

If you were sexually abused by any person connected with the Roman Catholic Diocese of Harrisburg, a Roman Catholic parish or Roman Catholic school within the geographical area of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Harrisburg, or have any claim against the Roman Catholic Diocese of Harrisburg, you must file a claim by **November 13, 2020**.

For more Diocesan information, visit: **https://www.hbgdiocese.org or https://dm.epiq11.com/RCDH**

For U.S. Bankruptcy Court for the Middle District of Pennsylvania information, visit: **http://www.pamb.uscourts.gov/**