

Our Lady of the Visitation Catholic Church
March 12th 2017

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Our Mission

To Proclaim the Kingdom of God
for the Salvation of Souls



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

Daily Mass - 8:30 AM Tuesday - Friday

Holy Day Mass - Check www.olvshippensburg.org under the "Resources" tab, click on "Liturgical Schedule" or check the bulletin.

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

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

Bible Study - Wednesdays from 6:30-8:00PM in the parish hall

Intentional Disciples Group – Sundays from 6:30-8:00PM in the parish hall- **NO MEETING TONIGHT**

Religious Education- Sundays from September 11, 2016 until May 14, 2017 **TIME: 9:45AM-11:00AM**

Stations of the Cross - Fridays of Lent at 6:00pm

Children's liturgy of the Word will be every Sunday during Lent at the 8:30 Mass, and at the 11:00 Mass beginning April 2nd. This is in addition to the 8:30 Mass.



Knights of Columbus and Ladies Auxiliary

The next meeting of the Knights of Columbus will be **Thursday, March 16th at 7PM** in the parish hall. For more information contact Ed Kutlik at 717-776-8347 or jekutlik@hotmail.com.

The next Ladies Auxiliary meeting will be **Tuesday, April 4th at 7PM** in the parish hall. **This meeting is about Internet Safety and is open to the parish.** For more information contact Signe Kelker at 717-532-7353 or sjkelk@ship.edu.



Pro-Life Corner

Some who defend abortion claim that one is "truly human" only when able to reason, to choose, and to be creative. Yet a book about how to perform abortions contains this quote: "Surely embryos and fetuses do none of these things. In fact, neither do newborns, and there's the rub. Presumably it would be equally as acceptable to destroy newborns as fetuses, since both are in the same prehuman boat" (*Second Trimester Abortion: Perspectives After a Decade of Experience*, Berger et al., eds., p. 215). Think about it.

For the months of March and April we will be collecting the following items for **Evergreen House, Interfaith Shelter for Homeless Families and Lourdeshouse Maternity Home**, all of which are part of Catholic Charities. Any questions please call Bobbi 816-5309

Monetary Donations, Gift Cards (WalMart, Giant, Target, etc.) Baby Bottles, Baby Onesies and other Baby Clothing Baby Wipes, Baby Lotion, Bath Towels and Washcloths and Bath Mats, Cleaning Supplies (Pine Sol, Clorox Wipes, etc.) Copy Paper, Combs and Brushes, Craft Supplies, Diapers (for newborn through six months) Diapers and Pullups (for older children) Dish Soap, Feminine Hygiene Products Laundry Detergent, Bleach, and Dryer Sheets Office Supplies, Pack-N-Plays, Paper Plates and Bowls and Styrofoam Cups, Paper Towels and Napkins Shampoo and Hair Spray, Shaving Cream and Razors Soap (for babies and adults) and Deodorant, Toilet Tissue and Facial Tissue Tooth Brushes, Toothpaste, and Mouth Wash Trash Bags (kitchen and larger sizes) Ziplock Bags (one gallon size)

**ATTENTION KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
PLEASE PICK UP YOUR RAFFLE TICKETS IN THE
BACK OF THE CHURCH**



Please join us to decorate the Church
for Easter on **Saturday, April 15th at 9:00am**
(following Morning Prayer at 8:30am)

Latin Songs in the Mass

Someone asked me where to find the Latin songs for the Mass. For Lent, we use the Latin *Sanctus* for the "Holy Holy Holy" and the *Agnus Dei* for the "Lamb of God" part of the Mass. The *Sanctus* can be found in the "Music Issue"-- # 841. The *Agnus Dei* is #845 also in the "Music Issue." Sometimes we may even sing the Memorial Acclamation part of the Mass in Latin. This is found as #842 in the "Music Issue." It is entitled: *Post Consecrationem*. I hope this helps.



Men of the Diocese of Harrisburg –
Please save the date of **April 1, 2017** for the **Diocesan Men's Conference at Bishop McDevitt High School, Harrisburg.** Theme is: **Fools for Christ: Men Called to Glorify God through His Catholic Church.** Keynote Speaker is world-renowned Catholic author and speaker, **Dr. Peter Kreeft** from Boston. **For more information call Roger Waters at 717-532-8083.** Please join us, and invite a friend or three to come with you! Thank you!

"UPCOMING MEETING DATES"

PRO-LIFE GROUP:

The next Pro-Life meeting is scheduled for **Tuesday, March 14th at 7pm** in the social hall. Contact Joanne Meehan at (717) 491-6495 or olvproulife@yahoo.com

LITTLE FLOWERS

The next Little Flowers meeting will be on **Monday, March, 20th** in the parish hall from 6:00-7:30pm. The topic will be "Justice." To learn more about Little Flowers, contact Jill Lear at jilllear@hotmail.com.

WILD FLOWERS

The next Wild Flowers meeting will be on **Monday, March 13th** in the parish hall from 6:00-7:30pm. The topic will be "Book Club." To learn more about Wild Flowers (grades 6-8) contact Jessica Reinsfelder at jessreins@yahoo.com.

BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP: The next meeting will be **Tuesday, March 14th after the 8:30am Mass.** Currently, we are reading and discussing a book by Peter Kreeft, entitled "Fundamentals of the Faith." For more information, contact Signe Kelker at 717-532-7353.



Liturgical Assignments

March 11-12	5:00 P.M.	8:30 A.M.	11:00 A.M.
Lector:	Chuck Music	Mary Poffenbarger	Roberta Huffner
Ushers:	Dan Marshall	Tom Wright	Leonard Joy
	Frank Kerch	Bob & Sue Kiley	Ed Kutlik
Altar Servers:	Volunteers	Anna Connor & Volunteer	Brenna McKnight & Volunteer
Eucharistic Ministers:	Rich & Vickie Bonitz	Nancy Redington & Mike Bannon	Magali Silva & Volunteer
March 18-19	5:00 P.M.	8:30 A.M.	11:00 A.M.
Lector:	Bobbi Staver	Cheryl Adams	Angela Myers
Ushers:	Joe Cretella	Randy Prue	Leonard Joy
	Frank Kerch	Brian VanScyoc	Ed Kutlik
Altar Servers:	Volunteers	Alvin Dalida & Volunteer	Brady Coleman & Volunteer
Eucharistic Ministers:	Mary Hickman & Charles Hare	Cathy Hoffman & Mike Bannon	Tom Bradley & Magali Silva

Contribution for March 4-5

Ordinary Income		Non-Operating Income	
Weekend Collection	\$5,473.20	Building Improvements	\$1,419.00
Ash Wednesday	\$1,091.00	Social Outreach	\$111.00
Diocesan Collections		Parish Youth Education	\$30.00
Poor Missions	\$983.35	Votive/Coffee Hr./Media Rack	\$65.25
Catholic Relief	\$35.00	Total Income	\$9,207.80

Mass Schedule and Intentions

Saturday	March 11 th	5:00 pm	Intention of Joe & Joni Hasper
Sunday	March 12 th	8:30 am 11:00 am	People of the Parish Helen D. Martin
Tuesday	March 14 th	8:30am	Andrew Bonnie
Wednesday	March 15 th	8:30am	John & Grace Boyle
Thursday	March 16 th	8:30am	William J. Ryan
Friday	March 17 th	8:30 am	John J. McGrath
Saturday	March 18 th	5:00 pm	Kathryn Swintak
Sunday	March 19 th	8:30 am 11:00 am	Josephine Falkie People of the Parish

Lenten Penance Service

Our Lenten Parish Penance Service is **Wednesday April 5, 2017 at 6:30 PM.** Several priests will be available to hear confessions that evening. Let us humble ourselves before the Lord who suffered and died for us in order to save us from our sins.



Were you married in 1967?

In honor of your **50th Wedding Anniversary**, there will be a special Mass and reception on Sunday, July 9th at Good Shepherd Church, Camp Hill. Bishop Ronald W. Gainer will be the celebrant and homilist. To receive an invitation please call the parish office **before April 22nd.**



6:30 - 8:00pm

This Wednesday, March 15th, Tim Gray will show us how scripture leads us into prayer, looking at the example of St. Augustine. He will discuss the barriers to prayer and show where the Bible teaches us to pray. Please read and meditate on **Matthew 17:1-9** as we will also spend some time sharing our experiences with reading and meditation. Questions? Email Jev at JevVoight@gmail.com

Bus Trip to Philadelphia!

Join us on **Friday, July 14, 2017** for our parish pilgrimage to the Shrine of Saint Katherine Drexel and the Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter and Paul in Philadelphia. This will be one of the last opportunities to visit the Shrine of Saint Katherine Drexel as the shrine will be closing at the end of this year.

Registration Forms are in the back of the church.

92ND HDCCW CONVENTION

The Harrisburg Diocesan Council of Catholic Women cordially invites all women of the Diocese to attend the 92nd Annual Convention, Monday, May 1, 2017 from 9 A. M. – 4 P. M. at the Cardinal Keeler Center, Harrisburg, PA. Vicar General, Very Reverend David Danneker, is the principle celebrant and homilist concelebrating with many Priests and Deacons of the Diocese. Maribeth Stewart, President Elect of the National Council of Catholic Women is the Keynote Speaker. The afternoon workshop speakers are, Linda Plummer, Director of Morning Star Pregnancy Center, topic - "Rescue the Next Generation" and Ginny Duncan, Former Director of Office for Ministry with People with Disabilities, Topic: "People with Disabilities in the Parish: A Look in the Mirror". There will be a meditation room, exhibits, religious and Fair Trade items for purchase. COST: \$25 includes continental breakfast and lunch. You may register with Linda at 717-939-3629 or linda.hartzell@comcast.net to register
BY MONDAY, APRIL 17, 2017.

The Rites of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)

Although we do not have a regular RCIA "class" at this time, we do have 4 catechumens. In the early church, there were various little ceremonies that prepared catechumens for Baptism at the Easter Vigil. In the Second Vatican Council, the Catholic Church recovered the importance of these ceremonies. Three of those ceremonies are called "Scrutinies."

The Scrutinies

celebrated at the 11am Masses on the following

Sundays:

First-- Sunday March 19

Second-- Sunday March 26

Third-- Sunday April 2

The Spiritual Purpose of the Scrutinies:

"The scrutinies are meant to uncover, and then heal all that is weak, defective, or sinful in the hearts of the elect; to bring out, then strengthen all that is upright, strong, and good. For the scrutinies are celebrated in order to deliver the elect from the power of sin and Satan, to protect them against temptation, and to give them strength in Christ, who is the way, the truth, and the life. These rites, therefore, should complete the conversion of the elect and deepen their resolve to hold fast to Christ and to carry out their decision to love God above all." (§141 in *The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults*)

Bishop's Annual Lenten Appeal

Today is Commitment Weekend for the Bishop's Annual Lenten Appeal. Hopefully everyone has taken time to reflect upon all the information that has been shared. I ask that all parishioners prayerfully consider the opportunity today to offer a gift to the Bishop's Annual Lenten Appeal. We would like everyone to participate and help our parish reach its financial goal of **\$29,500.00**. Those who have given before know we are grateful. We need your help again this year. Those who have not given before, please make this year your first gift to the Bishop's Annual Lenten Appeal. Everyone's help is needed. Please also remember that any amount raised above our goal stays in the parish. Thank you for being a part of the Bishop's Annual Lenten Appeal.



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Schedule

6:30am: Leave Our Lady of the Visitation, Shippensburg

10am: Tour of the Shrine of Saint Katherine Drexel, Bensalem, PA

12pm: Mass at the Shrine of Saint Katherine Drexel celebrated by our own Father Dwight Schlaline

12:30pm-1pm: Bagged lunch at the Shrine of Saint Katherine Drexel. *Please bring a bagged lunch as food will NOT be available at the shrine.* After lunch we will leave for the cathedral.

2pm: Tour of the Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter and Paul.

3pm: Leave the cathedral for home. Arrive back at Our Lady of the Visitation Church around 6pm.

Cost is \$65 per person. Checks should be made payable to Our Lady of the Visitation Church.

Deadline to register is June 8, 2017. Fill out slip below and drop into collection with your payment, or mail it to Our Lady of the Visitation Church, 305 North Prince Street, Shippensburg, PA 17257.

Contact Person: Travis Detwiler at 717-681-7579 or email travisedetwiler@gmail.com.



Registration for OLV Parish Bus Trip to Philadelphia (July 14, 2017)

Name(s):

Email Address:

Cell Phone #:

Home Phone #:

Our Lady of the Visitation 2017 Lenten Schedule

Stations of the Cross – Fridays at 6:00 P.M.



Reconciliation - Saturdays from 3:30 – 4:30 P.M.



Penance Service – Wednesday, April 5th at 6:30 P.M.



Wednesday – April 12th

6:30 P.M. Lenten Reflection by Fr. Dwight
7:30 P.M. Tenebrae

Holy Thursday – April 13th

8:30 A.M. Morning Prayer
7:00 P.M. Mass of the Lord's Supper

Good Friday – April 14th

8:30 A.M. Morning Prayer
3:00 P.M. Veneration of the Cross
6:00 P.M. Stations of the Cross

Holy Saturday – April 15th

8:30 A.M. Morning Prayer
9:00 A.M. Decorating of the Church (All are welcome)
12:00 Noon Blessing of the Food
8:00 P.M. Easter Vigil



Easter Sunday – April 16th 8:30 A.M. & 11:00 A.M.





