

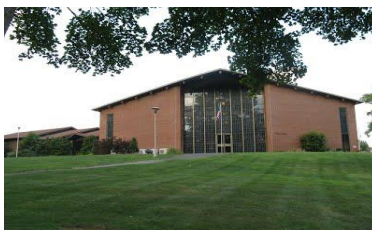


OUR LADY OF THE VISITATION CATHOLIC CHURCH

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

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Mon. – Thurs.
9:00 A.M.-4:00 P.M.
Closed most legal holidays
and holy days of obligation

*19th Sunday in Ordinary Time
August 13th 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 (Rosary starts at 8:00AM)

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

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 - We will not be meeting during the summer.

Religious Education - Sundays from September 10, 2017 until May 6, 2018 Time: 9:45AM-11:00AM

(No Class on the following days: October 8, November 26, December 24 & 31, January 14, February 18 & April 1)

Bulletin Deadline: Tuesday 9:00AM.

--Email proposed announcements to the Office Manager at tplotner@hbgdiocese.org .



The Shippensburg Corn Festival is Saturday, August 26th. Please consider giving a few hours of your day to help the OLV's concession stand. It's a great way to get to know your fellow parishioners and to have a **great** time. The sign-up sheet is located in the church lobby. **HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE**

Medjugorje

A Site of Apparitions of the Blessed Virgin Mary



**Wednesday August 16, 2017
6:30-8:00 PM**

Father Dwight will share footage of his trip to Medjugorje and explain the apparitions.

meeting DATES

BIBLE STUDY:

6:30 - 8:00 P.M.

"The Early Church"

Wednesdays, August 23rd - October 27th

PRO-LIFE GROUP:

The next Pro-Life meeting is **Tuesday, September 12th at 7:00 P.M.** in the parish hall. Please contact Joanne Meehan at (717) 491-6495 or olvproulife@yahoo.com for more information.

WILD FLOWERS:

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, September 12th after the 8:30A.M. 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



Knights of Columbus and Ladies Auxiliary

The next meeting of the Knights of Columbus will be **Thursday, August 17th at 7 P.M.** in the social hall. For more information contact Brian VanScyoc at 717-658-3767 or bkvanscyoc@att.net

For more information about the Ladies Aux. contact Signe Kelker at 717-532-7353 or sikelk@ship.edu,

Youth and Young Adults – ***Make Your Voices***

Heard – In conjunction with Pope Francis and the 2018 Synod of Bishops on the topic of *Young People, Faith and Vocational Discernment*, the Diocese of Harrisburg is surveying youth and young adults (ages 15 – 39). Both those who identify as Catholic and those who do not are encouraged to complete an online survey. The results will be used to answer questions of the Synod of Bishops and to better serve youth and young adults within our diocese. To participate please visit www.hbgdiocese.org/synod2018 or contact Rob Williams, Director of Youth and Young Adult Ministry at 717-657-4804 or at rwilliams@hbgdiocese.org.



Please join us before daily morning Mass to pray the rosary. The rosary begins at 8:00AM. ALL ARE WELCOME!

Donations Needed for Lourdeshouse Maternity Home

The Catholic Charities Lourdeshouse Maternity Home (located in suburban Harrisburg) is in need of the following donations: plastic cutlery, paper towels, napkins, large trash bags, hair conditioner, body wash, disposable razors, body lotion, and toilet paper. If you can help, please contact Renee Campbell at Lourdeshouse at 717-412-4865. Thank you for your support!

****Please join Fr. Luis Rodriguez pastor of Corpus Christi Church Chambersburg, PA for a 10 day pilgrimage to the Holy Land of our Lord in Israel. January 24- February 2, 2018 is a cool season in the Holy Land. We will depart Newark to Tel Aviv and after our first day of rest visit Galilea, Capernaum, the home of Mary Magdalene, Mount Tabor, Nazareth, Cana, Mount Carmel, Jerico, the Dead Sea, Bethlehem, Shepherd's Field, Dormition Abbey, Jerusalem, Mount of Olives, Calvary, the Empty Tomb and other sites. Land and Air, \$2995 dbl occupancy. We are traveling with the highly reputable Select International. Please call Fr. Rodriguez for more information or a registration brochure at 717-264-6317. Se habla Español. Valid US Passport or Permanent Residents only.**

Diocesan Women's Conference – October 14, 2017

Women of the Diocese of Harrisburg, please mark your calendar for the 3rd Annual Diocesan Women's Conference, Saturday, October 14, 2017, at Bishop McDevitt High School.

Theme: *"Lead All Souls to Heaven": Mary's Message to Us from Fatima*. Keynote Speaker: Award winning Catholic author and noted speaker, Susan Brinkmann. The Women's Conference includes 36 workshops from a blue-ribbon list of speakers, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament with the Rosary and Benediction, opportunity for Confession available, beautiful music, good food, a wide variety of exhibitors, and celebration of Mass by Bishop Ronald W.

Gainer. Conference information, including Online Registration, is currently available at

www.hbgdiocese.org/women Registration brochures for paper registration is are also available at parishes and online. Last year we had more than 800 women attend this conference. This year we are hoping for 1,000+ women. Thank you!

Day of Renewal – Saturday, September 16, 2017

On Saturday, September 16, 2017, the Harrisburg Diocesan Charismatic Day of Renewal will be held at the Cardinal Keeler Center, 4800 Union Deposit Road in Harrisburg. The theme this year is "The Holy Spirit – Fountain of Grace."

The event will take place from 8:00 am to 4:00 pm and the keynote speaker will be Rev. William "Bill" Cosgrove, a 12-year service team member for the Charismatic Renewal and current Liaison for the Charismatic Renewal under Timothy Cardinal Dolan in the Diocese of New York. For 32 years, Fr. Bill has been an active member of the International Fraternity of Priests, one of a number of priest support groups that is a strong advocate of priestly fraternity. Fr. Bill is also an active member of the Clarkstown Ethics Board, New City Rotary and the Clarkstown Ecumenical Clergy Association. The \$20 program cost includes lunch, if registered by September 5, 2017, or same day registration will be available at the door, but lunch will not be included. Checks can be made payable to "Diocese of Harrisburg". To register or for additional information go to: www.aliveinthepirit.net or www.hbgdiocese.org/renewal or call Mary Ann at 717-564-7709 (Please do not call the Diocesan Office.)

Daily Mass... Why Go?

Dolores Davies has been attending weekday Masses (in addition to Sunday Mass) for about 20 years now. Why?

"The first time I attended daily Mass was 20 years ago in 1997 when I decided I wanted to do something more than give up drinking wine for Lent. The Holy Spirit guided me to get up an hour earlier so I could attend 6:30 a.m. Mass at my church in Folsom, CA (Sacramento area) before heading down the road to work.

I was nervous entering the church because I hoped I wouldn't be the only one there as I didn't see too many cars in the huge parking lot. So I was relieved to see about 15 to 20 other devoted, faith-filled souls there, who continued to show up every day along with me. My relief at seeing other people at that early hour was quickly followed by my concern that I'd take someone's seat that first day. You know how territorial and creatures of habit we humans are!

I loved it from the get-go because it was so utterly peaceful and quiet with absolutely no distractions whatsoever. I felt God's presence so much more deeply than at Sunday Mass, and I have become more prayerful each day since that first daily Mass two decades ago. It was the best thing I have ever done in my life, and I owe it all to the Holy Spirit. I am so thankful, grateful and blessed to be Catholic.

After that particular Lent ended, I was hooked on daily Mass and have continued the practice wherever I have lived, i.e., on an Army base in Germany for noon Mass and at the US Army War College in Carlisle before attending OLV. I currently try to attend Monday noon Mass at the War College as regularly as possible with Fr Wood with the same approximately 20 people who are always there throughout the week.

No matter where I have gone for daily Mass, I love seeing the same people/friends and feel like we are all in a special bubble so connected to God as well as to each other. The 30 minutes of daily Mass for me is the best part of my day, and I miss it when I am unable to attend for whatever reason, and I actually feel guilty like I am short-changing our Lord, when it's actually me who is being short-changed. I would encourage people to attend daily Mass for the experience of it being an enriching, prayerful, devotional, and faith-filled habit. Although I am selfish and uncharitable in my thoughts that more people mean more noise and distractions."

LITURGICAL ASSIGNMENTS

August 12-13	5:00 P.M.	8:30 A.M.	11:00 A.M.
Lector:	Chuck Music	Christopher Meehan	Tom Feeney
Ushers:	Joe Cretella	Randy Prue	Leonard Joy
	Frank Kerch	Bob & Sue Kiley	Ed Kutlik
Altar Servers:	Travis Detwiler & Volunteer	Brandon Reinsfelder & Sean Meehan	Xavier Rodriguez & Volunteer
August 15-16	6:00 P.M.	8:30 A.M.	6:00 P.M.
Lector:	Chuck Music	Signe Kelker	Mary Poffenbarger
Ushers:	Volunteers	Dan Marshall & Frank Kerch	Leonard Joy & Ed Kutlik
Altar Servers:	Travis Detwiler & Volunteer	Kelly Fischer & Volunteer	Micheal & Shawn Righter
August 19-20	5:00 P.M.	8:30 A.M.	11:00 A.M.
Lector:	Angela Myers	Nancy Redington	Roberta Huffner
Ushers:	Dan Marshall	Tom Wright	Leonard Joy
	Frank Kerch	Brian VanScyoc	Ed Kutlik
Altar Servers:	Travis Detwiler & Volunteer	Brady Coleman & Volunteer	Kaz Predecki & Volunteer

Contribution for July 29-30

Ordinary Income		Non-Operating Income	
Weekend Collection	\$4,502.22	Building Improvements	451.00
Corn Festival	573.00	Social Outreach	236.00
Assumption	80.00	Parish Youth Education	65.00
Anniversary Flowers	100.00	Votives	35.75
		TOTAL INCOME	\$6,042.97

Mass Schedule and Intentions

Saturday	August 12 th	5:00 P.M.	People of the Parish
		8:30 A.M.	Intentions of Susan Spevack
Sunday	August 13 th	11:00 A.M.	John Jesionek
Monday	August 14 th	6:00 P.M.	Anthony Koziar
Tuesday	August 15 th	8:30 A.M.	Intentions of Sister Elyse Staab
		6:00 P.M.	People of the Parish
Wednesday	August 16 th	8:30 A.M.	Robert Goode
Thursday	August 17 th	8:30 A.M.	Josephine E. Ruquet
Friday	August 18 th	8:30 A.M.	Intentions of Susan Spevack
Saturday	August 19 th	5:00 P.M.	People of the Parish
		8:30 A.M.	Intentions of Faith Zarichansky
Sunday	August 20 th	11:00 A.M.	Intentions of Andrew James Emmons Jr.

Fall Bible Study - The Early Church Wednesdays, August 23rd - October 27th

Join us and as we follow the first 500 years of Church History, learning about saints, persecutions, heresies, and Church fathers from the time of the apostles to the time of Constantine. Our study will use the "EPIC" Bible Study program with video presentations by Steve Weidenkopf and group discussions over ten weeks. Please sign up in the back of the church and mark whether you want to buy the study book. If you get the study book, please be sure to sign up by August 13th so we have time to order the books, and bring the money on August 23rd. You can preview the study online at <https://youtu.be/oUKbtl4wqk>. For questions, email JevVoight@gmail.com

