



OUR LADY OF THE VISITATION CATHOLIC CHURCH

SHIPPENSBURG, PA

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



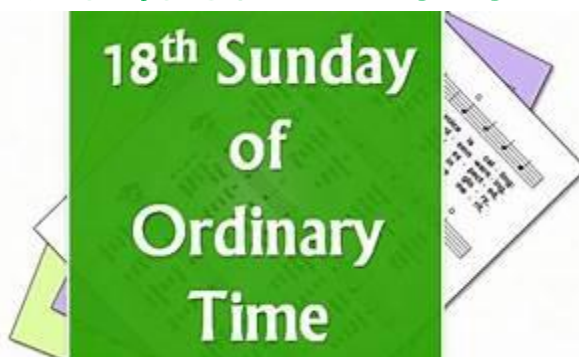
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Mon. – Thurs.
9:00 AM-4:00 PM
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www.OLVShippensburg.org

August 4th 2019



Scripture Readings:

Ecclesiastes 1:2, 2:21-23
Colossians 3:1-5, 9-11
Luke 12:13-21
Page 1174 in the Hymnal

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 (Rosary starts at 8:00AM)

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 begins Wednesday, August 28th at 6:30PM

Religious Education- Sundays 9:45AM-11:00AM will resume on Sunday, September 8, 2019

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, August 13th at 7:00PM in the parish hall.

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

BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP:

The Book Discussion Group meets the second Tuesday of the month after the 8:30AM Mass. For more information, contact Signe Kelker at 717-532-7353



Knights of Columbus & Ladies Auxiliary

The next Knights meeting will be Thursday, Sept. 5th at 7:00PM in the parish hall.

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

Ladies Auxiliary: Ladies Lunch at the University Grille on Tuesday August 6th at 12:30PM.

For more information about the Ladies Auxiliary please contact Donna Bonitz at 717 532-5369 or ddbbonitz@gmail.com



Summer Youth Group Schedule

6-8pm Meetings on the following Sundays:

August 4

August 18



BUCHANAN VALLEY PICNIC SATURDAY, AUGUST 24, 2019

NOON TO DUSK (RAIN OR SHINE)

BINGO...PRIZES...LIVE MUSIC

Serving Family-Style Home Cooked Ham & Chicken Dinners

Adults: \$11.00

Ages 6-12: \$5.00

Ages 5 and Under: Free

On the grounds of the St. Ignatius Loyola Church

1095 Church Road, Orrtanna, PA 17353

For more information, call 717-677-8012

! SAFETY FIRST !

Heath, Safety, and Security Committee

The next Heath, Safety, and Security Committee meeting will be Tuesday, August 20th at 6:30PM. All are invited to attend. The committee now has a page on the **Parish Website** www.OLVShippensburg.org - and there is information on it to provide transparency about the committee's activities.



The Safety Committee is looking for more volunteers to be greeters especially for the 5:00 PM Saturday Mass. Interested individuals who have not had a chance to attend the formal training may team up with a current greeter for On the Job Training. **Current Greeters**, invite a friend or couple to join our team. The Committee is also looking to increase the size and diversity of the committee. If you are interested in either of these opportunities to serve the parish and our Lord please consider attending the next committee meeting - Tuesday, August 20th at 6:30PM in the parish hall. God Bless.

Contributions for July 27-28

Ordinary Income	
Weekend Collection	\$3, 494.27
Votives/Coffee Hour	61.24
Building Improvements	417.00
Social Outreach	100.00
Parish Youth Education	241.00
Assumption	40.00
Evangelization Fair Booth (Shbg)	30.00
TOTAL INCOME	\$4,383.51



Mass Schedule for the Feast of the Assumption of Mary into Heaven

Wednesday, August 14th - 6:00 PM

Thursday, August 15th - 8:30 AM & 6:00 PM

CHURCH CALENDAR

Saturday August 3	8:30AM Mass 3:30PM-4:30PM 5:00PM Mass	NO MORNING MASS Confession People of the Parish
Sunday August 4	8:30AM Mass 9:45AM-10:45AM 11:00AM Mass 6:00-8:00PM	In Memory of the Stewart-Gelas Family Marian Consecration Program In Memory of Patrick DeChene High School Youth Group Meeting
Monday August 5	8:30AM Mass	Catholic Campus Ministry
Tuesday August 6	8:30AM Mass	OLV High School Youth Group
Wednesday August 7	8:30AM Mass	OLV Young Adult Ministry
Thursday August 8	8:30AM Mass	In Memory of JT Kuhn
Friday August 9	8:30AM Mass	In Memory of Roger DeChene
Saturday August 10	8:30AM Mass 3:30PM-4:30PM 5:00PM Mass	People of the Parish Confession In Memory of Bob Babel
Sunday August 11	8:30AM Mass 9:45AM-10:45AM 11:00AM Mass	Intentions of Rich & Tammy Polifka Marian Consecration Program In Memory of Kalman Csoppu

LITURGICAL ASSIGNMENTS

August 3-4	5:00 PM	8:30 AM	11:00 AM
Lectors:	Andrea Thornton	Sue Kiley	Ed Pfister
Ushers:	Dan Marshall	Randy Prue	Leonard Joy
	Frank Kerch	Brian VanScyoc	Ed Kutlik
Altar Servers:	Travis Detwiler & Volunteer	Hunter Parks & Volunteer	Kaz Predecki & Volunteer
August 10-11	5:00 PM	8:30 AM	11:00 AM
Lectors:	Travis Detwiler	Tom Feeney	Matt Courson
Ushers:	Dan Marshall	Tom Wright	Leonard Joy
	Frank Kerch	Bob & Sue Kiley	Ed Kutlik
Altar Servers:	Matthew Lindsey & Mary Lindsey	Brandon Reinsfelder & Volunteer	Garrett Courson & Volunteer



Catholic Charities Shelter Shuffle 5K Run/Walk - September 28th

The annual Shelter Shuffle 5K Run/Walk will take place on Saturday, September 28th at 9:00 a.m. at the former Harrisburg State Hospital Campus (across from the Farm Show Complex in Harrisburg). Runners and walkers of all abilities are welcome. Pet friendly. Stroller friendly. Shirts for all pre-registered participants. Cost is \$20.00 per person if registered by September 1st. \$25.00 per person after September 1st. Proceeds benefit the Interfaith Shelter for Homeless Families. For more information and to register online, visit www.cchbg.org

Rediscovering the Pro-life Family

OLV Pro-life Ministry Symposium



Saturday, September 21, 2019

8:30AM- 1:00PM

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

Join us for a multi-generational family conference for high-school-age teenagers to senior citizens. Our featured speaker will be Dr. Monica Miller, noted author, activist and university professor.

Amid a torrent of ever-sharpening cultural divisions, the event aims to educate, unify and energize by affirming the transformative power and moral urgency of the pro-life message; exploring its indispensable centrality in fostering healthy, loving families and repairing our culture; and by building awareness of significant pro-life triumphs & challenges in

the law & media.

Check-in and registration will begin at 9:15AM at the conclusion of Mass. Cost of attendance is \$20 per person (\$15 for additional family members) and includes light breakfast and lunch; pre-registration is highly recommended but same-day registrants are welcome. **To pre-register please go to eventzilla.net and search for the event Rediscovering the Pro-Life Family.**

Monica Migliorino Miller, Ph. D., our keynote speaker, is a nationally-known pro-life leader, founder and director of Citizens for a Pro-Life Society, active in the pro-life movement since 1976. She is a Professor of Theology at Madonna University in Livonia, MI, and author of several published books, including "Sexuality and Authority in the Catholic Church" and "Abandoned: The Untold Story of the Abortion Wars."



Donations Needed for the Refugee Resettlement Program

The Catholic Charities Refugee Resettlement program is in need of the following donations: tables and chairs, bed frames, bed pillows, full sheet sets, shower curtains and hooks, paper towels, waste baskets, cooking utensils, bath towels, toothbrushes, toothpaste, and shampoo. If you can donate any of the following, please drop them off at the Catholic Charities Immigration and Refugee Services Office at 939 E Park Dr., Harrisburg. Questions, email royalroad212@yahoo.com. Thank you!



Stages of Human Life - Month 6

I'm twisting and turning a lot now. A white filmy layer protects me from scratches from my increased activity. This month's question **"What happens to this natural skin cream after birth?"** Visit the back of the church for the answer and check out the poster for some other interesting things about this month. There are also brochures detailing the entire nine months of development.



YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE

The 5:00 PM Saturday and 11:00 AM Sunday Masses are in dire need of **GREETERS!** Thank you to our core of 8:30 Sunday Mass greeters who have not only taken on that role but will handle scheduling and coverage as well. 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. If you would like more information please contact John Thornton (717) 477-2765 or johnnie7746@gmail.com. Peace.



Bridges of Mercy for Healing after Abortion

Read the full version at usccb.org/bridges-of-mercy.

Maria,* Vanessa, Li, Jennifer, and Darryl are among the tens of millions of Americans whose lives have been directly touched by abortion. Like so many others, they have experienced regret, guilt, and grief. But, as they have also experienced, God's healing love and mercy are always possible.

Many Catholics want to help women and men who have experienced abortion, but some don't know how to begin. Visit usccb.org/bridges-of-mercy to learn how people from various walks of life can assist friends, family members, fellow parishioners, clients—or perhaps even themselves.

Also, be aware that the U.S. Church's Project Rachel Ministry for healing after abortion offers confidential, compassionate help. Visit HopeAfterAbortion.org.

***Life is a gift
from God, and
so is His mercy.***

*All names have been changed to protect privacy. This is a summary of a USCCB Respect Life Program article by the same name and is reprinted with permission. © 2018, USCCB, Washington, D.C. All rights reserved.

Divine Wisdom

Jesus often teaches people a lesson already found in the wisdom books of the Old Testament. Compare the words of Jesus son of Sirach to the words of Jesus Christ in the Gospel reading for today:

Some become rich through a miser's life, and this is their allotted reward: When they say: "I have found rest, now I will feast on my goods," they do not know how long it will be till they die and leave them to others.

-Sirach 11:18-19



REGISTER NOW!

Dr. Scott Hahn to speak in New Oxford, PA
Come have your faith renewed! Breadbox Media welcomes Dr. Scott Hahn for a day-long retreat in New Oxford, PA on Saturday, August 24th. The event will be held at New Oxford High School Auditorium, 130 Berlin Rd., New Oxford, PA 17350. Lunch will be provided and will include sandwich, chips, and bottled water. Cost is \$25. Walk-ins and ticket orders are welcome up to the day of the event but to ensure you get lunch, order your tickets by Aug 13. To register online please go to www.breadboxmedia.com/paconference. To register and pay via check contact Pete Socks via email at pete.socks@breadboxmedia.com or telephone at 717-521-3137.

-----Event Schedule-----

8:00 AM Doors Open
9:00 Welcome and First Talk – Silent Knight, Holy Knight
10:00 St. Paul Center Presentation
10:15 Break, Book Sale
10:45 Second Talk – The First Society
11:45 Breadbox Media presentation
11:55 Lunch, Book Sale
1:30 PM Third Talk (& Raffle) – The Hour is Coming
2:30 Closing Announcements, Book Sale
Pete Socks, The Catholic Book Blogger
Blogging the Faith....One Book at a Time
Web Address: The Catholic Book Blogger

Surviving Divorce · Hope and Healing for Catholics

Surviving Divorce was created to bring hope and healing to those who have experienced the pain and loneliness of a broken marriage. It is for the newly separated and divorced and those still struggling with issues many years later. It will help them answer their questions, restore hope, and begin authentic healing. Developed and hosted by Rose Sweet, Surviving Divorce features experts on relationships and divorce as well as personal testimonies from Catholic men and women who have experienced the breakdown of their families. They courageously share their stories with heart, humor, and wisdom. As they witness to their pain and the healing power of Christ in their lives, participants will laugh, cry, and identify with their journeys from heartache to healing.

Goals of the program:

- Work through the emotional upheaval of separation and divorce.
- Find personal healing and hope.
- Discover a deeper understanding of God's love for you.
- Gain wisdom and comfort from experts and others who share your experiences.
- Navigate new concerns like custody, court hearings, and finances.

Location: Saint Catherine Laboure Parish, 4000 Derry Street, Harrisburg, PA 17111

Date & Time: Tuesdays · September 3 – November 26, 2019 · 6:45-8:15pm

For more information or to register contact Deb at 717-564-1321 or dsalldin@sclhbg.org.



Mass for Healing from Addiction

Spiritual Support for Addiction: Seeking spiritual support in the journey towards recovery? Many parishes around the Diocese are extending God's merciful and loving hand to those who have an addiction as well as their families and loved ones by offering a series of Masses for Healing from Addiction each month. Mass dates, times and locations for the months of August 2019 – June 2020 may be found by visiting our webpage and are posted on our bulletin board. The Diocesan Health & Pastoral Care Ministry page provides a central location for spiritual resources and complete list of Masses for Healing from Addiction. Visit www.hbgdiocese.org/healthcare-ministry for additional information or contact the parish office.

JOB OPPORTUNITY

The following positions are available at Saint Patrick Church in Carlisle PA: Parish Manager, Pastoral Associate, Director of Music, Director of Religious Education, Youth Ministry Coordinator, Adult Faith Formation Leader, Maintenance. To find out more about these positions, please contact the Parish Office at 717-243-4411 or email Star Wiskeman at swiskeman@saintpatrickchurch.org.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR



On **October 12, 2019**, we will be having the **5th annual Diocesan Women's Conference at Bishop McDevitt High School**. The past four years we have had 700-900 women attend this conference. We are hoping for 1,000 women strong this year!

Helen Alvare is keynoting this year.

More details will be available soon.



