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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 Sundays: 8:00 AM and 11:00 AM Daily Mass - 8:30 AM Tuesday - Friday; First Saturday of the Month at 9:00am Reconciliation - Saturdays, 3:30PM-4:30PM; First Friday of the Month 7:30am-8:20am; First Saturday of the Month 8:00am-8:45am Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament - 7:30AM - 8:30AM First Friday of the Month



Saturday	3:30-4:30PM	Confession
May 22	5:00 PM Mass	People of the Parish
Sunday May 23	8:00 AM Mass 11:00 AM Mass 3:00 PM	In Memory of Elisabeth Meyers Intentions of Bill & Linda Schneider Confirmation Mass
Tuesday May 25	8:30 AM Mass	Intentions of Eleonora Wendeln
Wednesday May 26	8:30 AM Mass	In Memory of Laura McRorie
Thursday May 27	8:30 AM Mass	In Memory of Helen Yasenchak
Friday May 28	8:30 AM Mass	Intentions of Marc Walker
Saturday	3:30- 4:30PM	Confession
May 29	5:00 PM Mass	In Memory of Berthold Wendeln
Sunday	8:00 AM Mass 11:00 AM Mass	People of the Parish In Memory of Carroll Glover & Family
May 30	12:00PM -7:00PM	Silent Prayer with Adoration
	7:00PM	Evening Prayer with Fr. Matt Cannon

May 15-16, 2021	Collection
Weekend Collection	\$2,586.00
Parish Youth Education	60.00
Building Improvements	310.00
Social Outreach	220.00
Ascension	623.00
Total Income:	\$3,799.00

Online giving made easy!



Please visit the following link https://olvshippensburg.weshareonline.org



Knights of Columbus & Ladies Auxiliary

Knights of Columbus: The next meeting will be Thurs. May 20th at 7pm in the parish hall. For information contact Mike Connor at mjc@wcslawoffice.com or 717-530-5165 Ladies Auxiliary: For information contact Donna Bonitz ddbonitz@gmail.com or 717 860-4909.



Please mark your calendar for Saturday July 10th. The parish will be hosting a mini

retreat from 9am-3pm. Everyone is welcome to attend. More information will be coming.



Adoration on Tuesday evenings will be temporarily postponed over the summer. Please

keep checking the bulletin for a date when it will resume.



All parishioners and their families are invited to the Knight of Columbus sponsored covered dish picnic on Wednesday, June 9th at 6pm in the large pavilion in the Memorial Park. Please bring a dish

to share, place settings, and a beverage, A sign-up sheet is in the church lobby.



Saturday, May 22 nd	5:00PM
Lector:	Nancy Redington
Eucharistic Minister:	Lyn Solder
Sunday, May 23 rd	8:00AM
Lector:	Cheryl Bannon
Eucharistic Minister:	Tammy Polifka
	11:00AM
Lector:	Roberta Huffner
Eucharistic Minister:	Magali Silva

<u>40 Hours Retreat and Adoration</u>

This year we will be having our 40 hours retreat for the parish on Sunday, May 30th through Tuesday, June 1st. The Blessed Sacrament



of the Eucharist is the very source and summit of our faith because it is Jesus himself, His body, blood, soul, and divinity. The 40 hours retreat is a powerful opportunity for us as a parish to first pray and encounter this reality in silent prayer and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament as well as in the evening retreat reflections throughout these three days. Our retreat master for this year will be Fr. Matthew Cannon, who is the parochial vicar of Holy Name of Jesus parish in Harrisburg! Fr. Matt served here as a seminarian a number of years ago, so we are very excited to have him return to lead us in reflections of our faith during this parish retreat. Therefore, please consider signing up for a half hour

or an hour of silent prayer in adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, which is necessary if we are going to have adoration throughout the day for this retreat. Here is the following schedule of events:

Silent prayer with Adoration begins with Exposition on Sunday, May 30th immediately following the 11:00 am Mass, and all events will take place in the Main Church.

40 Hours Retreat - Our Lady of the Visitation Catholic Church

We will need people to sign up to pray for these time slots (the sign-up sheet will be in the back of the church)

Sunday, May 30th --- 12:00 pm - 7:00 pm ---> Silent prayer with Adoration

Monday, May 31st --- 9:00 am - 7:00 pm ---> Silent prayer with Adoration

Tuesday, June 1st --- 9:00 am - 7:00 pm ---> Silent prayer with Adoration

(You may attend one or more of these Masses or Services, but no need to sign up for these)

Sunday, May 30th at 7:00 pm ---> Evening Prayer and 1st Reflection by Fr. Matt Cannon

Monday, May 31st at 8:30 am ---> Morning Mass (Feast Day of Our Lady of the Visitation !!)

Monday, May 31st at 7:00 pm ---> Evening Prayer and 2nd Reflection by Fr. Matt Cannon

Tuesday, June 1st at 8:30 am ---> Morning Mass

Tuesday, June 1st at 7:00 pm ---> Evening Prayer and 3rd Reflection by Fr. Matt Cannon (Benediction to close!)

On Saturday evening June 5th through Sunday June 13th St. Mary's Church will be hosting the Vatican International

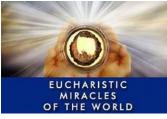


Exhibit of Eucharistic Miracles of the World. The times for the exhibit will be Saturday after the 5 PM Mass until 7 PM, Sunday after Morning Masses until 3 PM. It will open Monday – Saturday after the 8 AM Mass until 2 PM and reopen from 5 PM – 7 PM. On June 13th it will only be open until Noon. The exhibit will be displayed in Classrooms and Hall. Take this opportunity to learn how Jesus continues to make His presence known to us through His Eucharistic Miracles.



Knights of Columbus & Ladies Auxiliary Scholarship Applications for the Our Lady of the Visitation Knights of Columbus and Ladies Auxiliary Scholarship are now available in the back of the church or by downloading from the parish website. Any high school senior who is a member of OLV parish and will be attending an institution of higher learning this fall is eligible to apply. Completed applications must be submitted by June 7, 2021.



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The Book of the Month for June

The Book of the Month series here at Our Lady of the Visitation Catholic Church is a faith formation opportunity for anyone at any time! The book will be selected by Fr. Ben and published about two weeks before each month begins, and this gives everyone time to purchase it if they so desire for that particular month. There is no commitment, and you may join in or choose to forego any month and at any time. With the current restrictions, there will be a Zoom meeting to hear a summary and then discuss the book towards the end of each month, and you can simply join the email list to receive this Zoom meeting information by contacting the office. You can certainly join the Zoom meeting even if you didn't read part or any of the book, and the basic summary and Q&A will be published afterwards on our Facebook and YouTube webpages. Reading books is one way God can transform our hearts! God Bless you, and let's pray for each other during this time! --Fr. Ben Dunkelberger

The Lamb's Supper: The Mass as Heaven on Earth by Scott Hahn

The Lamb's Supper is a very transformative and insightful book as Scott Hahn uses his personal conversion story to Catholicism along with his deep scriptural and theological knowledge to open up the book of Revelation to show how the Mass is meant to be an experience of heaven on earth! Have you ever wondered if the Book of Revelation is accessible even with its apocalyptic style of writing? There is a lot going on in that book, but there are many beautiful truths communicated by St. John in his inspired writing such as how the Mass is an eternal event of Jesus' love offered to the Father. In addition, this book reveals the meaning behind so many of the prayers of the Mass, and it can certainly bring the Mass into a greater light and fuller reality. If you want to get more out of the Catholic Mass or have a greater understanding of what the Catholic Mass is meant to be for those attending and participating, please join us in reading this book or even just joining in the discussion. God Bless you!

Book Discussion Times and Dates:

Please email or call the office to be put on the list and receive the Zoom meeting info towards the end of every month! <u>May</u> – **33 Days to Morning Glory** - Wednesday, June 2nd at 7:00 pm – both in person and Zoom <u>June</u> – *The Lamb's Supper* – Wednesday, July 7th at 7:00 pm – both in person and on Zoom



Diocesan Young Adult Day of Reflection

The Young Adult Day of Reflection is June 12, 2021 at St. John Neumann Parish, Lancaster. If you are a Catholic Young Adult, or a non-Catholic who has some interest in the Catholic Church, and are 18-39 years old, this day is for you! The theme is: *To Jesus through Mary*. Father Benjamin Dunkelberger, Pastor of Our Lady of the Visitation Church, Shippensburg, and the Catholic Center Chaplain at Shippensburg University will be the Retreat Leader. There will be two spiritual talks by Fr. Dunkelberger, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament with Benediction, recitation of the Rosary, opportunity for Confession, and the celebration of the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. There will also be some time for solitude and quiet reflection. Light breakfast fare and a catered lunch are included in the registration cost, which is \$15 per person. To register, see the following

link: <u>https://hbgdiocese.formstack.com/forms/young_adult_day_of_reflection</u>. Registration Deadline is June 8 at 4 pm.



The 43rd Annual Men's Retreat, sponsored by Corpus Christi Parish, will be held on the July 30-August 1 weekend on the beautiful campus of Mt. St. Mary's University, Emmitsburg Md. It is open to all men in the Diocese, age 14 and older. MARK YOUR CALENDAR NOW, so you'll remember this weekend to renew your spirit, and His love in your life. Father Michael Rothan, Chaplain, Bucknell University, will lead us this year. Reservations require a minimum of \$60.00 deposit and should be made early to ensure a room is held for you. Check the vestibule for more information and/or contact Tom Bradley at 717-331-6312.