



“Shippensburg Catholic”

THE GOSPEL
JOHN
20:1-9
The Resurrection of the Lord

April 3-4, 2021

Our Mission:

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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

Religious Education Class - Sundays 9:30AM-10:45AM

If you would like to receive the bulletin and other updates by email, please contact the parish office either by phone or email. Thank you

Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK



Easter Vigil April 3	8:00 PM Mass	Intentions of Roger Waters
Easter Sunday April 4	7:00 AM Mass 9:00 AM Mass 11:00 AM Mass	People of the Parish In Memory of Jim & Barbara Doyle In Memory of Dan Marshall
Tuesday April 6	8:30 AM Mass 6:15 PM	Intentions of Chris & Kelly Perry Adoration
Wednesday April 7	8:30 AM Mass	In Memory of Jack Wanner
Thursday April 8	8:30 AM Mass	Intentions of Donald J. Taylor
Friday April 9	8:30 AM Mass	In Memory of Peter Sullivan
Saturday April 10	5:00 PM Mass	Intentions of Jim & Bobbi Staver
Sunday April 11	8:00 AM Mass 9:30-10:45 AM 11:00 AM Mass 3:00-4:00 PM	In Memory of Doug Kauffman Religious Education Class People of the Parish Divine Mercy Sunday Holy Hour

Thank you to all who have pledged to this year's campaign.

To date, we have received **\$29,320.00** in-pew gifts/pledges totaling towards this year's goal of **\$27,475.00** for the Diocesan Annual Campaign.



March 20-21, 2021	Collection
Weekend Collection	\$2,341.00
Parish Youth Education	25.00
Building Improvements	126.00
Social Outreach	26.00
Holy Land	25.00
Easter	600.00
Easter Flowers	390.00
Catholic Relief	290.00
Total Income:	\$3,823.00

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Greeter's: Contact John Thornton at johnnie7746@gmail.com; Phone (508) 868-5640.

Usher's: Contact Joe Cretella at picretella@comcast.net, Phone (717) 377-1480

Sacristan's : Contact the parish office at tplotner@hbgdiocese.org, Phone 717-532

Online giving made easy!



Please visit the following link

<https://olvshippensburg.weshareonline.org>

Our parish has been using an Online Giving system that is strengthening stewardship as well as making it easier for members to support our parish. There are many benefits for the parish and for parishioners that choose to give online. Some of the benefits for the parishioner include: no need to write checks; you can give even if you are unable to attend services; and your contribution amount can easily be adjusted at any time.

This Easter, please prayerfully consider making a one-time offering online to our parish. Your contribution will support the operation of the church and all of our different ministries. Sign up today by visiting our website at <https://olvshippensburg.weshareonline.org>

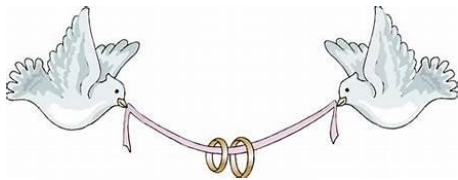
"Give and gifts will be given to you; a good measure, packed together, shaken down, and overflowing, will be poured into your lap. For the measure with which you measure will in return be measured out to you." --Luke 6:38

Liturgical Minister



SCHEDULE

April 3 Easter Vigil	8:00PM
Lector:	Signe Kelker & Bobbi Staver
Eucharistic Minister:	Lyn Solder
April 4 Easter Sunday	7:00AM
Lector:	TBD
Eucharistic Minister:	TBD
	9:00AM
Lector:	Sheryl Rose
Eucharistic Minister:	Mike Bannon & Bill Bilger
	11:00AM
Lector:	Roberta Huffner
Eucharistic Minister:	Berndatte Brandner & Magali Silva



Were you married in 1971?

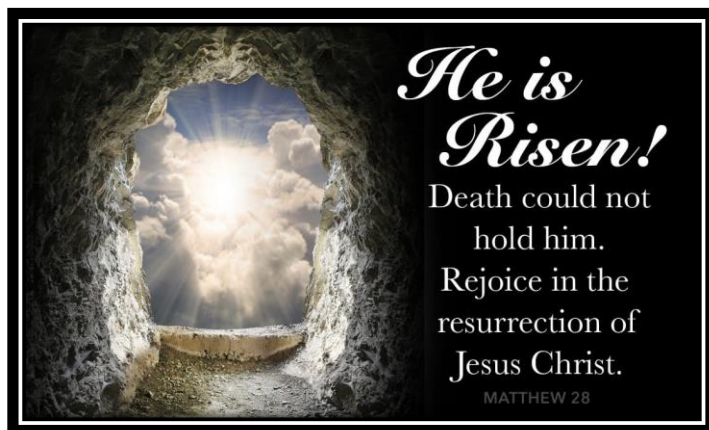
In honor of your

50th Wedding Anniversary, there will be a special Mass and reception on Sunday, July 11, 2021

at 2:00 p.m. at Good Shepherd Parish in Camp Hill. Bishop Ronald W.

Gainer will be the celebrant.

To receive an invitation, contact your parish office by April 26th.



He is Risen!

Death could not hold him.
Rejoice in the resurrection of Jesus Christ.

MATTHEW 28



Hersheypark Discount Ticket Offer!

Discount tickets to Hersheypark are available to the friends and families of the parish for significant savings. Gate admission for Regular is \$75.80; our price is \$40.95 (ALL ages 3+).

***ADD-ON** discount Hersheypark Meal Tickets at a savings of up to 10% off retail prices - **\$12.99 each** and ***ADD-ON** Snack Vouchers - **\$4.50 each**

Tickets purchased in 2021 are valid for any single day of operation throughout the 2021 calendar year, expiring on our final day of operation, January 2, 2022.

Reservations are required for all guests visiting the park and can be made online once an individual has their tickets.

Please visit www.hersheypark.com/reservations to choose your day of visit.

Orders must be received at the parish by **Friday, April 30, 2021**.

Parishes will receive tickets on or before the week of **May 24, 2021**.

Order forms are on the table at the front entrance of the church.

This year for Divine Mercy Sunday, we will have a Holy Hour in Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament



from 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm on Sunday, April 11th. The Divine Mercy Chaplet will be prayed starting at 3:30 pm, and then we will end with Benediction at 4:00 pm. I

certainly encourage you to consider praying the Divine Mercy Chaplet novena as well if you are interested, which begins Friday, April 2nd and continues for 9 straight days ending on Saturday, April 10th. We will have copies of this novena at the back of the church, but here is a link to a website as

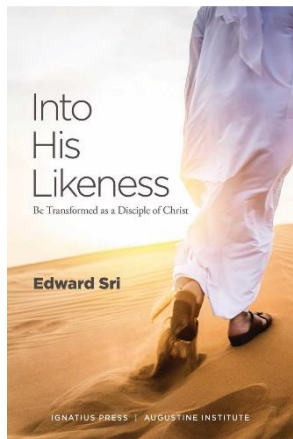
well: <https://www.thedivinemercy.org/message/devotion/s/novena/>. This powerful devotion, as well as the witness of St. Faustina Kowalska, can transform our hearts and help us to realize the closeness and personal nature of God's mercy!



The Book of the Month - April

"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."



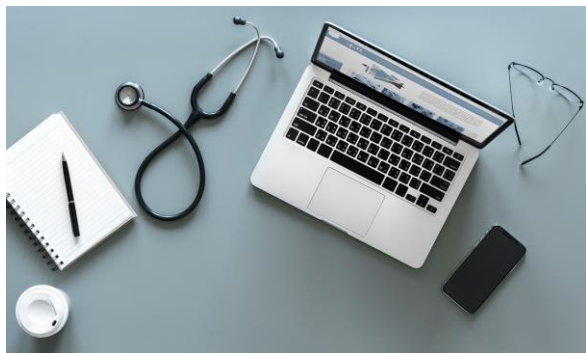
For the month of April, we will be reading the book *Into His Likeness* by Edward Sri. As we journey through Holy Week and into the Easter season, this book is a very fruitful and enjoyable reflection on Jesus' primary call for all of us to become disciples. What does it mean to be a disciple of Jesus? Also, in this midst of this adventure, how do we avoid pitfalls, renew our perspective, and use practical tips to follow Jesus in our current modern culture. In becoming a disciple of Jesus, our lives are meant to be filled with Divine encounters with God and leads to transformation, which can happen in surprising and fulfilling ways!

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!)

April – *Into His Likeness* - Wednesday, April 28th at 7:00 pm on Zoom (subject to change, if in-person meeting is possible)."

DIOCESAN CONFERENCE OF HEALTH CARE & HELPLING MINISTRIES



Please mark your calendars with the following 2021 dates:

The meetings will be held on zoom.

Friday, April 16, 2021 ▪ 10:00 AM – 11:00 AM

Topic: Medical Moral Issues: Euthanasia, End of Life, Organ Donation and more.

Do you know how to look at medical moral issues through the eyes of our Catholic faith?

Presenter: Very Reverend David Danneker, PhD

Friday, June 18, 2021 ▪ 10:00 AM – 11:00 AM

Topic: Effective Communication: How to Communicate With a Person Suffering from Dementia

Presenter: The Alzheimer's Association

Friday, September 10, 2021 ▪ 10:00 AM – 11:00 AM

Topic: The Importance of Spiritual Resilience: We Cannot Give What We Do Not Have

Presenter: Michele Conway, MDiv. - UPMC Chaplain

Those interested in joining us are asked to register by visiting

www.hbgdiocese.org/healthcare-ministry under "Upcoming Events" OR by sending an email at jcurran@hbgdiocese.org

Catholic Charities Oberammergau Trip September 9-20, 2022

Catholic Charities invites you to join Bishop Ronald Gainer on a 12-day pilgrimage to Italy, Austria, and Germany in September 2022. Highlights of the trip include the Oberammergau Passion Play as well as Munich's Oktoberfest. This trip was originally scheduled in 2020 but was postponed due to the pandemic. A limited number of reservations are available! For a trip brochure, contact Mark Totaro at mtotaro@cchbg.org or 717-657-4804 (ext. 276).



Our 40 Hours will be Sunday May 30th – Tuesday, June 1st
Father Matt Cannon will be our guest homilist.
More details will be coming.

