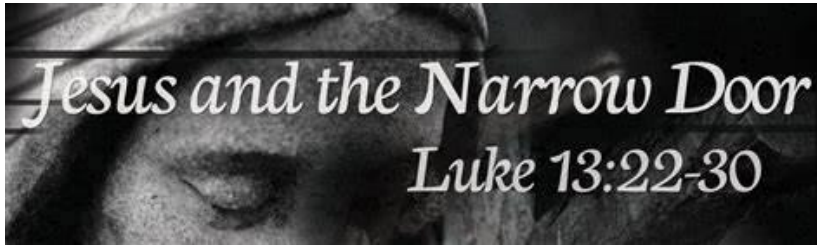




OUR LADY SHIPPENSBURG, PA
OF THE VISITATION
CATHOLIC CHURCH

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

August 25th 2019
21st Sunday in Ordinary Time



305 N. Prince St.
 Shippensburg, PA
 17257-1321

Church: 532-2912
 Campus: 477-1244
 Fax: 532-3905

Office Hours:
 Mon. – Thurs.
 9:00 AM-4:00 PM

Website:
www.OLVShippensburg.org



Scripture Readings:

Isaiah 66:18-21
 Hebrews 12: 5-7, 11-13
 Luke 13: 22-30

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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; 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 **Wednesday, Sept. 11th at 7:00PM** in the High School room in the downstairs of the social hall.

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

BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP:

The Book Discussion Group will meet on **Tuesday, Oct. 8th after the 8:30AM Mass**. The new book is *Gifts of the Visitation, Nine Spiritual Encounters with Mary and Elizabeth*. 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: The next Ladies meeting will be **Tuesday Sept. 3rd at 6:30PM**. Please bring a covered dish to share. For more information about the Ladies Auxiliary please contact Donna Bonitz at 717 532-5369 or ddbonitz@gmail.com



The gift of prayer via a Mass intention makes a wonderful gift for a birthday or anniversary, for someone who is ill, or a perpetual way to lift up in prayer the souls of departed relatives or friends. The cost is \$10.00. Contact the parish office if you would like to secure a Mass intention.

! SAFETY FIRST !

Heath, Safety, and Security Committee

The next Heath, Safety, and Security Committee meeting will be **Tuesday, Sept. 17th at 6:30PM**. All are invited to attend. The committee now has a page on the **Parish Website** - and there is information on it to provide transparency about the committee's activities.

SPECIAL COLLECTION TODAY

"CELEBRATING NINE YEARS OF CATHOLIC RADIO IN SOUTH CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA" Help Our Lady of the Visitation celebrate the 9th Anniversary of the launching of Holy Family Radio by joining us in a special tribute in the form of a special collection **TODAY**. We ask each parishioner to contribute simply \$1.00 per parishioner. We can do a little to support them a lot!"

Contributions for August 17-18

Ordinary Income	
Weekend Collection	\$3,881.25
Votives/Coffee Hour	55.62
Building Improvements	50.00
Social Outreach	88.00
Parish Youth Education	25.00
Assumption	1,351.00
Evangelization Fair Booth (Shbg)	25.00
TOTAL INCOME	\$5,475.87



The 5:00 PM Saturday and 11:00 AM Sunday Masses are in dire need of **GREETERS!** 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. We need your help to do this. If you would like more information please contact John Thornton (717) 477-2765 or johnnie7746@gmail.com. Peace.



**PARISH PANCAKE SOCIAL
IN THE SOCIAL HALL
SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 29TH 12-3PM
details to follow**



CHURCH CALENDAR

Saturday August 24	8:30AM Mass 3:30PM-4:30PM 5:00PM Mass	Intentions of Nichole Schneider Confession In Memory of Molly Best
Sunday August 25	8:30AM Mass 11:00AM Mass	For victims of gun violence In Memory of John A. Bonitz
Monday August 26	8:30AM Mass 7:30 PM	In Memory of John A. Bonitz Praise and Worship Holy Hour
Tuesday August 27	8:30AM Mass 5:00 PM	In Memory of Kathleen Lentz Catholic Campus Ministry Cookout at the Spiritual Center
Wednesday August 28	8:30AM Mass 6:30 PM	Intentions of Marie Matteucci Bible Study on the Prophets
Thursday August 29	8:30AM Mass	Intentions of Travis Detwiler
Friday August 30	8:30AM Mass 5:00PM	In Honor of Fr. Bill Sullivan and In Memory of Padre Luis Mortera Catholic Campus Ministry Block Party – Church Parking Lot
Saturday August 31	8:30AM Mass 3:30PM-4:30PM 5:00PM Mass	People of the Parish Confession In Memory of Josephine Obitts
Sunday Sept. 1	8:30AM Mass 11:00AM Mass	In Memory of the Stewart-Gelas Family In Memory of Marasigan Family

LITURGICAL ASSIGNMENTS

August 24-25	5:00 PM	8:30 AM	11:00 AM
Lectors:	Mary Braun	Sheryl Rose	Roberta Huffner
Ushers:	Dan Marshall	Randy Prue	Leonard Joy
	Frank Kerch	Brian VanScyoc	Ed Kutlik
Altar Servers:	Travis Detwiler & Volunteer	Hunter Parks & Volunteer	Gavin Ott & Volunteer
August 31- Sept. 1	5:00 PM	8:30 AM	11:00 AM
Lectors:	Charles Itle	Cheryl Bannon	Ed Kutlik
Ushers:	Volunteer	Tom Wright	Leonard Joy
	Frank Kerch	Bob & Sue Kiley	Volunteer
Altar Servers:	Matthew Lindsey & Mary Lindsey	Brandon Reinsfelder & Volunteer	Xavier Rodriguez & Volunteer

Bible Study



Prophets Bible Study

6:30PM Wednesdays, starting August 28th

Join us for a ten week study on the prophets, messengers of God's mercy. The prophets address the relationship between God and His people, comforting the afflicted and afflicting the comfortable, drawing us back into our covenant relationship with God. We will cover prophets such as Isaiah, Hosea, Ezekiel, and even spend a little time in the New Testament. Each study will have a video presentation followed by small group discussions. For questions, ask Jev Voight at JevVoight@gmail.com.

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."



Stages of Human Life – Month 7

"I can look around!" Beginning this month the baby uses four senses. His/her eyelids open and close and the eyes look around. The baby can taste, touch, cough, yawn, and hiccup. He/she now recognizes his own mother's voice, and he/she responds when her voice reaches his/her ears. His/her grip is even stronger now than it will be after his/her birth. The hair on his/her head is growing longer and the downy covering on the rest of his/her body is disappearing. During this time the baby will receive antibodies from his/her mother providing immunity to a wide variety of diseases. © 2001 **Linda Brenegan** Used with permission.

Visit the back of the church and check out the poster to see what I look like at **7 Months**. There are also brochures detailing the entire nine months of development.



The Lebanon District

Council of Catholic Women invites all women of the Diocese to join them for the Annual Harrisburg Diocesan Council of Catholic Women's Marian Day to honor the Blessed Virgin Mary. It will be held on **SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5, 2019** at Sacred Heart of Jesus Church, Cornwall, PA, hosted by their parish CCW. Registration and continental breakfast will begin at 8:00 a.m. Confessions are offered at 8:30 a.m. followed by Mass at 9:00 a.m. At 10:15 the Fatima Rosary will be prayed and at 11:00 a.m. there will be a Tea-Party Brunch; wear your hats or fascinators! The registration fee is \$10.00; register with Ann Hasting, 717-274-8582. Make checks payable to Lebanon District CCW. Registration deadline is September 20, 2019. There is a detailed flyer on the HDCCW website, <http://hdccw.webs.com>



Catholic Charities Come and See Dinner - Wednesday October 23rd

The annual Catholic Charities Come and See Dinner will take place on **Wednesday, October 23rd** at the Diocesan Center (4800 Union Deposit Road, Harrisburg). The evening includes a reception, silent and chance auctions, buffet dinner, and remarks from Bishop Ronald Gainer. Our featured speaker will be Teresa Tomeo - an author, syndicated Catholic talk show host, and motivational speaker. Proceeds will benefit the Catholic Charities Homes for Healing - Evergreen House, Interfaith Shelter for Homeless Families, and Lourdeshouse Maternity Home. All are welcome. For more information and/or to register online, visit www.cchbg.org.

Diocese of Harrisburg Women's Conference



Diocesan Women's Conference Registration now available at www.hbgdiocese.org/women, for the 5th annual Diocesan Women's Conference, taking place **Saturday, October 12, 2019**, at Bishop McDevitt High School (1 Crusader Way, Harrisburg, PA, 17111). **Registration Deadline is October 8.** This year's theme is *Women of Light, Sisters in Christ!* Helen Alvare, internationally known Catholic speaker, will provide the keynote address on "*Shedding Light not Heat: Families and Other Religious Communities Respond to a Hypersexualized Culture.*" The conference features 40+ workshops from a blue-ribbon collection of speakers, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament with Rosary and Benediction, 25+ Priests hearing Confession, beautiful music, a host of Catholic exhibitors, good food, Mass with Bishop Gainer (who is also delivering a workshop) as Principal Celebrant and Homilist, and fellowship with hundreds of women. Last year, 800 women attended this conference. This conference is available to all women. We would love to see you there!

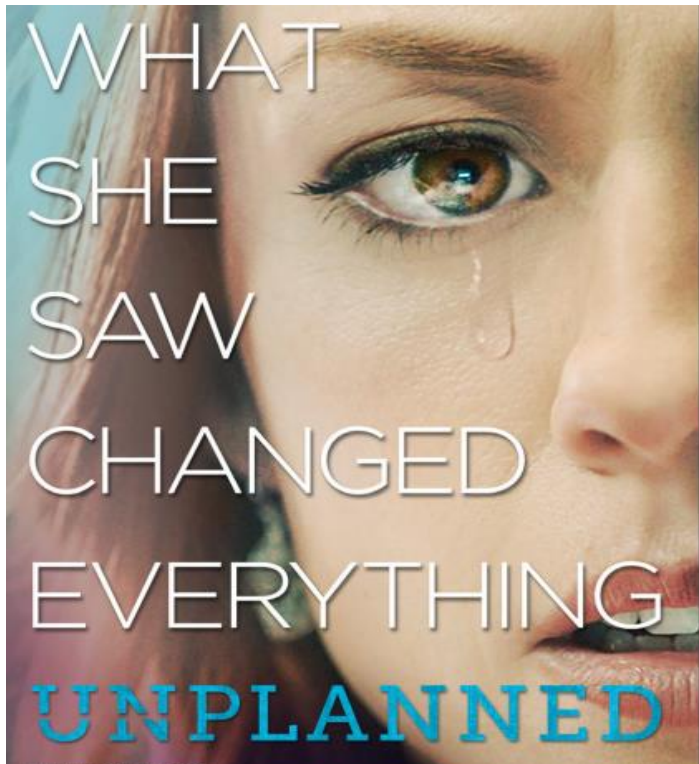
GET CONNECTED - A YOUNG ADULT PICNIC FOOD - GAMES - FUN

Attention, Young Adults! You're invited to our annual "**Get Connected**" event at Saint Leo's Parish in Lancaster on **Saturday, September 7th**. Celebration of the Mass starts at 4:30 p.m. followed by a potluck picnic and social. There is no cost to attend, but please register using the link below and bring a side dish. This event will **CONNECT** you with other young adults in the area and link you to the activities planned for the year. To register, or for more information, contact Liz at eakreckel@gmail.com or visit the TOT Lancaster page on Facebook. "**Get Connected**" is a sponsored event within the Diocese of Harrisburg for young adults ages 21-40.



End of Summer Bash! St. Mark and St.

Luke Parishes' End of Summer Bazaar Saturday, Sept. 14 from 10AM - 3PM in the St. Mark Parish Hall, at 395 S. Ridge Ave, Greencastle. Homemade baked goods, baskets raffle, silent auction, indoor plants, books, puzzles, Free kids' games & face painting, and much more. Food menu includes sausage & pepper subs, beef brisket, pierogis, mac & cheese, potato salad, coleslaw, and ice cream. The DJ Speaks is sponsoring a free photo booth with fun music and prizes. No admission fee & plenty of parking!



Corpus Christi Catholic Church

279 North Second St., Chambersburg, Pa.

Invites our neighbors to a FREE showing of the movie **UNPLANNED.**

Abby Johnson believed in a woman's right to choose, **until** the day she saw something that changed everything. Come and see how her heart was changed.

Date: Friday, September 6, 2019

Time: 6:30 PM Refreshments

7:00 PM Movie (1 hr. 50 min.)

Discussion to follow movie

Location: Corpus Christi Parish Center, 279 North Second St., Chambersburg

So, we can have an approximate # for seating and refreshments, please e-mail your 1st name with # of persons attending to griffithjean3@gmail.com

Feast of St. Jeanne Jugan, August 30

[St. Jeanne Jugan](#), foundress of the Little Sisters of the Poor, was raised in revolutionary France and was taught the faith in secret at great risk. She began her vocation by taking into her home an elderly, blind, and infirm woman who had no one to care for her. She dedicated the rest of her life to serving the elderly poor as they approached the end of life. St. Jeanne Jugan was canonized on October 11, 2009. Today, the community she founded continues to serve the elderly poor in over 30 countries. May we seek the intercession of St. Jeanne Jugan for the protection of all those preparing to enter into eternal life.

Pro-Life Corner

“Within the ‘people of life and the people for life’, the family has a decisive responsibility. This responsibility flows from its very nature as a community of life and love, founded upon marriage, and from its mission to ‘guard, reveal and communicate love’ (*The Gospel of Life*, no. 92).

Citing John Paul II, Post-Synodal Apostolic Exhortation *Familiaris Consortio* (22 November 1981), 17: AAS 74 (1982), 100. Excerpt from *Evangelium vitae* © 1995, Libreria Editrice Vaticana. Used with permission. All rights reserved.

