



OUR LADY OF THE VISITATION CATHOLIC CHURCH

SHIPPENSBURG, PA

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

November 14-15, 2020



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

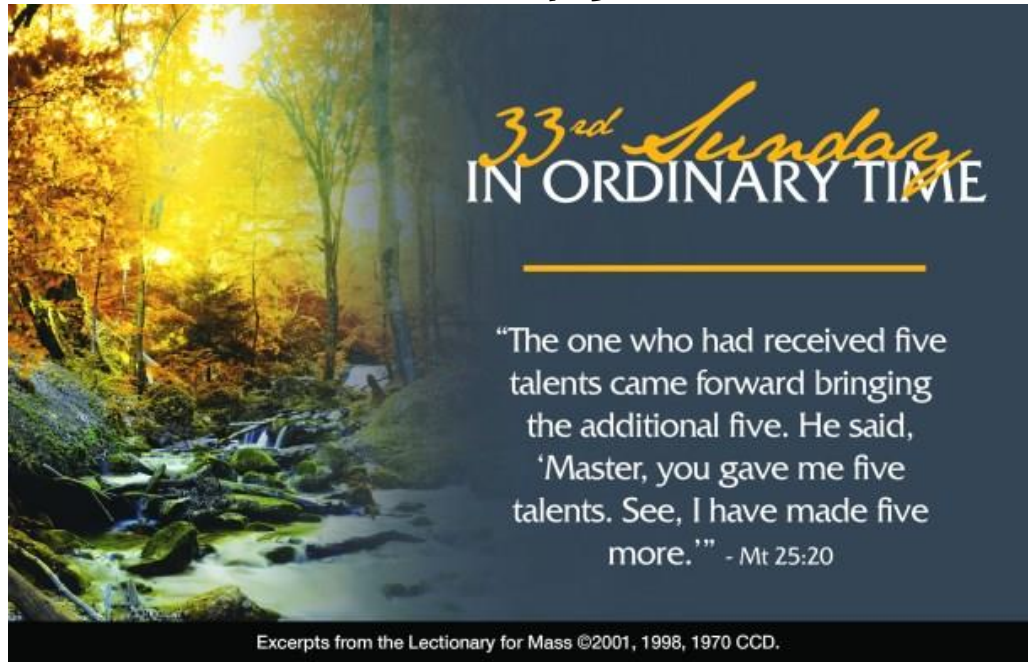
Church: 717-532-2912
Campus: 717-477-1244
Fax: 717-532-3905

Office Hours:

Closed to visitors at this time.

Website:

www.OLVShippensburg.org



Our Mission:

To Proclaim the Kingdom of God
for the Salvation of Souls

Rev. Ben Dunkelberger

Pastor and Campus Minister – frbdunkelberger@hbgdiocese.org

Nichole Schneider

Catholic Campus Minister - ncschneider@ship.edu

Tracy Plotner

Office Manager – tplotner@hbgdiocese.org

Jolene Cramm

Religious Education Coordinator – jcramm@hbgdiocese.org

Weekend Masses - Saturday 5:00 PM - In the church

Sundays: 8:00 AM and 11:00 AM - In the church

Daily Mass - 8:30 AM Tuesday - Friday. In the church

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

Reconciliation - Saturdays, 3:30PM-4:30PM

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

[Click here for Rel. Ed. Calendar](#)

Children's Liturgy of the Word-First Sunday of the Month



Mass Intentions

Saturday November 14	3:30 - 4:30PM 5:00 PM Mass	Confessions In Memory of Clarence Toigo
Sunday November 15	8:00 AM Mass 9:30 - 10:45AM 11:00 AM Mass	People of the Parish Religious Education Class In Memory of Elmer Greey
Tuesday November 17	8:30 AM Mass 6:15 PM	In Memory of Elmer Greey Adoration (in the church)
Wednesday November 18	8:30 AM Mass	Intentions of Nichole Schneider
Thursday November 19	8:30 AM Mass	In Memory of Harry Lutz
Friday November 20	8:30 AM Mass	Intentions of John & Diane Schlaline
Saturday November 21	3:30 - 4:30PM 5:00 PM Mass	Confessions Intentions of Signe Kelker
Sunday November 22	8:00 AM Mass 9:30 - 10:45AM 11:00 AM Mass	People of the Parish Religious Education Class In Memory of Elmer Greey

Ordinary Income	
Weekend Collection	\$4,973.00
Christmas Flowers	20.00
All Saints	40.00
All Souls	160.00
Building Improvements	350.00
Parish Youth Education	45.00
Social Outreach	165.00
World Mission Sunday	10.00
Matthew 25	75.00
Total Income:	\$5,838.00

MATTHEW 25 COLLECTION – NOV. 21-22

FIGHTS POVERTY, HUNGER & HOMELESSNESS

IN OUR DIOCESE

The Matthew 25 Collection allows the Diocese of Harrisburg to address the basic needs of food, shelter and clothing on a local level through food banks, soup kitchens and other parish-supported projects that assist those in need. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.



Food Collection

The 4th grade religious education class is collecting food donations for King's Kettle Food Pantry. The food is distributed to local families in need. The following items are being collected: canned vegetables, stuffing mix, instant mashed potatoes, gravy, cranberry sauce, cake mixes and icing. However, any non-perishable food items will be gladly accepted. **Donations can be placed in the box at the front doors** Please have any donations in by **Sunday, November 22nd**. Thank you for your generous support during this time of thanks.



LECTORS

Sat. Nov. 14 th	5:00pm	Mary Braun
Sun. Nov. 15 th	8:00am 11:00am	Andrea Thornton C.C.M.
Sat. Nov. 21 st	5:00pm	Signe Kelker
Sun. Nov. 22 nd	8:00am 11:00am	Mary Poffenbarger Andrea Thornton



Jesus said, *"Whoever receives you , receives me, and whoever receives me, receives the One who sent me"* (Mt. 10:40)



Greeters Needed

As you have seen, our Greeters are back! We would like at least 6 per mass so no one needs to be on too often. We currently have a need at every mass. If you are interested in assisting in God's work of "Welcome the Stranger", or friend as the case may be, please contact John Thornton with your name, phone number, e-mail and which mass you usually attend. John's contact information is: E-Mail - johnnie7746@gmail.com; Phone (508) 868-5640. John will be organizing and contacting all current, past, and future greeters during the next week. Members of the Campus Ministry are encouraged to join. Thank you for your consideration and May God Bless you abundantly.

Ushers Needed

Are you willing to serve?

It is an awesome privilege not only to welcome people to the church, but being for others a representative of a welcoming and gracious God. If you are interested in becoming an usher at any of the Masses please contact Joe Cretella at 717-377-1480 or by email at pjcretella@comcast.net for more information.



As we move most ceremonies inside the church building, we are now compiling a list of parishioners who are willing to help clean and sanitize the church after special events such as funerals, weddings, etc. Cleaners would simply wipe down pews after the event ends with cleaning spray the church will provide. Volunteer cleaners will be asked to commit to an event if it's possible for their schedule. If interested, please contact the parish office by phone or email Tracy Plotner at tplotner@hbgdiocese.org.

Your talent is Gods
gift to you
What you do with it is
your gift back to God



DONATIONS
-ACCEPTED-

Donations Needed for Interfaith Shelter for Homeless Families

Interfaith Shelter for Homeless Families (a Catholic Charities residential program in suburban Harrisburg) is in need of the following donations: apple and grape fruit juices (jugs please, not juice boxes), salad dressing (French, Ranch, and Italian), mayonnaise, garlic salt and other spices, and aluminum foil. Donations can be taken to the Diocesan Center (4800 Union Deposit Road in Harrisburg) or to the shelter (120 Willow Road in Harrisburg). If taking items to the shelter, please call in advance 717-652-8740. Thank you for your generosity!



Interested in finding JOY?

This Advent, sign up for "Unshakeable JOY".

Join Chris Stefanick alongside Cardinal-elect Raniero Cantalamessa, preacher to the papal household for Saint Pope John Paul II, Pope Emeritus Benedict and Pope Francis, for a FREE online 26-day retreat.

To sign up for these daily videos and reflections that fit into your busy day, go to:

<https://coaching.reallifecatholic.com/unshakeable-joy>




March for Life

Washington D.C.

Join us on Friday, January 29, 2021

for the annual March for Life in Washington, DC. **The March for Life is the largest rally against abortion in America.** We will be taking a bus from OLV. Thanks to a very generous donation from the Chambersburg council of the Knights of Columbus, we will be offering this year's trip for **no cost** but we will be taking a free will offering for driver's tip. For more information or to register, please contact Travis Detwiler at 717-809-0672 or travisedetwiler@gmail.com with your name, email address, phone number, and number of seats. **Friday, December 11, 2020 is the deadline**

Blessed are the pure in heart

For they shall  *see God*

- Matthew 5:8

Truth, Beauty, and Goodness: Evangelization Speaker Series

sponsored

by the Office for Evangelization and Catechesis. This speaker series will be given virtually on Zoom once per month from October 2020 through June 2021. Presenters from throughout the Diocese of Harrisburg will teach on apologetics, saints, scripture, art, music, Catholic culture, Catholic moral teaching, life issues, prayer and spirituality, etc. The series is intended for all people who are interested in fostering greater knowledge, understanding, and appreciation of the Catholic Faith.

Date & Time of Second Presentation – November 30, 2020 from 7:00 – 8:30 pm

Title – “Blessed are the Broken-hearted”

Presenter – Christina Bair

Description – Whether you're young, old, single, married, divorced or widowed, you've most likely experienced the heartbreak of loss and pain in relationships. Come discover how Christ's perfect love transforms and heals our hearts! Christina is an autism support teacher from York, Pennsylvania. She graduated from Franciscan University of Steubenville with a B.S. in Elementary Education and a M.S. in Special Education. Christina is passionate about autism awareness, Theology of the Body, fitness, education and coffee.

Registration Deadline: Friday, November 27, 2020 at noon. Zoom link will be sent to registrants with confirmation of their registration. To register for this presentation, please visit:

https://hbgdiocese.formstack.com/forms/speaker_series Registration is free, however, a free will offering is appreciated to pay future speakers a modest stipend for sharing their talents with us.

THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Glory to God

Glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace to people of goodwill.
We praise you;
we bless you;
we adore you;
we glorify you;
we give you thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King,
O God, almighty Father.
Lord Jesus Christ, only Begotten Son.
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us;
you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us.
For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father.
Amen.

Reading 1

[PRV 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31](#)

When one finds a worthy wife, her value is far beyond pearls. Her husband, entrusting his heart to her, has an unfailing prize. She brings him good, and not evil, all the days of her life. She obtains wool and flax and works with loving hands. She puts her hands to the distaff, and her fingers ply the spindle. She reaches out her hands to the poor, and extends her arms to the needy. Charm is deceptive and beauty fleeting; the woman who fears the LORD is to be praised. Give her a reward for her labors, and let her works praise her at the city gates.

Responsorial Psalm

R. Blessed are those who fear the Lord.

Blessed are you who fear the LORD,
who walk in his ways!
For you shall eat the fruit of your handiwork;
blessed shall you be, and favored.

R. Blessed are those who fear the Lord.

Your wife shall be like a fruitful vine
in the recesses of your home;
Your children like olive plants
around your table.

R. Blessed are those who fear the Lord.

Behold, thus is the man blessed
who fears the LORD.
The LORD bless you from Zion:
may you see the prosperity of Jerusalem
all the days of your life.

R. Blessed are those who fear the Lord.

Reading 2

1 THES 5:1-6

Concerning times and seasons, brothers and sisters, you have no need for anything to be written to you. For you yourselves know very well that the day of the Lord will come like a thief at night. When people are saying, "Peace and security," then sudden disaster comes upon them, like labor pains upon a pregnant woman, and they will not escape.

But you, brothers and sisters, are not in darkness, for that day to overtake you like a thief. For all of you are children of the light and children of the day. We are not of the night or of darkness. Therefore, let us not sleep as the rest do, but let us stay alert and sober.

Alleluia

JN 15:4A, 5B

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Remain in me as I remain in you, says the Lord.

Whoever remains in me bears much fruit.

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Gospel

MT 25:14-30

Jesus told his disciples this parable: "A man going on a journey called in his servants and entrusted his possessions to them. To one he gave five talents; to another, two; to a third, one--to each according to his ability. Then he went away. Immediately the one who received five talents went and traded with them, and made another five. Likewise, the one who received two made another two. But the one who received one went off and dug a hole in the ground and buried his master's money.

"After a long time the master of those servants came back and settled accounts with them. The one who had received five talents came forward bringing the additional five. He said, 'Master, you gave me five talents. See, I have made five more.' His master said to him, 'Well done, my good and faithful servant. Since you were faithful in small matters, I will give you great responsibilities. Come, share your master's joy.' Then the one who had received two talents also came forward and said, 'Master, you gave me two talents. See, I have made two more.' His master said to him, 'Well done, my good and faithful servant. Since you were faithful in small matters, I will give you great responsibilities. Come, share your master's joy.' Then the one who had received the one talent came forward and said, 'Master, I knew you were a demanding person, harvesting where you did not plant and gathering where you did not scatter; so out of fear I went off and buried your talent in the ground. Here it is back.' His master said to him in reply, 'You wicked, lazy servant! So you knew that I harvest where I did not plant and gather where I did not scatter? Should you not then have put my money in the bank so that I could have got it back with interest on my return? Now then! Take the talent from him and give it to the one with ten. For to everyone who has, more will be given and he will grow rich; but from the one who has not, even what he has will be taken away. And throw this useless servant into the darkness outside, where there will be wailing and grinding of teeth.'"

The Nicene Creed

I believe in one God,
the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the Only Begotten Son of God,

born of the Father before all ages.
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father;
through him all things were made.
For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven,
and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary,
and became man.
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate,
he suffered death and was buried,
and rose again on the third day
in accordance of the Scriptures.
He ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory
to judge the living and the dead
and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son he is adored and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one holy, catholic and apostolic Church.
I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins
and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Sanctus

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts.
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.

The Mystery of Faith:

1. We proclaim your Death, O Lord and profess your Resurrection until you come again.
or
2. When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we proclaim your Death, O Lord, until you come again.
or
3. Save us, Savior of the world, for by your Cross and Resurrection you have set us free.

Agnus Dei

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,
grant us peace.

Prayer to St. Michael the Archangel

Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle

be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil.

May God rebuke him, we humbly pray and do thou

O Prince of the Heavenly Host by the power of God cast into hell, satan and the evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruins of souls. Amen



Starting Saturday November 21st confessions will be held inside. Due to ventilation and spacing concerns, confessions will be held in a different location in the church other than the confessional. Watch for signs. Thank you!



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. If you would like to request a Mass be offered for a specific intention, please contact the parish office at 717-532-2912 or email tplotner@hbgdiocese.org.

Food for the Spirit:

We aren't called to shine our own light,
we are called
TO REFLECT HIS.

Guidelines & Restrictions on resuming Mass in the Church.

Only the front double doors will be used for **entering** the Church. Upon **leaving** the Church, the downstairs parishioners will exit the front double doors, the balcony parishioners will exit down the right side ramp and leave thru the side door, nearest the pulpit.

Please maintain proper social distancing while at Mass. Please do not sit in pews that are blocked off.

Parishioners must continue to wear masks when in the Church buildings. Congregational singing is still restricted.

The donation box will be placed in the lobby of the Church.

Restrooms near Mary's Kitchen and the restrooms in the social hall can be used. Please do not gather in the social hall.

**United States Bankruptcy Court
for the Middle District of Pennsylvania**

**In re: Roman Catholic Diocese of Harrisburg
Case No. 1:20-bk-00599 (HWV)**

**Claims Notice for Victims of Sexual Abuse
and Others with Claims Against the Roman
Catholic Diocese of Harrisburg**

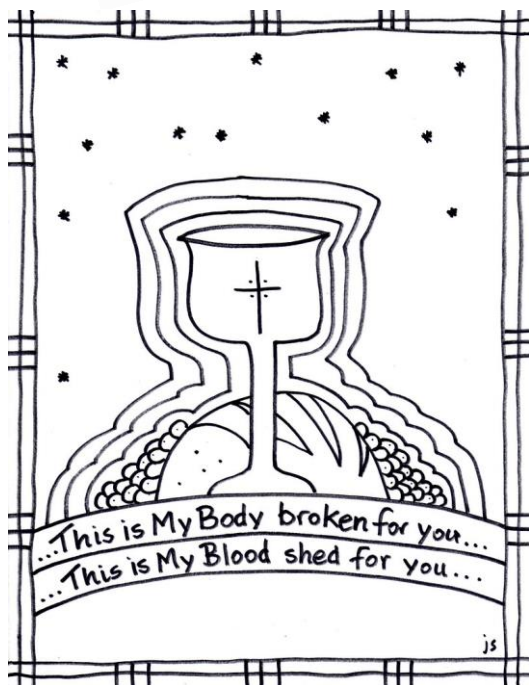
If you were sexually abused by any person connected with the Roman Catholic Diocese of Harrisburg, a Roman Catholic parish or Roman Catholic school within the geographical area of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Harrisburg, or have any claim against the Roman Catholic Diocese of Harrisburg, you must file a claim by November 13, 2020.



For more Diocesan information, visit: <https://www.hbgdiocese.org>
or <https://dm.epiq11.com/RCDH>

For U.S. Bankruptcy Court for the Middle District of Pennsylvania
information, visit: <http://www.pamb.uscourts.gov/>

KIDS' CORNER



Jesus
Loves
me

"See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God."

1 John 3:1



S	E	L	F	D	A	E	R	B	E
H	R	O	O	D	A	F	E	R	A
E	O	O	E	F	I	L	T	E	N
S	L	B	T	S	W	E	J	A	C
B	A	I	E	S	F	S	O	R	E
D	N	E	V	A	E	H	T	E	S
R	R	W	H	I	T	C	A	H	T
E	E	I	T	T	N	T	N	T	E
J	T	A	N	S	A	G	P	A	L
O	E	I	N	K	I	F	A	F	S

LIVING
BREAD
JEWS
HEAVEN
FLESH
EAT
DRINK
BLOOD
ETERNAL
LIFE
FATHER
ANCESTORS

