

Our Lady of the Visitation Catholic Church

305 N. Prince Street, Shippensburg, Pa 17257

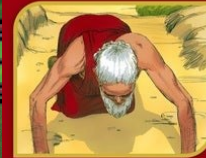
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16th SUNDAY Ordinary Time

“There is need of only one thing.
Mary has chosen the better part and it will not be taken from her.” Luke 10:42



Our Mission:
To Proclaim the
Kingdom of God
for the Salvation of Souls



**MY
LORD**

**PLEASE DO NOT PASS
YOUR SERVANT BY**



Genesis 18:3

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Office Hours:
Monday-Thursday
9:00am-4:00pm
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Shippensburg Catholic

Even the mystery which
has been hid from ages
and from generations, but
now is made manifest to
his saints:

—Colossians 1:26

Weekend Masses:

Saturday.....5:00 pm
Sunday.....8:00 am & 11:00 am

Daily Mass:

Tuesday, Thursday & Friday....8:30 am
Wednesday.....6:30 pm
First Saturday of the Month.....9:00 am

Holy Days:

Vigil Mass.....6:30 pm
Holy Day.....8:30 am & 6:30 pm

Reconciliation:

Saturdays... 3:30pm – 4:30 pm
Wednesdays...5:30pm – 6:20 pm
1st Friday of the Month..7:30 am – 8:20 am
1st Saturday of the Month...8:00 am – 8:45 am

Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament:

1st Friday of the Month...7:30 am – 8:20 am

Mass Intentions

Saturday, July 16

5:00pm In Memory of Dawn Busey

Sunday, July 17

8:00am In Memory of the Stewart-Gelas Family

11:00am People of the Parish

Tuesday, July 19

8:30am Intentions of Mary Watson

Wednesday, July 20

6:30pm In Memory of Dolores Stern

Thursday, July 21

8:30am In Memory of Mary Toigo

Friday, July 22

8:30am In Memory of Thelma Graham

Saturday, July 23

5:00pm Intentions of Jake & Laura Dunkelberger

Sunday, July 24

8:00am In Memory of Anna Jengeleski

11:00am People of the Parish

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Hound Packs: We will continue to collect soup all summer so we will have a supply when school starts in August. **Please place the soup only in the food bank container for the summer only.**



Shippensburg Produce Outreach (SPO):

SPO is in need of helpers throughout the year. The 12:30 – 2PM shift packs the food bags/boxes. The 3 PM to 6PM shift distributes the boxes to their patrons at their site. SPO is located on South Penn St in building next to the Lutheran Church.

Thanks for your support in these missions for the community.

Any questions call or text Bobbi Staver 717-816-5309

July 9-10, 2022

Weekend Collection:	\$2,960.25
Building Improvements:	180.00
Social Outreach:	45.00
Mission Co-op	5.00
Votives/Donuts:	48.01
TOTAL INCOME:	\$3,238.26

Online giving made easy!

Please visit the following link:

<https://olvshippensburg.weshareonline.org>

Updates as of June 30, 2022

Diocesan Annual Campaign, One Faith, One Family

Parish Goal: \$30,223.00 Collected: \$34,494.00

Outstanding Pledges: \$2,386.00



Knights of Columbus & The Ladies Auxiliary

The next KOC meeting will be Tuesday, July 21st For more information contact Travis Detwiler at 717-809-0672 or travisedetwiler@gmail.com

The next Ladies Aux. meeting will be Tuesday, Sept. 6th

For more information regarding the Ladies Aux. contact Donna Bonitz at 717-860-4909 or ddbonitz@gmail.com.



Young Adult

CATHOLICS

"Calling all young adults (20's and 30's)! A young adult Catholics group is forming in Franklin county. Open to local parishes including, Saint Andrew's, Saint Rita's, Saint Mary's, Saint Mark's, Corpus Christi, and Our Lady of the Visitation! Please join our Facebook group for more information, or reach out to the co-leaders below with any questions or ideas:

-Franklin County PA Catholic Adult Youth Group on Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/568131137998438>

-Rachel Little email: littlerach2011@gmail.com

-Anissa Freeman email: afreeman9159@gmail.com



"September 16th-18th - join hundreds of single Catholics from across the country (and beyond!) at the 21st National Conference for Single Catholics at the Westfields Marriott in Chantilly, VA. The weekend includes talks by dynamic speakers, music, social events, Mass, adoration, opportunities for confession, fellowship, food and more. Be one of the first 200 to register to get \$100 off the regular rate AND get an additional group discount when you sign up with others from your area. Email your local organizer, Rachel Little (littlerach2011@gmail.com) ASAP to get the special group rate. Visit www.NationalCatholicSingles.com for conference details."

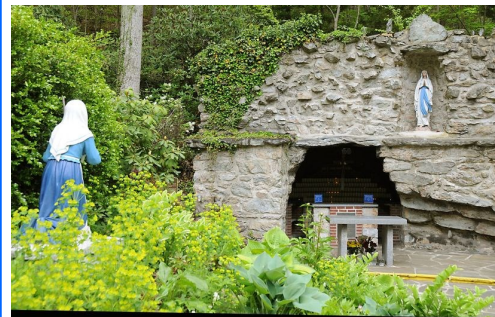


Save the date for the 2022 Diocesan Women's Conference, *The Eucharist: Jesus in our Midst*, on Saturday, October 15 at the Diocesan Center in Harrisburg. Awaken your faith and love for the Real Presence of Christ during this day-long event. In person and virtual registration options will be offered.



Registration and full conference schedule will be available soon!

Make plans now to join your sisters in Christ as we rediscover the Real Presence of the Eucharist during the 2022 Women's Conference.



The annual Pilgrimage to the National Shrine Grotto of Our Lady of Lourdes in Emmitsburg, Md., is scheduled for Thursday, August 4.

Diocesan priests will be available to hear Confessions from 9:15-10:45 a.m. in Saint Mary's Chapel. Bishop Ronald Gainer will be the celebrant and homilist for the Mass in St. Mary's Chapel at noon. A free-will offering will be received to cover the facility use and services. Lunch will begin at 1 p.m.; those staying for the afternoon should bring their own lunch. Bishop Gainer will give a talk in St. Mary's Chapel at 2 p.m., followed by Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at 2:45 p.m. and the Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3 p.m. The day will conclude with Benediction at 3:45 p.m. Gates to the Grotto will close at 4:30 p.m. The Gift of a Plenary Indulgence is granted to members of a pilgrimage group who, out of devotion to the Blessed Mother and Our Lord, Jesus Christ, visit the National Shrine Grotto on any day of the year. For further inquiries, please contact Father John Hoke (St. Joseph Parish, Milton; 570-742-4356) or Father Michael Reid (St. Vincent Parish, Hanover; 717-637-4625).

Book of the Month

July & August

Jesus, The Master Psychologist

By Dr. Ray Guarendi

This book is filled with good stories, examples, and analogies, and it is written for the average person while also only being 144 pages long! Now, going to a modern day psychologist, therapist, or counselor can be a very good and powerful experience, but what does Jesus have to offer us in this area? Catholic psychologist Dr. Ray Guarendi offers a very practical, simple, engaging, and profound

insight into how the living out the Gospel and Jesus' teachings can actually transform us in many ways.

The time for the meeting and the discussion will be at the end of August (TBD)! Each parishioner will be asked to purchase the book themselves online or in a bookstore, but please let us know if you have any financial difficulties with this, and we will find a way to help you out and get the book. Just one last reminder, that this Book of the Month is not a book group or book club. It is truly just a monthly or bi-monthly gathering where everyone is welcome. After a summary of the book by Fr. Ben, there is some very relaxed small group discussion. Please join us! God Bless you.

Dr. Ray Guarendi

JESUS



THE MASTER PSYCHOLOGIST

LISTEN TO HIM



PARISH EMERGENCY PHONE NUMBER

We have a new emergency phone number for Fr. Ben! This is mainly for the Last Rites of the Church. The Last Rites are (ideally*) three Sacraments: the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick, the Sacrament of Confession, and the Eucharist. These should be given if an individual is gravely ill or near death (this sacrament is also given to people before major surgery or other serious health issues that are not emergencies).

If you have an emergency and need to reach Fr. Ben, please call 717-323-2679.

**In certain situations, the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick is the only one able to give.*



Join us for the Pennsylvania March for Life!

With the repeal of *Roe v. Wade*, the abortion debate has been moved to the state level. Join us in voicing your support for life as we march around the Pennsylvania Capitol in Harrisburg on **Monday, September 19**. Rally begins at 11 a.m., with the March following at 12 noon. Mass at Saint Patrick Cathedral will take place after the March at 1:30 p.m. Hear from pro-life leaders about the most pressing issues of today and how you can build a culture of life in the great Keystone State. Learn more at PaMarchForLife.org and follow the Facebook event at www.facebook.com/events/346808960879075.

The Beginning Experience Team for the Harrisburg Diocese announces that they have booked Camp Kirchenwald, Lebanon, PA for a Beginning Experience Weekend, November 11-13, 2022.

The ecumenical Beginning Experience weekends are an approved program designed for those suffering the loss of a spouse through death, divorce or separation. Hundreds of persons have been helped to move towards successful, productive, happy lives by attending one of these weekends.

The weekend is led by persons who have lost a spouse through death or divorce and are trained in facilitating a weekend. Each Beginning Experience Team is certified by the International Beginning Experience Organization.

Beginning Experience is your Church at work to provide help, healing and spiritual restoration.

For more information, contact: Julie Turnbull jpen-nat_58@comcast.net 717-379-0800 or visit the [BE website](#)

Announcements

Sunday, July 17 — Coffee Hour w/Donuts in the social hall!

Sunday, July 17 — Potluck Sunday Join us for a Potluck immediately following the 11am Mass. Please bring a dish to share. The parish will supply drinks.

Wednesday, July 20— Morning Prayer 8:30am

Saturday, July 23— Youth Group 6-9 pm (Grade 6-12), Campfire and smores!! We will have yard games and lots of fun as well. Please meet in the social hall. Bring a friend!

The Word of God Alive:

Discussing the Readings w/your children

Here at our parish, we are transitioning away from Children's Liturgy of the Word during the Mass, and instead, we would like to encourage parents to discuss the weekly readings or homily with their children either before or after Mass occurs. This spiritual conversation, even if it is simple or a bit scattered, can be very powerful, and it is a way for God's word to come alive in our hearts. We will provide questions and discussion points to help parents start this conversation with their children, and please consider doing this with your family each week!

Today is the 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

When Abraham and Sarah welcomed visitors into their home, they treated them with kindness and respect. One time, one of those guests was an angel of God.

Why did they treat guests with kindness and respect?

We share God's love when we are friendly and welcoming to others.

In the Gospel, Mary and Martha welcomed Jesus into their home. Martha prepared a meal while Mary sat close to Jesus at his feet. She wanted to listen to Jesus.

Why did Jesus say Mary had chosen the better part?

Jesus knew they were both special and loved.

Living our faith:

This week be kind and respectful to those who are close to you.



THE FORTY FOURTH ANNUAL MEN'S RETREAT,

Sponsored by Corpus Christi Parish, will be held on the August 5-7 weekend on the beautiful campus of Mount St. Mary's University, Emmittsburg, 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 Larry Richards, Erie, PA, will lead us this year. Reservations require a minimum \$60 deposit and should be made early to ensure a room is held for you. Check the vestibule for more details and/or contact Tom Bradley at tbBrad56@comcast.net or John Thornton at johnnie7746@gmail.com



Religious Education

Religious Education Registration:

Registration forms and the calendar can be found on our website. Please complete and return the registration form by August 7th so that we can order the correct amount of material. First day of class is scheduled for Sunday, September 11th 9:30am – 10:45am

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL



August 1-5 from 6-8 each evening. It is for students pre-k through 5th. The theme this year is "Monumental" and it looks like a great time! Registration forms can be found on our website, OLVShipensburg.org under "Parish Events" or you may pick up a copy in the lobby of the church.