



OUR LADY OF THE VISITATION

SHIPPENSBURG, PA

CATHOLIC CHURCH

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

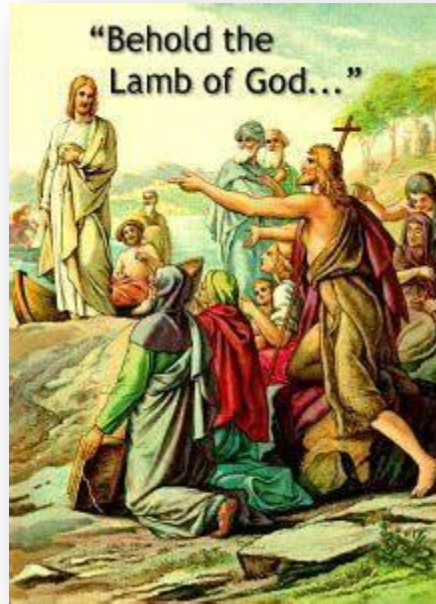


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Mon. – Thurs.
9am-12:30pm, 1pm-4pm

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2nd Sunday
of Ordinary Time
January 19, 2020

Scripture Readings:

Isaiah 49:3, 5-6

I Corinthians 1:1-3

John 1:29-34

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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

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 - Wednesdays at 6:30PM beginning January 22nd.

Religious Education- Sundays 9:45AM-11:00AM

Bulletin Deadline: Tuesday 9:00AM. Email proposed bulletin and lector announcements to the Office Manager at tplotner@hbgiocese.org

2019 Donation statements for registered parishioners will be issued upon request. You may contact the parish office by email at tplotner@hbgiocese.org or complete the form below and drop it in the collection basket.

Name: _____ Address: _____

PRO-LIFE GROUP:

The next Pro-Life meeting will be Tuesday, April 7th at 6:30PM in Mary's Kitchen.

BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP:

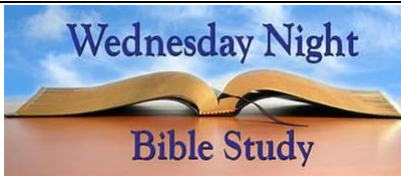
The Book Discussion Group meets on the second **Tuesday of the month after the 8:30AM Mass**. The new book is *Gifts of the Visitation, Nine Spiritual Encounters with Mary and Elizabeth*. For more information, contact Signe Kelker at 717-532-7353



Knights of Columbus & Ladies Auxiliary

Knights of Columbus & Ladies Auxiliary:

The next Ladies meeting will be on **Tuesday, Feb. 4th at 7:00PM**. This will be a joint meeting with the **Knights of Columbus**. For more information about the Ladies Auxiliary please contact Donna Bonitz at 717-532-5369 or ddbbonitz@gmail.com . For more information about the Knights contact Mike Connor at 717-377-4042 or mconnor2001@gmail.com



Winter Bible Study - Pivotal Players

Starting **January 22nd**, join us each **Wednesday at 6:30pm** for a look at the lives of four pivotal players whose Christlike lives helped impact the Church and history. We will be watching videos produced by Bishop Barron about the lives of St Thomas Aquinas, St Catherine of Siena, St John Henry Newman, and Michelangelo. After each video we will have some discussion as a full group based on selections from the companion book "Praying with the Pivotal Players." If you have any questions, contact Jev Voight at JevVoight@gmail.com.

*******New Bible Study Format*******

Thanks to everyone who has been attending and participating in our Bible Studies over the past few years. This fall, we have been discerning how to make the study more encouraging both for our regulars and anyone new that wishes to join us. Therefore, we will be trying some different approaches for our next few studies. For our next two studies we will be having fewer sessions per study program and will be focusing on discussions and activities as a full group instead of breaking into small groups. If you have not participated in our study for a while, we invite you to join us and see if the new format works better for you. Feedback is always appreciated, you can contact Jev Voight at JevVoight@gmail.com.

Encounter The Real Presence - A Lenten retreat for college-aged young adults in the Diocese of Harrisburg. Speakers, adoration, praise and worship, confession, and Mass. Register by Thursday , Feb. 20 at www.hbgdiocese.org/encounter. \$15 per person (includes breakfast and lunch)

Saturday, February 29, 2020

9:00 am to 4:00 pm

St. Pius X Catholic Church

112 Fairview Dr.

Selinsgrove, PA



Catholic Campus Ministry at Shippensburg University will be hosting a table selling Autom Catholic goods on **Sunday, January 19th from 9:30 a.m to 10:50 a.m.** in the OLV Parish Hall to raise money for Catholic Campus Ministry. There will be tote bags, mugs, water bottles, chaplet rosaries, green scapulars, saint bracelets, and earrings available for purchase. A limited quantity will be available. We thank you in advance for your support! God bless you!

! SAFETY FIRST !

Health, Safety, and Security Committee

The next Health, Safety, and Security Committee meeting will be **Tuesday, Jan. 21st 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

Contributions for Jan. 11-12, 2020

Ordinary Income	
Weekend Collection	\$4,188.37
Votives	55.96
Coffee Hour	2.75
Social Outreach	50.69
Parish Youth Education	10.00
Eastern Church	981.33
Building Improvements	70.00
Christmas	200.00
Solemnity of Mary	35.00
TOTAL INCOME	\$5,594.10

COFFEE HOUR

Please join us for Coffee Hour downstairs in Mary's Kitchen after Mass.

Your hosts will be:

Jan. 19th NO COFFEE HOUR

Jan. 26th 8:30AM – Frontino 11:00AM - Huffner

CHURCH CALENDAR

Saturday Jan. 18	8:30AM Mass 3:30PM-4:30PM 5:00PM Mass	Intentions of Jolene Cramm Confession In Memory of Marie Matteucci
Sunday Jan. 19	8:30AM Mass 11:00AM Mass	Intentions of Robert Malloy People of the Parish
Monday Jan. 20	8:30AM Mass	In Memory of Sandra F. Tampe
Tuesday Jan. 21	8:30AM Mass 6:30PM	Intentions of Sharon Grezner Safety Meeting – Social Hall
Wednesday Jan. 22	8:30AM Mass 6:30PM-8:00PM	Intentions of Nichole Schneider Bible Study – Social Hall
Thursday Jan. 23	8:30AM Mass	For the unborn
Friday Jan. 24	7:00 AM Mass 8:30AM Mass	March For Life Mass In Memory of Tommy Kashauer
Saturday Jan. 25	8:30AM Mass 3:30PM-4:30PM 5:00PM Mass	Intentions of Roberta Huffner Confession In Memory of Edith Hayes
Sunday Jan. 26	8:30AM Mass 9:45AM-11:00AM 11:00AM Mass	Intentions of Eleonora Wendeln Religious Education Class People of the Parish

Litururgical Ministers

Jan. 18-19	5:00 PM	8:30 AM	11:00 AM
Lectors:	Charles Itle	Chris Meehan	Ed Pfister
Ushers:	Dan Marshall	Randy Prue	Leonard Joy
	Frank Kerch	Brian VanScyoc	Ed Kutlik
Altar Servers:	Travis Detwiler & Volunteer	Sean Meehan & Volunteer	Xavier Rodriguez & Volunteer
Jan. 25-26	5:00 PM	8:30 AM	11:00 PM
Lectors:	Mary Braun	Mary Poffenbarger	Ed Kutlik
Ushers:	Dan Marshall	Tom Wright	Leonard Joy
	Frank Kerch	Bob & Sue Kiley	Volunteer
Altar Servers:	Travis Detwiler & Volunteer	Bandon Reinsfelder & Volunteer	Kaz Predecki & Volunteer

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AM THE VOICE
FOR THOSE WHO CAN NOT SPEAK

AM THE EYES
FOR THOSE WHO REFUSE TO SEE

AM THE HOPE
FOR THE FUTURE GENERATIONS

I AM PRO-LIFE!

7am Mass this Friday

This Friday (January 24), Father Schlaline will offer a Mass at 7:00 AM. Those who are going on our bus for the March for Life will be at this Mass. But obviously, all are welcome to attend!

Those of you who are not going to Washington, D.C. are invited to join us in **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament following the 8:30AM Mass**. This is a day of prayer for the legal protection of unborn children. **There is a sign-up sheet in the back of the Church.**



Women's BIBLE STUDY

Beginning January 27, for six weeks, OLV will be offering a six-week women's Bible study course from Walking with Purpose. *Living in the Father's Love* is a course for adult women that will help you discover just how much God loves you and how the Gospels are deeply relevant to our relationship with God and those we love. We hope you will consider joining.

Dates: Mondays, Jan. 27, Feb. 3, 10, 24, Mar. 2 & 9

Time: 9:30 – 11:00AM

Location: Social Hall

Registration: Sign up in church lobby

Materials: Bible and the workbook. Go online to order your workbook at <https://walkingwithpurpose.com> Please contact Mary Braun at 717-776-7635 or mcdbr@comcast.net for info.

PARISH HISTORY

This is another of a series of quotes of Parish people who wrote for the 50th Anniversary of the Our Lady of Visitation Parish. This is to give current parishioners a sense of history as we approach the 70th Anniversary of the Parish, this Feb 15th, 2020.

"I have been a member of the Parish since it began and attended daily Mass until a month ago for health reasons. We had good times in those days. We all worked together. No one was paid for anything, not even the live in housekeeper. And I remember carrying a mattress on my back. Charley Nye donated his bedroom suite when he built his house on Orange Street. Edmund Hunter moved the pastors in with a truck. We all pulled together to get the Parish going....."

A. Hammond Smith wrote in 1990

Thank You to everyone that helped with the angel tree this year. Thanks to Father Dwight and Tracy, everyone that purchased gifts for needy families in our area, and a special thank you to the volunteers that sorted and delivered the gifts to the children.
Bob and Sue Kiley



Do things for people not because of who they are or what they do in return, but because of who you are.

The Beginning Experience Team for the Harrisburg Diocese announces that they have booked the Jesuit Center for Spiritual Growth, Wernersville, PA for a Beginning Experience Weekend Friday, May 1 through Sunday, May 3rd, 2020.

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. Check the Harrisburg Diocesan WEB SITE:

<http://www.hbgdiocese.org/> and go to marriage and family or check www.beginningexperience.org. Information can also be obtained by contacting the Harrisburg Beginning Experience Team, Julie, at jpennat_58@comcast.net or Eva, at toothmom2004@hotmail.com.

Sunday of the Word of God January 26, 2020

*Recalling the importance placed on the Word of God at the Second Vatican Council,
Pope Francis has established the Third Sunday of Ordinary Time as
"The Sunday of the Word of God."*

All scripture is inspired by God and is useful for teaching, for refutation, for correction, and for training in righteousness, so that one who belongs to God may be competent, equipped for every good work. (2 Timothy 3; 16-17)

"These divinely revealed realities which are contained and presented in sacred Scripture have been committed to writing under the inspiration of the Holy Spirit. Holy Mother Church, relying on the belief of the apostles, holds that the books of both the Old and New Testament in their entirety, with all their parts, are sacred and canonical because, having been written under the inspiration of the Holy Spirit, they have God as their author and have been handed on as such to the Church herself." (*Dei Verbum*, #11)

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