

Our Lady of the Visitation Catholic Church
FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
January 29th 2017

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THE SALVATION OF SOULS

--The purpose of our Church--

""...for theirs is the Kingdom of Heaven."

Weekend Masses - Saturday 5:00 PM; Sunday 8:30 & 11:00 AM

Daily Mass - 8:30 AM Tuesday - Friday

Holy Day Mass - Check www.olvshippensburg.org under the "Resources" tab, click on "Liturgical Schedule" or check the bulletin.

Reconciliation - Saturdays, 3:30-4:30 PM; First Fridays of the month, 7:30AM-8:20AM and other times upon request

Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament - 7:30 AM - 8:30 AM First Friday of the month

Bible Study - Wednesdays from 6:30-8:00PM in the parish hall –

Intentional Disciples Group – Sundays from 6:30-8:00PM in the parish hall

Religious Education- Sundays from September 11, 2016 until May 14, 2017 **TIME: 9:45AM-11:00AM**



Knights of Columbus and Ladies Auxiliary

The next meeting of the Knights of Columbus will be a joined meeting with the Ladies Auxiliary on **Tuesday, February 7th**. The meeting will begin at 7pm in the Parish Hall. For more information regarding the Ladies Auxiliary contact Signe Kelker at 717-532-7353 or sjkelk@ship.edu. For the Knights of Columbus contact Ed Kutlik at 717-776-8347 or jekutlik@hotmail.com.



SOUP SALE

February 11th and 12th is the soup sale this year. Containers for the sale will be in the hall kitchen on February 4th and 5th after all the Masses. Please fill them with your soup and return them on the morning of February 11th after 10:00am. We will also need volunteers after all the Masses to sell the soups. If you are able to help, please stop by and offer your services. Your cooperation will make this fundraiser a success. For information contact Diane Bradley 717-860-8479 or Gloria Swieczkowski 717-532-8178.



Church Directory Update:

Anyone that did not get their picture taken for the Directory and would like to submit their own picture, please call Kim / Doug Hill at 530-5863 for further detailed information **by Feb 15th**.

All Parishioners and University Students are invited to the...

REMEMBERING THE UNBORN SERVICE

Tuesday, January 31 - 7:00pm

Cora I. Grove Spiritual Center Shippensburg University

This is a Candlelight Memorial Service with prayer, reflection, scripture, a personal testimony, insights, an affirmation of life, music and a candle lighting ceremony.



Your hosts will be:
Jan. 29th 8:30am - Maurer 11:00am- Nye
Feb. 5th 8:30am-Maurer 11:00am- Emmons

"UPCOMING MEETING DATES"

PRO-LIFE GROUP:

The next Pro-Life meeting is scheduled for **Tuesday, February 14th at 7pm** in the social hall. Contact Joanne Meehan at (717) 491-6495 or olvprolife@yahoo.com

LITTLE FLOWERS

The next Little Flowers meeting will be on **Monday, Feb. 6th** in the parish hall from 6:00-7:30pm. The topic will be "Generosity." To learn more about Little Flowers, contact Jill Lear at jilllear@hotmail.com.

WILD FLOWERS

The next Wild Flowers meeting will be on **Monday, Feb. 13th** in the parish hall from 6:00-7:30pm. To learn more about Wild Flowers (grades 6-8) contact Jessica Reinsfelder at jessreins@yahoo.com.

BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP: The next meeting will be **Tuesday, Feb. 14th after the 8:30am Mass**. Currently, we are reading and discussing a book by Peter Kreeft, entitled "Fundamentals of the Faith." For more information, contact Signe Kelker at 717-532-7353.

Thinking Ahead....

Reverend Robert Oravetz is a Byzantine Catholic Priest and former OLV parishioner. He also had served on the parish council here at OLV before entering seminary. Currently, he is pastor of Holy Trinity Byzantine Catholic Church in Conemaugh, PA as well as St. Nicholas of Myra Byzantine Catholic Church in Nanty Glo, PA. He has confirmed that he will be able to be our guest preacher for our 40 Hours Eucharistic Devotions June 11-13, 2017. It is not too early to reserve it on your calendar!



Liturgical Assignments

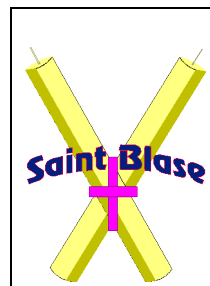
Jan. 28-29	5:00 P.M.	8:30 A.M.	11:00 A.M.
Lector:	Angela Myers	Sue Kiley	JoAnn Kiefer
Ushers:	Joe Cretella	Randy Prue	Leonard Joy
	Frank Kerch	Brian VanScyoc	Ed Kutlik
Altar Servers:	Travis Detwiler	Hunter Parks & Volunteer	Brenna McKnight & Volunteer
Eucharistic Ministers:	Charles Hare & Bill Myers	Ruth Nickey & Mike Bannon	Bernadette Brandner & Maureen Pfister
Feb. 4-5	5:00 P.M.	8:30 A.M.	11:00 A.M.
Lector:	Bobbi Staver	Cheryl Adams	Ed Kutlik
Ushers:	Dan Marshall	Tom Wright	Leonard Joy
	Frank Kerch	Brian VanScyoc	Volunteer
Altar Servers:	Travis Detwiler	Micheal & Shawn Righter	Volunteers
Eucharistic Ministers:	Marie Matteucci & Roger Waters	Nancy Redington & Mike Bannon	Magali Silva & Tom Bradley

Contribution for Jan. 21-22

Ordinary Income		Non-Operating Income	
Weekend Collection	\$4,715.00	Building Improvements	105.00
Solemnity of Mary	10.00	Social Outreach	10.00
Diocesan Collections		Parish Youth Education	361.00
Eastern Church	5.00	Votive/Coffee Hr./Media Rack	83.50
Propagation	25.00	Total Income	\$5,314.50

Mass Schedule and Intentions

Saturday	January 28 th	5:00 pm	Jeremy Barnhart
Sunday	January 29 th	8:30 am 11:00 am	Sebastian Marinaro Intentions of Bob Benvin
Tuesday	January 31 st	8:30am	Intentions of Daniel & Hildegard Barnett
Wednesday	February 1 st	8:30am	Intentions of Delores Davies
Thursday	February 2 nd	8:30am	Intentions of Roxanne Dennis
Friday	February 3 rd	8:30 am	Lee & Delores Miller
Saturday	February 4 th	5:00 pm	Robert Matteucci
Sunday	February 5 th	8:30 am 11:00 am	People of the Parish Grace Carberry



Blessing of the Throats

This Friday February 3, 2016 is the feast of Saint Blase. Saint Blase is known to have cured a young boy of a throat problem. Later, the tradition developed of blessing throats through the intercession of Saint Blase on his feast day February 3. Therefore, this Friday at Mass, we will have the blessing of throats. All are welcome to come forward to have their throats blessed. You do not need to be a Catholic or Christian to have your throat blessed. Even young children may have their throats blessed. Also, don't forget that we have a holy hour before Mass at 7:30am and Confessions are also available at 7:30am



You're Invited!

Corpus Christi Catholic School in Chambersburg is hosting an open house on **January 29th** from **12-1:30**. You're invited to see how we live our Catholic faith every day while pursuing academic excellence. Meet our teachers and see how we grow from Kindergartners to middle schoolers. Whether you are a family with school-aged children, or simply curious about Catholic education, we want to meet you simply curious about Catholic education, we want to meet you!

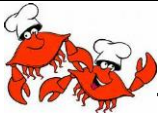
Saint Patrick School will be hosting an open house **Sunday Jan. 29th** at 87 Marsh Drive in Carlisle from **10 a.m. to 1 p.m.** This is an ideal chance to visit classrooms, talk with students and teachers, and find out about our sports, social and academic extracurricular activities.



Volunteers are needed to help in the Nursery Program during the 8:30am Mass. Contact the parish office if you are interested. **Clearances are required.**



The Little Flowers Girls Club and the Wild Flowers will be holding their yummy 50 cent cookie sale after the Masses on **February 11th and 12th**. The table will be set up right outside the Religious Ed office. Please stop by and support our girls' clubs and stock up on some delicious cookies.



The Knights of Columbus are taking orders for the **Crab Cake Sale**. The sign up sheet will be in the back of the church. The cost is \$5 per crab cake and will be available for pick up the weekend of **February 25th and 26th** after mass in the social hall kitchen

BIBLE STUDY

Book of Esther

Wednesdays 6:30 - 8:00

This February, Fr. Paul Schenck will be visiting our parish to teach us about the Book of Esther. Please join us next Wednesday, February 1st for our first session. Questions? Email Jev JevVoight@gmail.com

Esther: How shall we then live? This course will look at the exotic and enigmatic book of Esther - the strangest book in the Bible. Called "Megillah" (scroll) in Hebrew, it comes from ancient Persia, now Iran and Kurdistan! The blueprint for a moral and ethical society, and Catholic Social Teaching is found in this originally secular story. Four sessions.

Fr. Paul Schenck was raised Jewish. He attended 6 years of Hebrew School, Baltimore Hebrew University and the Israel Biblical Institute. He holds degrees in biblical studies, theology, bioethics, psychology and education. A prolife activist, he worked at the Supreme Court of the United States for almost 20 years.

2016 Donation statements for registered parishioners will be issued upon request. You may contact the parish office by email at ourlady106@yahoo.com or complete the form below and drop it in the collection basket.

Name: _____

Address: _____



Beginning Experience Team for the Harrisburg Diocese announces that they have booked the Camp Hebron, Halifax, Pa for a **Beginning Experience Weekend, May 5th -7th, 2017.** 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. The following is a testimonial of a person who attended the Beginning Experience Weekend in the fall of 2014: *"I can tell you that my encounter with the Beginning Experience weekend has brought me greater peace and given me an extended family of lifelong friends who I quickly grew to love and lean on. If you or someone you know is suffering the isolation and pain that can accompany the loss of a spouse or marriage, I encourage you to seriously consider attending the Beginning Experience weekend."* Beginning Experience is your Church at work to provide help, healing and spiritual restoration. Check the Diocesan website: <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 at 717-379-0800

