

OUR LADY SHIPPENSBURG, PA OF THE VISITATION

Catholic Church

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



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"Shippensburg Catholic"



June 26-27, 2021

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

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Weekend Masses - Saturday 5:00 PM Sundays: 8:00 AM and 11:00 AM

Daily Mass - 8:30 AM Tuesday - Friday; First Saturday of the Month at 9:00am

Reconciliation - Saturdays, 3:30PM-4:30PM; First Friday of the Month 7:30am-8:20am; First Saturday of the

Month 8:00am-8:45am

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



Saturday	3:30-4:30PM	Confession
June 26	5:00 PM Mass	Intentions of Geri Bazner
Sunday	8:00 AM Mass	People of the Parish
June 27	11:00 AM Mass	In Memory of Coddy Eyer
Tuesday June 29	8:30 AM Mass	In Memory of Charles & Irene Hogle
Wednesday June 30	8:30 AM Mass	In Memory of Joseph & Josephine Bannon
Thursday July 1	8:30 AM Mass	In Memory of Ned Fogelsonger
Friday	7:30 AM	Adoration & Confession
July 2	8:30 AM Mass	In Memory of Lenore Bannon
	8:00AM-8:45AM	Confession
Saturday	9:00AM Mass	Intentions of Steve Thomas
July 3	3:30- 4:30PM	Confession
	5:00 PM Mass	In Memory of Emma Lawson
Sunday	8:00 AM Mass	Intention of Louise Bonnie
July 4	11:00 AM Mass	People of the Parish

June 19-20, 2021	In Pew	Online
Weekend Collection	\$2,156.00	834.27
Building Improvements	60.00	193.87
Parish Youth Education	15.00	
Social Outreach	15.00	
Votives	83.00	
Catholic Communications	363.00	
Mission Co-op	70.00	
Total Income:	\$2,762.00	\$1,028.14

Online giving made easy!



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https://olvshippensburg.weshareonline.org

Odd-Jobs Volunteer List!

As we begin to open up more and more and because odd-jobs often arise around the parish, we are forming an email list of people who may desire to volunteer and help out when these arise! Please email the parish office to be put on the list, and its volunteer only for each request. These odd-jobs will include small jobs such as cleaning, organizing projects, light maintenance, gardening, and other odd-jobs. Please email tplotner@hbdiocese.org if you're interested.



Vacation Bible School is looking for volunteers!

VBS is August 2-6 this year from 6-8pm.

We will be working with children from kindergarten through 5^{th} grade--and possibly pre-k age, too (4 & 5-year-olds not yet in kindergarten).

If interested in volunteering and having fun with us, please contact: Jolene Cramm jcramm@hbgdiocese.org



NOTICE: We are looking for an adult volunteer to work with our pre-k students. If

you have experience working with this age group and are interested in volunteering for our VBS week, please contact Jolene Cramm for more details and information.



Saturday, June 26	5:00PM	
Lector:	Bobbi Staver	
Eucharistic Ministers:	Nancy Redington & John Thornton	
Sunday, June 27 th	8:00AM	
Lector:	Mary Poffenbarger	
Eucharistic Minister:	Ruth Nickey & Tammy Polifka	
	11:00AM	
Lector:	Matt Courson	
Eucharistic Minister:	Bill Bilger & Antonio Diaz	



Join us on Saturday, July 10 for
our parish retreat.
Our theme is
"The Glory of God is Man Fully Alive".
Our schedule (subject to change) will be:

9-10am: Arrival and light breakfast.

10-10:30am: Rosary 10:30-11am: Talk 1 11am-12pm: Mass 12-1pm: Lunch 1-1:30pm: Talk 2

1:30-2:30:



Adoration/Confessions/Quiet Reflection. Divine Mercy Chaplet at 2pm.

There is no cost to attend but we will be taking a voluntary collection to help cover the cost of food. Please sign up in the back of the Church if you plan to attend so we can have an estimate for food. Portions of the retreat may be outside weather permitting so please bring your lawn chairs!



GREETERS MINISTRY

Greeters Needed: You have all received friendly welcomes from our team of greeters at Sunday and special feast day masses. You have gotten to know them and had the opportunity to talk with them. Would you like to become a member of this joyful ministry? Even though all the masses have coverage we need more greeters, specifically for the 5PM Saturday Mass and to substitute when members are gone for one reason or another. With the restrictions being lifted more of us are traveling to visit family or just get away for a few days. If you are interested in joining us contact Iohn Thornton: johnnie7746@gmail.com or (508) 868-5640. Thank you and may God Bless you abundantly.



Thank you for your generosity toward last week's collection for the Catholic Communication Campaign (CCC). Your support helps the CCC spread the Gospel

message and connects millions of people with Christ, here in the United States and around the world. If you missed the collection, it's not too late to give! Visit www.usccb.org/nationalcollections.



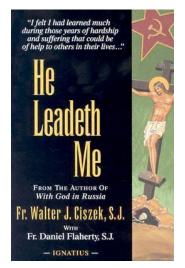
The 43rd Annual Men's Retreat, sponsored by Corpus Christi Parish, will be held on the July 30-

August 1 weekend on the beautiful campus of Mt. St. Mary's University, Emmitsburg 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 Michael Rothan, Chaplain, Bucknell University, will lead us this year. Reservations require a minimum of \$60.00 deposit and should be made early to ensure a room is held for you. Check the vestibule for more information and/or contact Tom Bradley at 717-331-6312.



Knights of Columbus

The next KOC meeting will be Thurs. July 1st at 7pm in the parish hall. For information contact Mike Connor at mjc@wcslawoffice.com or 717-530-5165



The Book of the Month for July & August

The Book of the Month series here at Our Lady of the Visitation Catholic Church is a faith formation opportunity for anyone at any time! The book will be selected by Fr. Ben and published about two weeks before each month begins, and this gives everyone time to purchase it if they so desire for that particular month. There is no commitment, and you may join in or choose to forego any month and at any time. The meeting for each book is at the end of the month, and it will be offered both in person and on Zoom. The details and reminder for each meeting are sent out via email. To join this email list, please contact the office or myself directly (if you join this email list, there is no commitment to have to come to each meeting!). You can always join the meeting even if you did not read the book, and the basic summary and Q&A will be published afterwards online. Reading books is one way God can transform our hearts! God Bless you, and let's pray for each other during this time! --Fr. Ben Dunkelberger

He Leadeth Me by Fr. Walter J. Ciszek, S.J.

This personal testimony of Fr. Walter Ciszek is one of my favorite books of all time! The narrative follows a Pennsylvania native from Shenandoah, through a remarkable journey of training to become a missionary priest destined for Russia, his journey into Poland and then Russia during the beginning of World War II, and his eventual capture and imprisonment in Russia for over 20 years. This book is written partly as a narrative of the story but much more focused on Fr. Ciszek's spiritual reflections on his experience. His incredible passion and determination, honesty and authenticity about being broken down through this experience, and especially his deep spiritual insights into how God is always working for the good of our souls, will change how you view the world and bring you face-to-face with God's closeness, mercy, and transforming love. Because this book is a bit longer than others (about 200 pages...even though I think it may read faster than other books) and because of my own schedule (among other things), I've decided to give us two months to read and reflect on this book before our final meeting, which means we will meet towards the end of August 2021. I will be reaching out to maybe have a meeting with those interested towards the end of July, but I encourage everyone that can to read this book or even just come to this discussion because this story of suffering, hope, mercy, and faith is certain to help you on your journey. God Bless you!

Book Discussion Times and Dates:

Please email or call the office to be put on the list and receive the Zoom meeting info towards the end of every month! <u>June – The Lamb's Supper</u> – Wednesday, July 7th at 7:00 pm – both in person and on Zoom



The Diocesan Summer Camp for Adults with Developmental Disabilities is seeking volunteers to assist at its residential camp, August 15-20, 2021. The camp takes place at Camp Kirchenwald in Lebanon County and serves the needs of approximately 30 adults. The camp has been held annually for the past 35 years (virtually

last summer) and is primarily dependent on volunteer support. Over the years, volunteers from parishes throughout our Diocese have participated alongside volunteers from other faith communities to help make this ministry a success. Anyone 16+ is welcome to volunteer for full-time or part-time duties; there is a particular need for adult volunteers who are able to spend the night. All volunteers are required to complete the Diocesan Clearance process and to provide proof of full vaccination from the COVID-19 virus (limited vaccination waivers may be granted). Attendance at a brief training session prior to helping at camp is also required. There is no cost to volunteers; all meals, events, campground activities, etc. are included. Deadline for expressing volunteer interest is June 30.

If you are not able to volunteer but wish to support this special ministry, your prayers, financial generosity or simply sharing this volunteer solicitation with someone you think might be interested all make a significant, positive difference and are greatly appreciated. Donations may be sent to the Office of Ministry with People with Disabilities, 4800 Union Deposit Road, Harrisburg, PA 17111. Checks should be made payable to the Diocese of Harrisburg with Camp Kirchenwald in the memo line. For more information or any questions, please contact Larry Kiley at 717-657-4804, Ext. 322, or email lkiley@hbgdiocese.org.