

# THE RESURRECTION OF THE *Lord*

## ST. JOAN OF ARC CATHOLIC CHURCH

359 WEST AREBA AVE, HERSHEY, PA 17033

### APRIL 21, 2019

#### PARISH OFFICE HOURS

**Monday - Friday:** 8:00 am - 4:00 pm (Closed 12:00 - 1:00 pm)

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#### PARISH MISSION STATEMENT:

We, the Eucharistic Community of St. Joan of Arc Parish, by the grace of God and through our participation in His Word, the Church's sacraments, and prayer, seek our eternal salvation.

We live out the doctrines and traditions of our Faith in communion with the holy, catholic, and apostolic Church, established by Our Lord Jesus Christ.

With courage, we follow the example of our patron saint and invoke her intercession as we strive to know God, love God, and serve God which moves us to actively promote and live the Gospel of Jesus Christ in the midst of our every day life.



### MASS SCHEDULE

**Saturday Vigil:** 5:15 pm

**Sunday Masses:** 7:30 am, 9:00 am, 10:30 am, 12:00 pm, 5:30 pm

**Daily Mass:** Monday - Friday: 6:45 am & 9:00 am, Saturday: 9:00 am

**Rosary & Chaplet of Divine Mercy:** Monday - Friday: 6:00 pm

**Chaplet of Divine Mercy:** 9:30 am

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:** Wednesday: 5:00 - 5:30 pm, Saturday: 4:00 - 4:45 pm

**Sacrament of the Sick:** Call the office.

**Sacrament of Baptism:** 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of each month. Parents are required to attend one class. Call the office to register.

**Sacrament of Marriage:** Call the office 9 to 12 months prior to the proposed wedding date.

“Why do you  
seek the living  
one among  
the dead?  
He is not  
here, but  
he has  
been  
raised.”

Luke 24:5-6

Holy Women at Christ's Tomb  
by Annibale Carracci, 1590

© Diocesan



**SENDING OUR CONDOLENCES:**

Please pray for the souls of **Sr. Helen Schiccitano, D.M. and Richard Donovan** who died recently. The parish community of St. Joan of Arc extends our deepest sympathy to their families and friends on their loss.

☪ **Parish - Parishioner Milestones - Eternal Life**

**PARISH PRAYER INTENTIONS**

The following parishioners or family members are ill. Please remember them, and all the sick of our parish, in your prayers: **Duane Ryan, Joseph DeFluri, William O'Connor, Elsie Lewis, Gannon Kupko, Jr., Glen Knackstedt, Carol Merlo-Knackstedt, and Laura King.**

☪ **Parish - Prayer Intentions**



**EASTER**

*Happy Easter Sunday!*

Take this time to celebrate the resurrection with your loved ones.

**CENTENNIAL PROJECT KICK OFF**

There's still time to RSVP!



Don't miss this wonderful opportunity to fellowship with other parishioners while celebrating our legacy in Hershey, PA.

There will be food and drinks, a DJ, and babysitting and children's activities.

**RSVP by April 23. See page 10.**



**HE IS RISEN**

CELEBRATE THE RESURRECTION



*The Parish Office will be closed on*  
**Sunday, April 21**  
*and remain closed until*  
**8:00 am on**  
**Tuesday, April 23**



*With Much Gratitude...*  
We wish to thank the sponsor of the week for advertising in our parish bulletin:  
**RICK YAZINSKI, D.M.D.**



**WEEKLY READINGS & MASS INTENTIONS**

**MONDAY, APR 22**

**Acts 2:14, 22-33; Mt 28:8-15**

- 6:45 AM Elizabeth McCarthy
- 9:00 AM William & Rose Soukup

**TUESDAY, APR 23**

**Acts 2:36-41; Jn 20:11-18**

- 6:45 AM Gene Duckart
- 9:00 AM Mary Accorsi

**WEDNESDAY, APR 24**

**Acts 3:1-10; Lk 24:13-35**

- 6:45 AM Robert Lynn Abel, Jr.
- 9:00 AM Gemma Rose Macchioni

**THURSDAY, APR 25**

**Acts 3:11-26; Lk 24:35-48**

- 6:45 AM Paul Truschel, Antonio Cruz Sr., and Antonio Cruz Eng
- 9:00 AM Vincent Bono

**FRIDAY, APR 26**

**Acts 4:1-12; Jn 21:1-14**

- 6:45 AM Dorothy Perry
- 9:00 AM Attilio & Maddalena Nucci

**SATURDAY, APR 27**

**Acts 4:13-21; Mk 16:9-15**

- 6:45 AM America Rodriguez and Josefina Bigalli
- 9:00 AM Hal Hoffman

**SUNDAY, APR 28:**

**SUNDAY OF DIVINE MERCY**

**Acts 5:12-16; Rev 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19; Jn 20:19-31**

*As Thomas believed because he saw the risen Jesus, so too were many brought to faith through the various signs and wonders wrought by the apostles. They proclaimed as Lord "the stone rejected by the builders," "the First and the Last of the One who lives."*

- 7:30 AM People of the Parish
- 9:00 AM Myers and Deaven Families
- 10:30 AM Trudy & Earl Ewing
- 12:00 PM David Bogrette
- 5:30 PM Harold Fogarty

**This Week In Our Parish**

❖ **MONDAY, APRIL 22**



7:00 PM	Bible Study	SJC
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❖ **TUESDAY, APRIL 23**

9:30 AM	Little Rock Scripture Study	SJC
9:45 AM	Legion of Mary	SJC
12:00 PM	Prayer Shawl	SJC
4:00 PM	Areba Club	CAF
7:00 PM	Faith Enrichment	PC

❖ **WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24**

7:15 AM	Wednesday Morning Coffee	SJC
7:45 AM	Gospel Reflection	SJC
4:15 PM	REP: Grades K-6	-
7:00 PM	Young Adults	MRC
7:00 PM	I Thirst Prayer Group	PC

❖ **THURSDAY, APRIL 25**

*No Events Scheduled*

❖ **FRIDAY, APRIL 26**

3:00 PM	Junior Legion of Mary	SJC
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❖ **SATURDAY, APRIL 27**

*Food collection before & after 5:15 pm Vigil Mass*

6:30 PM	Capital Campaign Kick-Off	CAF
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❖ **SUNDAY, APRIL 28**

*Food collection before & after all Sunday Masses*

9:00 AM	REP: Grades K-6	CAF
6:45 PM	Life Teen	MRC
7:00 PM	Confirmation Prep	CAF

❖ **MEETING ROOMS & LOCATIONS** ❖

<b>CAF:</b> Cafeteria	<b>CHP:</b> Chapel (PC)
<b>CHR:</b> Church	<b>LIB:</b> Library
<b>MRC:</b> Meeting Room C	<b>PC:</b> Parish Center
<b>REC:</b> Rectory	<b>SJC:</b> Saint Joseph Center



# Easter Flower Memorials



- ✠ Jonathan Barger; Edna & Raymond Barger; Madalene & Leo Miller; Marian Vavro; Deb Wewer; Dorothy & Robert Schnur from Rick & Patty Barger
- ✠ Mark & Barbara McQuate; Nancy Schneider and Deceased Members of the Frey; Bisacky; Wulf and Rowe Families from Don & Susan Robison
- ✠ Monsignor Bierster; Monsignor Kumontis; Fr. Ogden; Sr. Helen Schiccitano, D. M.; Emma Castelli; Lydia Ocamb; Millie Tapparo; Edie Buglia; Guy and Louie Masciocchi from Susan and Mary
- ✠ Charles Sheller from his wife, Gina Sheller
- ✠ Vivian Sheller from Gina Sheller
- ✠ Brad Tully from the Tully Family
- ✠ Lorraine Fetrow from husband, Lowell Fetrow
- ✠ John A. McElhinney; Dr. & Mrs. Anthony Cantore; Edward & Lillian McElhinney; Marion B. Arrell; Patricia & Frank Wunschel from the Cantore Family
- ✠ Mary & Bill Brown; Helen & Emolo Cappelli from Rich & Sandy Cappelli
- ✠ Robert G. & Alma R. Hopstetter from Bob, Sharon and Chris Hopstetter
- ✠ Ed & Frances Landis from Bob, Sharon and Chris Hopstetter
- ✠ Deceased Members of George & Jenny Hopstetter Family from Bob, Sharon and Chris Hopstetter
- ✠ Deceased Members of Allen & Sadie Artz Family from Bob, Sharon and Chris Hopstetter
- ✠ Philip & Lena Zaccagnini; Richard Zaccagnini from Filomena Cramer
- ✠ Jim Grap from the Grap Family
- ✠ Ellen J. Stamilio from LTC Michael E. Stamilio
- ✠ Deceased Members of the Peter J. McCarthy and Roy E. Hovis Families from Fran & Barb McCarthy
- ✠ Francis J. Bolduc from the Bolduc Family
- ✠ The Severs and Daniels Families from Kate Severs
- ✠ Sarah M. Lutz; Mr. & Mrs. Harry Lutz; Mr. & Mrs. Russell Morris from Bill Lutz and Family
- ✠ Stuart Shifflett, loving son; Kenny Family; Gibson Family; Strohman Family from Mary Shifflett
- ✠ Joseph Blackall from George Blackall
- ✠ Carolyn & Joseph Mastrosati from Carol Mastrosati
- ✠ Vincent Martin from Rita Martin and Bill Martin
- ✠ Guido & Filomena Piergallini from Janet & Dick Soulliard
- ✠ Deceased members of the Cuddy Family: Harold, Margaret and Stephen Cuddy from Jim and Mark Cuddy
- ✠ James Rafferty; Deceased members of Rafferty and Miller Families from Marie Rafferty
- ✠ Pronio; Susi and Modesto Families from Pete & Genie Bowman
- ✠ Kenneth Willi from The Willi Family: Kevin, Marisol, Jesse, Schuyler

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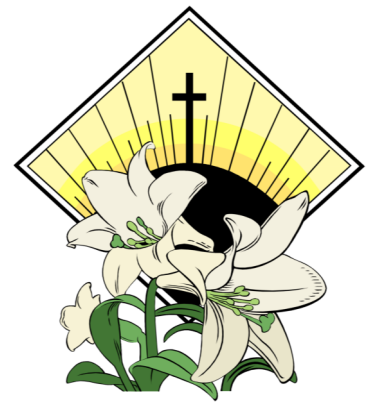
- † James Saxton from Wife, Estelle
- † Our Son, Anthony R. Bellezza; Our Parents: Nicholas & Lucy Bellezza and Patricia Washburn; All Bellezza and Nicholas Family Members that have passed away from Anthony & Cassi Bellezza
- † Kolakowski Family; Cackovic Family; Kathleen (Kolakowski) Anderson from John & Delores Kolakowski
- † Albert & Rosalba Weir; Deceased Members of the Borroni and Weir Families from Matt, Kevin, Terry, Denise and Stephanie
- † Daniel McCarthy from Wife, Mary and Family
- † Sylvester & Eleanor McCarthy from Mary McCarthy and Family
- † Joseph, Margaret and Martin Stahl from Mary McCarthy and Helen Yashinsky
- † Joseph Yashinsky; Dolores Milewski; Angelas Oakum and Yashinsky Family from Helen Yashinsky
- † Louis & Mary Stahl from Helen Yashinsky and Mary McCarthy
- † Harry & Kathryn Spang; John & Alicebell Mura; Neil Gruber from John Spang and Mary Marisa
- † John Michtich from Grandsons, Owen & Eli Michtich
- † Dionisio & Julia Castelli from Kathy Castelli
- † Members of the Gusic and Zimmerman Families from Ginny & Dick Zimmerman
- † Lawrence & Hilda Bosse from Nancy & Jim Chandler
- † Frank E. Ferguson, Sr. from The Ferguson Family
- † Frank Macus from Frances and Maria Macus
- † Carrie & Maurice Wolf; Karen Ann Ziegelmeier; Adaline & Edward Pasquale; Charles Pasquale; Joan Rittelmann; Daniel Rittelmann from Patricia Wolf
- † The Deceased Members of the Dezagottis and Vitiello Families from Jim & Judy Dezagottis
- † Steve Vargo from wife, Jean and Family
- † Bill, Sr. and Peggy Owens; Bill, Jr. "Bumper" Owens; Jack Owens from Ken, Jackie, Jessica and Lola
- † Mr. & Mrs. Charles Fucci; Mr. & Mrs. Donald Byers; Mr. & Mrs. Mandon Reed; Mr. & Mrs. Tony Leo; Mr. & Mrs. Gerald Reed and Michael Reed from Don & Rosemary Byers
- † Deceased Members of the Spagnolo and Nikolaus Families from Mr. & Mrs. Philip J. Spagnolo
- † Joseph & Madeline Capita; Vincent T. Agostino from Cosmo & Joanne Agostino
- † The Austin; Nowicki; Zahorchak; Rozgany; Coleman and Reigel Family Members from Pam Austin
- † Dan Connolly; Helen & George Schumacher; Agnes & Edward Connolly from Rosemary Connolly
- † Joan Valeri; Josephine Valeri; Felix Valeri; Agatha Andreani; Albert Andreani from Claudio Valeri
- † Deceased Members of the Leoni, Custer & Moore Families from Vilma Gunnells
- † Jerry Valle; James Barniak; Stephen & Anne Barniak; Rosemary Medori; Malem & Mary Atkinson from The Atkinson Family
- † Curvin & Ida Kinard; Thad & Flo Harbaugh; Maurine & Marie Sherwood from Robert & Kimberly Harbaugh
- † Emidio & Sylvia Silvestri; John & Joan Silvestri-Robbins; Josphel Silvestri from Josie Silvestri-Robbins
- † Irene & Rudy Petrina; Mary Petrina Smith from Susan I. Petrina
- † Francis J. Bolduc from Doris and Family



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- ✠ Edward Bott from Loving Wife, Sons and Family
- ✠ Helen & Ray Field from Son, John and Family
- ✠ Rose & Martin Papich from Daughters, Candy, LaDora and Family
- ✠ Deceased Members of the Moser Family; Deceased Members of the Rapchinski Family from Dick & Pat Moser

- ✠ Rose & George Bory; Thomas & Veronica Dunlavey from the Bory and Dunlavey Families
- ✠ Angelo & Katie Croci; Effie & Joseph Butch; William and James Butch and Deceased Members of the Mintz Family from the Butch Family
- ✠ Michael & June Shaonich; Michelle Shaonich Plott; Charles F. & Catherine Bender from the Fred Bender Family
- ✠ Nana Sara Coco from James and Sarah Finger
- ✠ Bill Starsinic from Marie, Travis and Christy Starsinic
- ✠ Dr. & Mrs. John Lucas from Daughter, Mary Ellen Frame
- ✠ Don & Rita Pearson from Anne, Bill and Families
- ✠ Mr. & Mrs. Vincent Krayvo; Vincent Krayvo, Jr.; Rich Nath; Christine Magriney; Anna & Giacinto DiBlasio from Marge DiBlasio and Family
- ✠ Deceased Bogrette and Cedro Families and Maria Rossi from Mary & Jack Bogrette



## *Mother Teresa's Speech at the National Prayer Breakfast*

**WASHINGTON, DC - FEBRUARY 3, 1994**

I feel that the greatest destroyer of peace today is abortion, because it is a war against the child, a direct killing of the innocent child—murder by the mother herself.

And if we accept that a mother can kill even her own child, how can we tell other people not to kill one another? How do we persuade a woman not to have an abortion? As always, we must persuade her with love and we remind ourselves that love means to be willing to give until it hurts. Jesus gave even His life to love us. So, the mother who is thinking of abortion, should be helped to love, that is, to give until it hurts her plans, or her free time, to respect the life of her child. The father of that child, whoever he is, must also give until it hurts.

By abortion, the mother does not learn to love, but kills even her own child to solve her problems.

And, by abortion, the father is told that he does not have to take any responsibility at all for the child he has brought into the world. That father is likely to put other women into the same trouble. So abortion just leads to more abortion.

Any country that accepts abortion is not teaching its people to love, but to use any violence to get what they want. This is why the greatest destroyer of love and peace is abortion.

Many people are also concerned about all the violence in this great country of the United States. These concerns are very good. But often these same people are not concerned with the millions who are being killed by the deliberate decision of their own mothers. And this is what is the greatest destroyer of peace today—abortion which brings people to such blindness.

'Let us bring the child back.' The child is God's gift to the family. Each child is created in the special image and likeness of God for greater things - to love and to be loved. In this year of the family we must bring the child back to the center of our care and concern. This is the only way that our world can survive because our children are the only hope for the future. As older people are called to God, only their children can take their places.

I know that couples have to plan their family and for that there is natural family planning.

If we remember that God loves us, and that we can love others as He loves us, then America can become a sign of peace for the world, a sign of care for the weakest of the weak - the unborn child - must go out to the world. If you become a burning light of justice and peace in the world, then really you will be true to what the founders of this country stood for. God bless you!

LITURGICAL MINISTER SCHEDULE: APRIL 27, 2019

	5:15 PM	7:30 AM	9:00 AM	10:30 AM	12:00 PM	5:30 PM
<b>Lector</b>	S. McDonough	S. Petrina	A. Gould	G. Holobetz	P. Graybash	M. Waning
<b>EMHC</b>	J. Traini	M. Spaeder	K. Harbaugh	K. Samson	M. Waiter	L. Rogers
	T. Kilcoyne	K. Willey	M. DeAngelis	D. Bogrette	Sr. Salvatoris	M. Rogers
	R. Plebani	C. Yakstis	T. DeAngelis	G. Bixler	R. Barry	J. Triscik
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Matthew Coyle	E. Jones	G. Harbaugh	A. Shiffler	B. Tressler	M. Dugan
	G. Gurney	M. Jones	B. Harbaugh	A. Samson	M. Tressler	R. Abraham
	D. Bagatta	J. Katzenmoyer	S. Brickley	V. Yee	T. McInerney	T. Abraham
<b>MC</b>	M. Bagatta	J. P. Katzenmoyer	C. Edwards	C. Hopstetter	J. McInerney	M. Abraham

**Money Counters:** J. Traini, J. Banks, T. Kilcoyne, J. Storm, D. Ryan, J. Thomas




**STEWARDSHIP**  
*We Are A Tithing Parish Following God's Plan For Giving*

Catholic Relief Services: \$3,395

**UPCOMING SPECIAL COLLECTION**  
 April 27 & 28  
 Catholic Home Missions Appeal

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY**

Check the "Announcements" section on page 5 for details on an exciting opportunity to help out your parish!




**Vocations Cross**

Apr. 22-29: The Buser Family  
 Apr. 29-May 6: Glenda Bixler

The Vocations Cross is taken into the home of a parish member each week to pray for religious vocations. If you would like to join this rotation, please contact the parish office or visit the website.

[Sacraments - Vocations Cross](#)



**VOCATIONS CORNER**

That the Risen Lord, made known to us through apostolic witness, will grace many more men and women to answer the call to proclaim His life, death and resurrection as priests, deacons, sisters and brothers, we pray to the Lord.

**YOUTH NEWS**

**LIFE TEEN (HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH)**

**This Week: Happy Easter!**  
 We do NOT have the 5:30 pm Mass or Life Teen next week.

**Next Week: "Life Teen Social"** I pray you all have a blessed Easter. We will celebrate the Resurrection of our Savior with some fun and games and a trip to Chipotle for dinner. Please feel free to invite your friends.



**EDGE (MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUTH)**

EDGE is for grades 6-8 and meets on Monday nights from 7:00 - 8:15 pm in the youth room (Meeting Room C).

\*EDGE Nights: Apr 29, May 6 & 20  
[John Triscik: Ext. 128; youth@stjoanhershey.org](mailto:John.Triscik@stjoanhershey.org)



**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION (R.E.P.)**

Discount on 2019-2020 registration until May 1  
[REP Office: Ext. 306; rep@stjoanhershey.org](mailto:REP.Office@stjoanhershey.org)

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FATHER AL'S WEEKLY LETTER  
 EVENTS CALENDAR  
 DAILY READINGS  
 MASS & CONFESSION SCHEDULE  
 BLOG POSTS  
 WEEKLY BULLETIN



## ✠ SCHOOL NEWS

**CAFETERIA VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

Volunteers are needed in the school cafeteria from 11:00 am - 1:00 pm on any day of the week. Volunteers will help in the kitchen, serve lunch, do dishes, and collect trays. No experience needed.

We can use help for any amount of time on any day of the week. This is an easy opportunity for anyone to interact with students in a friendly way and to make friends with other workers.

We will be happy to help you obtain the required clearances.

✉ **Sr. Eileen:** sreileen@stjoanhershey.org

**DINNER FOR DOLLARS**

**Primanti Bros.** is hosting Dinner for Dollars (10%) every day, all day, **now through May 31.** Show your Primanti Bros. Hometown Edge team card (or a picture of it) when you dine. We are Team F.

**Au Bon Lieu Bistro** will host Dinner for Dollars (20%) on **Mondays** for the rest of the year!

Flyers are available at the back of the church and in the school office.

## ✠ ADULT FAITH FORMATION

**YOUNG ADULTS (AGES 21 - 39)**

Calling all young adults of the parish between the ages of 21-39, married or single!!! Young Adults meet on the 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of the month from 7:00 - 8:30 pm in Meeting Room C. We will gather next on **April 24** as we celebrate the Easter Season with dinner at Primanti Bros.

✉ **John:** Ext. 128; jtriscik@stjoanhershey.org

🔗 **Parish Ministries - Young Adults**

**FAITH ENRICHMENT**

The Thursday morning Faith Enrichment series will continue on **April 25** at 10:00 am in the parish center. This series will feature a study of Reconciliation and the Eucharist.

🔗 **Education - Faith Enrichment**

## ✠ ANNOUNCEMENTS

**DIVINE MERCY DEVOTIONS**

Divine Mercy Devotions will take place on **Sunday, April 28** at 3:00 pm in the church.

## ✠ ANNOUNCEMENTS

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY**

Are you searching for an opportunity to help out your parish? Do you have a few hours on a Sunday morning? **We are looking for money counters** to fill in some vacated spots and to have a few extras for substitutions. **Approval is required by Fr. Al.** If you are interested, please email Michelle Gutshall.

✉ **Michelle:** mgutshall@stjoanhershey.org

## ✠ MINISTRY NEWS

**PEACE IN THE CHAOS**

What is the Secular Order of Franciscan—OFS (Ordo Franciscanus Saecularis)? Join us to explore the Franciscan charism to follow Jesus in the Spirit of Saint Francis of Assisi. Gather with us on the 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of each month at 7:00 pm in the St. Joseph Center.

**CCW ANNUAL RETREAT**

The Harrisburg Diocesan Council of Catholic Women will hold its 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Retreat on the beautiful campus of Mt. St. Mary's University in Emmitsburg, MD on June 14-16. The retreat master for this year is Father Bill Garrott, O. P. and his topic is "The Widescreen Life." Contact for a registration form.

✉ **Barbara McCarthy:** franbarbmc@aol.com

**DINNER FOR PRIESTS**

A core group of parishioners provides dinner for our St. Joan of Arc Priests throughout the year. As one of our members is moving away from the area, we are hoping that a new volunteer can join us! The requirement would be for you to provide one meal per month on a Monday, Wednesday, or Friday.

✉ **Martha:** (717) 649-9665|mrrupert@verizon.net

**AREBA CLUB**

The April meeting of the Areba Club will be held on **Tuesday, April 23** at 4:00 pm. *This is a change in date.* Doors will be opened at 3:30 pm. We will be collecting for a special fundraiser, in memory of John Bricker's son. Chris Palmer, Country Meadows, will present on downsizing. Refreshments will be served.

**PRAY & PLAY MOMS GROUP**

Interested in getting together with other Catholic moms to pray, chat, and share snacks while the kids play? Please join us for play dates on May 1, 15, & 29 from 9:30 - 11:30 am.

✉ **Sarah:** sarah.bonavia@gmail.com



## ✠ MINISTRY NEWS

### FESTIVAL COMMITTEE

The 45<sup>th</sup> Annual Parish Festival is **June 20-22**.

If you have a festival sign, please return it to the parish office as soon as possible.

Contact Karen if you can support the festival with sponsoring a game booth or food stand, or have a vacation home or other valuable gift to donate to the silent auction or basket raffle.

Thank you to those who have already dropped off jewelry for the festival booth. To those who still haven't, our committee is waiting for your treasures. We take old, new, good, not so good, men's, women's, and children's jewelry.

The festival committee needs help on **April 23** at 6:30 pm in Meeting Room C to stuff envelopes.

📍 **Karen Willey: karen.willey@cai.io**

### FOOD COLLECTION

The Knights of Columbus will be collecting non-perishable foods and personal care items before each mass **this weekend** for the Hershey Food Bank. Please remember we also accept monetary donations and all checks should be made to the Hershey Food Bank. Donations received by check are tax deductible.

### HANGING FLOWER BASKETS

The Knights of Columbus are offering 8 different varieties of flowers: Begonia (tuberous), Geranium, Boston Fern, Calibrachoa, Fuschia, Ivy Geranium, New Guinea Impatiens, and Petunia. They are beautiful, healthy, very full, 10" baskets that have lasted all summer when properly maintained. **Order by April 28** and pick up the weekend of May 12.

📍 **To reserve: (717) 256-3957 or contact a Knight**

### SHOWING OF GOSNELL

St. Paul the Apostle Pro-Life Committee invites all to a one-time showing of the film "Gosnell" on **Sunday, May 5** at 5:00 pm at the Allen Theater (36 East Main Street, Annville, PA). Admission is free. This film is the shocking true story of the investigation and trial of abortionist Dr. Kermit Gosnell, his 30-year killing spree, and the political and media establishment that tried to cover it up. Originally investigated for illegal drug sales, a raid by the DEA, FBI, and local law enforcement revealed crimes they could not have expected within the clinic. Free will donations will benefit pro-life organization, Undefeated Courage. PG-13.

📍 **For more information: sandrapav@verizon.net**

## ✠ MINISTRY NEWS

### FBAMC TRIP

Our next trip to Father Beiting Appalachian Mission Center is scheduled for the week of **May 19**. A young couple is trying to fix a home they have purchased. They both work and have done a lot of improvements on the house already, but do not have the resources to do all that is needed. Their home needs siding (single story home), a second exit door (for safety), and some windows. Our volunteers will be working on this home as St. Joan of Arc's Spring 2019 Parish Project.

The cost estimate for this project is \$2,300. Our parish's volunteers provide their own tools, meals, and other expenses. If you wish to contribute to this project, please send a check with FBAMC printed on it. Thank you in advance for your continued prayers and financial support.

📍 **Jan & Larry Duckart: 455 Ridge Road, Elizabethtown, PA 17022**

### ROAD TO KINDNESS

Happy Easter! This Lenten Season we filled our parish and community with kindness! We heard from and saw so many of our students smile as they performed their act of kindness on the red heart they selected! Thank you to all of our students for participating in our Lenten Red Heart of Kindness Program. A special thank you to all who were instrumental for supporting and guiding our students and children to sharing their kindness! As we come to celebrate today and share in this special Easter Mass, let's all "spread a little kindness!"

We thank you for spreading your kindness today and always! If you were inspired and performed at least one act of kindness during this Lenten Season or if you did an act of kindness for these 40 days as we have, you touched so many lives! Your kindness will always be remembered! Together, we are making a difference!

📍 **Parish Ministries - Road to Kindness**

## ✠ BULLETIN REQUESTS

1) Requests **MUST** be received by 9:00 am the Monday prior to that weekend's bulletin. Exceptions cannot be made for late requests.

2) Requests must be submitted as they are to appear in print. Please be brief due to space limitations.

3) Requests must be made through the designated form (*paper or electronic*) to ensure all necessary information is received prior to the deadline.

📍 **Contact Us - Request: Bulletin Content**



# Centennial KICK OFF

Join us  
for this FREE event

Sat.  
**27<sup>th</sup>**  
Apr.

Celebration  
begins at **6**:30 p.m.  
in the cafeteria

**FOOD | MUSIC | BEER | SODA**  
PULLED PORK | VEGETARIAN BAKED ZITI | COLESLAW

**BABYSITTING & CHILDREN'S ACTIVITIES PROVIDED**

**3 WAYS TO RSVP BY APRIL 23**

**STJOANHERSHEY.ORG/KICKOFF | 717-533-7168 EXT 112**  
COLLECTION BASKET

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Adults | \_\_\_ Kids (1-5) | \_\_\_ Kids (6-12)