



3RD SUNDAY OF *Easter*

ST. JOAN OF ARC CATHOLIC CHURCH

359 WEST AREBA AVE, HERSHEY, PA 17033

MAY 5, 2019

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

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

Sunday: 9:00 am - 12:00 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: 1st & 3rd 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.

“Simon, son of John, do you love me?”
He said to him,
“Yes, Lord, you know that I love you.”
He said to him,
“Tend my sheep.”

John 21:16

Meal of Our Lord and the Apostles
by James Tissot, 1886-1894



FROM THE PASTOR

A number of thanks are in order:

- ✠ A special thanks to all who made our Holy Week and Easter Celebrations so special this year: Mike Davis and our music ministry; all of our liturgical ministers with a special nod to Joe Gushersowski for being Master of Ceremony for all of our liturgies; the Church decorators with kudos to Joe Yaklowich who coordinates all the volunteers; and to our priests who pitched in to help with the many Masses and ceremonies.
- ✠ Gratitude to a parishioner who bought and donated the beautiful statue of Saint Joan of Arc that graces the front of our Parish Center. If you can believe it, it was purchased at an auction in Annville and was in the garden of someone's backyard!
- ✠ Thanks to another parishioner who bought the lovely triptych that was the backdrop to our repository in the church on Holy Thursday and which also enhanced our overflow Masses in the gym on Easter Sunday. This triptych was painted by Hugo Ohlms, a widely acclaimed mural artist whose works grace many churches and basilicas throughout the United States, most importantly in the Basilica of Saint Augustine in St. Augustine, Florida.

We will be emphasizing over the next few weeks our **new SUMMER MASS SCHEDULE** which begins Memorial Day Weekend and goes to Labor Day.

- ✠ Saturday and Sunday evening Masses will be at 5:00 pm
- ✠ Sunday morning Masses will be at 7:30 am, 9:30 am and 11:30 am

Cut out the schedule to the right and hang it on your fridge!

One last thing:

Congratulations to all of our children who received their First Holy Communion this weekend! We are so glad to welcome you to the table of the Lord!




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**

MASS ATTENDANCE: April 27/28 TOTAL: 1627					
<u>8:00 PM</u>	<u>7:30 AM</u>	<u>9:00 AM</u>	<u>9:15 AM</u>	<u>10:30 AM</u>	<u>12:00 PM</u>
312	163	277	325	197	353



With Much Gratitude...

We wish to thank the sponsor of the week for advertising in our parish bulletin:
SENIOR LIFE HARRISBURG



New Mass Times

NEW MASS TIMES

Mass times will change **starting on Memorial Day Weekend**. The weekend evening Masses will change permanently, and the morning Masses will change to the Summer schedule.

PERMANENT CHANGES

SATURDAY VIGIL MASS	5:00 PM
SUNDAY LIFE TEEN MASS	5:00 PM

SUMMER SCHEDULE

SUNDAY MORNING MASSES	7:30 AM
	9:30 AM
	11:30 AM

The Summer schedule runs from Memorial Day Weekend through Labor Day Weekend



WEEKLY READINGS & MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, MAY 6

Acts 6:8-15; Jn 6:22-29

- 6:45 AM Special Intention for Roman Maleszewski
- 9:00 AM Hans Gangl

TUESDAY, MAY 7

Acts 7:51-8:1a; Jn 6:30-35

- 6:45 AM Ronald Frate
- 9:00 AM Erma Bender-Wall

WEDNESDAY, MAY 8

Acts 8:1b-8; Jn 6:35-40

- 6:45 AM Doris & Harold Engle
- 9:00 AM Maria & Claudio Rossi

THURSDAY, MAY 9

Acts 8:26-40; Jn 6:44-51

- 6:45 AM Richard J. Berka
- 9:00 AM Zack Zaccagnini

FRIDAY, MAY 10: SAINT DAMIEN DE VEUSTER, PRIEST

Acts 9:1-20; Jn 6:52-59

- 6:45 AM Deceased Members of the Souchak Family
- 9:00 AM Lois Deiling

SATURDAY, MAY 11

Acts 9:31-42; Jn 6:60-69

- 9:00 AM Maddeline & Dino Niccolini
- 5:15 PM Maddalena & Attilio Nucci; Divo & Frances DiClemente

SUNDAY, MAY 12: FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Acts 13:14, 43-52; Rev 7:9, 14b-17; Jn 10:27-30

Know that Jesus is the Lord, the Lamb on the throne who will shepherd his flock and give them eternal life. In his name, Paul and Barnabas proclaim the word of God to Jew and Gentile alike.

- 7:30 AM People of the Parish
- 9:00 AM William Anselmi
- 10:30 AM Edna & Raymond Barger
- 12:00 PM Willliam and Eleanor Lawler
- 5:30 PM Katie Wittmer

This Week In Our Parish

❖ MONDAY, MAY 6		
3:00 PM	Girl Scouts	SJC
7:00 PM	Edge	MRC
7:00 PM	Boy Scouts	CAF
❖ TUESDAY, MAY 7		
9:30 AM	Little Rock Scripture Study	SJC
9:45 AM	Legion of Mary	SJC
6:30 PM	Cub Scouts	-
❖ WEDNESDAY, MAY 8		
7:15 AM	Wednesday Morning Coffee	SJC
7:45 AM	Gospel Reflection	SJC
7:00 PM	Young Adults	MRC
7:00 PM	Respect Life	SJC
7:00 PM	I Thirst	CAF
7:00 PM	Consolation Bereavement	SJC
❖ THURSDAY, MAY 9		
6:00 PM	CCW	CAF
❖ FRIDAY, MAY 10		
3:00 PM	Junior Legion of Mary	SJC
❖ SATURDAY, MAY 11		
<i>No Events Scheduled</i>		
❖ SUNDAY, MAY 12		
<i>No Events Scheduled</i>		



ONE WAY PLEASE!

It has been brought to our attention that some potentially dangerous encounters have occurred due to drivers ignoring the one-way traffic signs in the school parking lot. The entrance driveway is in front of the parish office. The exit driveway is near the rear entrance to the school kitchen.

Be considerate. Be safe. Please follow the arrows.

LITURGICAL MINISTER SCHEDULE: MAY 12, 2019

	5:15 PM	7:30 AM	9:00 AM	10:30 AM	12:00 PM	5:30 PM
Lector	J. Dezagottis	M. Gette	D. Dix	J. Nantz	M. Isherwood	A. Zimmerman
EMHC	T. Samson	R. Plebani	D. Morgan	J. Gusherowski	J. Phillippy	R. Meinert
	J. Nolan	D. Sheehan	L. Rogers	P. Mooney	A. Reeves	K. Harbaugh
	J. Pantalone	M. Spaeder	M. Rogers	C. Mortel	K. Robinson	Sr. Eileen
Altar Servers	M. Coyle	B. Seesholtz	D. Matas	A. Shiffler	E. Jones	G. Harbaugh
	A. Samson	A. Zaccaria	J. Matas	J. Wilson	M. Jones	B. Harbaugh
	T. McInerney	J. Katzenmoyer	S. Yurich	E. Hoffman	S. Brickley	V. Yee
MC	J. McInerney	J. P. Katzenmoyer	C. Edwards	J. Gusherowski	C. Hopstetter	N. Silvis

Money Counters: M. Rothermel, C. Frank, T. Saneusanio, V. Peracchia, C. Yakstis, G. Zemba



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

Weekly Tithing: \$25,474
Weekly Budget: \$30,385
Weekly Heart of the Parish: \$1,571

YOUTH NEWS

LIFE TEEN (HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH)

This Week: "Senior Banquet" We will celebrate our graduating seniors with a banquet. We thank them and wish them well as they prepare for their time after high school. Come and celebrate with us as we send them off in style.

Next Week: No Life Teen. Happy Mother's Day to all the moms and moms-to-be.



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: May 6 & 20**

📞 **John Triscik: Ext. 128; youth@stjoanhershey.org**



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION (R.E.P.)

📞 **REP Office: Ext. 306; rep@stjoanhershey.org**



Vocations Cross

May 6-13: Jeanette Duden
May 13-20: Gloria Eline

Beginning the week of June 1, the Vocations Cross will be placed in the church sanctuary for pick up. After Mass, take the cross home, as before, to pray for vocations. Please continue to return the cross to the parish office.



VOCATIONS CORNER

For prayerful openness in our young people, that they will see their vocation discernment as a call to love the Lord and respond generously to His choice of them, we pray to the Lord.

FIRST HOLY Communion



Congratulations to our First Holy Communion class who received their First Communion on May 4

Sophia Alvarez, Dominic Angelo, Elisabeth Aynardi, Isabel Baab, Victor Bolton, Xander Boyer, Cooper Boyer, Camille Brelsford, Andrew Bruno, Ava Carnes, Jake Costello, Drew DeCristofaro, Benjamin Denisco, Evelee Dilliplaine, Jack Donaldson, Brielle Dunkle, Connor Dunn, Henry Ehlenberger, Valentina Frattaroli, Karina Gidusko, Clayton Gingrich, Mila Gnall, Lacey Goff, Emma Goklaney, Alexander Gourley, Karoline Grana, Cara Hallinan, Elizabeth Halstead, Audrey Hamsher, Caidan Hauer, Annabel Hernandez, Miles Hobe, Maxwell Holt, Emerson Hossler, Samantha Imundo, Maura Janoka, Sophie Klauer, Madison Lenovich, Camille Leshko, Owen Lindsay, Theresa Lombardo, Adrianna Martinez, Maduka Mmuo, Anthony Momoh, Shannon Morrow, Lake Mortelliti, Madelyn Olivieri, Ryan Osifat, Stone Parker, Callan Pearson, Alexander Peluso, Drew Perkins, Edward Platon, James Rementer, Ryan Rementer, Luke Samson, Ethan Sargen, Kiley Shroy, Anna Siar, Francesca Simonic, Lucille Sitch, Giulia Stella, Andrew Stickler, Lillian Stober, Kyle Stuckey, Adam Swallow, Sydney Tanner, Lidia Tressler, Jameson Vaca, Elsie Weller, Maya Welter, Stephen Yurich, Gabriel Zambarano

✝ SCHOOL NEWS

DATE CORRECTION—TRIP TO SHRINE OF ST. JOHN NEUMANN IN PHILLY

Sister Eileen is taking a group of students in grades 7 & 8 to the shrine of St. John Neumann in Philadelphia on **Thursday, May 16** from 8:15 am - 4:30 pm. There are 10 seats available for parishioners. **The cost is \$23** (covers cost of the bus). St. John Neumann’s “favorite cure” is cancer. After a 12:15 pm Mass, a blessing is given to everyone with the relic of St. John Neumann. If you have or have had cancer, the priest will give you a special blessing. Contact Sister Eileen.

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

DINNER FOR DOLLARS

It’s another big one! The generous proprietors at **Subway** are hosting another Dinner for Dollars (40%) on May 9 from 4:00–8:00 pm.

Primanti Bros. is hosting Dinner for Dollars (10%) every day, all day, **now through May 31**. Show your team card or tell your waiter we are Team F. **THIS IS THE LAST MONTH!**

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.

TECHNOLOGY WISH LIST

At St. Joan of Arc School, we have several technology needs that will help us to update our internet infrastructure, provide chromebooks for lower grade levels, and replace old, unreliable equipment. If you are interested in helping us acquire these items, please contact Deb Rizzotto.

☎ **drizzotto@stjoanhershey.org | (717) 533-2854**

WISH LIST ITEMS

Item	Cost	Quantity Needed	Total
Laptop for Sr. Eileen	\$1,800	1	\$1,800
Network Switches	\$1,800	5	\$9,000
Promethean Board	\$5,500	1	\$5,500
Chromebook	\$300	10	\$3,000
Chromebook Cart	\$1,500	1	\$1,500

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✝ 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 2nd & 4th Wednesday of the month from 7:00 - 8:30 pm in Meeting Room C. We will gather next on **May 8** as we continue our bible study on the Gospel of St. John.

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

✝ **Parish Ministries - Young Adults**

FAITH ENRICHMENT

Faith enrichment continues on Thursday mornings at 10:00 am in the parish center.

✝ ANNOUNCEMENTS

IRISH CATHOLIC HERITAGE GROUP

The Ancient Order of Hibernians (AOH) is accepting applications for new members. Any man who is of Irish decent and is a Catholic in good standing is eligible to join. Our motto is “friendship, unity, and Christian charity.” AOH works to preserve Irish culture, to maintain Catholic values, and to promote peace and justice in Northern Ireland. AOH remains actively involved in the Pro-Life Movement, priest support, parish support, and education. Our members explore the Irish connections to people, places, and events in the area, such as Gettysburg. For membership information, contact Kyle Yurick.

☎ **Kyle: kyurick@gmail.com | (570) 274-7100**

WERE YOU MARRIED IN 1969?

If you were married any time during the year of 1969, you will be invited to a Golden Jubilee Mass celebrated by our Bishop, the Most Reverend Ronald W. Gainer, on **Sunday, July 14** at 2:00 pm at Good Shepherd Church in Camp Hill. Please contact the parish office with your names and address, as well as the date of your marriage so that you will receive an invitation.

☎ **Parish Office: (717) 533-7168**

✠ MINISTRY NEWS

FESTIVAL NEWS

Mark your calendar for **June 20, 21, & 22**. We are in need of the following: 1) new silent auction and basket items, gift cards, jewelry, and cash donations; 2) plants and gardening items; 3) crafts; 4) baked goods; 5) help; 6) your patronage.

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

🌐 www.sjafestival.com

McDEVITT BASKETBALL CAMP

The Bishop McDevitt Lady Crusaders will host their youth basketball camp on **June 10-13**. Camp is open to girls entering grades 2-9. For more information, contact Coach Dupes.

☎ **Kevin Dupes:** kdupes1@verizon.net

I THIRST PRAYER GROUP

Do you want to ask questions during homily? Oops, you can't. Do you miss opportunities to know more about faith? Do you want to experience personal transformation in your life like the woman at the well?

Every second of the day we are bombarded with distractions from our earthly life that distract us from experiencing “gifts of God.” Join us for an in-depth talk on John 4, The Woman At The Well, given by Fr. Paul Oye, O. P. We guarantee this to be informative, enlightening, and inspiring. There will be a Q&A session. Take advantage of this opportunity to nourish your spiritual life and come prepared with your bible, paper, and pen to make notes to review and share with your loved ones. **Wednesday, May 8** at 7:00 pm in the cafeteria.

☎ **Lynn:** (717) 503-1600

FOOD BANK GOLF FUNDRAISER

The Hershey Food Bank is hosting a fundraiser on **Saturday, June 1** at Deer Valley Golf Course in Hummelstown.

The food bank is promoting the 11th Annual Mission Classic and they are looking for: 1) golfers (\$75, includes lunch), 2) sponsors (flag: \$125, hole: \$25), 3) donations of cash, gifts, or gift cards. Email Odette to sign up or donate.

☎ **hersheyfoodbank@verizon.net** | (717) 533-7386

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 15 & 29** from 9:30 - 11:30 am.

☎ **Sarah:** sarah.bonavia@gmail.com

✠ MINISTRY NEWS

ADDRESS CORRECTION—FBAMC

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 have done a lot of improvements, but do not have the resources to do all that is needed. Their home needs siding, 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 pay for their expenses. If you wish to contribute to this project, please send a check with FBAMC printed on it.

☎ **Jan & Larry Duckart:** 5455 Ridge Road, Elizabethtown, PA 17022

ROAD TO KINDNESS

“How beautiful a day can be when kindness touches it!” We want to congratulate our 2nd graders who received First Holy Communion on Saturday!

This week we want to talk about the St. Baldrick’s Foundation, which has raised over \$270 million dollars for childhood cancer and for research since 2005. In 1999 the idea was born – Tim Kenny put a challenge out to his two colleagues, John Bender and Enda McDonnell. Tim said to his colleagues, “how will we give back in return for our good fortune in business?” With this challenge, they agreed to shave their heads to raise funds for kids with cancer! The foundation has continued to grow and be a wonderful way of sharing kindness and sponsorship for those children with cancer. St. Baldrick’s Foundation events are held all over the country. On Saturday, May 11, there is one being held in Hershey. We thank all of the wonderful organizations and foundations that are on a mission to help those in need! Our mission and goal with our kindness program is to inspire you to be kind. After all, kindness starts with you.

✠ 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**