

15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

ST. JOAN OF ARC CATHOLIC CHURCH

359 WEST AREBA AVE, HERSHEY, PA 17033

JULY 14, 2019

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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: 5:00 pm

Sunday Masses: 7:30 am, 9:30 am, 11:30 am, 5:00 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.



WEEKLY READINGS & MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, JULY 15: MEMORIAL OF SAINT BONAVENTURE, BISHOP AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH

Ex 1:8-14, 22; Mt 10:34-11:1

6:45 AM Edward Hovis

9:00 AM Zack Zaccagnini

TUESDAY, JULY 16: OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL

Ex 2:1-15a; Mt 11:20-24

6:45 AM Arnaldo Bigalli

9:00 AM Robert Michael Foster

WEDNESDAY, JULY 17

Ex 3:1-6, 9-12; Mt 11:25-27

6:45 AM Special Intention for Daniel Johns

9:00 AM Special Intentions of all our Parish Volunteers

THURSDAY, JULY 18: SAINT CAMILLUS DE LELLIS, PRIEST

Ex 3:13-20; Mt 11:28-30

6:45 AM Dick Deiling

9:00 AM Joseph Sherbine

FRIDAY, JULY 19

Ex 11:10-12:14; Mt 12:1-8

6:45 AM Jerry "Waine" Ward

9:00 AM John J., John E. and Ida Feeney

SATURDAY, JULY 20: SAINT APOLLINARIS, BISHOP AND MARTYR

Ex 12:37-42; Mt 12:14-21

9:00 AM Alex Camasta

5:00 PM Divo & Frances DiClemente; Rocco & Anna DiClemente

SUNDAY, JULY 21: SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Gn 18:1-10a; Col 1:24-28; Lk 10:38-42

Abraham, the just and upright man, graciously hosts three visitors. As Mary and Martha host Jesus, he speaks of only one thing as necessary for us who follow him: being open to receive the message and person of Jesus, and being receptive to "the mystery of Christ" as he comes to us through one another.

7:30 AM Margaret Welsh

9:30 AM Thomas Pritchard

11:30 AM Ozzie & Helen Morelli

5:00 PM People of the Parish

This Week In Our Parish

MONDAY, JULY 15

No Events Scheduled

TUESDAY, JULY 16

9:45 AM	Legion of Mary	SJC
12:00 PM	Areba Club Picnic	CAF

WEDNESDAY, JULY 17

7:15 AM	Wednesday Morning Coffee	SJC
7:45 AM	Gospel Reflection	SJC
7:00 PM	I Thirst	SJC

THURSDAY, JULY 18

7:30 PM	Knights of Columbus	MRC
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FRIDAY, JULY 19

3:00 PM	Legion of Mary	SJC
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SATURDAY, JULY 20

No Events Scheduled

SUNDAY, JULY 21

12:30 PM	Baptisms	CHR
2:00 PM	New Altar Server Training	CHR
5:45 PM	Life Teen	PC

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LITURGICAL MINISTER SCHEDULE: JULY 21, 2019

	5:00 PM	7:30 AM	9:30 AM	11:30 AM	5:00 PM
Lector	R. Grinaway	D. Hennigan	G. Duval	M. Isherwood	M. Waning
EMHC	C. Yakstis	D. Sheehan	K. Samson	J. Gusherowski	M. Stamilio
	Sr. Salvatoris	M. Spaeder	S. Cordaro	J. Traini	J. Triscik
	D Bogrette	M. Wetherhold	M. Duval	G. Bixler	M. Waiter
Altar Servers	V. Foley	S. O'Hara	A. Samson	L. Hamilton	E. Hoffman
	O. Strader	M. O'Hara	S. Brickley	L. Hamilton	C. Chardo
	D. Bagatta	B. O'Hara	T. McInerney	J. Wilson	M. Dugan
MC	M. Bagatta	M. O'Hara	J. McInerney	J. Gusherowski	

Money Counters: P. Bixler, B. Deiling, H. Horstman, M. Rogers



STEWARDSHIP

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

Weekly Tithing: \$33,416
 Weekly Budget: \$30,385
 Weekly Heart of the Parish: \$2,449



Vocations Cross

Jul 15-22: Mr. & Mrs. Stephen Wolf
Jul 22-29: The Harbaugh Family

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 in this rotation, please contact the parish office.

✠ Sacraments - Vocations Cross



VOCATIONS CORNER

That all those now discerning their vocation will be attentive in prayer and active in their response to Jesus the Eternal Word who calls them, we pray to the Lord.

YOUTH NEWS

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION (R.E.P.)



HELP WANTED!

REP is in need of Catechists for grades 1 & 2 for Sundays this coming year. Contact Earl for more information.

✠ Earl Tropp: Ext. 122 | etropp@stjoanhershey.org
 ✠ REP Office: Ext. 306 | rep@stjoanhershey.org

YOUTH NEWS

LIFE TEEN (HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH)

This Week: Life Teen returns this week!

All graduating seniors and incoming freshmen are invited to come to hear stories from those who spent a week in Mishawaka serving the community on our summer mission trip. It will be filled with laughter and heartfelt stories. We will meet in the Parish Center (former convent) from 6:15-7:45 pm.

Next Week: Life Teen will take a stroll down to Chipotle for dinner, following the 5:00 pm Mass. Meet in the Parish Center and we will walk down as a group. Feel free to invite your friends!

✠ John: Ext. 128 | stjoanofarclifeteen@gmail.com



STEUBENVILLE CONFERENCE

Please keep in prayer the students and chaperones who will be heading to Franciscan University this week. Pray for safe travels, good times, and deep, meaningful time spent in prayer and fellowship.

✠ John: Ext. 128 | jtriscik@stjoanhershey.org



MINISTRY UPDATES



If you are a parent of a teen, or a teen yourself, you can receive updates via text message for both EDGE and Life Teen. If you are interested, please call or email John Triscik.



STAY INFORMED

✠ John: Ext. 128 | stjoanofarclifeteen@gmail.com

✝ 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 the Our Lady of Grace room in the St. Joseph Center. We will gather next on **July 24** as we continue our bible study on the Gospel of St. John.

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

🕊 **Parish Ministries - Young Adults**

RCIA

Want to learn more about the Catholic faith? Perhaps you know someone who is searching for a relationship with Christ. The RCIA program could be what you are looking for.

☎ **Earl: Ext. 122 | etropp@stjoanhershey.org**

✝ MINISTRY NEWS

AREBA CLUB

The July meeting of the Areba Club will be held on **Tuesday, July 16** in the cafeteria at 12:00 pm.

This will be our Spring Social (picnic). It is a “covered dish affair.” Please bring your favorite food item (enough for 10-12 people). The club will provide hot dogs, sloppy joe, baked beans, condiments, and drinks. Entertainment will be provided by Tony Mayan, DJ. Bring your dancing shoes! Hope to see you there!

RESPECT LIFE

“To understand more fully how to defend and protect human life, we must first consider who we are, at the deepest level. God creates us in his image and likeness, which means we are made to be in loving relationship with him. The essence of our identity and worth, the source of our dignity, is that we are loved by God.”

FAITH SANCTIFIED IN CHRIST

Does this describe your faith? Join us for the first in a series of scripture studies as we learn what Paul was teaching in 1 Cor. 1:1-9,18-31 (guided by Fr. Modestus).

Research this scripture, make notes, and come with your bible/bible app, pen, and paper on **Wednesday, July 17** at 7:00 pm in the Parish Center. Bring a friend to share your faith as you learn. Hosted by the I Thirst Prayer Community.

☎ **Lynn: (717) 503-1600**

✝ MINISTRY NEWS

FLEA MARKET & RUMMAGE SALE

The CCW Flea Market & Rummage Sale will be held in the cafeteria on **Friday, August 2** from 8:00 am - 3:00 pm and **Saturday, August 3** from 8:00 - 11:00 am. To the ladies of the parish, if you are available during any of the days and times listed above, please join us in the cafeteria to assist with unpacking, sorting, and pricing items. Please observe the following exceptions to what will be accepted for the sale: no textbooks, furniture, baby equipment or accessories, large appliances, or Christmas decorations; only “like new” pillows, blankets, or comforters accepted, no sheets. **Donations will be accepted in the cafeteria beginning during the following times:**

✝ July 20 | 8:00 am-12:00 pm

✝ July 22-26 | 8:00 am-6:00 pm

✝ July 27 | 8:00 am-12:00 pm

✝ July 29 - Aug 1 | 8:00 am-6:00 pm

☎ **Diane: (717) 534-1102**

SUBMIT YOUR FESTIVAL PICTURES



We hope you enjoyed your time at the 45th Annual Parish Festival! We'd love to add your pictures to the festival website.

Please email your pictures to us! Submit multiple pictures in a compressed .zip file.

☎ **communications@stjoanhershey.org**

✝ ANNOUNCEMENTS

DAUGHTERS OF MERCY RAFFLE WINNERS

Skip Luisi | Vineland, NJ
Lucy Musterel | Vineland, NJ
Catherine Mongeluzzo | Sewell, NJ
Elizabeth Guaracini | Vineland, NJ
Madeline Forcinito | Vineland, NJ

✝ BULLETIN REQUESTS

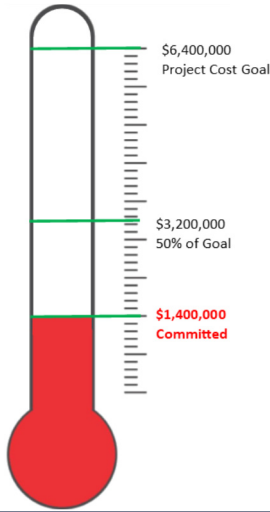
1) Requests **MUST** be received by 9:00 am the Monday prior to that weekend's bulletin. Exceptions cannot be made for late requests.

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**

THE CENTENNIAL PROJECT



Gifts and pledges for the last two weekends amounted to over \$94,500. This brings our total raised to \$1,400,000.

To date, there have been commitments from 291 families. Thank you for your generosity! Please join in with your family's pledge and help build on the great progress achieved in the first two months of the campaign.

Prayer is vital. Please continue to pray for the success of The Centennial Project.

Visit our website to learn more

www.stjoanhershey.org/TheCentennialProject

Upcoming Second Collection

Fr. Gaudfrey Haidhuru will be visiting and serving the parish the **weekend of July 21**. He looks forward to sharing his experience of being a priest in the poor, rural community of Kwiro in central Tanzania. There, Fr. Haidhuru is hoping to complete the construction of a medical center where women can safely give birth to their children. Currently, many mothers and babies lose their lives in the process of childbirth. The hope is that the center will provide mothers and babies with a healthy and happy start so that families will be strong. Fr. Haidhuru humbly asks you to consider making a financial contribution.



Announcing the All-New I Thirst Prayer Community

The I Thirst Prayer Community is a group of people who want to learn more about their faith, the true meaning and understanding of scriptures in the Bible in order to grow in holiness, and enter into an intimate relationship with God. Peter and the first disciples received the Holy Spirit, lived in community with one another, supported one another, and went out to make Christians of all nations as commanded by Jesus. We have received the same Spirit and are also called to live in community and make disciples of all people! We are the Church.

We are a community that:

- ⇒ Meets on Wednesday evenings from 7:00-8:30 pm
- ⇒ Prays together with scripture
- ⇒ Attends a special time of Eucharistic Adoration (Caelorum)
- ⇒ Studies the bible with small group discussion
- ⇒ Interprets how scripture "speaks" to us
- ⇒ Provides a quarterly Healing Mass for those in need of Anointing of Sick and extra prayers
- ⇒ Provides fellowship and support for one another
- ⇒ Conducts service to the community that fits into our busy lives



The goal of this group is to have a personal relationship with God through prayer, studying scripture, and fellowship with one another to enrich lives and become true disciples of Jesus Christ. All are welcome to attend. Remember, when you put God first, your day is put in divine order!

Join us this summer for a series of scripture studies and praying scriptures that contains a theme which is the basis of our faith. See bulletin announcements for more information or call Lynn Schuck at (717) 503-1600.