

29TH

SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



ST. JOAN OF ARC CATHOLIC CHURCH

359 WEST AREBA AVE, HERSHEY, PA 17033

OCTOBER 21, 2018

Ambition
of
James
and
John

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Monday - Friday: 8:00 am - 4:00 pm *Closed Noon -1:00 pm

Sunday: 9:00 am - Noon

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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 Noon, 5:30 pm

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

Rosary & Chaplet of Divine Mercy: Daily at 6:30 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.

*"The Son of
Man did not
come to be
served but to
serve and to
give his life
as a ransom
for many."*

Mark 10:45

FROM THE PASTOR

As we continue Respect Life Month, I think it is important for us to realize what we do as a parish to honor, help and respect life. Here are some of the groups and organizations that uphold life from the moment of conception to the moment of natural death...and every stage in between!

✠ Our Respect Life group is always making us aware of the life issues in our community, state, nation and world. They meet regularly and sponsor our March for Life in Washington, DC and the various events throughout the month of October and through the year. They are always looking for young and active members. Think about joining this important group.

✠ Our parish is actively involved with supporting the poor and needy. We are very involved with the Food Pantry here in Hershey. Our Saint Vincent de Paul Society does untold amounts of good for parishioners (and non-parishioners) who are down on their luck. Our Haiti Committee and the volunteers for the Father Beiting Appalachian Mission do amazing work in helping the truly poor. We have groups that help prisoners; others that make food for the Bethesda Mission in downtown Harrisburg; still others that make baby blankets for babies at the Medical Center. We have Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion who faithfully visit our shut-ins each week. We are a parish who is day in and day out doing the corporal and spiritual works of mercy. We are daily helping our brothers and sisters in our community.

✠ We have a special love for the elderly and for those who have lost a loved one. Our Consolation and Bereavement Ministries do wonderful work for those facing heartache at the death of loved ones.

Sometimes people will say (wrongly) that the Catholic Church is only concerned with the life of the child within the womb but that is far from the truth. We are concerned with life at all its stages. We are Pro-Life! Never be afraid to stand up for life! How good to be a Church that stands up for Life!

Father Al



ALTAR FLOWERS:

Respect Life Rose: In loving memory of Lydia Ocamb and Joan Bennett by Sean and Ian Ocamb.

There are several dates available for altar flowers. Please call the office or visit the parish website.

✠ [Contact Us - Request: Altar Flowers](#)


PARISH PRAYER INTENTIONS:

The following parishioners or family members are ill and have recently been added to our parish prayer list. Please remember them, and all the sick of our parish, in your prayers:

Carl Burkhart, Pete Foschetti, Susan Butch Forsyth, Frank Bolduc.

✠ [Parish - Prayer Intentions](#)

MASS ATTENDANCE: October 13/14					Total: 1712
<u>5:15 PM</u>	<u>7:30 AM</u>	<u>9:00 AM</u>	<u>10:30 AM</u>	<u>NOON</u>	<u>5:30 PM</u>
237	162	335	390	226	362



ANNUAL MASS OF REMEMBRANCE

November 2, 2018

St. Joan of Arc Parish will remember our deceased loved ones with our Annual Mass of Remembrance on Friday, November 2nd at 7:00pm in the Church. In a special way, we will honor the memory of those who were buried from our parish during this past year (Oct. 1, 2017 - Sept. 30, 2018). Everyone is invited to this beautiful liturgy honoring those who have gone before us.



SAVE THE DATE

November 17!



WEEKLY READINGS & MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, OCT. 22: SAINT JOHN PAUL II

Eph 2:1-10; Lk 12:13-21

6:45 AM Veronica Warner

9:00 AM Philip Zaccagnini

TUESDAY, OCT. 23: SAINT JOHN OF CAPISTRANO

Eph 2:12-22; Lk 12:35-38

6:45 AM Vince Mazick

9:00 AM Tony & Katy Andreoni

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 24: SAINT ANTHONY MARY CLARET

Eph 3:2-12; Lk 12:39-48

6:45 AM Michael Mazick

9:00 AM Deceased Painter and Dougherty Families

THURSDAY, OCT. 25

Eph 3:14-21; Lk 12:49-53

6:45 AM Joe, Kathy, Michael Mooney

9:00 AM Arthur Lucarelli, III

FRIDAY, OCT. 26

Eph 4:1-6; Lk 12:54-59

6:45 AM Deceased Members of the Souchak Family

9:00 AM Lydia Ocamb and Joan Bennett

SATURDAY, OCT. 27

Eph 4:7-16; Lk 13:1-9

9:00 AM Kathy Gildea

5:15 PM Deceased Members of the Miller and Rafferty Families

SUNDAY, OCT. 28: THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Jer 31:7-9; Heb 5:1-6; Mk 10:46-52

An "oracle of consolation" regarding the restoration of Israel finds its fulfillment in the person of Jesus, our merciful high priest. His healing of the blind man witnesses to the inauguration of the kingdom.

7:30 AM People of the Parish

9:00 AM Jeff Hahn

10:30 AM Matthew Pritchett

12:00 PM Stanley Stewart

5:30 PM Robert V. Lezzer

This Week In Our Parish

❖ MONDAY, OCTOBER 22		
3:00 PM	Girl Scout Troop	SJC
7:00 PM	EDGE	MRC
7:00 PM	Boy Scout Troop Meeting	CAF
7:00 PM	Evening Bible Study	SLC
7:00 PM	St. Vincent de Paul	LIB
❖ TUESDAY, OCTOBER 23		
9:30 AM	Little Rock Scripture Study	SJC
9:45 AM	Legion of Mary	SJC
1:00 PM	Prayer Shawl Ministry	SLC
6:30 PM	Cub Scouts	CAF
7:00 PM	Faith Enrichment	PC
❖ WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 24		
7:15 AM	Wednesday Morning Coffee	SLC
7:45 AM	Gospel Reflection Group	SLC
4:15 PM	REP: K - Gr. 6	-
6:30 PM	R.C.I.A.	PC
7:00 PM	Young Adults	MRC
7:00 PM	"I Thirst" Prayer Group	CAF
7:00 PM	Explore Franciscan Charism	SJC
❖ THURSDAY, OCTOBER 25		
7:00 PM	Adult Choir Rehearsal	CHR
❖ FRIDAY, OCTOBER 26		
3:00 PM	Junior Legion of Mary	SLC
❖ SATURDAY, OCTOBER 27		
6:30 AM	That Man Is You	MRC
5:00 PM	Monthly Food Bank Collection	-
❖ SUNDAY, OCTOBER 28		
<i>Monthly Food Bank Collection Before Masses</i>		
9:00 AM	REP: K - Gr. 6	-
6:45 PM	Life Teen	MRC
7:00 PM	Confirmation Prep	-
MEETING ROOMS & LOCATIONS		
PC: Parish Center CHP: Chapel (PC) CHR: Church SJC: Saint Joseph Center SLC: Saint Lucy Center MRC: Meeting Room C CAF: Cafeteria LIB: Library		

LITURGICAL MINISTER SCHEDULE: OCTOBER 28, 2018

	5:15 PM	7:30 AM	9:00 AM	10:30 AM	NOON	5:30 PM
Lector	J. Dezagottis	M. Isherwood	J. Nantz	G. Holobetz	S. McDonough	N. Hamilton
EMHC	T. Kilcoyne	J. Pantalone	P. Mooney	C. Mortel	J. Nolan	M. Waiter
	J. Traini	R. Plebani	A. Reeves	M. Rothermel	J. Phillippy	Sr. Eileen
	D. Morgan	M. Spaeder	K. Robinson	R. Barry	M. Stamilio	J. Triscik
Altar	G. Gurney	A. Zaccaria	A. Shiffler	M. Jones	D. Matas	M. Dugan
Servers	T. Abraham	V. Foley	B. Tressler	E. Jones	J. Matas	A. Stinson
	R. Abraham	S. Loser	M. Tressler	M. Pegher	J. Costello	D. Bagatta
MC	M. Abraham	C. Edwards	N. Silvis	J. Pegher	A. Alquin	M. Bagatta

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

Weekly Tithing: \$24,254
Weekly Budget: \$30,385
Weekly Heart Of The Parish: \$2,661



**THIS WEEK'S SPECIAL COLLECTION:
 WORLD MISSION SUNDAY**

We are called to be part of the Church's missionary efforts, supporting mission priests, religious Sisters & Brothers, and lay catechists, who provide loving service to those most in need. Donations received will be used through the Propagation of the Faith for vulnerable communities throughout Asia, Africa, Latin America and the Pacific Islands.

Thank you for your generosity

Your generous donations for our recent special collections are greatly appreciated!

Disaster Relief: \$2,661
Education Collection: \$5,498

YOUTH NEWS

LIFE TEEN (HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH)

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

This Week: "Life Teen Clothing Drive"
 Before winter hits let's clean out those closets and donate to those in need. Life Teen will be collecting clothes before and after all the Masses this weekend to serve several missions in Harrisburg.

Fan The Fire: Fan the Fire is a youth rally in York at St. Joseph Catholic Church on Nov. 17th. The day is filled with great speakers, time for Confession, Eucharistic Adoration, and other ways to grow in your faith. The cost is \$25.

Summer Mission Trip: Registration for Catholic Heart Workcamp is up and running. We will be heading back to Mishawaka, IN and Notre Dame from **June 8 - 14, 2019**. The cost is \$500 (\$100 due at registration). ***Only 10 spots available.**

Annual Steubenville Youth Conference: Come join teens from all over for a weekend of prayer, fun, and spiritual growth. We are heading to Franciscan University from **July 19 - 21** for this wonderful opportunity. The cost of the trip is \$250 (\$50 due at registration.) ***Only 8 spots available.**



EDGE (MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUTH)

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

Are you not in High School but want to be a part of a youth ministry? EDGE is for grades 6th - 8th and meets on Monday nights from 7 - 8:15 in the Youth Room (Meeting Room C) of the St. Joseph Center. ***EDGE Nights: Oct. 22 & Nov. 5, 12, 19.**



With Much Gratitude...

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

COMPANIONS IN CARE



VOCATIONS CORNER



Vocations Cross

Oct. 22-29: Mr. & Mrs. Joe Yaklowich
Nov. 5-12: Daughter's of Mercy

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.

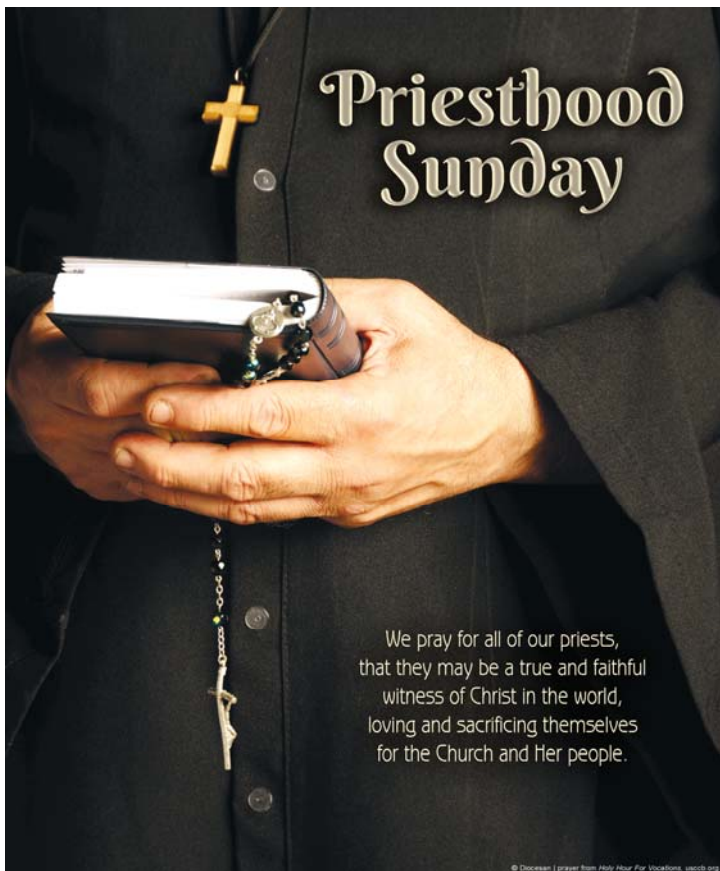
🔗 [Sacraments - Vocations Cross](#)

WHAT IS PRIESTHOOD SUNDAY?

Priesthood Sunday is a special day set aside to honor the priesthood in the United States. It is a day to reflect upon and affirm the role of the priesthood in the life of the Church.

The Vocations Ministry team invites you to celebrate Priesthood Sunday on October 28. This is a good opportunity to show your appreciation and support to our priests. After the 9:00 am and 10:30 am masses, our priests will greet parishioners in the cafeteria and share refreshments. Materials will be available for children to make cards or pictures for our priests.

🔗 [Sacraments - Vocations Corner](#)



We pray for all of our priests,
that they may be a true and faithful
witness of Christ in the world,
loving and sacrificing themselves
for the Church and Her people.

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THANK YOU!!!

The Knights of Columbus thanks everyone for your support of their 4th Annual Oktoberfest.



✚ ANNOUNCEMENTS & NOTES

ALL SOUL ENVELOPES:

Intentions for All Souls Day are due to the Parish Office no later than Sunday, October 28th.

CATHOLIC VOTING INFORMATION:

Resources for Catholic voters are available on our website and the parish office.

🔗 [Education - Catholic Voting](#)

MARRIAGE ANNULMENTS:

Diocesan presentation on Marriage, Divorce, and Annulment - Nov. 5, 7:00 pm, Diocesan Center.

🔗 [Calendars - Catholic Community Events](#)

✚ ADULT FAITH FORMATION

YOUNG ADULTS (Ages 21 - 35):

Calling all Young Adults of the parish between the ages of 21-35, married or single!!! Young Adults meet on the 2nd & 4th Wednesday of the month from 7-8:30 pm in Meeting Room C. We will gather on **Wednesday, October 24th** as we continue "My Life with the Saints" with **Saint Thérèse of Lisieux**.

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

🔗 [Parish Ministries - Young Adults](#)

FAITH ENRICHMENT PROGRAM:

Our Faith Enrichment program continues on **Tuesday, October 21st** featuring "Presence", a series on the real presence of Jesus in the Eucharist. Part 3 of the presentation begins at 7:00 pm in the Parish Center. *This series is also available online through **FORMED**® at: stjoanhershey.formed.org.

🔗 [Education - Faith Enrichment](#)

✚ PRAYER & WORSHIP

"I THIRST" PRAYER GROUP:

Did you ever wonder how the Catholic Bible was created? Join the "I Thirst" Prayer Group to hear Father Modestus explain how the Bible was put together and more. We will gather on Wednesday, **October 24th**, at 7:00 pm in the Cafeteria.

📞 Lou Felice: (717) 583-0240

🔗 Parish Ministries - "I Thirst" Prayer Group

PRAY & PLAY - MOMS AND CHILDREN

Pray & Play for moms and young children:

Join us on any of the dates below from 9:30 to 11:30 am for play dates and prayer. Please email for location. **October 26th.**

📞 Sarah Bonavia: Sarah.Bonavia@gmail.com

🔗 Parish Ministries - Mom's Group

✚ CHARITY & OUTREACH

MONTHLY FOOD BANK COLLECTION:

Volunteers will be collecting food and monetary donations for the Hershey Food Bank before each Mass on the weekend of **October 27 & 28**. Please make all checks payable to: Hershey Food Bank.

🔗 Parish Ministries - Food Bank

BOY SCOUT POPCORN & NUT SALE:

St. Joan of Arc Boy Scouts Troop 108 will be selling popcorn and nuts outside the church after all Masses on Sunday, October 28th. Please stop by to support our Troop and enjoy!

🔗 Parish Ministries - Boy Scouts

DAUGHTERS OF MERCY CALENDAR RAFFLE WINNERS - WEEK 19:

This week's local winners of the Daughter's of Mercy Annual Calendar Raffle are: **Irene Hopper** (Hellam), **Mike Davis** (Palmyra) and **Judith Hobbs** (York). Congratulations to the winners! God Bless!

✚ YOUTH INFORMATION

CUB SCOUTS PACK 108 - JOIN US!

Scouting is full of fun, adventure, and activities. It develops leadership skills and civic-minded, resourceful and physically fit young men who learn to do their best. Pack 108 is accepting applications for boys from kindergarten to 5th grade. The Pack is also looking for adult leaders. Positions for adult volunteers do not require having a child in the program and we welcome former Scouts and Scout leaders to join our team. Please contact Rich Burdette for membership information.

📞 Rich: (801) 232-7492; pack108hershey@gmail.com

🔗 Parish Ministries - Cub Scout Pack 108

✚ MINISTRY NEWS

CCW CHRISTMAS BAZAAR INFO:

St. Joan of Arc Council of Catholic Women will host their annual Christmas Bazaar on Saturday, **November 10, 2018** from 8:00 am to 2:00 pm in the cafeteria. Mark your calendars and plan to join us in support of our parish!

• **New items requested for raffle baskets:** Candy, Pasta. Monetary donations accepted to purchase items, gift cards & lotto cards.

• **Accepting:** jewelry, crafts, religious items, plants, new toys, Christmas decorations, attic treasures and flea market items.

• **Attention Bakers:** We welcome items for our Bake Sale table (cakes, pies, fudge, breads, cookies, biscotti, pizzelles, etc.)

★ **Donated Items:** Drop off for donated items will be **Oct. 24 - Nov. 7** (8:00 am - 6:00 pm). All items should be dropped off at the CCW shed located in the parking lot behind the cafeteria.

🔗 Parish Ministries - CCW

CCW NUT ROLL SALE:

Are you a nut lover? Well, it is CCW's Nut Roll Time again! These rolls are a Holiday treat for your family or as a gift. Each roll is about 18" long and stuffed with your favorite filling (Nut, Poppysseed, Apricot, Prune, Seedless Raspberry, & Pumpkin Cream). The Cost is \$16 per roll. Orders must be placed by November 12 and pick up is November 20. To place an order, call Janet (717) 533-3368. Please leave a message if you get a voice mail.

✚ CATHOLIC NEWS

PEACE IN THE CHAOS:

What is the Secular Order of Franciscans - OFS (*Order of 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 4th Wednesday of each month at 7:00 pm in the St. Catherine of Sienna Room (St. Joseph Center).

📞 Mary Catherine: (717) 583-0240

🔗 Calendars - Catholic Community Events

✚ 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) Request 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