THE HOLY TRINITY

Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of The FATHER, and of The SON, and of The holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you.

Mt. 28:19-20

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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 MASS

7:30 am 9:30 am (livestreamed) 11:30 am 5:00 pm

DAILY MASS

Monday - Friday 6:45 am & 9:00 am (livestreamed) Saturday 9:00 am (livestreamed)

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Wednesday 5:00-5:30 pm Saturday 4:00-4:45 pm





Thank you for all who helped make the Mass of Thanksgiving of Father Tom Meinert so beautiful last Sunday on the Solemnity of Pentecost. A special nod goes to Mike Davis and the choir for the beautiful music prepared for Father Tom's first Mass here at the parish and to the CCW who made a wonderful meal for the

reception afterwards. You outdid yourselves!

Thank you for all who made our Parish Festival a great success: those who attended with family and friends; those who volunteered to work at the Festival; and a special thanks to our Festival Committee who put many hours of hard work into planning and executing this wonderful event in the life of our parish.



⊕ We welcomed this past week to our parish Deacon Chiedozie F. Ononuiu. Deacon Dozie, as he wishes to be called, is a transitional deacon for the Diocese of Harrisburg. He God-willing, will be ordained a priest for our diocese next year. Deacon Dozie will be with us this summer until July 31st and will then return each

weekend, depending on his schedule, from Mount Saint Mary Seminary in Emmitsburg, MD. Deacon Dozie is originally from Nigeria but has been in this country since he was a senior in high school. He is a graduate of Bucknell University in Lewisburg with a degree in Electrical Engineering. The first parish for a deacon and priest is invaluable to young men ordained to serve the Church. Let us be grateful to Bishop Gainer in entrusting this newly-ordained deacon to Saint Joan of Arc in Hershey. It is an honor.

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SENDING OUR CONDOLENCES

Please pray for the soul of *Scott Newkam* who died recently. The parish community of St. Joan of Arc extends our deepest sympathies to his family 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: Kelli Metzler, Rosemary Connolly, Barbara Harlacker, Diana DePastino, Phil Bawden, Fred Bender, Christopher Jordan, Joan Nve. Mark Benner. Julie Benner, Diane Holubek, Fred Sanders, Larry Enders, Jeff & Lori Sotack, Rosemarie Marone, Abram Brandt, Mort Kayser, Barbara Kayser, Lisa Kayser, and Mary Beth Sheehan.















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For more details, contact the Convent (717) 533-2864.



MASS INTENTIONS & WEEKLY READINGS

MONDAY, JUNE 13: MEMORIAL OF SAINT ANTHONY OF PADUA, PRIEST AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH

1 Kgs 21:1-16; Mt 5:38-42

6:45 AM For the Intentions of All Our Parish

Volunteers

9:00 AM Richard Cappelli

TUESDAY, JUNE 14:

1 Kgs 21:17-29; Mt 5:43-48

6:45 AM Fred Sontheimer

9:00 AM Mason Brady

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 15:

2 Kgs 2:1, 6-14; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

6:45 AM Nancy Hoffman

9:00 AM Lou Santangelo

THURSDAY, JUNE 16:

Sir 48:1-14; Mt 6:7-15

6:45 AM Francis McCarthy

9:00 AM Terrence Freisen

FRIDAY, JUNE 17:

2 Kgs 11:1-4, 9-18, 20; Mt 6:19-23

6:45 AM Janice Stahl

9:00 AM George Vincent Pierce

SATURDAY, JUNE 18:

2 Chr 24:17-25; Mt 6:24-34

9:00 AM Mary & Louis Stahl

5:00 PM Deceased Members of Roy E. Hovis

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SUNDAY, JUNE 19:

THE SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

Melchizedek, priest of God Most High, offers bread and wine as a blessing upon Abram. Jesus fulfills this offering, giving us his own body and blood under the forms of bread and wine. Thus is our hunger satisfied in abundance, as we make our pilgrim way to the heavenly banquet.

Gn 14:18-20; 1 Cor 11:23-26; Lk 9:11b-17

7:30 AM Carl O. Robinson

9:30 AM Frank Bolduc

11:30 AM Stephen Butsko, Son, Geary

and Dale Geib

5:00 PM William Kelleher

VOCATION CROSS



The Vocation Cross will be in the home of:

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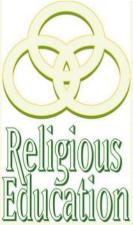
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CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION

In Today's Gospel, our Lord tells his followers that when the Spirit of truth comes "He will glorify me...(and) take from what is mine and declare it to you." Next Sunday, June 19, we will have the opportunity to share the glory of the Lord with our neighbors. Please join the parish community after the 11:30 Mass as we take part in a short Eucharistic procession on the streets around the church. We look forward to seeing you then.



REP Registration 2022-2023

We are currently accepting registrations for the REP program. If your child is already registered from this past year, please pay the tuition and we will promote your student directly to the next grade level. New registrations can access the form at stjoanhershey.org under REP forms.

Tuition for one child: \$80.00Two children: \$90.00

• Three or more children: \$100.00

Any questions, please contact Earl Tropp at (717) 533-7168 Ext 122.

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-Living the Gospel of Life: A challenge to American Catholics, no. 7, USCCB

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contact: Project Rachel (717) 857-2282 or

Email: prm@hbgdiocese.org

Knights of Columbus

June Hershey Foodbank and Monetary collections: \$1,820 collected and 280 lbs. of food. God bless all from the parish who contributed and consistently support our efforts. Thanks to all who helped with the collection. Our next collection is the weekend of July 2 & 3.

Road to Kindness

WOW! Thank you all for helping to make our 48th Annual Festival a success. Thank you to everyone that gave their time and effort to help with our Festival. Your Kindness is so greatly appreciated! The



food, the games, the music – all made it a perfect event! Our Annual Festival is an important part of our church and it brings our church community together to share special times.

There are no coincidences as we travel through life. God puts people in our life and we always should show our Kindness – Thank you! This is what it means to be following "God's Way – The Road to Kindness!" God bless you!

Pray & Play Group for Moms and Young Children

Interested in getting together with other Catholic moms to pray, chat, and share snacks while the kids play? Please join us! We meet every Wednesday, beginning June through October. For location and any questions, please email vanya.f.murdaugh@gmail.com.

CCW Meeting

The CCW is having a planning meeting on Thursday, June 23 at 6:30 pm in our CCW room. The purpose of the meeting is to plan for the CCW year 2022/2023 and for the CCW rummage sale in August. All ladies of the Parish are welcome. We look forward to your participation. Thanks for all you do for CCW and our Parish.



Many thanks to everyone who participated in and supported the festival in any way! We look forward to reporting proceeds earned in the coming weeks!

Areba Club

The Areba Club will meet on Tuesday, June 21 at 1:00 pm in the Parish Social Hall. A catered picnic luncheon will be served. Cost is \$22 per person and reservations are required. Any questions, contact Yvonne Martin at (717) 838-1535.

Prayer Shawl Ministry

Join the talented group of women who use their hands to knit or crochet prayer shawls and lap robes. Their hearts are very generous as they create special items and give them to folks in need. We would be happy to teach beginners! We will meet the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of the month from 1:00-3:00 pm in Room 316.

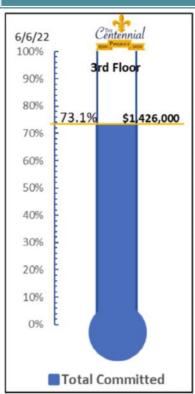
Please contact Norberta (Bert) Curran at (302) 228-9735 or Kathy Palmer at (717) 566-1481 with any questions.

1st and 3rd Saturday Prayer Ministry

At St. Joan of Arc, we recognize that need to come together and bring the healing power of God to one another. Please join us after the 5:00 pm Saturday evening Mass on the 1st and 3rd Saturdays of each month. Our small prayer groups will pray with any individual desiring physical and/spiritual healing. Please contact Susan Susi with any questions at ssusibscd@gmail.com



THE CENTENNIAL PROJECT



This past Monday, June 6, the 8th graders became the second class to graduate from the new St. Joan of Arc School. We congratulate them for their hard-earned achievement. We are confident that all of the students are well positioned to flourish in high school. Across the nation, there are horror stories of the failure of school districts to meet minimal educational standards, exacerbated by poor decision making in the wake of the COVID pandemic. We are blessed that our students were able to keep up and thrive in this infamous period of educational malpractice.

In case you missed it, on Easter Monday, April 18, St. Joan of Arc's Principal, Sister Eileen, was invited to the National Catholic Education Association's Annual Conference in New Orleans. Sister, along with twelve other administrators were national recipients of the 2022 Lead. Learn. Proclaim. Award which recognizes the "outstanding efforts, contributions, and achievements on behalf of Catholic school education." Congratulations to Sister. Her quiet and untiring leadership is the driving force behind our school's true excellence in education.

There are still matching funds available for the Donor Match Program to support the 3rd floor renovations. Generous benefactors have agreed to match dollar for dollar your donation to the Centennial Project. New contributions have tapered over the past several weeks, so please prayerfully consider a sacrificial gift to help us attain our goal. We urgently need your continued financial support.

For more on the objective and the achievements of the Centennial Project:

You can view the positive impact of the school on the students and a virtual tour of the planned expansion at: https://www.stjoanhershey.org/centennial1.html

Please prayerfully consider donating to this vital educational mission of St. Joan of Arc Parish: https://www.stjoanhershey.org/thecentennialproject.html

YOUTH NEWS

Life Teen (High School)

This Week: No Life Teen. Life Teen returns July 10!

Next Week: Life Teen will return July 10 following our annual June sabbatical. Keep an eye on the schedule below to see what's happening with Life Teen this Summer.

2022 Upcoming LIFE TEEN Schedule

June 19 No Life Teen-Happy Father's Day! June 26 No Life Teen. See you on July 10!

July 3 No Life Teen-Have a safe and Happy July 4th!

EDGE (Middle School)

EDGE will return in September 7. Have a great summer! All 6-8th graders are invited.

Life Teen Band: Looking for members to help lead worship at 5:00 pm Sunday Night Life Teen Mass.

Contact Greg Rozman at rozman@roz-man.com

ADULT FAITH

Young Adults (21-39)

Calling all young adults between the ages of 21-39, married or single! We meet on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of the month from 7:00-8:00 pm in the Youth Room. After a summer break, Young Adults will gather on August 10, as we begin a series on prayer.

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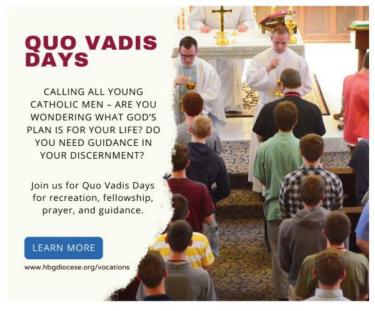
HAPPENINGS & EVENTS

Charismatic Mass at St. Theresa Parish

On Tuesday, July 5 at 7:00 pm there will be a Charismatic Mass with prayers for healing at St. Theresa Church, 1300 Bridge St., New Cumberland. Reverend Monsignor Robert E. Lawrence will be Celebrant. All Are welcome. For information, please call Mary Ann at (717) 512-3628 or Vicki at (717) 364-6260.



What is God's plan for your life? If you are a young Catholic man or woman and want to learn more about consecrated life, please visit the Vocations page of the Diocesan website.



Please pick up your pre-ordered Hershey Park tickets at the parish office at your earliest convenience. There were no extra tickets ordered. Please call the parish office with any questions at (717) 533-7168.

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FATHER BEITING MISSION

Unfortunately the volunteers from St. Joan of Arc will NOT be going down to the Mission Center this spring due to a number of unforeseen circumstances.

Although we won't be going to Kentucky this spring, their needs continue to be even greater than ever especially this year due to COVID and an extremely harsh winter. Our hope is to send a donation from St. Joan of Arc to help defray some of the cost of materials needed for the repairs that are so desperately needed in this economically disadvantaged area. The NEEDS are great and anything that we can do to help them financially will be greatly appreciated.

If you would like to help, please send a check to Larry or Jan Duckart and a note in the memo on the check that it is for FBAMC. While we cannot send our volunteers to Father Beiting Appalachian Mission Center this spring, we can help support them with your significant contribution. We thank you for your continued generosity.

Please send your contribution to:

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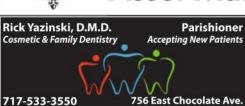
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