

# St. Joan of Arc Catholic Church

359 West Areba Avenue • Hershey, PA 17033

Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

March 27, 2016

**PARISH OFFICE HOURS** Sundays 9:00 AM-12:00 PM  
Monday thru Friday 8:00 AM - 4:00 PM (closed 12:00-1:00 PM)  
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## PARISH OFFICE

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## Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Wednesday - 5:00 to 5:30 PM, Saturday 4:00 to 4:45 PM

**Sacrament of the Sick:** Call the Parish Office.

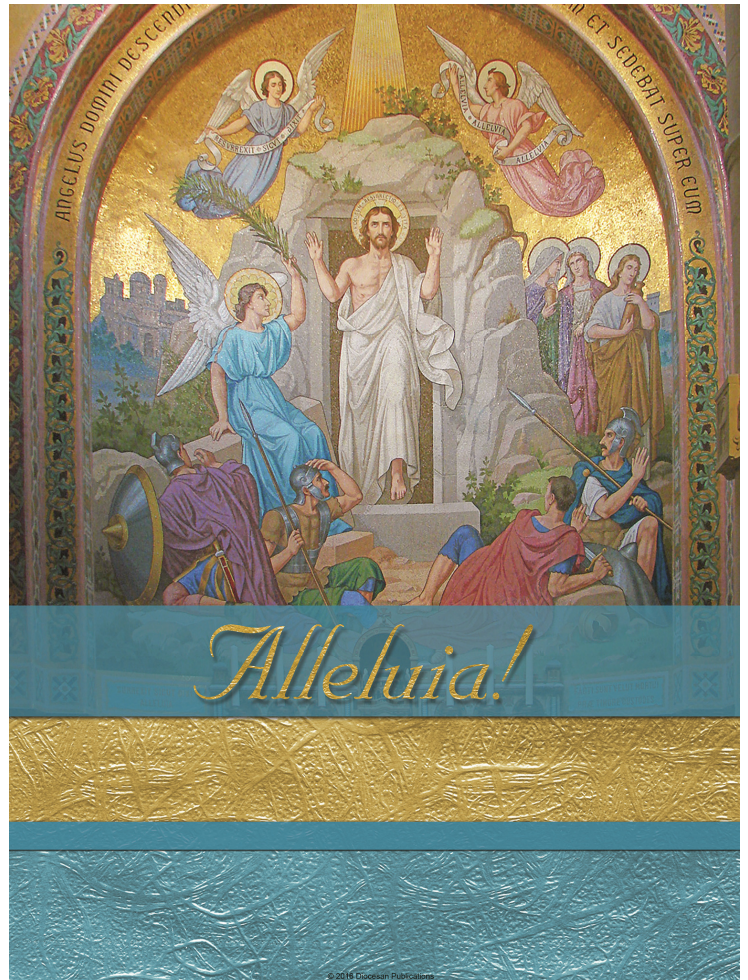
**Sacrament of Baptism:** 1st & 3rd Sunday of each month

Parents are required to attend one class. Please call the parish office to register.

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

**Parish Membership:** Welcome to St. Joan of Arc Parish. Please register on our website or stop in the Parish Office.

**Bulletin Deadline:** Monday before publication date by 9:00 AM.  
Bulletin email: bulletin@stjoanhershey.org



## MASS SCHEDULE

**Saturday Vigil:** 5:15 PM

**Sunday Masses:**

7:30, 9:00, 10:30 AM, 12:00, 5:30 PM

**Daily Mass:** Monday - Friday: 6:45 & 9:00 AM

Saturday: 9:00 AM

**Rosary & Chaplet of Divine Mercy:** 6:30 PM everyday

**Chaplet of Divine Mercy:** 9:30 AM everyday

**Holy Days:** Please refer to the website for information

**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament** on First Friday of each month from after 9:00 AM Mass until 9:45 PM closing with Benediction.

**Prayer Service** at 7:00 PM during Exposition on First Friday.



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 Intentions For The Week



### Monday, March 28

6:45 AM Joe & Dottie Caprarola  
9:00 AM Deceased Nestico and Lavelle Families

### Tuesday, March 29

6:45 AM Special Intention for Meghan Johnson  
9:00 AM Borroni & Weir Families

### Wednesday, March 30

6:45 AM Mary Nulty  
9:00 AM Pietro Gasper

### Thursday, March 31

6:45 AM Special Intention for Anthony Nestico  
9:00 AM John Spicjarich

### Friday, April 1

6:45 AM Cliff Padiel and Lydia Pronio  
9:00 AM Pietro Rossi

### Saturday, April 2

9:00 AM Deceased Cialone Family

### Second Sunday of Easter/Sunday of Divine Mercy April 3, 2016

*Readings:* Acts 5:12-16; Ps 118; Rv 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”.

### Vigil, April 2

5:15 PM Dorothy Graybash

### Sunday, April 3

7:30 AM Theresa Sakalosky  
9:00 AM Meyers & Deaven Families  
10:30 AM People of the Parish  
12:00 PM David Bogrette  
5:30 PM John McElhinney

### Readings for the Week of March 27, 2016

**Monday** Acts 2:14, 22-33; Ps 16; Mt 28:8-15

**Tuesday** Acts 2:36-41; Ps 33; Jn 20:11-18

**Wednesday** Acts 3:1-10; Ps 105; Lk 24:13-35

**Thursday** Acts 3:11-26; Ps 8; Lk 24:35-48

**Friday** Acts 4:1-12; Ps 118; Jn 21:1-14

**Saturday** Acts 4:13-21; Ps 118; Mk 16:9-15



*Happy Easter*

With great joy we celebrate today the Resurrection of Jesus Christ! By His death and resurrection, Christ has offered all of us something that was not possible before - eternal life with Him forever in Heaven. The darkness of sin and death has been overcome by the Light of Christ!

May God continue to bless you for being a great witness to Christ's love and generosity, and may the joy and peace of the risen Lord be with you and your entire family.

In the Risen Lord,

Father Al  
Father Sahd  
Father Michael

### Eternal rest, grant unto them, O Lord

Please pray for the soul of **Donna Daley** who died recently. The parish community of St. Joan of Arc Church extends its deepest sympathy to her family and relatives on their loss.

### 1ST FRIDAY EUCHARISTIC ADORATION SCHEDULE

On Friday, **APRIL 1**, immediately following the 9 AM Mass, we will have Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, closing with Benediction at 9:45 PM. Evening Prayer is held at 7 PM. If you would like to have your name mentioned in the healing prayers, please notify the parish office by Thursday, March 31. Please keep us updated each month if you want your name on the list.



- All parishioners are encouraged to come for an hour of adoration so that our Eucharistic Lord is attended throughout the day.
- If you would like to be a regular Adorer or a substitute, call John (533-9529).



Holiday Office Hours:  
The office will be closed on Monday,  
March 28. We will be open normal hours on  
Tuesday, March 29.

## Liturgical Ministry Schedule for April 3, 2016

	5:15 PM	7:30 AM	9:00 AM	10:30 AM	12:00 Noon	5:30 PM
<b>Lector</b>	J. O'Hara	M. Spaeder	F. Lenker	P. Graybash	Sr. Salvatoris	S. Gutshall
<b>EMHC</b>	S. Cordaro	K. Harbaugh	L. Demers	M. DeAngelis	C. Evans	V. Felice
	B. Frola	C. Eimer	B. Hasson	T. DeAngelis	J. Evans	T. Kilcoyne
	J. Frola	J. Kreider	A. Gould	R. Meinert	J. Traini	C. Malloy
	E. Frauenhoffer		W. Lutz	P. Mooney		J. McGruder
<b>Altar Servers</b>	G. Gurney	D. O'Hara	M. Gould	J. Pegher	N. Kodua	C. Roche
	M. Gurney	M. O'Hara	L. Gould	N. Hamilton	M. Brooks	S. Mimmagh
	M. Yee	M. O'Hara	M. McQuillan	A. Hamilton	M. Bagatta	C. Larkin
	V. Yee	G. Harbaugh	Z. Rebarchak	L. Hamilton	D. Bagatta	J. Larkin
<b>MC</b>	J. Yee	T. Harbaugh	M. Rebarchak	L. Hamilton	P. Bagatta	P. Larkin

**Money Counters:** F. Savini, B. Zarefoss, F. McCarthy, J. Frola, H. Devine, B. McCarthy

**MASS ATTENDANCE**

March 19 &amp; 20, 2016

5:15 - 328      7:30 - 239      9:00 - 421  
 10:30 - 750      12:00 - 377      5:30 - 527

**TOTAL - 2642**

If you would like to take the Pilgrim Cross into your home (for one week per year) and pray for vocations, please call the parish office at 533-7168.

This week **March 28-April 4** the Pilgrim cross will be in the home of Mr. & Mrs. Tim Patt.

Next week **April 4-April 11** the Pilgrim cross will be in the home of Mr. & Mrs. Eric Salley.

**THE DIVINE MERCY NOVENA**

(9 days leading up to Divine Mercy Sunday)

Jesus asked that the Feast of the Divine Mercy be preceded by a Novena to the Divine Mercy which would begin on **Good Friday**.

During the Solemn Novena, the **Chaplet of Divine Mercy** should be offered each day for the day's intentions.

Pamphlets on the Novena to the Divine Mercy and Chaplet of the Divine Mercy can be found at the back of church. Please pick yours up today! Also, Eucharistic devotion will be held at 2:45 on Divine Mercy Sunday, April 3. Fr. Al will talk about the importance of the Divine Mercy from his pilgrimage experience to the Divine Mercy Shrine in Krakow, Poland.

**Knights of Columbus Open House**

On Friday, April 1 at 7:00 PM in the Cafeteria the St. Joan of Arc Knight's of Columbus will be hosting an open house. Our council faithfully serves the Church, the Community, and the Family. We invite all Catholic men 18 and older to learn more about the great things we are doing and how you can be part of our proud Order.

For more information please call Michael at 533-2408.

**This Week in our Parish****SUNDAY, March 27****MONDAY, March 28**

7:00 PM Monday Evening Bible Study

**TUESDAY, March 29**

9:30 AM Little Rock Scripture Study

6:30 PM Cub Scouts

**WEDNESDAY, March 30**

7:15 AM Wednesday Morning Coffee

4:15 PM REP K-Gr 6

5:00 PM Confessions

6:30 PM RCIA

7:00 PM Life in the Spirit Seminar

**THURSDAY, March 31****FRIDAY, April 1**

9:30 AM Adoration

3:00 PM Jr. Legion of Mary

6:00 PM Knights of Columbus Social

**SATURDAY, April 2**

4:00 AM Confessions

**SUNDAY, April 3-Blood Pressure Screening**

9:00 AM REP K-Gr 6

1:00 PM Baptisms

2:45 PM Divine Mercy Devotions

6:45 PM Life Teen

7:00 PM Confirmation Prep



The following parishioners or family members are ill. Please remember them and all the sick of the parish in your prayers.

**Vincent Savini, David Liddy, Kaitlin Buser,****Betty Zaccagnini, Phil Gergen,****Ed Nerino, Diane Holubek,****Ralph Keller, Valeria Szurdi, Meghan Johnson,****Charles John Raab, Jo Anderson, Rachel Neves**

Reminder: Names will remain on the list for six weeks. Please call to have them placed back on the prayer list.

## YOUTH AND EDUCATION NEWS



LIFE TEEN

**No Life Teen today!**

**Next Week - "Life Teen Social"** - We will celebrate the Lord's Resurrection with a little fun and games next week.

**EDGE** is for grades 6-8 and meets on Monday nights in Meeting Room C from 7-8:15. We will meet on April 4, 18 and 25.



Calling all Young Adults of St. Joan of Arc Catholic Church between the ages of 21-35, married or single!!! We will meet on the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of the month from 7-8:30 in Meeting Room C. We will continue our new series April 13 and 27 with "The Great Adventure Bible Study."

If you have any questions about any of the above items, please call John at 208-0157 or email at [stjoanofarc lifeteen@gmail.com](mailto:stjoanofarc lifeteen@gmail.com).

## SCHOOL

### 2016 Night of Knights Gala

Tickets are now on sale! Please join us at the Hershey Country Club on Saturday, April 16 for a night of food, dancing and bidding at the silent auction. Tickets are \$75 each. To purchase a ticket, call Deb Rizzotto at 533-2854.

### Sponsor a Child Seeks Donations

A Catholic Education should be available to every child whose parents choose it. Unfortunately, the cost of tuition sometimes precludes some families from making that choice. That is why SJA started the Sponsor a Child Program.

Parishioners, alumni, and others can "adopt" a child in full or in part. Gifts may be made in a lump sum, or in monthly or quarterly payments. For more information please contact Deb Rizzotto at 717-533-2854 or [drizzotto@stjoanhershey.org](mailto:drizzotto@stjoanhershey.org).



Eat at the Hershey Chipotle on April 12, 2016 from 4-8 PM and 50% of the cost of your meal will benefit our kids through the St. Joan of Arc School PTO. Last year we earned over \$800

from Chipotle. Let's beat it this year!

Find flyers at the back of the church.



**Parish Nurse Ministry** Parish Nurses will be taking Blood Pressures next weekend after the Saturday 5:15PM and Sunday 7:30, 9:00, and 10:30AM Masses. Look for them in the School library, except after the 9:00 Mass, they will be in the cafeteria. It takes only a few minutes. All are welcome.

**Caelorum** will be held on Wednesday, April 6 at 7 PM. Join us in celebrating Christ's resurrection this Easter Season by adoring Jesus through prayer, praise, worship and music. A reception will be held immediately following the Caelorum.

We wish to thank the sponsor of the week  
**Advanced Insurance Solutions**  
for advertising in our bulletin.



## STEWARDSHIP

*Managing God's Gifts To Us*

*Lenten Appeal Series:*

### Week 5 - Why Support the Bishop's Annual Lenten Appeal?

As individuals and as parishes, we are called upon to ensure that the religious, educational and charitable efforts in our diocese may continue. Many of these needs are beyond the scope and resources of any one individual or parish. Therefore, we must meet these needs as the united community of faith.

If you have already made a gift this year, please be assured of our gratitude. Your kindness and generosity are not unnoticed. We would very much appreciate your prayers through this campaign as we continue to do God's work and support our Diocese.

### CCW - TICKETS ON SALE NOW

Our annual Women's Communion Breakfast will be held on May 1 in the cafeteria after the 9AM Mass. A delicious breakfast will be served by the Knights of Columbus. Our speaker will be Rev. Brian Wayne our former parochial vicar. His topic will be "Bringing a Lost Sheep Home". Purchase a ticket for \$9 from any CCW member or in our parish office. Mark your calendar and plan to join us.

### Life in the Spirit

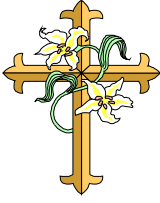
"I THIRST" Prayer Group invites you to attend the Life in the Spirit Seminar for Lesson 3 on "New Life," held in the cafeteria at 7 PM. An explanation of how Jesus lived in the Spirit is given. The Baptism of Jesus becomes our model. A witness is given on the place of gifts, fruits and charisms of the Holy Spirit in daily life. Join us to deepen your faith and walk with Jesus!



### MENTOR COUPLE TRAINING

The Office of Marriage & Family Ministries will host a Mentor Couple Training in either April or May for parishioners interested in helping to prepare couples for marriage. To qualify, couples should be married at least three years (preferably five); be fully committed to and knowledgeable about Church teachings regarding marriage, family, and human life; be warm, welcoming, and engaging; and be willing to work with their parish to mentor couples in their home in preparation for marriage.

Please contact Mary Butch at 717.533.7168 ext. 115 or [mbutch@stjoanhershey.org](mailto:mbutch@stjoanhershey.org) to volunteer.



*Easter Memorials Have Been Donated  
in Loving Memory of:*

- † Deceased Frauenhoffer and Lind Families from Elizabeth Frauenhoffer, M.D.
- † Peter & Dorothy McCarthy; Roy & Anna Hovis; Donald & Mildred McCarthy; Harold & Doris Engle; Elizabeth McCarthy; Edward Hovis from Fran & Barb McCarthy
- † Rosie & August D'Ambrosio; Minnie, Brian and Kevin Breckenmaker; Peter & Domenica DeSantis from Mr. & Mrs. Stanley Stewart
- † The deceased of the Borroni and Weir Families from Matt, Kevin, Terry, Denise and Stephanie
- † David, Edmund, Kathryn, John Bogrette; Anna, Vito, Michael Cedro; Andrea Varano; Michael Horrocks; Maria Rossi; Mary Ann Dowd; Margaret Davis from Mary & Jack Bogrette
- † Silvio Zack Zaccagnini from Wife, Daughters, Sons-In-Law, Grandchildren
- † Mark & Barbara McQuate; David McQuate; Paul & Anna McQuate; Ted & Mary Frey; Barbara Frey and deceased Bisacky and Wulf Families from Susan & Don Robison
- † Monsignor Leo N. Bierster; Rev. Louis P. Ogden; Monsignor Francis M. Kumontis; Emma Castelli; Lydia Ocamb; Millie Tapparo; Frances Gibson; Guy and Louie Masciocchi from Mary and Susan
- † Bartolo P. Bruno; Andrew T. Sakse; Albert Lashuk from their family
- † William & Edna Schumacher; Terence G. Freisen; Theresa K. Freisen; Martha Furey from Katie Freisen
- † Harry F. Devine; Clyde & Josie Ziegler; Mr. & Mrs. James Devine; Leopold & Mary Savrer; John & Aldea Duquette from Mr. & Mrs. Harry Devine
- † Pronio, Susi and Modesto Families from Pete & Genie Bowman
- † James Saxton from wife, Estelle
- † Deceased members of Spagnolo and Nikolaus Families from Mr. & Mrs. Philip J. Spagnolo
- † Ellen J. Stamilio from LTC Mike Stamilio
- † Kathryn & Harry Spang; John & Alicebell Mura from the Spang Family
- † Marion & Salvador Bilotta from Dolores & Albert Rossi
- † Deacon Rocco Damiano; Skrzec Family; Damiano Family from Ann Damiano
- † 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; Mary & Joseph Yashinsky; Edward, Angelas & Ed Oakum from Helen Yashinsky
- † Louis & Mary Stahl from Helen Yashinsky and Mary McCarthy
- † Ethel DiClemente from Donald DiClemente
- † Rocco & Anna, Dominic & Norma, Dino and Divo DiClemente from Donald DiClemente
- † Guido and Dino Niccolini from Donald DiClemente
- † Raymond Carlucci and Enrico Rossi from Donald DiClemente
- † Wayne Foust; Steno Verrazzani; Claudio & Maria Rossi; Enrico Rossi; Cathy Lalli; Joseph & Vanda D'Anna from Pamela Foust and Amelia Verrazzani
- † Carolyn & Joseph Mastrosati from Carol Mastrosati
- † Dr. Dick Ingaglio; deceased members of Ingaglio, Capizzi and Shiffler Families from Geraldine J. Ingaglio
- † Emidio & Sylvia Silvestri; Mrs. Joan Silvestri-Robbins; Joseph Silvestri; Mr. & Mrs. John J. Robbins from John & Josie Silvestri-Robbins
- † James Jerome Guyer; James Philip Guyer from the family
- † Sarah M. Lutz; Mr. & Mrs. Harry Lutz; Mr. & Mrs. Russell Morris; Mr. & Mrs. James Ruggiero from Bill Lutz and family
- † The Croce Family; The Horetsky Family; Gerri Lowry; Albert Ferraro; Michael J. Horetsky from Mary G. Horetsky
- † William & Eleanor Lawler from Bob & Kathy Rath and family
- † John McElhinney; Dr. & Mrs. Anthony Cantore; Lillian & Edward McElhinney; Pat & Frank Wunschel, Marion Arrell from the Cantore Family
- † The deceased members of the Dezagottis and Vitiello Families from Jim & Judy Dezagottis
- † James Rafferty from Marie Rafferty

- † Joseph, Sr., Effie & James, Sr. Butch; Angelo & Katie Croci; Anna & Andrew Butch; Josephine Mintz Rouse; Enrico & Clementi Croci; Edward, Kenny and William Mintz; Andrew & Arlene Butch from the Butch Family
- † Joseph & Madeline Capita from Joanne & Cosmo Agostino
- † Mary E. Lewis; Edward B. Lewis & Dorothy L. Lewis from Dr. Edward B. Lewis
- † Charles & Helen Pompey; Charles Pompey, Jr.; Norma & Jack Jones; Vincent, Teresa and Carl Arlotta from Ellen Pompey
- † The deceased members of Serafino and Carolina Castelli Families; William, Jane and Tina DeLuce; the deceased members of the Garvey Family; Philomena Castelli from the DeLuce Family
- † The Cifani Family; The Morelli Family; Paul Vasco; William & Suzanne Claypoole from William & Rosanne Claypoole
- † Helen & Ozzie Morelli from Jeanne Morelli and Rosanne Claypoole and family
- † Stuart Shifflett; Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Kenny; Kenny Family; Gibson Family; Strohm Family from Mary Shifflett
- † Donna L. Boova from the Boova Family
- † Anne & Vincent Krayvo; Vincent Krayvo, Jr.; Richard Nath; Anna & Giacinto DiBlasio; Christine Magriney from Marge DiBlasio and Family
- † Vince Pronio from his wife and family
- † Helen & Roy Field from son, John and family
- † Rose & Martin Papich from daughters, Candy, LaDora and family
- † Donald Rippon from Rippon Family and Hilgers Family
- † Carrie Elizabeth Wolf; Maurice Wolf; Karen Ann Ziegelmeier; Edward Pasquale; Adeline Pasquale; Charles Pasquale; Joan Marie Rittelmann; Daniel Rittelmann from Patricia R. Wolf
- † John Burke from Margaret Burke
- † Dionisio Castelli from the Castelli Family
- † William A. Brady, Jr.; The Brady Family; The Vernacchio Family from Doris M. Brady
- † Tony Wise; Natale & Elisa Camacci; Antonette Peffley; Ann & Raymond Fox; Rosemary Camacci; all deceased Wise Family; Kenneth Stuck from Julia Wise
- † The Durkin and McLaughlin Families from Catherine E. Durkin
- † Deceased members of Chango and Paoletti Families from Nancy & Bob Chango
- † Clare Doty; Alma & Aldo Modesto; Clif Padiar; Modesto, Pronio and Susi Families from Roger & Loretta Doty
- † Mary Brown from daughter, Sandy Cappelli
- † Helen Cappelli from son, Rich Cappelli
- † Deceased members of Braccini and Barletta Families from Mr. & Mrs. Benjamin Barletta
- † Bill & Peggy Owens; Bill, Jr. "Bumper" Owens; the deceased Owens and Rowley Families from Kenny, Jack, Jackie, Jessica and Lola
- † Jonathan Barger; Edna & Raymond Barger; Madalene & Leo Miller; Marian Vavro; Debra Wewer from Rick & Patty Barger
- † Guido & Filomena Piergallini from their loving family
- † Jean DeAngelis; Marie DeAngelis; Domenico & Genuetta DeAngelis and family from Richard DeAngelis and family
- † Jean & Jim Leonard from their children and grandchildren
- † Ugo Passalacqua and Ulisse Passalacqua Family from Diva D. Passalacqua
- † Rocco & Anna, Dominic & Norma, Ethel, Dino and Divo DiClemente Family from Diva D. Passalacqua
- † Delio Franci and Delise Riva Families; Mary Clare Doty; Ovie & Edith Acri from Diva D. Passalacqua
- † Robert Dobroski from wife and family
- † Deceased members of the Arters Family; deceased members of the Kershner Family from Frank & Sara Kershner
- † Harry "Pop-Pop" Bryan from Christina Asbury
- † Agnes & Edward Connolly; Helen & George Schumacher from Rosemary & Dan Connolly
- † Robert G. Hopstetter from Alma Hopstetter, Bob and Chris Hopstetter and Sharon Blake
- † Deceased members of George Hopstetter Family from Alma Hopstetter, Bob and Chris Hopstetter
- † Deceased members of Allen Artz Family from Alma Hopstetter, Bob and Chris Hopstetter
- † Edward & Frances Landis from Sharon Blake and Bob Hopstetter
- † David A. & Edith E. Merlo; Donald & Anna Pickett; Michael David Hand (Merlo) from Carol Merlo Knackstedt
- † Irene & Rudy Petrina from Susan Petrina
- † Donat Brosseau from The Albrecht Family
- † Vincent Olaf from wife and children
- † Philip & Lena Zaccagnini; Richard Zaccagnini; Laura Rudegeair Sexton from Filomena Cramer
- † Dominic Palladino from his loving wife
- † Josephine & Emidio Testa from their daughter

*Hallelujah!*