

St. Joan of Arc Catholic Church

359 West Areba Avenue • Hershey, PA 17033

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 17, 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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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 Schedule

Monday, July 18-St. Camillus de Lellis

6:45 AM Bill Tighe
9:00 AM Rosalina & Eduardo Tamer

Tuesday, July 19

6:45 AM Stella D. Guyer
9:00 AM Alex Camasta

Wednesday, July 20-St. Apollinaris

6:45 AM Don Fox
9:00 AM Flora O'Malley and Katie Wirkman

Thursday, July 21-St. Lawrence of Brindisi

6:45 AM Mark Van Zandt
9:00 AM Thomas Pritchard

Friday, July 22-St. Mary Magdalene

6:45 AM Deceased Members of the Freeman Family
9:00 AM Dr. Patrick Tierney

Saturday, July 23-St. Bridget

9:00 AM Heart of the Parish & Church Memorials

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time July 24, 2016

Readings: Gn 18:20-32; Col 2:12-14; Lk 11:1-13

In bargaining with God, Abraham demonstrates a real persistence in prayer. Jesus invites us to persist in prayer as well, to "ask...seek...knock". May our prayer open us to God's will, and so build up his strength within us. In baptism, we have died with Christ, and have been raised to life with him.

Vigil, July 23

5:15 PM Joseph Yashinsky and Angelas Oakum

Sunday, July 24

7:30 AM In celebration of Alvesta "Vae" Tancredi's 102 Birthday
9:00 AM Joseph Kunez
10:30 AM Lydia Ocamb and Joan Bennett
12:00 PM People of the Parish
5:30 PM Anthony Bellezza

Readings for the Week of July 17, 2016

Monday Mi 6:1-4, 6-8; Mt 12:38-42
Tuesday Mi 7:14-15, 18-20; Mt 12:46-50
Wednesday Jer 1:1, 4-10; Mt 13:1-9
Thursday Jer 2:1-3, 7-8, 12-13; Mt 13:10-17
Friday Jer 3:14-17; Jn 20:1-2, 11-18
Saturday Jer 7:1-11; Mt 13:24-30

Eternal rest, grant unto them, O Lord

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



MARY
has chosen the better
portion and she shall
not be deprived of it.

ALTAR FLOWER MEMORIALS



BLESSED MOTHER: In loving memory of our mother, Nancy Romanoski from her children

RESPECT LIFE ROSE:

In celebration of our daughter & son-in-law's 18th Wedding Anniversary from Susan & Don

ALTAR FLOWER MEMORIALS AVAILABLE FOR:

MAIN: July 24, 31; Aug 21, 28; Sep 4, 25; Oct 9, 16, 23
BLESSED MOTHER: July 24, 31; Aug 21; Sep 4, 11, 18
SAINT JOSEPH: July 24, 31; Aug 21, 28; Sept 18, 25
RESPECT LIFE ROSE: July 24, 31; Aug 7, 14, 21, 28



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, Frank McNamara, Lauran Nicole, Tony & Jane Pala, Joe & June Chester, Jeffrey Zaccaria, Patrick Belsole, Barbara Ford, Frank Bolduc, Kathy Murphey, Kenneth Kolovich, Charles Rippon, Nidia Wargo, Janice Adamkowski
Reminder: Names will remain on the list for six weeks. Please call to have them placed back on the prayer list.



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 **July 18-July 25** the Pilgrim cross will be in the home of the Mr. & Mrs. Ed Gliot.
Next week **July 25-Aug 1** the Pilgrim cross will be in the home of the Chris & Maribeth O'Hara & family.

Liturgical Ministry Schedule for July 24, 2016

	5:15 PM	7:30 AM	9:00 AM	10:30 AM	12:00 Noon	5:30 PM
Lector	J. O'Hara	B. Ryan	N. Ott	S. Petrina	F. Ruggiero	J. McGregor
EMHC	K. Burkhart C. Evans J. Evans E. Frauenhoffer	K. Willey C. Eimer M. Spaeder	M. DeAngelis T. DeAngelis B.Frola J. Frola	S. Cordaro J. Gusherowski G. Kaiser L. Kayser	G. Bixler L. Drayer B. Hasson	R. Barry V. Felice T. Kilcoyne J. Kreider
Servers	S. Mimmagh M. Yee V. Yee	D. Kulina A. Kulina C. Roche	D. O'Hara M. O'Hara M. O'Hara	L. Gusherowski E. Gusherowski D. Matas	St. Michael's Guard	A. Samson M. Brooks J. Wilson
MC	J. Yee		N. Silvis	M. Matas		K. Zachary
Money Counters: C. Eimer, D. Willey, H. Susi, P. Bowman, R. Hoffman						



This Week in our Parish

SUNDAY, July 17

1:00 PM Baptisms
2:15 PM Altar Server Training
6:30 PM Life Teen

MONDAY, July 18

9:45 AM Legion of Mary

TUESDAY, July 19**WEDNESDAY, July 20**

7:15 AM Wednesday Morning Coffee
5:00 PM Confessions
7:00 PM "I Thirst" Prayer Group

THURSDAY, July 21

7:30 PM Knights of Columbus

FRIDAY, July 22

3:00 PM Junior Legion of Mary

SATURDAY, July 23

4:00 PM Confessions

SUNDAY, July 24

2:15 PM Altar Server Training

Caelorum

The next Caelorum at St. Joan of Arc Church will be held on Wednesday, August 3 at 7 PM. Come adore Jesus through prayer, praise, worship and music. A reception will be held immediately following the Caelorum in the Cafeteria.

PARISH NURSE MINISTRY

The Parish Nurse Ministry of St. Joan of Arc is established to help and support parishioners with health related needs. Please visit the Parish Nurse Ministry page of our parish website for a full list of how they can help you.

We wish to thank the sponsor of the week
Berkshire Hathaway-Sheri Rhoads
for advertising in our bulletin.

MASS ATTENDANCE

July 9 & 10, 2016

5:15 - 7:30 - 215 9:00 - 265
10:30 - 400 12:00 - 256 5:30 - 310

TOTAL - 1446

CCW Flea Market and Rummage Sale

St. Joan of Arc Cafeteria

Friday, August 5 from 8 AM to 3 PM

Saturday, August 6 from 8 AM to 11 AM



Donations will be accepted at the SJA Cafeteria, starting weekdays Thursday, July 21 until Wednesday, August 3 from 8 AM until 6 PM, Saturdays, July 23 and July 30 from 8 AM to 12 noon. Anyone who is able to help with unpacking, sorting and pricing of articles is welcome to come to the cafeteria during those hours to work. Please note: No large appliances or TVs will be accepted.

"I THIRST" Prayer Group

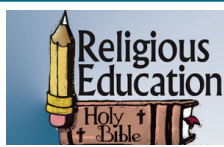
Please join us to deepen your faith and relationship with Jesus through prayer, song, worship and praise on Wednesday, July 20 at 7 PM in the Church. Our subject will be Acts of the Apostles. Find us on Facebook at ITHIRSTSJA.

CALLING ALL MUSICIANS: The "I THIRST" Prayer Group is searching for musicians for our music ministry. If you play an instrument (guitar, piano, violin etc.) and/or sing and would like to use your gift to serve our Lord, please contact Lynn at 717-503-1600. Remember God gives you His gifts to be shared with others. Please help us to share God's gifts!



Welcome to our visitors! We extend a warm greeting of welcome to all those visiting and hope that your time with us has been a time of spiritual renewal in God's Grace. May you have safe travels. God Bless!

YOUTH AND EDUCATION NEWS



REGISTRATION TIME

The Diocese of Harrisburg requires 2 years of religious instruction to prepare for the sacraments of First Holy Communion and Confirmation, typically grades 1st-2nd and 7th-8th. You can find the link to the registration form for the 2016-17 school year on our website. You may also pick up a copy in the back of the Church, in the Religious Education Office or in the Parish Office.

Please register early so that books and supplies may be ordered when companies offer discounts. Our new Directors thank you!



LIFE TEEN

This Week- Summer Mission Trip Recap

- All teens are welcome to hear the stories of those who served in Charlotte, NC for our annual Summer Mission Trip. May the stories we hear inspire us to serve those in need to further the Kingdom of God here on earth.

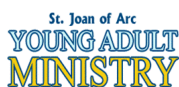
No Life Teen Next Week- We will return on July 31st.

Life Teen is open to all incoming Freshman and outgoing Seniors over the Summer. If you are visiting Hershey and are interested in having your teen join us, please contact John in the Youth Office at 717-602-3270 or email him at stjoanofarclifeteen@gmail.com. We would love to have you be a part of our ministry, even for just an evening.



EDGE- All incoming 6th graders-incoming 8th graders are invited to EDGE on Monday nights from 7-8:15 in the Youth Room. Our next EDGE nights will be August 8, 15, and 22 with a School Year Kick-off on September 12.

Volunteers Needed!!-EDGE and Life Teen are in need of some help. Please pray about volunteering with the High and Middle School Youth Ministries.



Calling all Young Adults of St. Joan of Arc 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 start our new series August 10 with "The Marian Dogmas."

If you are interested in anything above or have questions, please call John at 717-533-7168 ext 128 or email him at stjoanofarclifeteen@gmail.com.

DAUGHTERS OF MERCY 20-WEEK RAFFLE

- \$100.00 - Greiner Family, Hershey, PA
- \$ 50.00 - Barry Oesterling, Millville, NJ
- \$ 50.00 - Vincent Nicolo, Minotola, NJ
- \$ 50.00 - Janet Principe, No. Fort Myers, FL
- \$ 50.00 - Anthony DiSabella, Hazleton, PA



STEWARDSHIP

Managing God's Gifts To Us

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

Weekly Tithing: \$22,113

Weekly Budget: \$28,462

Year to Date Budget Variance: -\$5,269



SUMMER

P L A N S

We wish you safe travels on your summer vacations! Please remember if you'll be out of town for a few Sundays this summer, there are options available to help you maintain your regular tithing.

With our Online Giving program you can contribute from wherever you are... you can even set up payments in advance if you like! The convenience of managing your gifts to our parish is just a few clicks away.

The summer season can be a difficult time for our church when attendance tends to fluctuate from weekend to weekend. By giving online, you help ensure we make our budget, even when attendance is low.

Visit our parish website for more information about our Online Giving program or to set up an account today. If you would like to speak to someone about the program, or you would like to have an account set up for you, please contact Jackie Abel in the parish office.