

Holy Trinity Catholic Church

409 CHERRY STREET ~ COLUMBIA, PENNSYLVANIA 17512



MAY 10, 2026
SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

We welcome everyone who comes to worship God with us, through Our Lord Jesus Christ. This is not a place of judgment, but a place to seek God's truth and love; a place to find healing from the wounds of sin, which damage our peace with God, with one another, and within ourselves.

We hope your experience of worship and prayer here with us helps you to know His presence in the challenges you might be facing, and to know that *God loves you always.*

Fr. Mark Wilke - Pastor (frmwilke@hbgdiocese.org)
Deacon Henry Reese - Permanent Deacon
Deacon Jim Doyle - Retired Permanent Deacon
Sister Anna Cosgrave - Ministry Coordinator
Faith Murphy - Director of Religious Education
Christine Horn - Parish Secretary

Parish Organizations

Altar Rosary Society	Jeanmarie Nobile	715-3521
Archives Committee	Teresa Weisser	871-0331
Pro-Life Advocacy	Georgie Stetter	327-5565
Music/Organ/Choir	Bernard Wickenheiser	252-5731
Religious Education	Faith Murphy	684-2711
Holy Name Society	Mark Grab	252-4615
Men's Club	Hal Snyder	415-8072
Health Ministry	Chamaine DeLeon	201-280-2323
Parish Pastoral Council	Jay Barninger	330-9624
St. Vincent de Paul	Paul Nikolaus	684-3316
Legion of Mary	Darlene Herman	808-3987
St. Matthew Ministry	Regina Watkins	223-363-1064
Ushers	Kevin Kraft, Sr.	587-4266
Youth Ministry (CCYM)	Laura Kemmick	725-5219
Vocation Cross	Parish Office	684-2711
Companions on a Journey	Rosanne Settino	203-2982
Finance Committee	Mary Barninger	
Our Lady of the Angels Catholic School		684-2433
Principal	Mrs. Holly Maher	
Lancaster Catholic High School		509-0315

Parish Office Phone

(717) 684-2711

Parish Email

office@holyltrinitycolumbiapa.com

Parish Webpage

holyltrinitycolumbiapa.com

Parish Office Hours

8:00 am - 12:00 noon

1:00 pm - 4:00 p.m.

Closed -Tuesday Mornings and
Friday afternoons

Confessions

Saturday 3:30-4:30 p.m.

Weekend Masses

Saturday 5:00 p.m.

Sunday 8:00 a.m.

Sunday 10:30 a.m.

Weekday Masses

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday 7:30 a.m.

Friday 7:30 a.m. (every other) 8:15 a.m.

Saturday 8:00 a.m.

Baptisms and Weddings

Please contact the Parish Office



WEEKEND MASS INTENTION

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Saturday **May 9**
 5:00 p.m. † Robert & Anita Grab

Sunday **May 10**
 8:00 a.m. † Joe Haldeman
 10:30 a.m. People of Parish

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday **May 11**
 7:30 a.m. † Rusty Horner

Tuesday **May 12**
 7:30 a.m. No Mass

Wednesday **May 13**
 7:30 a.m.. † Sp. Int. Emma Kuhn
 6:30 p.m. † Carole Haug

Thursday **May 14**
 9:00 a.m. People of the Parish
 6:30 P.m. † Butch Cranford

Friday **May 15**
 7.30 a.m. † Sr. Jean Wichenheiser

Saturday **May 16**
 8:00 a.m. † Roselyn Ayers

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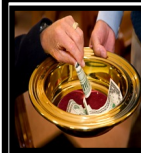
Saturday **May 16**
 5:00 p.m. † People of Parish

Sunday **May 17**
 8:00 a.m. † Francis & Bernadette Nikolaus
 10:30 a.m. † Ed Steffan Jr.

May 2-3

123 envelopes (out of 537)	\$	8,102.00
Loose Collection	\$	772.37
Children's Envelopes	\$	72.00
Online Giving	\$	2,138.39
Weekly Total	\$	11,084.76
Weekly Goal	\$	9,735.00
Weekly Surplus	\$	1,349.76
Year to Date Total	\$	370,083.69
Year to Date Goal	\$	41,8605.00
Year to Date Deficit	\$	48,521.31

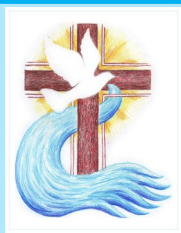
To meet our budgeted expenses for the fiscal year, the sum of 9,735.00 is needed on a weekly basis in the Sunday collection.



The second collection for this weekend will be for the Ascension.

300 Club 3RD Drawing Winners

- \$40.00 - #164 Denny Frymoyer
 - \$20.00 - #101 Judy Zeamer
 - \$20.00 - #83 Lexi Papoutsis
 - \$10.00 - #284 Bernie Wolgemuth Jr.
 - \$10.00 - #115 Caden Grab
- Must be paid up to date at time of drawing to be eligible to win.



SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM - Baptism classes are held the second Sunday of each month at 6:00 p.m. in the rec-tory basement and Baptisms are held the first Sunday of the month at 12:00 noon. Please contact the Parish Office at (717) 684-2711 to schedule a mandatory appointment with Deacon Henry beforehand to start the process.



Academics and Faith rolled into one!

Our Lady of the Angels Catholic School is now enrolling students for the 2026-2027 school year! Please visit our website and call the office for a tour and more

information!



Family Rosary



"Prayer can truly change your life. For it turns your attention away from yourself and directs your mind and heart toward the Lord."
- Saint John Paul II

May 21 - 7:00 PM

Our Lady of Grace Grotto

St. Peter's, 121 S. 2nd St.

50 Knights and parishioners needed to pray one Hail Mary



Faith



The Altar Rosary Society will be selling Mothers Day flowers after all Masses this weekend May 9 and 10th.

2026 Diocesan Annual Campaign

Parish Goal for 2026: \$70,570.00

FAITHFUL STEWARDS
2026 DIOCESAN ANNUAL CAMPAIGN



Knights of Columbus

Council 2294, 400 Maple St., Columbia

Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/kofc2294>

Grand Knight Paul Resch, (717) 449-0056

paulresch@comcast.net



Knights Honor Overmeyers as Family of the Quarter

Knights of Columbus Council 2294 is proud to recognize George and Pamela Overmeyer of St. Peter Catholic Church as our Family of the Quarter for Spring 2026.

George and Pam are lifelong members of St. Peter's, apart from the years they lived in Susquehanna, where George taught high school wood shop and drafting for 35 years. Pam worked in banking and mortgage lending, ultimately retiring from Fairway Mortgage. This June, they will celebrate 50 years of marriage.

Since retiring, George has been actively involved at St. Peter's and the Knights of Columbus. He serves as an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion, Inside Guard for the Council and Secretary of the Home Association. At the St. Peter's Fish Fry, he is the "master" of the macaroni and cheese and washes dishes. He also volunteers at Holy Trinity's fastnacht bake. George continues to serve the high-school community as a PIAA official for track and field and cross country.

Pam is equally dedicated to parish life. She serves as an Extraordinary Minister, assists with the weekly collection count, supports bereavement luncheons and volunteers at the Fish Fry. At Holy Trinity's Fastnacht Bake, she serves as a "Holy Glazer," applying the sugary glaze that makes the fastnachts famous.

They are the parents of two daughters, Elizabeth Overmeyer and her husband Michael Riedel of Stuttgart, Germany, and Victoria and her husband Alston Woods of Rockwell, NC, and proud grandparents of Gavin, 16, and Glenn, 15.

The Overmeyers exemplify the values of faith, family and service that the Knights strive to uphold. Council 2294 is honored to recognize them with this award.



Catholic Scouting

ADULT RECOGNITION BANQUET

Come join us in recognizing the adults that make Catholic Scouting possible. We will also be honoring our diocesan, regional, and national award winners. Dinner will be provided. Cost is \$25 per person.

6/16/2026 | **RSVP BY JUNE 1ST**

Starting At 6:00pm

Diocesan Center
4800 Union Deposit Rd
Harrisburg, PA 17111

www.hbgdiocese.org/scoutbanquet or scan 

THE DIOCESE OF HARRISBURG


NATIONAL CATHOLIC COMMITTEE OF SCOUTING

National Catholic Committee USA and Camp Fire USA

Spotlight on Mental Health:
Take notice and experience the best things about today in yourself and in others around you.

MARRIAGE MENTORING COUPLES NEEDED
Diocese of Harrisburg is seeking Marriage Mentoring couples. New Mentor Couple training sessions will be held May 9, August 1 & November 14. Sign up by visiting https://hbgdiocese.formstack.com/forms/new_mentor_couple_training

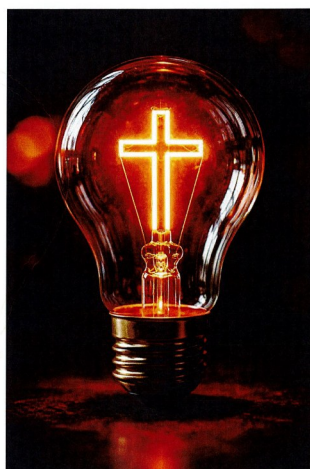
Archive Committee
The Archives Committee will meet on Friday, May 15th at 1:30 PM in the rec-tory.

 The Alter Rosary Society will say the rosary at St. Peters Prayer Garden on Wed. May 13th at 6:00

PARISH OFFICE - Just a reminder The Parish office is CLOSED Tuesdays mornings and Friday afternoons.

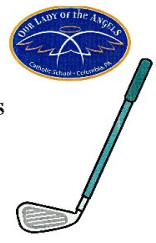
Our School **SHINES** when it comes to...

- 💡 Academics
- 💡 Respect
- 💡 Discipline
- 💡 Faith-Filled Service



Thank You Thank you to the members of the Holy Name Society and Men's Club for volunteering to serve at the Mother / Daughter Banquet. Not having to prepare, serve or do dishes is truly every mother's idea of a relaxing evening. Thanks Again !!!

Par for Prayers
Golf outing to benefit Our Lady of the Angels
Friday, May 15th
Cool Creek Golf Club
Sam shotgun start
\$95 per golfer



 Join us for our last event of the school year!
Support our students by forming a golf team of 4!
Call 717-684-2433 to register or email mgroff@ourladyoftheangels.org

St Dymphna: Irish Princess, Martyr and Teenage Saint.

According to oral tradition passed down for 700 years, Dymphna's father was a pagan king somewhere in Ireland between the years 500 and 700 A.D. and her mother was a Christian. Dymphna was their only child and the image of her mother. Her mother, however, died young when Dymphna was a teenager and her father became deeply depressed and came to see his daughter as the reincarnation of his wife and tried to force her to marry him.

She fled to Belgium, taking some coins with her for sustenance. They settled in the little village of Geel in Belgium. One tradition states that once settled in Geel, Dymphna built a hospice for the poor and sick of the region. Thus began a tradition among the villagers for the on-going care of those with psychiatric conditions that has endured for over 500 years.

However, it was through this use of her wealth that her father would ascertain her whereabouts, as the coins she used enabled her father to trace them to Belgium.

The king traveled at once to confront them and offered to make Dymphna his queen if she was willing to cooperate in his immoral plans. But she refused and kept refusing.

In his fury, the King drew his sword and cut off her head. Her body was buried in a cave, a spot which came to be looked upon as sacred with Dymphna deemed a martyr. A custom grew up of people going to the spot to ask Dymphna's intercession, especially when faced with threatening situations or suffering mental illness, or depression. Her feast day is May 15. She is patron saint of those who suffer from depression and from mental disorders not because of her suffering them herself, but because of the number of sufferers who claimed that she helped them. She is also the patron saint of victims of incest, of rape and of abuse, and especially those who have to flee their homes because of abuse.

Prayer cards honoring St Dymphna are available in the rear of the Church, provided by the Columbia Catholic Mental Health Ministry.

