

Consecrated +++ in Truth



SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
MAY 13, 2018

OUR PARISH PRAYS

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

SATURDAY, May 12

5:00 P.M. Mr. and Mrs. William Melbert

SUNDAY, May 13

8:00 A.M. Anita and Hammer Grab
10:30 A.M. People of the Parish

MONDAY, May 14

7:30 A.M. Belia Stephens

TUESDAY, May 15

7:30 A.M. Susan DeLeon

WEDNESDAY, May 16

7:30 A.M. Pat Feltenberger

THURSDAY, May 17

7:30 A.M. Betty Resch

FRIDAY, May 18

8:15 A.M. Fr. Lawrence

SATURDAY, May 19

8:00 A.M. Diane Zeamer
5:00 P.M. People of the Parish

SUNDAY, May 20

8:00 A.M. Francis and Bernadette Nikolaus
10:30 A.M. Candice Kaufhold

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM - Next class for parents of children to be baptized will be held May 13th at 6:00 p.m. in the meeting room in the lower level of rectory.

OUR PARISH WORKS FOR GOD

PARISH FINANCES - To meet our budgeted expenses for the fiscal year the sum of \$8,237.00 is needed on an average basis in the Sunday collection.

May 5 - 6, 2018

260 Envelopes out of 607 collected	\$ 8,290.50
Loose Collection	\$ 468.20
Children's Envelopes	\$ 27.00
Total Gifts to God	\$ 8,785.70
Excess for the week	\$ 548.70
Budgeted income to date	\$ 362,428.00
Actual income to date	\$ 330,901.19
Deficit to date	\$ (31,526.81)

PENTECOST COLLECTION - The second collection next weekend will be for the education of seminarians to the priesthood, the on-going formation of the priests and deacons of the diocese, and for the care of the sick and retired priests of the Diocese of Harrisburg. Your generosity will be deeply appreciated.

BISHOP'S ANNUAL LENTEN APPEAL - Toward our parish goal of \$71,900, you have so far donated/and or pledged a total of \$56,418. We need \$15,482 to successfully meet our goal. Your generous contribution will benefit the various programs of our diocese and also our parish.

CALENDAR

HOLY NAME SOCIETY will meet this Sunday, May 13th after the 8:00 a.m. Mass.

ANNUAL TRIBUTE to our Blessed Mother will follow the 8:00 a.m. Mass today, Sunday, May 13th.

MOTHER'S DAY FLOWER SALE, sponsored by the Altar Rosary Society, will be held this weekend before and after all Masses.

28TH ANNUAL PARISH FESTIVAL will be held Wednesday through Saturday, June 6th-9th from 6:00 until 10:00 p.m. Bingo two nights, Thursday and Saturday. Spaghetti Dinner will be served Friday from 4:00 to 7:00 p.m. Please sell the tickets for the drawing and return the stubs and money to the parish office at your convenience. Additional tickets are available at the parish office. Come out and volunteer your time/skills and enjoy making and renewing friendships to cherish for a lifetime. Kindly complete and return the volunteer form. All help will be deeply appreciated.

CALENDAR

FINANCE COMMITTEE will meet Wednesday, May 16th at 6:30 p.m. in the rectory dining room.

BUILDING & GROUNDS will meet Friday, May 18th at 9:00 a.m.

PERFECTLY YOURSELF - Kyla Hockley will be offering a book study for the book that was given to each family as a Christmas gift from the parish: "Perfectly Yourself" by Matthew Kelly. There are five more classes about an hour each, in the Parish Hall, beginning at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday evenings: May 17, 24, June 14, 21, 28. Each class will include a short video, and a discussion of part of the book. God bless you as you explore God's plan to help you become who He made you to be: perfectly yourself.

Week 2 - Pages 39-72(Discussion Topics)

In what areas of your life does the advice, "Just do the next right thing!" challenge you? In what areas does it inspire you?

Are you honest with yourself? Are you honest with others? Are you honest about others?

MISCELLANEOUS

300 CLUB - The first drawing for the new party will be held on Friday, August 3, 2018. Tickets for it may be obtained at the parish office or from one of the sellers.

VOCATION CROSS this week is in the home of Mickey Willy.

FLOWERS on the altar this weekend have been placed there in memory of Pauline Giandalia.

IN MEMORY OF DONATIONS Thank You to Christine and Joe Texter, Bonnie Miller, Sherri and Blaine Gorman, Mike and Dianne Haldeman, Samuel and Evelyn Rineer, Joseph and Kathy Kiely, Mark and Cheryl Grab, Mickey Willy, and Cleta Schmitt for their donations to Holy Trinity **in memory of Mary Lou Jones.**

Thank you to Joan and Harry Wirth and Paulette Hofmann for their donations to Holy Trinity **in memory of John Hecker.**

SPECIAL THANK YOU from Darlene Olweiler. She would like to thank everyone for the Mass cards she has been receiving in memory of her husband, Jim Olweiler.

PARISH FAITH FORMATION - We are looking for parish volunteers who would be willing to organize faith formation series for our parishioners. There are many potential topics available from the FORMED online resource (and other Catholic sources) and many have facilitator study guides available. Volunteers would be asked to schedule and reserve times and places to meet (or meet in homes), provide blurbs and schedules to the parish office for the bulletin, provide any necessary or helpful materials for participants, and facilitating group discussion. Book studies are also an option, as long as the book is approved by the pastor as suitable for a parish faith-formation program. Anyone interested in organizing and facilitating a faith formation series, please contact the parish office. Thank You!

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS are respectfully requested to present to the parish office by the end of June a schedule of their intended activities between July 1, 2018 and June 30, 2019, so there will be no conflicts in scheduling.

"SONG YOU KNEW IN THE PEW"

Trivia Night

Parish Council would like to extend to you and your friends and family the invitation to share in fellowship and a meal for a family night of trivia. This event will be held on Saturday, May 19th after the 5:00 p.m. Mass in the parish hall.

Our menu will be BBQ sandwiches, potato salad, bag of chips and drink for \$5.00 and half price for children 12 and under. The meal will be followed with an evening of entertainment of "Song You Knew in the Pew" which will be hosted by Mark Grab and Rick Morrison.

We would like to encourage each family to bring a dessert for the dessert table (no charge) so that we can enjoy each other's delicious talent of baking.

Please contact the parish office by email at holytrinitycol409@gmail.com by or by calling 717-684-2711 to make your reservation.



OUR LADY OF THE ANGELS SCHOOL

OLA is excited to announce that we will be **opening a 3rd Pre-School Classroom** for the 2018-19 school year. Enrollment is very limited, please contact the Admissions Office at 717-449-5442 for additional information. Considering enrolling a school-aged student? Take advantage of **Friendly Friday Shadow Days** before school is out for the summer. They will be offering \$100 off tuition for 2018-19 school year if your child is enrolled in **Religious Education classes here at Holy Trinity Church.**

A good Teacher is like a candle: It consumes itself to light the way for others. **Please congratulate Mrs. Jody Zeamer as she will be retiring on June 7th, 2018.** Mrs. Zeamer will be retiring after 35+ years. Her dedications to Catholic Education here in Columbia has impacted the lives of many of our children as well as many of you! Please feel free to send cards of thanks and well wishes to Mrs. Zeamer at Our Lady of the Angels, 404 Cherry St, Columbia.

OLA School Board is looking for interested candidates. All those interested in placing their name for consideration please contact the school office.

Our Lady of the Angels **eighth grade celebration** is scheduled for Friday, June 1st at 7:00 p.m. with Mass at Holy Trinity. Following the Mass the graduates will be greeted with a reception in the Parish Center.

LANCASTER CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL



Lancaster Catholic High School **Baccalaureate Mass** will be celebrated at St. Anthony's Church, Lancaster on Wednesday, May 30th at 7:00 p.m. and their commencement exercises

will be held on Thursday, May 31st in Berger Gym.

The University of Mount Union Concert Choir, under the direction of Dr. Grant W. Cook III, will perform on Sunday May 13th at 7:30 p.m. in Historic St. Mary's Church, 119 S. Prince St. The performance, entitled "Why We Sing....," is free and open to the public and includes works by Peter Anglea, Richard Burchard, Jacob Narverud, Daniel Elder and Dwight Bigler, among others. For details about the concert, please contact Darin and Janice Wolfe at 717-293-7868 or wolfepack99@comcast.net.

DIOCESE OF HARRISBURG

SAVE THE DATE... for the diocesan pilgrimage to the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, DC., that will be held on Saturday, November 3, 2018 from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Buses are being sponsored by parishes and are departing from sites across the Diocese; interested pilgrims should contact the parish office to make travel arrangements. For more information go to www.hbgdiocese.org/150.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES is pleased to welcome Dr. John Jackson for an informative and enlightening presentation entitled, "The Scientific Aspects of the Shroud of Turin and the First Holy Week", on Wednesday, May 23rd from 6:00 to 9:00 p.m. at the Cardinal Keeler Center in Harrisburg. Tickets are \$30 and can be purchased by contacting Christopher Meehan at 717-657-4804 or order online at www.cchbg.org/events. Light refreshments will be provided during a short intermission. Please arrange to have dinner before the presentation. No photography or videotaping is permitted due to copyright law.

DEFENSE OF THE FAITH PRESENTATION - Order of Malta, Lancaster region is proud to present speakers discussing matters of faith. "Angels and Demons: Who they are and why they matter", presented by Adam Blai. It will be held on Wednesday, May 24th following the 7:00 p.m. Mass at St. John Neumann Catholic Church, 601 E Delp Road. This event is free to the public. Please see poster in vestibule.

FIAT DAYS is a retreat for young ladies, ages 15 to 25 who may feel that God is calling them to serve Him as a religious Sister. This retreat will be held at Mount Saint Mary's Seminary, Emmitsburg, MD on July 1-3. There is a \$50 registration fee, all other expenses are funded by the Diocese of Harrisburg. Registration forms are available at the parish office or by calling the Office of Vocations at 717-657-4804.

QUO VADIS DAYS is a time of reflection for young men, ages 15 to 25, who may be considering a call from Christ, the Good Shepherd, to follow His example of caring for His people in the Diocese of Harrisburg as a priest. This fun and prayerful retreat is scheduled for June 24-27 at Mount Saint Mary's Seminary, Emmitsburg, MD. Registration forms are available at the parish office, or by calling the Office of Vocations at 717-657-4804. There is a \$50 registration fee, all other expenses are funded by the Diocese of Harrisburg.