

# **OUR PARISH PRAYS**

# **Twenty-Seventh Sunday In**

**Ordinary Time** 

October 6, 2019

## MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

#### SATURDAY, October 5

5:00 P.M. George and Anna Menko

#### SUNDAY, October 6

8:00 A.M. Kevin Wolgemuth 10:30 A.M. People of the Parish

MONDAY, October 7 7:30 A.M. Fr. Kenneth Lawrence

**TUESDAY, October 8** 7:30 A.M. Betty Horn

#### WEDNESDAY, October 9

7:30 A.M. Sp. Int. Nancy Boswa

## THURSDAY, October 10

7:30 A.M. Walter Nau

#### FRIDAY, October 11

7:30 A.M. Kathleen Doutrich

#### SATURDAY, October 12

8:00 A.M. Margaret M. Weisser 5:00 P.M. Mitchel L. Lutz

#### SUNDAY, October 13

8:00 A.M.	People of the Parish
10:30 A.M.	Michael Bronokoski

**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM** - Next class for parents of children to be baptized will be held Sunday, October 13th at 6:00 p.m. in the lower level of the Rectory. Please contact the parish office at (717) 684-2711.

# **OUR PARISH WORKS FOR GOD**

**PARISH FINANCES** - To meet our budgeted expenses for the fiscal year the sum of \$8,800.00 is needed on an average basis in the Sunday collection.

#### September 28-29, 2019

Envelopes out of 615 collected		6,110.00
Loose Collection		563.00
Children's Envelopes		45.50
Online Giving		177.65
Total Gifts to God	\$	6,896.15
Deficit for the week	\$	(1,903.85)
Budgeted income to date		114,400.00
Actual income to date	\$	96,190.39
Deficit to date	\$	(18,209.61)

**MISSIONARY CO-OP COLLECTION** - The second collection for this weekend will be for the Missionary Cooperative Collection, helping to provide for the needs in over 1,150 mission dioceses worldwide. We care for people and provide clinics, schools, hospitals, orphanages, and religious education to tens of thousands of men, women, and children.

**SCHOOL SUPPORT** - The second collection for next Sunday will be to help support families within the Parish to give their children a Catholic education.

## **CALENDAR**

**RESPECT LIFE SUNDAY** - On Sunday, October 6th, join Catholics nationwide in celebrating the kickoff of Respect Life Month. Find the reflection of this year's theme, "Christ Our Hope: In Every Season of Life," by visiting **respectlifeprogram.org/reflection**.

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION** will be held Sunday, October 6th at 9:00 a.m. to 10:15 a.m. in the Parish Center.

**CANNED GOODS COLLECTION** - The St. Vincent DePaul Society will be collecting canned goods in the vestibule of the church after each Mass on the weekend of October 5th. The collection will be used to supply their upcoming Thanksgiving and Christmas Food distribution baskets.

**ST. VINCENT DEPAUL SOCIETY MEETING** will be held Sunday, October 6th in the Our Lady of the Angels Teachers' Lounge at 9:00 a.m.

### **RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS**

**(RCIA)** - The next class will be Tuesday, October 8th with the topic "Jesus Christ - True God and True Man, Teacher and Savior" instructed by Fr. Swamy.



**BLESSING OF PETS** - To celebrate the feast day (October 4th) of the Patron Saint of Animals, St. Francis of Assisi's love for all creatures. Holy Trinity Church will conduct a "Blessing of Pets" on Sunday, October 6th at 1:00 p.m. on the lawn to the right of church.

### 300 CLUB - THIRD DRAWING

 \$80.00 - #174
 \$20.00 - #139

 \$40.00 - #232
 \$20.00 - #233

 \$40.00 - #138
 \$20.00 - #233

The 300 Club Party will be held Sunday, October 6th at 4:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall.

**PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING** will be held Wednesday, October 9th at 6:30 p.m. in the lower level of the Rectory.

**DAILY MASS** - The week of October 14th-18th, the Diocesan Priests of Harrisburg (religious order priests and retired priests are not required) will be in Hunt Valley for the annual priests' workshop. There will be no daily Masses at Holy Trinity during this week. The nearest Masses will be offered at St. Peter's, Columbia and St. Leo's. The schedule for St. Peter's is Monday 8:00 a.m., Tuesday 8:00 a.m., Wednesday 6:00 p.m. (at St. Mary's chapel in Wrightsville), Thursday 8:00 a.m. and Friday 8:00 a.m., Tuesday 6:30 a.m., Wednesday 7:00 p.m., Thursday 6:30 a.m. and Friday 8:45 a.m.

**APPLE DUMPLING SALE (UPDATE)** - The Holy Trinity Choir will be selling apple dumplings after all Masses the weekend of **October 19th-20th**. All proceeds benefit the Holy Trinity Choir.

AN EVENING WITH MARY - Join the Companions on a Journey to celebrate the Month of the Rosary with a Marian prayer service led by the Women at the Well. An additional highlight of the evening will be a Wine and Cheese Tasting. There will be a fee of \$10.00. We will begin at 6:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall. Please RSVP with Roseanne Settino at (717) 203-2982 by Friday, October 11th to insure an accurate food and beverage count.

# MISCELLANEOUS



This week is in the home of Richard and Margaret Bransby

**<u>RESPECT LIFE MONTH!</u>** - Join Catholics nationwide in celebrating throughout October. Learn more about upholding the sanctity of every human life at **respectlifeprogram.org/respect-life-month**.

**LANCASTER'S 40 DAYS FOR LIFE** - each Monday, Thursday and Saturday from September 25th - November 2nd on the public sidewalk in front of Lancaster's Planned Parenthood (PP) facility. While abortions are currently barred in Lancaster, over 500 women from our County still get them at PP facilities in neighboring counties. To learn more and get involved, please contact Dave Edgar at (717)569-7677 or Tom Ramsbottom at (717)468-3822.

**THIS MONTH IN PARISH HISTORY** - On October 6th, 1929, Most Reverend Philip McDevitt, Bishop of Harrisburg, blessed and dedicated the current church building, which had recently been complete. In commemoration of the 90th anniversary of this event, the Archives Committee has created an exhibit of photographs and historic documents related to the construction and dedication of the church. The exhibit is located in the display case beside the side door in the vestibule.

**"THAT MAN IS YOU!"** - That Man is You! Men's group will meet at 6:30 a.m. Saturday in the St. Peter Parish Center, downstairs. The topic for this week is "The Armor of God." Men of the Parish are invited to join their brothers from St. Peter's and other local churches on a spiritual journey that will lead them to the three spiritual foods Christ proclaims: The Eucharist, The Word of God, and The Will of God. Sessions begin at 6:30 a.m. and conclude at 7:45 a.m. For more information, contact Paul Resch at (717) 449-0056 or paulresch@comcast.net

**HOLY TRINITY ORGAN CONCERT** - In response to many requests, Holy Trinity has invited the return of the organ/trumpet duo "Deux Voix" for an encore performance in our parish church, sharing with our community the magnificent splendor of our pipe organ, and the reverent beauty of our church. The organ and trumpet duo of Stephen Distad and Justin Langham, who performed at Holy Trinity in our concert celebrating the 2017 refurbishing and expansion of our parish church pipe organ, will be returning for an upcoming concert on Sunday, November 17 at 2:00 p.m., followed by a reception in the Parish Hall. The event is free, however, a free will donation will be greatly appreciated. All are welcome!

# ST. JAMES CATHOLIC CHURCH

Lititz, PA

# 4TH ANNUAL LITITZ 5K RUN FOR LIFE -

On Saturday October 19th at St. James church in Lititz, runners and walkers of all ages are welcome to choose a casual 1 mile or timed 5K course! Some participants are serious runners while others see it as a social event. Either way, it's fun and supports women and families! The 5K has 1st, 2nd and 3rd place prizes for both males and females for various age groups. Those who register by October 7th for the early bird price of \$25 are guaranteed a race T-shirt! After October 7th, the registration fee increases to \$30 and T-shirts will be available while supplies last.

# LANCASTER CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

### LANCASTER CATHOLIC PHONATHON

Please donate to this year's annual appeal by graciously answering our volunteers' call during this year's Phonathon from October 6th-10th. As you know, tuition alone doesn't do it all. We rely on people like you; people who support growth of our students; people who want the best for them. This year, please prayerfully consider your gift to the LCHS Annual Fund. If you have already donated this year, thank you!

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Columbia Council #2294 4th and Maple Streets

THE COLUMBIAN AWARD - Columbia Council 2294 has once again earned the Columbian Award. This award is presented to councils participating in various programs such as Faith, Family, Community, and Life. To fulfill its requirements in the 2018-2019 year, the Columbia Council participated in programs such as Family Rosary Nights, Support of Seminarians, visits to the Lebanon VA Hospital, Spiritual Retreats, Keep Christ in Christmas, Children's Christmas Event and Easter Parties, Coats for Kids, Toys for Tots, March for Life, and Baby Bottle donations, among others. The Council also holds a Corporate Communion Unity Mass in the spring and Memorial Family Mass in the fall. If you would like to become a member or learn more about the activities of the Knights of Columbus, please contact Luke Parrish at (717) 818-8776 or email lukeparrish76@hotmail.com. Also, the KoC will be holding a membership drive next weekend, October 12th and 13th after all Masses. More information will be available on the end of the pews next weekend.

**LEBANON VA HOSPITAL** - On Tuesday, October 22nd, the families of the Columbia Knights of Columbus will be visiting the Lebanon VA hospital to entertain our veterans. We need donations of individual serving size drinks and snacks. Please drop them off at the home before October 19th. If anyone is interested in volunteering that night, please meet us at the home at 5:30 p.m. Please call Steve Nikolaus at (717) 684-2985 if you can be there.

# DIOCESE OF HARRISBURG

**DIOCESAN'S WOMEN'S CONFERENCE** -Please mark your calendars for the 5th Annual Diocesan Women's Conference at Bishop McDevitt High School, October 12, 2019. Key note speaker is Helen Alvare - popular speaker, author and Catholic personality. There will be 30+ workshops, Confessions, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament with Benediction, beautiful music, many vendors, good food, Mass celebrated by Bishop Gainer, and fellowship with up to 1,000 women.

FISHERS OF MEN DINNER - "And Jesus said to Simon, "Do not fear, from now on you will be catching men." Luke 5:10. The Diocese of Harrisburg has been blessed with 27 men training to be "fishers of men," but we need your help. The Diocese supports each man in formation for the priesthood, an investment of around \$40,000 annually, per seminarian. These men are giving their lives to service for the Church and its people. Will you help them along this journey? Please consider attending the Annual Fishers of Men Dinner on Friday, October 4th at the Diocesan Center, 4800 Union Deposit Road, Harrisburg. More information, including an RSVP form, can be found at www.hbgdiocese.org/fishersofmen or by calling the Diocesan Office of Vocations at (717) 657-4804 ext. 282. Deadline for registration is Friday, September 27th.

**DONATIONS NEEDED FOR INTERFAITH SHELTER** - Interfaith Shelter for Homeless Families (a Catholic Charities residential program in suburban Harrisburg) is in need of the following donations: paper products (plates, cups, bowls, napkins), plastic utensils, laundry detergent, cleaning products, diapers (sizes 4, 5, and 6), and bath towels. Donations can be taken to the Diocesan Center (4800 Union Deposit Road in Harrisburg) or call the shelter at 717-652-8740 to arrange a delivery there. Thank you for your generosity!