

OUR PARISH PRAYS

Twenty Third Sunday In
Ordinary Time
September 8, 2019

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

SATURDAY, August 7

5:00 P.M. Bill and Mary Lou Melbert

SUNDAY, September 8

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

MONDAY, September 9

7:30 A.M. Joyce and Len Droege 70th Wedding Anniversary

TUESDAY, September 10

7:30 A.M. Margaret M. Weisser

WEDNESDAY, September 11

7:30 A.M. Patricia Klespis

THURSDAY, September 12

7:30 A.M. Lee Wiseman

FRIDAY, September 13

8:15 A.M. Cleona Meisenbach

SATURDAY, September 14

8:00 A.M. Charise L. Heater 5:00 P.M. People of the Parish

SUNDAY, September 15

8:00 A.M. Mr. and Mrs. George Grab

10:30 A.M. John Hess, Sr.

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.

August 31-September 1, 2019

193 Envelopes out of 615 collected	\$ 6,713.00
Loose Collection	\$ 490.00
Children's Envelopes	\$ 32.00
Online Giving	\$ 246.09
Total Gifts to God	\$ 7,481.09
Deficit for the week	\$ (1,318.91)
Budgeted income to date	\$ 79,200.00
Actual income to date	\$ 68,473.11
Deficit to date	\$ (10,726.89)

CALENDAR

PARISH PICNIC this year will be held on Sunday, September 8th from 1:00 p.m. until 3:00 p.m. in the Parish Center. You are all invited and encouraged to attend. There is no charge, but should you desire, you may bring a dessert to be shared. "The Kelly's" will be back with entertainment.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION REGISTRATION will be held after all Masses the weekend of September 7th and 8th. First class for students for pre-school through eighth grade will be held Sunday, September 15th at 9:00 a.m. to 10:15 a.m. Tuition for one child is \$30.00, two children in the same family is \$40.00, and a maximum of \$50.00 for families of children with three or more.

COFFEE SOCIAL - Companions on a Journey will be hosting the Coffee Social on Sunday, August 15th in the Parish Hall after 8:00 a.m. Mass. The Health Ministry will also be conducting blood pressure checks during this time.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

(RCIA) - RCIA is the traditional path for non-Catholics to enter into the Catholic Church, by way of instruction in Catholic teaching and formation in Catholic spirituality. Classes are offered Tuesday evenings, 6:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m. in the lower level of the rectory. Classes will begin on Tuesday, September 17th. Anyone interested in becoming Catholic, or simply to learn more about our Catholic Faith, are invited to contact the parish office at (717) 684-2711.

40 HOURS EUCHARISTIC DEVOTIONS

Devotions will be from Sunday, September 29th through Tuesday, October 1st. Eucharistic Adoration will be in the church from the conclusion of all morning Masses until the evening liturgy. Each evening at 7:00 p.m. there will be hymns, psalms, readings from the scripture, and a homily, and conclude with a solemn blessing and reposition of the Blessed Sacrament. We are happy to have as our homilist this year Fr. Larry McNeil, whose first assignment as Parochial Vicar was here at Holy Trinity, and retired as pastor of the Basilica of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, Conewago Chapel, in Hanover, PA.

MISCELLANEOUS

VOCATION CROSS



This week is in the home of Theresa Filmore

"IN MEMORY OF" DONATIONS - Thank you Mr. and Mrs. Leo Motter, Eleanor Weisser, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Lutz, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schauren and Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Wickenheiser for your donation to Holy Trinity in memory of Jean Bourne.

WEEKLY HOLY HOUR - Our parish is offering a weekly hour of Eucharistic Adoration every Friday at noon. Please join us in prayer and adoration of God, truly present in the Blessed Sacrament.

MUSIC MINISTRY INVITATION - Parish music ministry consists of three liturgical ministers: cantor, choir member, and instrumentalist. High school students and adults who are discerning service in one or more of these ministries are invited to learn more about these musical roles in the liturgy. You are invited to speak with our Director of Music Ministries, Bernie Wickenheiser following any Mass. He also invites your inquiries by email at bwickmusic1@aol.com or call (717) 252-5731 or (717) 855-3291. The choir rehearses Thursdays, 7:00 p.m.-8:15 p.m. The first rehearsal will be held on Thursday, September 19th.

KITCHEN KETTLE VILLAGE - On Thursday, September 19th, Companions on a Journey will be heading to Kitchen Kettle Village for the day. Departure time will be at 10:00 a.m. from Holy Trinity parking lot and arrive back at approximately 4:00 p.m. If you are planning to attend and are willing to drive or need to carpool with someone, please RSVP to Rosanne Settino at (717) 203-2982.

"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 "A Cause Greater Than Yourself." 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

THEOLOGY ON TAP - Theology on Tap will hold the first meeting of the season on Thursday, September 12th beginning at 7:00 p.m. at Annie Bailey's Irish Pub, Lancaster. The speaker, Fr. Deogratias Rwegasira was raised in Tanzania and now serves as the chaplain at Lancaster General Hospital. His topics is: "Our Faith Journey". All young adults (20's and 30's) are welcome to attend the event. For information about this and other young adult events in Lancaster, go to Facebook "TOT Lancaster".

AMERICAN MUSIC THEATER - Companions on a Journey are going to the American Music Theater and you are invited! Come see the Christmas show "Joy to the World" on Wednesday, December 11th at 3:00 p.m. The cost will be \$40.00. If you would like to attend, please return your payment made to "Holy Trinity" and placed in an envelope marked with "American Music Theater", your name, and number of tickets needed. Limited number of seats are still available! Carpooling will be provided as needed. Any questions, please contact Rosanne Settino at (717) 203-2982.

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. A Free Will donation will be greatly appreciated. All are welcome!

OUR LADY OF THE ANGELS SCHOOL

THANK YOU - Our Lady of the Angels would like to thank Mrs. Jane Aston, Regina Fisher, and The Men's Club for donating to our 2019-2020 Wish List. Your kindness and generosity is greatly appreciated. Thank you for the support during the school year.

SACRED HEART OF JESUS CHURCH

Cornwall, PA

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S MARIAN DAY - The Lebanon District Council of Catholic Women invites all women of the Diocese to join them for the Annual Harrisburg Diocesan Council of Catholic Women's Marian Day to honor the Blessed Virgin Mary. It will be held on Saturday, October 5th at Sacred Heart of Jesus Church hosted by their parish CCW. Registration and continental breakfast will begin at 8:00 a.m. Confessions are offered at 8:30 a.m. followed by Mass at 9:00 a.m. To register, contact Ann Hasting (717) 274-8582.

ST. LEO THE GREAT

Lancaster, PA

YES, YOU CAN EVANGELIZE - Mr. Pete Socks, of Breadbox Media, a national Catholic podcast network, will speak at St. Leo the Great, Lancaster on Thursday, September 26th at 7:00 p.m. His blogs include book reviews and Catholic commentaries at the national level. Check it out at www.catholicbookblogger.com. Snacks and conversation will follow the presentation. All are welcome. No RSVP required.

FALL STUDY
THE MASS will be offered at St. Leo the Great, Lancaster, beginning on Wednesday, October 2nd after the 7:00 p.m. Mass. View the DVD as a group. Study guide and discussion are optional. Learn to fully understand and appreciate the source and summit of the Catholic faith. To register or for more details, contact henrychrist50@gmail.com

ST. JOHN NEUMANN CHURCH

Lancaster, PA

AUSCULTATION BRASS CONCERT - On Wednesday, October 30th, St. John Neumann Church will be holding a concert featuring Auscultation Brass. Auscultation Brass was founded in 1985 by a group of Lancaster County physicians. They have performed at the Lemonade Concerts, various communities, medical events, and local churches. A free will offering will be collected of the St. John Neumann Capital Building Campaign.

DIOCESE OF HARRISBURG

HOPE AND HEALING FOR CATHOLICS -

Surviving Divorce was created to bring hope and healing to those who have experienced the pain and loneliness of a broken marriage. It is for the newly separated and divorced and those still struggling with issues many years later. It will help them answer their questions, restore hope, and begin authentic healing. Developed and hosted by Rose Sweet, Surviving Divorce features experts on relationships and divorce as well as personal testimonies from Catholic men and women who have experienced the breakdown of their families. They courageously share their stories with heart, humor, and wisdom. Participants will laugh, cry, and identify with their journeys from heartache to healing. Sessions will be held every Tuesday between September 3rd and November 26th from 6:45-8:15 p.m. at Saint Catherine Laboure Parish, 4000 Derry Street, Harrisburg PA 17111. For more information or to register, contact Deb at (717) 564-1321 or dsalldin@sclhgb.org.

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 available, 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 Dioceses supports each man in formation for the priesthood, an investment of around \$40,000 annually, 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.