



SATURDAY - Blessed Virgin Mary

4:30 p.m. People of the Parish

SUNDAY - Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. Living and deceased members of the Martin and Decker Families (requested by Mary Menges)
11:00 a.m. Gerald Pfaff, Sr. (requested by Dave Pfaff)

MONDAY - Saint Paul Miki and Companions

7:30 a.m. Grace Robinson (requested by the Rosary Confraternity)

TUESDAY

7:30 a.m. Sharon Emig (requested by the Rosary Confraternity)
10:00 a.m. Brethren Home - Grace Robinson (requested by the Rosary Confraternity)

WEDNESDAY - Saints Jerome Emiliani and Josephine Bakhita

7:30 a.m. Teresa A. Miner (requested by Jean Spicer)

THURSDAY

No Mass

FRIDAY - Saint Scholastica

7:30 a.m. Susan and Erik Norton (requested by Lillian Miller)

SATURDAY - Our Lady of Lourdes; Blessed Virgin Mary

4:30 p.m. People of the Parish

NEXT SUNDAY - Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. Kenneth Deatrick, Sr. (requested by Jeff and Kim Lawrence)
11:00 a.m. Living and deceased members of the J.T. and Alphonzine Hockensmith Family

The Week Ahead

Sunday - Second Collection - Society for the Propagation of the Faith Membership Appeal

Coffee and Donut Social - After the 8:00 a.m. Mass in the school cafeteria.

Choir Rehearsal - After the 8:00 a.m. Mass

Religious Education Class - 9:15 - 10:40 a.m. in the school.

Monday - RCIA - 6:15 p.m. in the school. **Chapter 20: 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Commandments**

Saturday - That Man is You - 8:00 a.m. in the school cafeteria.

Rosary For America - 12 Noon on the New Oxford Square

Next Sunday - Choir Rehearsal - After the 8:00 a.m. Mass

Religious Education Class - 9:15 - 10:40 a.m. in the school.



Rest in Peace - Please remember in your prayers the souls of **Elvira Bruno, Pauline Hertz** and **Richard Robinson** who recently passed away. May they and all the faithful departed rest in eternal peace.

Rosary for America...Every 2nd Saturday we gather on the square of New Oxford at 12 Noon to pray the Rosary for America. Please come and pray with us. The next date is February 11, 2017.

Sacrificial Giving

Sunday Collection Budget.....\$400,000.00
Weekly Total Needed.....\$7,692.00

1/29/17

Adult Weekly Collection\$7,126.01
Children's Weekly Collection\$30.50
Weekly Collection Total.....\$7,156.51
Weekly Surplus/**Deficit**.....\$(535.49)
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A special thanks to **myParishApp.com** for sponsoring an ad in our weekly bulletin.

Gift Certificate Program – During the week of January 16 through 22 a total of **\$450** was sold. This gives us a weekly profit of **\$30.50**. Volunteers are always needed to sell certificates before and after all weekend Masses. Interested? Call Dawn Smith at 259-0993.

“JOIN IN THE WORLDWIDE MISSION OF JESUS”

Sunday - February 5

By our Baptism, *we are all one family in mission*—called to share our faith in Jesus Christ with our family and friends, with our neighbors, indeed, with the whole world.

This Sunday, we are invited to make a special commitment as missionaries. We are invited to join in the worldwide mission of Jesus by joining the Propagation of the Faith.

In making this commitment, we pledge to...

PRAY daily for the missionary work of the Church, offering our personal crosses for missionaries and those they serve.

OFFER REGULAR FINANCIAL HELP in support of those who bring the “Good News” of Jesus to our brothers and sisters throughout the Missions.

Please say “yes” to this special missionary call this weekend.

Immaculate Conception School News...



Back by popular demand...the Immaculate Conception Knights will host the Harlem Wizards on Tuesday, February 7 at the New Oxford High School Gymnasium. Bring your kids out for a fun night of tricks, hoops and alley oops. Doors will open at 6:00 p.m.

and the game will begin at 7:00 p.m. Advance tickets are available now for \$10/adult and \$8/child. All tickets will be \$12 at the door. Reserve your tickets via www.harlemwizards.com or by calling the school at 624-4121.

Registration



Saint Teresa of Calcutta Catholic School is now accepting new registrations and re-registrations for grades K-8 for the 2017-2018 school year. As Annunciation B.V.M. Catholic School, Immaculate Conception Catholic School, and Sacred Heart of Jesus Catholic School merge to form St. Teresa of Calcutta Catholic School, we welcome current and new families to join our new school family. All faiths and backgrounds are welcome. For more information, please visit our new website <http://stck8school.org/>, or call 717-637-3135 (ABVM), or 717-632-8715 (Sacred Heart) or 717-624-2061 (ICBVM).

Gift Card News

Immaculate Conception of B.V.M. parish is expanding our Gift Card fundraiser beyond local grocery stores.

We will now have options to buy gift cards for national and regional retailers in:

Clothing	Department Stores
Dining	Discount Stores
Electronics & Office	Gas & Auto
Grocery	Health & Beauty
Home Décor	Home Improvement
Online	Specialty Retailers
Sporting Goods	Travel

The parish will receive between 2% to 16% for each gift card ordered, depending on the retailer.

Here is how you participate:

- 1.) Complete the order form, which is available: on the tables at the rear of church, in the room between the church and rectory or occasionally as a bulletin insert.
- 2.) Present your order form and payment to the gift card volunteer after Mass. At the beginning, orders can be placed on the 1st and 3rd weekends of the month.
- 3.) Pick up your gift card the following weekend after any of the weekend Masses. At the beginning, orders can be picked up on the 2nd and 4th weekends of the month.

We will continue to sell Giant, Weis and New Oxford Great Valu gift cards and fill these orders the same day.

Thank you for your help with this parish fundraiser.

New Hope Ministries (120 N. Peters St., New Oxford) is in need of the following items: Peanut Butter, Diapers, Condiments, Cereal, Canned Protein, Soup, Personal Hygiene, Canned Fruit and Sliced Bread. Hours of operation are Tuesday through Thursday from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. and Tuesday evening from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

A **Holy Mass**, with prayers for healing, will be celebrated by Fr. John Szada at St. Vincent Church on February 14 at 7:00 p.m.

St. Aloysius Coach, Cash & More Bingo - Featuring Coach, Kate Spade, Michael Kors and more will be held Sunday, February 19, 2017 (inclement weather makeup date February 26) at St. Aloysius Parish Hall, 29 S. Queen St., Littlestown. Doors open at 11:30 a.m., Bingo starts at 1:30 p.m. Tickets are \$20 in advance and \$25 at the door. Must have an admission ticket to enter and play. Door prizes, raffles and food available for purchase. For tickets call the parish office at 717-359-4513.

ATTENTION PARENTS & FRIENDS OF DELONE CATHOLIC - On the first Tuesday of every month, we will meet at **9:30 a.m.** in the Delone Catholic chapel to say a rosary for our students, faculty, staff, administration, and alumni. On **February 7**, our special intention for February will be for the grace to imitate the sacrificial love of Jesus. Everyone is welcome. If you have a special intention we can pray for, but you cannot attend, feel free to send a note into the office. We will be keeping everyone in our Delone Catholic community in our prayers. Take a brief moment out of your week to join in asking Our Lady to intercede on our behalf. If you have any questions, please call Annie Kilkelly at 637-0993.



Rev. J. Daniel Mindling OFM Cap., Seminary Academic Dean, Mount Saint Mary's Seminary will be giving a presentation on end-of-life issues on Thursday, February 16 at 6:30 p.m. in the St. Aloysius parish hall. Do you have questions about living wills and health care directives? Advances in medicine have helped us to live longer, but many fear prolonging a painful or expensive dying process. How should we decide about starting or continuing life-saving treatments? These can be difficult decisions. Capuchin Fr. Dan Mindling, who works with the Pro-Life Secretariat of the Bishops Conference, will be joining us for an evening presentation and discussion on living wills, do not resuscitate orders, and health care powers of attorney in the light of our Catholic Faith. If you have questions, contact Julie at 334-1841.

Coaching Opportunities - Delone Catholic is seeking candidates for head coaching positions for Varsity Golf and Varsity Boys' Soccer for the Fall of 2017. Please contact Dave Lawrence at dlawrence@delonecatholic.org or 717-637-5969, ext. 222 if interested.

As Valentine's Day approaches, take time to ponder what true love is like. And spend a little time getting to know the One who loves you best — Our Lord & Savior. Pick something up from our Resource Display and listen or read this week. And pick up something for your valentine as well! Thank you for your generous donations to our display.



"I asked a favor of you and you would not listen, so I asked it of God and He granted it."

- St. Scholastica (480-542), Sister of St. Benedict, Feast Day February 10

Children's Rosary Group will meet on Sunday, February 5th at 3:00 p.m. at the Adoration Chapel in McSherrystown. All children are invited. Rosaries and booklets are provided. Call Vicky at 632-3245 with questions.

Daily Mass on days with Inclement Weather

With the onset of the Winter Season, we may be experiencing mornings when driving conditions are hazardous. This can often lead us to question if Daily Mass will be celebrated at the church. To make things easier for everyone, we will follow this guideline: We will follow Conewago Valley School District on the television announcements. If the school has a **Two (2) Hour Delay** or is **Closed DUE TO WEATHER**, we will **NOT** have morning Mass. If there is only a **One (1) Hour Delay** or no announcement, Mass will be as scheduled. School closings/delays are listed on WGAL. Hopefully the winter season will be nice to us!