



**SATURDAY - *Blessed Virgin Mary***

4:30 p.m. George X. Staub (Ann.) (Betty Kepler)

**SUNDAY - *21st Sunday in Ordinary Time***

8:00 a.m. Living and deceased members of Edward and Dolores "Pete" Klunk Family (Beck Arter)

10:15 a.m. People of the Parish

**MONDAY - *Saint Augustine***

7:30 a.m. Pauline M. Hertz (Junie Bucher)

**TUESDAY - *The Passion of Saint John the Baptist***

7:30 a.m. Living and deceased members of Ranny and Evie Staub Family (Chris Noel)

**WEDNESDAY**

7:30 a.m. Douglas Zumbrum (Nancy and Katie Zumbrum)

**THURSDAY - NO MASS**

**FIRST FRIDAY**

9:00 a.m. Marie Groft (Linda Groft)

**FIRST SATURDAY - *Blessed Virgin Mary***

8:00 a.m. Pauline M. Hertz (Mike Donnelly)

4:30 p.m. People of the Parish

**NEXT SUNDAY - *22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time***

8:00 a.m. Dan Goulden (Larry and Nancy Aumen)

10:15 a.m. Joseph Azzara (Grace Azzara)

## The Week Ahead

**Sunday** - Loose Change Collection - Love of Neighbor

**Tuesday** - Parish Office - Closed

**Wednesday** - Parish Office - Closed

**Thursday** - Parish Office - Closed

**Friday** - Parish Office - Closed



**Attn: CCD Students** - St. Teresa Crusaders basketball signups for 2017-2018 will take place at the Sacred Heart Parish Hall on Wednesday, September 13 at 6:30 p.m. Participation will be for grades 4-8. For any additional information or questions please send an email to [stcathletics@stck8school.org](mailto:stcathletics@stck8school.org).

**Thrift Shop News** - We would like to thank the volunteers and patrons of the Thrift Shop for the generous donation of \$1,000 to the parish.

The Thrift Shop is in **DESPERATE** need of volunteers. Could you spare just three to six hours a week? If so, call Pat Slonaker at 717-624-3245 ASAP.

The Thrift Shop is holding a clothing sale, buy two items and get the third item free. The third item must be equal to or less in value. (Excludes school apparel.) Shop hours are Monday to Saturday from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Questions may be directed to 624-1272.

A special thanks to **B & K Appliance Parts** for sponsoring an ad in our weekly bulletin.

### SACRIFICIAL GIVING

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

8/20/17

Adult Weekly Collection ..... \$8,146.75\*  
Children's Weekly Collection ..... \$6.00  
Weekly Collection Total..... \$8,152.75  
Weekly **Surplus/Deficit**..... **\$460.75**  
Y-to-D **Surplus/Deficit**..... **\$7,696.50**  
**\*Includes Assumption Collection**

**Gift Certificate Program** – The weekend of 8/19 & 20 we sold a total of **\$1,790.00** for a profit of **\$87.95**. Help is always needed. Please call Dawn Smith at 259-0993 if you are interested.



**Immaculate Conception Church is sponsoring John Michael Talbot In Concert** on Tuesday, September 19, 2017 at 7:00 p.m. at New Oxford High School, 130 Berlin Road, New Oxford, PA. For more information call 717-521-3137 or to purchase tickets online visit [www.JohnMichaelTalbot.com](http://www.JohnMichaelTalbot.com).

**Adult Choir** - Immaculate Conception Parish Choir extends a warm welcome to new members of all voice parts. Now would be a good time to join our Parish Choir, as we are starting to practice new music for October and November. We will start Choir rehearsals on Sunday, September 10. As in past years, we rehearse every Sunday from after the 8:00 Mass to 10:30 A.M. If you are interested in joining the Choir, or would like to learn more, please contact Sister Marie Gavigan at 609-206-4066, [gavsmj@hotmail.com](mailto:gavsmj@hotmail.com) or stop by the Choir Loft after Mass.

**Children's Choir** - Children who belong to Immaculate Conception Parish and have their parents' permission are invited to join our Parish Children's Choir. The Children's Choir will sing at the Saturday 4:30 Vigil Mass on October 7, and on special occasions. At least one adult, one with Child Protection Clearance, will be needed to assist Sister Marie with the Children's Choir. Parents and children who are interested in the Children's Choir are encouraged to see Sister Marie, call 609-206-4066 or send an email to [gavsmj@hotmail.com](mailto:gavsmj@hotmail.com). To apply for Child Protection Clearances please visit <https://safeyouth.hbgdiocese.org/> and then talk with Becky Roth in the parish office. The Youth Protection Training Program is a free online course.

**Upcoming Events for  
Saint Teresa of Calcutta School...**

- ◆ August 28 - School Pictures
- ◆ August 29 - Back to School Night - Grades K-3
- ◆ 6:00 p.m. at Conewago Campus
- ◆ August 31 - Back to School Night - Grades 4-8
- ◆ 6:00 p.m. at McSherrystown Campus
- ◆ September 4 - Labor Day - No School
- ◆ September 20 - Diocesan Education Conference - No School

## TWENTY FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**Backpack Blessing and End-of-Summer Celebration** for Elizabeth Ann Seton's birthday on Sunday, August 27 during 1:30 p.m. Mass (fun activities after Mass!) Elizabeth Ann Seton started the first free Catholic school for girls in the United States. Join us for a celebration as Bishop Mark Brennan provides a blessing for a great year of learning and growth. Students of all ages are welcome. We invite you to bring your backpack, basket, tablet, or anything else you might use in your studies. After Mass, join us for an end-of-summer celebration with refreshments and fun activities: magician, live music, games, dessert and drinks and more. The National Shrine of Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton, 339 South Seton Avenue, Emmitsburg, MD 21727. Visit the website at [setonshrine.org/events](http://setonshrine.org/events) or call 301-447-6606 for more information.

**Rosary for America**...Every 2nd Saturday of the month we gather on the Square of New Oxford at 12 Noon to pray the Rosary for America. Please come and pray with us if you can. The next date is September 9.

### 2017: UNITY!

#### Harrisburg Diocese Catholic Committee on Scouting 39th Annual Retreat - Bashore Scout Reservation September 15, 16 & 17, 2017

Reverent Scouting for Boy Scouts and Venturers from all Christian denominations! The weekend includes great food, fellowship, games, campfire, youth and adult training cells; C.O.P.E. session available for youth ages 14-18, prayer time, Friday evening and Saturday evening Masses and interfaith service on Sunday morning. **The rifle range will be open to participants on Saturday afternoon!** Registration forms are available at the Diocesan website at <http://www.hbgdiocese.org/youth-and-young-adults/catholic-scouting/camp-bashore/>.

#### "The Holy Spirit – Fountain of Grace"

Saturday, September 16, 2017

#### Harrisburg Diocesan Charismatic Day of Renewal

Cardinal Keeler Center, 4800 Union Deposit Rd, Harrisburg

8:00 am to 4:00 pm

\$20 Registration by Sept. 5, 2017 includes lunch.

\$20 Registration at the door does not include lunch.

Speaker: Rev. William "Bill" Cosgrove

Twelve year service team member for the Charismatic Renewal Liaison for the Charismatic Renewal under Cardinal Dolan in the Diocese of New York. Active member of the International Fraternity of Priests, Active member of Clarkstown Ethics Board, New City Rotary, and the Clarkstown Ecumenical Clergy Association. Checks can be made payable to "Diocese of Harrisburg". To register or for more information: [www.aliveinthespirit.net](http://www.aliveinthespirit.net) or [www.hbsgdiocese.org/renewal](http://www.hbsgdiocese.org/renewal).

The **4th Annual Adams County Cry Out America** prayer event will take place on Monday, September 11 at 6:30 p.m. at the Oakside Community Park Amphitheater, 2880 Table Rock Road, Biglerville, PA. Join Christian believers nationwide gathering to pray. **We need prayer now more than ever for our nation, government leaders and military.** Bring a lawn chair and umbrella.

The Harrisburg Diocesan Guild of the Catholic Medical Association invites all Catholic physicians, healthcare workers, medical students, residents, and their families to attend **The Annual White Mass** celebrated by Most Reverend Ronald W. Gainer, D.D., J.C.L., Bishop of Harrisburg on **Sunday, September 17, 2017, 9:30 a.m.** at Saint Patrick Cathedral in Harrisburg. Please RSVP for the reception to [kneri@hbgdiocese.org](mailto:kneri@hbgdiocese.org).

**Marriage Annulments** – The Tribunal of the Diocese of Harrisburg will be giving 3 presentations within the diocese concerning marriage, divorce and annulment according to Church teaching. These presentations will be helpful for divorced Catholics, those divorced who wish to marry Catholics, those parish leaders involved in the RCIA process and any others who may have a vested interest because of family or friends.

Sept. 11 – Cardinal Keeler Center, 7 PM

Sept. 14 – St. Joseph, Hanover – 7 PM

Sept. 25 – St. Philip, Millersville – 7 PM

No prior registration is required. For further information, call 717-657-4804, ext. 304 or email [tribunal@hbgdiocese.org](mailto:tribunal@hbgdiocese.org).

**The Delone Class of 1965** will hold their **52nd Reunion Luncheon** at Noon on Saturday, September 30, 2017, at Inn 94 on Carlisle Pike, New Oxford. If you can join us, please contact: Judy (Bennett) Sieg at 717-632-3482, [siegnaljj@yahoo.com](mailto:siegnaljj@yahoo.com) or Jean (Eline) Timmins at 717-632-6433, [jeantim@embarqmail.com](mailto:jeantim@embarqmail.com).



**Swing for the Sisters - Time to mark your calendars! The 10th Annual "Swing for the Sisters" Golf Tournament**, to benefit the Sisters of Saint Joseph will be held on Saturday, September 30, 2017 at Flatbush Golf Course, Littlestown. For more information and/or to

register, please call 1-800-482-6510 or email [development@ssjphila.org](mailto:development@ssjphila.org).

**Diocesan Women's Conference – October 14, 2017** - Women of Harrisburg, please mark your calendar for the 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Diocesan Women's Conference, Saturday, October 14, 2017, at Bishop McDevitt High School. Theme: *"Lead All Souls to Heaven": Mary's Message to Us from Fatima*. Keynote Speaker: Award winning Catholic author and noted speaker, Susan Brinkmann. The Women's Conference includes 36 workshops from a blue-ribbon list of speakers, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament with the Rosary and Benediction, opportunity for Confession available, beautiful music, good food, a wide variety of exhibitors, and celebration of Mass by Bishop Ronald W. Gainer. Conference information, including Online Registration, is currently available at [www.hbgdiocese.org/women](http://www.hbgdiocese.org/women). Last year we had more than 800 women attend this conference. This year we are hoping for 1,000+ women.

**Holy Land Pilgrimage** - January 10-19, 2018 will be led by Father Michael Reid, Pastor at Saint Vincent, Hanover. Review the pilgrimage itinerary at [www.selectinternationaltours.com](http://www.selectinternationaltours.com). For more information, contact Annette at Select International Tours: 800-842-4842; and [Annette@select-intl.com](mailto:Annette@select-intl.com).

#### Donations Needed for Lourdeshouse Maternity Home

The Catholic Charities Lourdeshouse Maternity Home (located in suburban Harrisburg) is in need of the following donations: plastic cutlery, paper towels, napkins, large trash bags, hair conditioner, body wash, disposable razors, body lotion, and toilet paper. If you can help, please contact Renee Campbell at Lourdeshouse at 717-412-4865. Thank you for your support!

*If a man sins and denies it, saying, 'I have not sinned,' do not correct him, or you will destroy any intention he might have of changing. If you say, 'Do not be cast down, my brother, but be careful about that in the future,' you will move his heart to repent.*

**-Saint Poemen (340-450), Monk, Desert Father, Feast Day August 27**