

# MASS INTENTIONS

**SATURDAY** - *Saint Lawrence of Brindisi; Blessed Virgin Mary*  
 4:30 p.m. Fred J. Smith (Ann.) John and Sara Sneeringer

**SUNDAY** - *Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*  
 8:00 a.m. Deceased members of the Decker and Martin Families (Mary Martin)  
 10:15 a.m. People of the Parish

**MONDAY** - *Saint Bridget*  
 7:30 a.m. George X. Staub (Betty Kepler)

**TUESDAY** - *Saint Sharbel Makhlof*  
 7:30 a.m. Robert M. Stewart (Lee and Theresa Stewart)

**WEDNESDAY** - *Saint James*  
 7:30 a.m. Rodney and Leon Powell (Estate)

**THURSDAY** - *Saints Joachim and Anne*  
**NO MASS**

**FRIDAY**  
 7:30 a.m. August Raymond and Beulah Powell (Estate)

**SATURDAY** - *Blessed Virgin Mary*  
 4:30 p.m. Susan and Erik Norton (Miller Family)

**NEXT SUNDAY** - *Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*  
 8:00 a.m. Henry Pennings (Ann.)  
 10:15 a.m. People of the Parish

# THE WEEK AHEAD

Wednesday - Parish Office - Closed

Friday - Parish Office - Closed

Next Sunday - Loose Change Collection - Love of Neighbor

A special thanks to **Choice Family Pharmacy** for sponsoring an ad in our weekly bulletin. Please remember to support our weekly sponsors.

**YOU'RE INVITED!** Please join us at Immaculate Conception BVM, New Oxford for our annual Adult Faith Formation retreat on Saturday, August 25 from 8:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. This year's event features author, speaker, and Breadbox Media show host Allison Gingras. Allison will share easy and powerful ways to incorporate Prayer, Sacrament, and Scripture into our everyday ordinary lives. Cost is \$20 and includes lunch. Contact Pete Socks at pete.socks@gmail.com or 717-521-3137 to register.



**SAVE THE DATE!** Our Annual parish picnic will be held on Sunday, August 12 at the New Oxford Social Pavilion. Signups will begin at all Masses July 14/15. Volunteers needed! Please contact Pete Socks at 717-521-3137.

### How does someone begin the RCIA process?

We're glad you asked! Seekers can contact the parish office at 624-4121.

The **I.C. Thrift Shop** is having a great clothing sale. Buy two items and get one free, 3rd item must be equal to or less in value. This includes Immaculate School uniforms.



*"There is no sinner in the world, however much at enmity with Go, who cannot recover God's grace by recourse to Mary, and by asking her assistance".*

-St. Bridget of Sweden (1303-1373), co-Patron Saint of Ireland

## SACRIFICIAL GIVING

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

7/15/18

Adult Weekly Collection .....	\$6,041.00
Adult Online Giving (7/9 to 7/13) .....	\$372.00
Children's Weekly Collection .....	\$7.50
Weekly Collection Total.....	\$6,420.50
Weekly <b>Surplus/Deficit</b> .....	<b>\$1271.50</b>
Y-to-D <b>Surplus/Deficit</b> .....	<b>\$1,477.55</b>

**Gift Certificate Program** – Last week we sold a total of \$1,735 with a profit of \$82.76. **The next script order is due August 19 with pick on August 25/26.** Remember that gift cards for Weis and Giant are cash and carry after any Mass or during the week in the parish office. If you have any questions please contact Dawn Smith at 717-965-2559.

**Tender Care Pregnancy Center** currently has an ongoing need for the following items: Diapers sizes 4 & 5, Baby Wipes, Pull Ups, Summer toddler clothing in sizes 2T, 3T and 4T (boys and girls). Items may be dropped off at Tender Care, 300 John St. in Hanover during the hours of Monday through Thursday from 9:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. Thank you for your consideration.

**"I didn't know that!"** Listeners often comment on how entertaining and informative the programs are on WHYF AM 720, Catholic Radio for the Diocese of Harrisburg. A mix of devotional offerings to aid in your prayer life along with call in programs in the afternoon help you to learn more about your faith. Tune in while driving home or at home for an opportunity to grow in your faith. You can also listen to this independent non-profit station online at [www.720whyf.com](http://www.720whyf.com).

**Donations Needed for Interfaith Shelter for Homeless Families** - The Interfaith Shelter for Homeless Families (a Catholic Charities residential program located in suburban Harrisburg) is in need of: women's deodorant, lotions, bath towels, new bed pillows, and general cleaning products. If you can help, please call the shelter at 717-652-8740. Thank you for your generosity!



**Looking For A Fun Family Activity** - Bowling is a great adventure that all can enjoy. **South Hanover Lanes** (1767 Baltimore Pike, Hanover) **special offer:** bowl 2 games, rental shoes, slice of cheese pizza and small soda **ONLY \$5.00** per person. Call Debby at 717-637-2672 for other options.

**Grane Hospice is seeking dedicated, compassionate volunteers!** We have patients throughout York, Lancaster, Dauphin, Adams, Cumberland, Franklin and Perry Counties. A hospice care team is a specialized group of health-care professionals that have been called to serve individuals and their families during a very challenging time in life. As a team we acknowledge the physical, emotional and spiritual needs of an individual and seek to meet them through our visits. Volunteers can give their time in so many ways! They could do a remote Bible study, knit prayer shawls, be a companion, share a musical talent, bring their certified dog for a friendly visit, play games or just hold a hand. Volunteers of all ages can apply. Please contact Ashley Gounley 717-829-4923.

## SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**Delone Catholic High School** is currently accepting applications for the following positions for the 2018-19 school year: **Full-time French and Spanish Teacher, Full-time Family and Consumer Science Teacher and Part-time Cafeteria Aide—Assistance Server** (2.5 hours Monday through Friday). Preferred teacher applicants would have PA teaching certification, be a practicing Catholic and be able to support application with a pastor's recommendation. Interested applicants should send their resume and cover letter to Mr. Richard La Rocca, Principal, Delone Catholic HS, 140 South Oxford Avenue, McSherrystown, PA 17344 or rlarocca@delonecatholic.org.

**Many families will be enjoying quality time together during vacations and fun activities like our Parish Festivals this summer.** Unfortunately, many children in the foster care system won't have that opportunity. You can make a difference in the life of a child by opening your home to a child in need. Start today. To find out more, please contact Nicole or Kelly at Catholic Charities Specialized Foster Care at (717) 564-7115 or email naponick@cchbg.org or kbolton@cchbg.org.

**Get your tickets for the Seton Shrine's new Living History Tour called *Catherine Comes Home*.** Step back into 1842 with the daughter of Elizabeth Ann Seton, Catherine, and her contemporaries. With a guide, you'll see Catherine as she visits Emmitsburg for the first time since her mother died in 1821 and reunited with old friends. The tours take place most Sundays in July and August at 3 p.m., 3:30 p.m., 4:30 p.m. and 5 p.m. Please check setonshrine.org for updates on availability. Tickets can be bought online at setonshrine.org/living-history-tour or ordered by phone at 301-447-7050. The tour begins at the Shrine's Visitor Center and lasts about 45 minutes. The Seton Shrine is located at 339 S. Seton Avenue, Emmitsburg, MD 21727.

**Save the Date for the 1978 Delone Catholic Class Reunion -** September 15, 2018 at The Pike in Gettysburg. Additional details to follow. For questions, please contact Laurie Smith Brant at 717-977-6235 or 717-530-8899.

**The Fortieth Annual Men's Retreat**, sponsored by Corpus Christi Parish, will be held on the August 3rd weekend on the beautiful campus of Mount St. Mary's University, Emmitsburg, MD. It is open to all men in the Diocese, age 14 and older. **MARK YOUR CALENDAR NOW**, so you'll remember this weekend to renew your spirit, and His Love in your life. The Most Reverend Ronald Gainer, Bishop of Harrisburg, will lead us this year. Reservations require a minimum \$60 deposit and should be made early to ensure a room is held for you. Contact Pete Socks at 717-521-3137 for more details.



**Volunteer Opportunities** are available for the desk, pantry and warehouse in New Oxford and delivery in Hanover and Gettysburg on Tuesdays. Please contact Michelle at mzemba@nhm-pa.net. The pantry is in need of the following items: deodorant, toothpaste, toilet paper, peanut butter and canned tuna.

**Mass Times for Traveling Catholics** at [www.MassTimes.org](http://www.MassTimes.org) - Don't forget to include Mass in your travel plans. Weekend, week day and Holy day Mass times for virtually all U.S. parishes and those in many other countries are listed. When you are planning your travels go to [www.Masstimes.org](http://www.Masstimes.org) and enter a zip code, city, state, country or area code for Catholic Church locations and Mass times.

**CAMP VOLUNTEERS...all that is missing is U!** The Diocesan Summer Camp for Adults with Intellectual & Developmental Disabilities is seeking volunteers willing to assist at its residential camp, August 12-17, 2018. The camp takes place at Camp Kirchenwald in Lebanon County and serves the needs of approximately 40 adults. The camp has been held annually for the past 32 years, and is primarily dependent on volunteer support. Last year, volunteers from 21 parishes participated alongside volunteers from other faith communities to make this event a success. Anyone 16+ is welcome to volunteer for full-time or part-time duties; there is a particular need for male volunteers, 18 or older, who are able to spend the night, and for volunteers skilled at running an arts and crafts program. All volunteers are required to complete the Diocesan Clearance process and attend a brief training session prior to helping at camp. A deadline of June 30, 2018 for expressing volunteer interest is requested in order to facilitate planning efforts.

**Sponsor a Camper** - Would you like to sponsor a campership for a person with a disability who might not otherwise be able to afford camp? The Diocese of Harrisburg is seeking donations to defray the cost for campers to ensure that each individual who would like to attend camp is able to do so, regardless of finances. A full week of camp costs \$575, but donations in any amount will be welcomed. They can be sent to the Office of Ministry with People with Disabilities, 4800 Union Deposit Road, Harrisburg, PA 17111. Checks should be made payable to the Diocese of Harrisburg. For more information on volunteering or sponsoring a camper, please contact Larry Kiley at 717-657-4804, Ext. 322, or email lkiley@hbgdiocese.org.

**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 29, 2018 at Flatbush Golf Course, Littlestown. For more information and/or to register, please call 1-800-482-6510 or email development@ssjphila.org.

**Part Time Position Available - 25 Hours Per Week: Coordinator of Catholic Campus Ministry - Gettysburg College** "Help College Students live their Catholic Faith" - Catholic Campus Ministry at Gettysburg College is seeking a Coordinator of Catholic Campus Ministry, a part-time, ten-month professional position. Needed to assist the Catholic Campus Minister in leading our Christ-centered and growing Catholic Campus Ministry. Responsibilities include: responding to inquiries about the Catholic faith; providing opportunities for young adult faith formation; attending weekly campus Mass and coordinating the liturgical leadership team; providing pastoral care to students; coordinating annual retreats; mentoring and guiding the student Leadership Team; working in partnership with the Associate Dean of Religious and Spiritual Life promoting interfaith engagement and multifaith events; managing finances; assisting with the annual budget. We offer competitive salary. This position requires a fully initiated, active member of the Catholic Church. Preferred candidates will have previous experience in youth/young adult ministry, a strong academic background in a related field, and excellent organizational and computer skills. All interested applicants should submit a resume and cover letter by August 17, 2018 to employment@hbgdiocese.org. Please include the position title in the subject line.

*"He had compassion for them, because they were like sheep without a shepherd".* Please pray for those called to be shepherds. If you feel called to the priesthood call 717-657-4804.