

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, AUGUST 30, 2025

5:00 PM + Andrew & Kathryn Maysilles

SUNDAY, AUGUST 31, 2025 22ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:15 AM + Deceased members of the Joseph & Helen Smith Family

11:15 AM - People of the Parish

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 2025

NO MASS

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 2025

9:00 AM + Teresa A. & Anthony F. Strazzella

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 2025

9:00 AM + Clara Todt

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 2025

9:00 AM + Lorrie Raubenstine

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 2025

9:00 AM + Leo Hare

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 6, 2025

9:00 AM + Earl & Elenore Raubenstine

5:00 PM + Edward Hoffheins, Jr.

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 7, 2025 23RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:15 AM - People of the Parish

11:15 AM + Hector M. Miranda

THE SICK OF OUR PARISH – *Please keep our members in your thoughtful prayers:* Steve Luckenbaugh, Lisa Marie Smith, Regina Luckenbaugh, Peg Aumen, Shawn Hendrickson, Rob Despres, Shelva & Barry Meckley, Melanie Miller, Sharon Nowakowski, Stephen Nowakowski, Shirley Snyder, Evelyn Swenk, Kai Goley, Courtney Creager, Madison Krup, Karen Zale, Mary Barkey, Eric Barkey, Diane Huffman, Maria Schreiber, Monica Barrett, Steve Buttorff, Linda Buttorff, Carmen Engleheart, Joyce Wagner, Sharon Wagner, Tony Scott, Joe Pohlman, Diane Lasco, Liam Kauffman, Wayne Pohlman, Michael Pohlman, Wayne Moore, Sherry Eckenrode, Joel Pechart, Troy Stamer, Ron Oravitz, Chuck Gabrielson, Liam Kauffman, Janet Rinehart, Harry Noel, Mary Hallisey, Louis Orndorff, Alice Noel, Mac MacArthur, Duane Wright, Claire Wentz, Crystal Davis, Sandy Triplett, Bonnie Slagle, Wanda Keating, Julie d'Aliberti, Donna Cassatt, Kevin Kurtz, Paul Sneeringer, Paul Reeves, Cynthia Weaver, Janet Todt, Bob Brodbeck & Carol Fausey.

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

"For everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, but the one who humbles himself will be exalted." (Luke 14:11) Humility is at the heart of every vocation. Could God be calling you to humble service as a religious brother or sister? **Talk to your priest or reach out to Father Joshua Weaver, Vocation Director, at (717) 657-4804 or email him at frjweaver@hbgdiocese.org.**

A FAMILY PERSPECTIVE by Bud Ozar

Family life well lived confirms the words of Jesus in today's gospel, "Those who humble themselves will be exalted." Commitment, intimacy, loyalty and love are the rewards of humble service and care for one another.



The Parish Office will be closed Monday, September 1st in observance of Labor Day. We will reopen on Tuesday, September 2nd at 8:30am.



MONTHLY EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Our monthly Eucharistic Adoration will take place this Friday, September 5th from 6-8pm in the church. Consider giving yourself the gift of quiet, personal prayer in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament.

YEAR OF OUR PARISH FAMILY

This week, we as a Parish Family, will be praying very specially for:

September 1st	Miranda Family
September 2nd	Miriello Family
September 3rd	Monaco Family
September 4th	Mondorff Family
September 5th	Morela Family
September 6th	Morris (Michael) Family
September 7th	Morris (Richard) Family



NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

Wisdom 9:13-18b

Philemon 9:10,12-17

Luke 14:25-33



To our newest members:
Mr & Mrs Ronald Gallant



We are in the process of preparing for the publication of a new parish photo directory. The first photo session is scheduled for Saturday, September 6th. We will also have sessions on October 11th and

November 8th. Sign-up information was emailed this past week and is available in this bulletin. We encourage everyone to sign up to be included in our Parish Family Directory. You and your family are part of the long running history of our parish and we need to document it for future generations.



ADULT RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES

Adult Religious education classes will be held in the IHM social hall from 9:30 to 11am beginning on September 14th. The topic this year is Catholic Spirituality based on the wisdom of the Saints; a guide for the spiritual journey; how to become a saint. Dr. Ralph Martin's book entitled: "The Fulfillment of all Desire: A Guidebook for the Journey to God Based on the Wisdom of the Saints" will be the main source of information for the class supplemented by additional information. Dr. Martin is a well known Catholic theologian and speaker. Everyone is welcome to attend.

SENIOR CITIZEN LUNCHEON

Our next Senior Citizen Luncheon will be held on Tuesday, September 23rd beginning at Noon. Mark your calendars now and plan to join us. Sign-up Sheets will be on the windowsills next weekend.



WHAT IS THE OCIA JOURNEY?

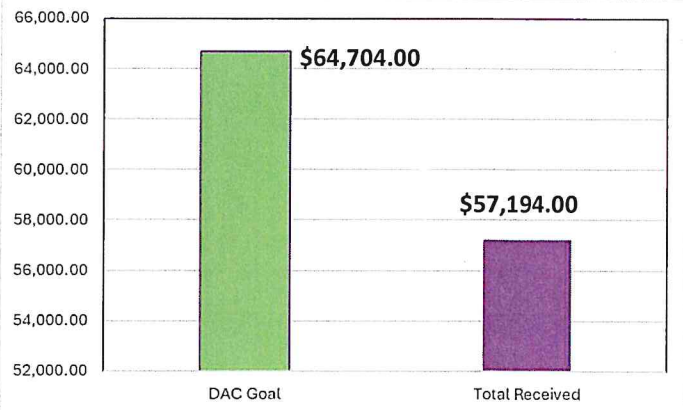
OCIA (the Order of Christian Initiation of Adults) is a process of spiritual conversion and growth over time in one's spiritual relationship with God and the Christian community. It is a faith journey where adults are fully welcomed into the Catholic Church. If you or someone you know is interested in exploring a relationship with Jesus Christ and celebrating the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and the Eucharist, please call Sister Rosanne @ (717) 259-0611, ext. 7

FORTY HOURS EUCHARISTIC DEVOTIONS

Forty Hours Eucharistic Devotions are truly grace-filled days for a parish. Our annual Forty Hours Eucharistic Devotions will be celebrated **Sunday, September 7th, Monday, September 8th and Tuesday, September 9th**. Our prayer each evening will begin at 7:00 PM. Our guest homilist for all three evenings is **Father Michael Messner**. Mark your calendars and plan to join us for these sacred days of prayer before the Blessed Sacrament.

2025 Diocesan Annual Campaign

DAC Report as of Monday, August 25th, we are at of 84% of cash received toward our **goal of \$64,704.00**. We are **\$7,510.00** away from meeting goal. *Thank you to all those who have given so generously!!* **If you have not pledged to the Diocesan Annual Campaign, we ask that you do so. If we do not meet goal, the Parish is still responsible for the payment of the outstanding balance.**



PARISH PICNIC

SUNDAY

September 28th

12:30-4:30 PM



Courtesy Announcements

Children's Rosary Group

Families are invited to join us for the Children's Rosary on Sunday, September 14th @ 2pm at St. Vincent de Paul Parish 220 Third St. Hanover. All are welcome to attend. All rosaries and materials are provided.

88th Annual Conewago District Council of Catholic Women Mass and Dinner

St. Joseph's the Worker, Bonneauville, is hosting the 88th Annual Conewago District Council of Catholic Women Mass and Dinner on **Thursday, September 11th**, starting with Mass at 6 p.m. Dinner to follow in the Deacon Weaver Parish Center. Cost is \$15.00 and deadline to register is Tuesday, September 2nd. Please call Pat Slonaker at 717-624-3245.

THANKS TO:

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