

# Twenty - Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

The flowers on the main Altar have been designated by Jeanette Devine in memory of Catherine "Jim" Devine.

The flowers on both side Altars have been designated by Bill and Rita Klunk in celebration of their 50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary. Congratulations!

## Mass Intentions

Sat.	5:30p.m.	Leona "Pony" McIntyre
Sun.	7:30a.m.	The People of the Parish
	10:00a.m.	Sarah Ann Dietrich
Mon.	8:00a.m.	George Riser & Gladys Staub
Tues.	8:00a.m.	Joan Avey
Wed.	8:00a.m.	Jerry Sneeringer
Thurs.	8:00a.m.	Robert & Mary Nicholson family
Fri.	8:00a.m.	Carroll & Katherine Sneeringer
Sat.	5:30p.m.	Kathy Strausbaugh
Sun.	7:30a.m.	Father Kevin Kayda
	10:00a.m.	The People of the Parish



## Offertory Procession

Sat. Sept. 28 <sup>th</sup>	5:30p.m.	VOLUNTEERS NEEDED
Sun. Sept. 29 <sup>th</sup>	7:30a.m.	Jim & Julie Hawbaker
	10:00a.m.	Chuck & Louise Minchik

**Pastor's Column:** Monday is the feast of St. Pio of Pietrelcina, popularly known as Padre Pio. He became known in this country as servicemen returning from World War II spoke of this Franciscan Monk who spent long hours in the confessional and had the ability to read souls, to know whether the penitent was making a complete confession. There are many stories of miracles including some with him bi-locating - being in two places at once. A few of his spiritual quotes follow:

- *Jesus is with you even when you don't feel His presence. He is never so close to you as He is during your spiritual battles. He is always there, close to you, encouraging you to fight your battle courageously. He is there to ward off the enemy's blows so that you may not be hurt.*
- *You complain because the same trials are constantly returning. But look here, what have you to fear? Are you afraid of the divine craftsman who wants to perfect His masterpiece in this way? Would you like to come from the hands of such a magnificent Artist as a mere sketch and no more?*
- *You say you are anxious about the future, but don't you know that the Lord is with you always and that our enemy has no power over one who has resolved to belong entirely to Jesus?*

**The HOSESPUN PROJECT:** This project has been donating handmade blankets since 2006. Many have given their time and love creating these works of art. The donations collected are given

to; For the Love of a Veteran, Tendercare Pregnancy Center, UPMC Hanover Hospital, Hanover Hall, and families in need. If you or someone you know can crochet this is a great project to donate to. For more information or, if you know of someone or a group in need, contact Lori Ann Ziolkowski at 717-633-5135.

**Don't Get Scammed! Scammers are now posing as priests and other clergy.** In this latest scam, you might receive an email or a text message that appears to be from your Pastor or another priest that you may know. It is important not to click on any link provided. Any e-mails from Fr. Howard will be sent from: [frjhoward@hbgdiocese.org](mailto:frjhoward@hbgdiocese.org).

Here's how to protect yourself from being scammed: **1** – Know that scammers are out there. Be suspicious of any request for funds of any type via an email message or a text message. Verify any request with a call to the person who supposedly sent it or a call to the phone number of the text that you received.

**2** – Know that any email from a priest should be from a diocesan or parish email account. Messages sent from free services, such as Gmail or Yahoo, are more likely to be scammers. **3** – Many clergy do not share their cell phone numbers publicly. If you receive a text message from someone not on your phone's contact list, be suspicious.

**4** – Know that priests will **NEVER** ask for financial transactions via email or text messages.

**Large Indoor Church Yard Sale at Sacred Heart Parish Center 1031 Sprengle Rd. Spring Grove, Fri. Sept. 27<sup>th</sup> & Sat. Sept. 28<sup>th</sup>.** A Ham & Green Bean Dinner will be served from 4 – 7:00p.m.

**Boy Scout Troop #107 will be having a Chicken BBQ Sat. Sept. 28<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 – 1:00p.m. at Annunciation.** Tickets are \$9 per dinner which includes ½ chicken, baked potato, applesauce, & roll.

**The 33<sup>rd</sup> Annual Evening of Prayer in honor of St. Therese, the Little Flower, will be held Tues. Oct. 1<sup>st</sup> at 7:00p.m. at Annunciation BVM, McSherrystown.** Anyone wishing to bring a rose symbolizing their intentions may do so.

**Requiem Choir rehearsals will begin on Wed. Oct. 2<sup>nd</sup> at 9:00a.m.**

**Honor and pray for servicemen and women who serve at sea at the Seton Shrine's annual Pilgrimage of Sea Services, on Sun. Oct. 6<sup>th</sup> Mass is at 3:00p.m.,** celebrated by Bishop Michael C. Barber, SJ, of Oakland, CA, a retired Naval Reserve chaplain. Music provided by the USNA Catholic Choir. Complimentary

dinner provided afterward. To attend the dinner, please RSVP by email to: [office@setonshrine.org](mailto:office@setonshrine.org). The Shrine is located at 339 S. Seton Ave. Emmitsburg, MD

**Bishop Robert Barron's study program, "The Mass," is being offered at Annunciation Parish, McSherrystown beginning Sat. Oct. 12<sup>th</sup>.** The program will be held every Sat. from 8:30am to 10am in the Parish Center for seven weeks. Learn to fully understand and appreciate the source and summit of the Catholic faith. To register or for more details, contact Connie Klunk at 717-634-9319 or [connieklunk61@gmail.com](mailto:connieklunk61@gmail.com)

**Fr. Bill Garrott, O.P., of the St. Joseph Province of the Dominican Friars, will preach a 3-night mission at St. Joseph's Church, Grandview Rd. Hanover on Oct. 20<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup>.** Fr. Bill will preach at all the Masses on Oct. 19-20; and then conduct the mission preaching at 7 p.m. each evening.

**We will begin another Bible Study Thurs. Oct. 17<sup>th</sup> "Revelation: The Kingdom Yet to Come" at 6:30p.m. in the Parish Hall.** The cost of the Study is \$25 to cover materials needed. Registration forms are in the Church Vestibule. Call JoAnn at the Parish Office 717-637-2721 or John Barrett 717-633-1082 for more information. **Please register before Oct. 10<sup>th</sup>.**

**We will have a Healing Mass here at the Basilica Sat. Oct. 26<sup>th</sup> at 11:00a.m.** There will be light refreshments in the Parish Hall immediately following the Mass. All are welcome to attend.

## St. Teresa of Calcutta School News

**School volunteers will be selling the PA Calendar Raffle Tickets at all 3 masses this weekend at the front of Church and the School lobby.** Each ticket is \$25 and has 100 chances of winning \$50 – 500 depending on the day. The drawing dates are Oct. 1<sup>st</sup> – Jan. 8<sup>th</sup>, 2020.

**Sacred Heart Day at Hoss's will be this coming Tues. Sept. 24<sup>th</sup>.** Cards will be at the doors of the Church or clip the coupon below. We receive up to 20% of your check. Every little bit helps!

