

# First Sunday of Lent

The flowers on Mary's Altar are in commemoration of Richard and Ginny Timmins' 50 Wedding Anniversary. This was inadvertently missed on last week's Bulletin. Sorry for any inconvenience.

## Mass Intentions

Sat.	5:30p.m.	Sean Bollinger
Sun.	7:30a.m.	The People of the Parish
	10:00a.m.	Carroll & Katherine Sneeringer
<b>Mon.</b>	<b>7:00p.m.</b>	Debbie Hockensmith
Tues.	8:00a.m.	Jean Smith
<b>Wed.</b>	<b>8:30a.m.</b>	Agnes "Dusty" Pohlman
Thurs.	8:00a.m.	Gary Adams
<b>Fri.</b>	<b>7:00p.m.</b>	Linda Savacoal
Sat.	5:30p.m.	Danny Smith
Sun.	7:30a.m.	Helen Schuchart
	10:00a.m.	The People of the Parish



The Readings for this weekend are:

**First Reading:** *Genesis 9:8-15*

**Second Reading:** *1 Peter 3:18-22*

**The Gospel:** *Mark 1:12-15*

### Lenten Daily Mass times

Monday and Friday evenings at 7:00p.m.

Tuesday and Thursday mornings at 8:00a.m.

Wednesday morning 8:30a.m. and

Stations of the Cross at 7:00p.m.

The Black Books for Lent are at the doors of the Church. Feel free to take one.

Deacon Chris Livelsberger will lead the Stations of the Cross each Wed. evening of Lent at 7pm in the Church. All are welcome!

If you need a Donation Statement for tax purposes contact the Parish Office at 717-637-2721.

**SAVE THE DATE:** Great news—Fr. Paul Clark, Judicial Vicar of the Diocese of Harrisburg as well as a Hanover native will be the preacher for our 40 Hours Devotions this year. The dates are September 19-21, 2021. The service is at 7pm each evening.

**Spiritual Enrichment Opportunities for Lent** sponsored by the Harrisburg Diocesan Council of Catholic Women (HDCCW). "**Walk to Jerusalem**" - experience physical activity and encourage spiritual growth as we travel the road to Calvary; see details on the HDCCW website [www.hdccw.webs.com/walk-to-Jerusalem](http://www.hdccw.webs.com/walk-to-Jerusalem).

Also, join us to pray "**Mary's Way of the Cross**" every Wednesday at 7:00p.m. during Lent, beginning Ash Wednesday. In these Stations, we see and feel through Mary's perspective what Jesus was going through on the way to Calvary. Email: [hbgdcccw1921@gmail.com](mailto:hbgdcccw1921@gmail.com) to request information to connect by Zoom or by phone.

**St. Francis Xavier Parish in Gettysburg, Lenten Fish Fry Dinners on Fridays, Feb. 26<sup>th</sup>, March 5<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> at Xavier Center, 465 Table Rock Road, Gettysburg.** Menu includes fried haddock, mac and cheese, seasoned potatoes, roasted vegetables, and corn pudding. Curbside pick-up only, subject to change due to COVID-19. Call 717-334-4048 or visit [www.stfxcc.org](http://www.stfxcc.org) or [www.sfxpccw.org](http://www.sfxpccw.org) for more information, menu and updates.

### Satan in a Time of Covid

**Lenten Retreat with Father John A. Szada, Jr. Chaplain at the Carmel of Jesus, Mary and Joseph, Elysburg, Exorcist of the Diocese of Hbg., Sun. Feb. 28<sup>th</sup>, Mon. Mar. 1<sup>st</sup> and Tues. Mar. 2<sup>nd</sup> at 6:30 p.m.** The Lenten Retreat will be live streamed on the Parish Facebook page: "St. Joseph Parish, Hanover, PA" <https://www.facebook.com/St.JosephHanover/> *Satan does not take a break during a pandemic. He will use all his power to make it worse. We are in a spiritual battle. Come to this retreat to be strengthened in your faith*

### Diocesan Annual Campaign

It's that time of year again – Lent! The former "Lenten Appeal" is called "Diocesan Annual Campaign". Our assessment is the same as last year's, \$61,807. **Flyers with an envelope, will be attached to the Bulletin the weekend of Mar. 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup>.** You are free to mail in the donation directly to the Diocese, make an online donation, or drop the envelope in the basket in Church. Note that any donation to the campaign that goes above and beyond the \$61,807 comes back to the Parish. We appreciate your generosity!

### Virtual Engaged Encounter Weekends, Mar. 20-21, Apr. 17-18, May 15-16, Oct. 16-17.

This intense weekend gives couples who are planning to marry the opportunity to communicate with each other—individually, honestly, and intensively. Cost is \$155 per couple. Registration closes two weeks prior to the weekend course. Reservations are limited to 10 couples per weekend. Learn more at 717 657-4804 ext. 317 or email [familyministries@hbgdiocese.org](mailto:familyministries@hbgdiocese.org).

**Tickets are now available for the \$100 Dinner/Raffle to benefit The John Gastley Scholarship Foundation.** One ticket admits 2 people. **The Dinner/Raffle will be held Sat. May 8<sup>th</sup> at SAVES Hall in Brushtown.** Doors open at 4:30p.m. Dinner at 5:30 the drawings

begin at 6:30. You do not need to be present to win. For tickets please call Peg Shaffer at 717 476 6996 for tickets.

## St. Teresa of Calcutta School News

Prospective Students: If you, a family member or a friend is interested in enrolling a new student in Preschool – 8th grade for the 2021-2022 school year, please contact Mrs. Guy via email - [mguy@stck8school.org](mailto:mguy@stck8school.org). Thank you to everyone who referred a new family to our school for next year and for your continued trust in STC! **Enrollment for new students will begin on February 15, 2021.**

### Parish Financial Report

Amount needed in weekly collection \$9,038.46

<u>January Collections</u>	<u>Expenses</u>
1 <sup>st</sup> weekend \$11,842.92	School Subsidy
2 <sup>nd</sup> weekend 7,603.63	(Delone & St. Teresa) \$12,555.43
3 <sup>rd</sup> weekend 6,107.39	Utilities, Salaries,
4 <sup>th</sup> weekend 12,115.71	Taxes, Office supplies,
5 <sup>th</sup> weekend + 9,355.75	Snow removal... + 28,473.34
TOTAL: \$47,025.40	TOTAL: \$41,028.77

Income \$47,025.40 **We have a profit of \$5,996.63! A HUGE**  
 Expenses: - 41,028.77 **thanks to all who make sure we**  
**TOTAL: \$ 5,996.63 receive our weekly/monthly donations!**

### PRAYER FOR LENT

**God of times and seasons, you have brought us again to Lent for the study of Your Word, for the remembrance of the temptations of Your Son, and for the contemplation of His Cross. The birds know their seasons; forbid that we be blind to our times. Grant us a Lenten blessing, and may no one miss this time of growth. We ask this through Christ our Lord.**

**Sacred Heart Day at Hoss's Restaurant is Tues. Feb. 23<sup>rd</sup>.** Cards are at the doors of the Church or clip this one below to use.

