

## Mass Intentions

### SATURDAY

4:30 p.m. Sue and Erik Norton (Ann.) (Miller Family)

### SUNDAY - *First Sunday of Lent*

8:00 a.m. Wanda Shull and Family (Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Kuhn)

11:00 a.m. People of the Parish

### MONDAY

7:30 a.m. Jean Overbaugh (Overbaugh Family)

### TUESDAY - *Saint Katharine Drexel*

10:00 a.m. Brethren Home - Jeff Stimer (Fletcher Family)

### WEDNESDAY - *Saint Casimir*

7:30 a.m. Isabelle Stewart (Lee and Theresa Stewart)

### THURSDAY - NO MASS

### FIRST FRIDAY - *World Day of Prayer; Abstinence*

9:00 a.m. Kris Eckert and Family (

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

### FIRST SATURDAY - *Saints Perpetua and Felicity*

8:00 a.m. Francis Weaver (

4:30 p.m. People of the Parish

### NEXT SUNDAY - *Second Sunday of Lent*

8:00 a.m. Edward and Dolores "Pete" Klunk (Beck Arter)

11:00 a.m. Intention of Bernie and Darla Kuhn (Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Kuhn)

## The Week Ahead

**Sunday - Coffee and Donut Social** - After the 8:00 a.m. Mass  
**Choir Practice** - 9:00 a.m.

**Religious Education Class** - 9:15 - 10:30 a.m. in the parish center

**Wednesday - Parish Office** - Closing at 11:30 a.m. for Adams deanery meeting

**Next Sunday - Choir Practice** - 9:00 a.m.

**Religious Education Class** - 9:15 - 10:30 a.m. in the parish center

**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 March 14, 2020.**

**The Tribunal of the Diocese of Harrisburg** will be giving 2 presentations within the diocese concerning marriage, divorce and annulment according to Church teaching. These presentations will be helpful for divorced Catholics, those 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.

March 12—St. John Neumann, Lancaster, 7:00 p.m.

March 25—Diocesan Conference Center, Harrisburg, 7:00 p.m.

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



Due to Immaculate Conception contracting a lawn service for our mowing needs we have two 2017 John Deere lawn tractors (Z920M zero turn mower w/48" deck and X734 Lawn Tractor w/54" deck) for sale. Please contact Mark Becker at 717-479-3370 (call or text) for more information and to make an appointment for viewing.

## SACRIFICIAL GIVING

Sunday Collection Budget .....\$400,000.00  
Weekly Total Needed .....\$7,692.30

2/23/2020

Adult Weekly Collection.....\$4,706.00  
Adult Online Giving (2/17 to 2/21).....\$535.00  
Children's Weekly Collection.....\$ 50  
Weekly Collection Total .....\$5,241.50  
Weekly Shortfall .....\$(2,450.80)  
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**Certificate Sales** - The total sales for the past week were \$390 with a profit of \$19.50. **The next scrip order is due the weekend of March 7/8.**

A special thanks to **Inn 94 Restaurant & Cocktail Lounge** for sponsoring an ad in our weekly bulletin. Please remember to patronize our sponsors.



### **Hersheypark Discount Ticket Offer!**

Discount tickets to *Hersheypark* are available to the friends and families of the parish for a **significant savings**. Gate admission for Regular is \$74.80; our price is **\$38.95** (ALL ages 3+). **\*ADD-ON** discount Hersheypark Meal Tickets at a savings of up to 30% off retail prices—**\$12.99 each** and **\*ADD-ON** Snack Vouchers—**\$4.50 each**. Orders must be received at the parish by **Thursday, April 30th 2020**. Order forms are available in the back of church.

*If there be a true way that leads to the everlasting kingdom, it is most certainly that of suffering, patiently endured.*

-St. Colette (1381-1447), Patron of Infertility, Feast Day March 6

**The February turkey dinner made a profit of \$1,591.** Judy Smith won \$43.00 on the 50/50 raffle. The next dinner is scheduled for March, 15. Many thanks to our faithful and dedicated volunteers who help each month to make this fundraiser a success. You are truly appreciated!

The **Adams Deanery Perpetual Adoration Chapel** is in need of adorers for the following hours: Saturday at 1:00 p.m., **5:00 p.m.** and **9:00 p.m.** The hours in bold are in desperate need. "*Can you spend just one hour with our Lord?*" Contact Gloria Murren at 717-479-1071.

**Knights of Columbus, St. Vincent de Paul Council #14865** will be hosting their **Quarterly Breakfast** on **Sunday, March 15** from 8:00 a.m. until 10:00 a.m. in the gym. Come join us for a delicious start to your Sunday.

## Religious Education News...

All paperwork required for the religious education program can be accessed online. Visit the parish website ([www.icbvmnewoxford.org](http://www.icbvmnewoxford.org)) and click the "RE Google Folder" link under the Religious Education tab (drop down under "Faith Formation" tab on the homepage.) All Confirmation files are included as well! Communication will be primarily via email. If you are not receiving emails for RE, please email Mr. Jesse Read at [jread@hbgdiocese.org](mailto:jread@hbgdiocese.org).

## FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

Tired of carrying excess and unwanted baggage through your journey of life? There is a way to find greater healing, peace, and freedom through Unbound prayer. An **Introduction to Unbound Prayer Ministry** will be offered on Monday evening, **February 24 from 6:30 to 7:30 PM** at **St. Joseph's Social Hall**. For those interested, the **Unbound DVD Conference** will be offered in the Social Hall, on Monday evenings, **March 2, 9, 16 and 23 from 6:30 to 8:30 PM**.

**JOIN THE COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC WOMEN FOR OUR Annual Lenten Day of Reflection "Gifted" Saturday, March 28.**  
**Presenters: Rev. Samuel Dubois and Rev. Matthew Morelli**

**Time: 12:00 Noon to 3:00 p.m. (Registration 12 to 12:30)**  
**Where: St. Joseph Church, 5125 Grandview Road, Hanover SOCIAL HALL, Entrance #12**

There is no registration fee and no need to pre-register! Free-will offerings will be accepted and refreshments will be served. Bring a friend with you!

**Butter Braid® Pastry Fundraiser** - Starting Monday, March 2, St. Vincent de Paul Church, 220 Third Street, Hanover will be taking orders for **Butter Braid® Pastry** products. Choices include the filled breads as well as cake rolls. You may place your order at the Parish Office, payment is due when order is placed. Orders will be accepted until Saturday, March 28 at our Indoor Yard Sale at Msgr. Gotwalt Auditorium. They will be available for pick-up on Saturday, April 4 at Msgr. Gotwalt Auditorium between 12 Noon and 3:00 p.m. You will have them for your Easter Celebration! This fundraiser is to erect a crucifix in our Parish Cemetery. Direct inquires to Judith E. Ciancio at 717-476-0405.

**Save the Date.** The film "**Love and Mercy**," about St. Faustina and the painting of Divine Mercy will be shown at **St. Joseph's Social Hall, Grandview Road, Hanover** on Friday evening, **April 17, at 7:00 PM**.

**New Hope Ministries** is in need of the following items: canned vegetables, canned fruits, peanut butter, canned meats, pop and eat items, easy to prepare and personal care items. Please place donations in the church vestibule. Thank you for your continued support. **Volunteer with us!** We always need help at New Hope. Please stop by, give us a call, or visit our website ([www.nhm-pa.org](http://www.nhm-pa.org)) to see how you can be part of our amazing ministry family!

**Delone Catholic High School Spring Open House and Scholarship Competition** - Sunday, March 29 from 12:00 to 2:00 p.m. Students, teachers, administrators, coaches and activity moderators will be available to give tours and information on Delone Catholic High School. Eighth grade students may register for one of two scholarship competitions. There is an essay-style or jeopardy style competition. The scholarship award for the winner of each competition is \$1,000/year renewable for 4 years. Visit [www.DeloneCatholic.org](http://www.DeloneCatholic.org) for more information and to register or contact Mrs. Jennifer Hart at [jhart@delonecatholic.org](mailto:jhart@delonecatholic.org).

**This Lent, come to the Seton Shrine for the half-day retreat "In the Footsteps of Jesus: A Lenten Journey"** on March 7, led by Vincentian priest, Fr. Charles Krieg, CM. Renew and strengthen your commitment to follow in His footsteps during this holy season of Lent. Doors open at 8:30 a.m.; retreat takes place 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Light breakfast provided. Confession available during the retreat; Mass available afterward at 12:00 p.m. Cost: \$15/person, To register, visit [setonshrine.org/retreats](http://setonshrine.org/retreats).



**SAVE THE DATE! Diocesan Youth Conference - *Balancing Life, Faith, Family and School*** - Sunday, March 15 from 12:30 to 5:00 p.m. at Bishop McDevitt High School.

The event includes: Speakers, Holy Hour, Praise, Social with DJ and More! Open to any 8 to 12 grade youth. Join us for an afternoon of faith, fellowship, fun and food. For additional information visit [www.hbgdiocese.org/youngchurch](http://www.hbgdiocese.org/youngchurch).

**All are welcome to the Seton Shrine for a Celtic concert to celebrate St. Patrick's Day.** The concert features the regional group, The Morning Star, performing traditional Irish music. Cost is \$5/adult; \$3/youth ages 7-18; free for children ages 6 and under. Visit <https://setonshrine.org/event/st-patricks-day-concert-2/> for tickets.

**The Harrisburg Diocesan Council of Catholic Women** is offering a \$1,000 scholarship to a Catholic Senior Girl for her freshman year at an accredited college, university, or trade school. Applicants must be sponsored by a Mother or Grandmother/Guardian who is a member of a Parish Council of Catholic Women, is a resident of the Harrisburg Diocese, and must meet all conditions established by the Scholarship committee. Anyone interested in applying should contact Joyce Scott, Scholarship Chair, 717-737-0927 or email to: [joynbob10@aol.com](mailto:joynbob10@aol.com). The application deadline is May 1, 2020.

### Deanery Penance Service Schedule

March 10, 7:00 p.m.  
Immaculate Conception B.V.M.

March 15, 2:00 p.m.  
St. Vincent

March 27, 7:00 p.m.  
Annunciation B.V.M.

March 28, 10:00 a.m.  
St. Aloysius

March 30, 7:00 p.m.  
St. Francis Xavier

April 2, 7:00 p.m.  
St. Joseph the Worker

April 4, 10:00 a.m.  
Sacred Heart Basilica

April 7, 7:00 p.m.  
Immaculate Heart of Mary

April 8, 7:00 p.m.  
St. Joseph, Hanover