

Saint Vincent de Paul Roman Catholic Church

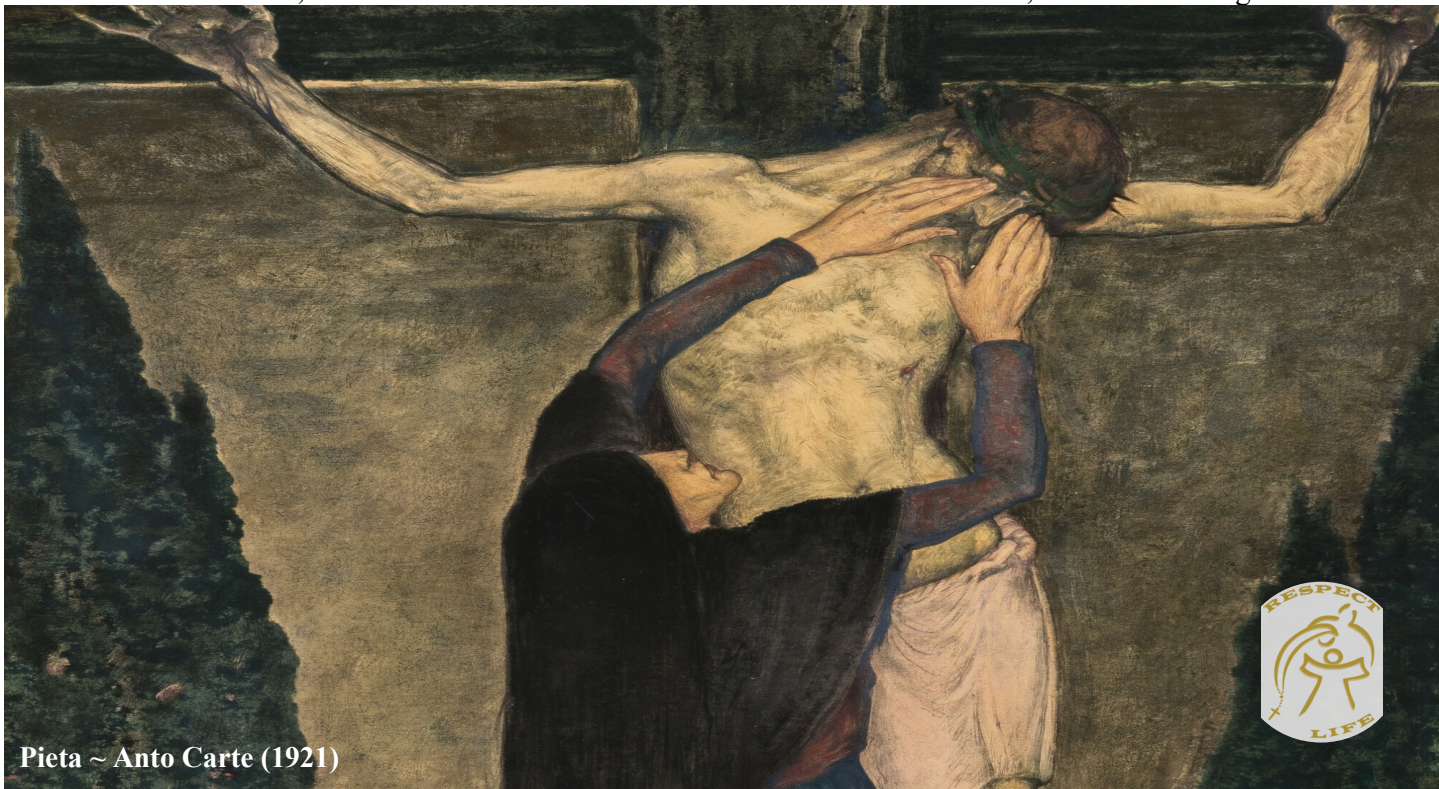
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Rev. Michael P Reid II, Pastor

Sandra Clark, Director of Religious Education



Pieta ~ Anto Carte (1921)

Confessions: Saturdays 9:00 a.m.; First Sundays between 9:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m.; and by appointment

Masses: Saturday at 4:30 p.m.; Sunday at 7:30 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.; Monday through Friday at 8:00 a.m.; First Saturday at 8:00 a.m.; Holy Day Vigil at 5:30 p.m.; Holy Day at 8:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.; except Christmas, New Year

Eucharistic Adoration: Friday at 8:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m.; First Sundays - Saturday at 3:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. and Sunday at 8:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.; 2nd Sunday at 2:00 p.m.

Rosary: Monday to Friday at 7:20 a.m.; Saturday at 4:00 p.m.; Sunday at 10:00 a.m.; 2nd Sunday at 2:00 p.m.

Office Hours: Monday through Thursday 8:30 a.m. to Noon, and 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.; Friday 9:30 a.m. to Noon, and 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.; Monday-Friday; Closed weekends, Holy Days & Holidays

Parish Religious Education (K-8th): 8:45 A.M. to 10:15 A.M. on Sundays, September - May. For more information please contact Sandra Clark: (717) 632-1461 or smclark@pa.net.

Parish Thrift Shop: Open Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Fridays, and Saturdays, 10:00 A.M. to 2:00 P.M. Located in the basement of the Parish Education Building. (717) 633-6198.

Alternatives to Abortion:

call (717) 854-6285 or 1 (888) LIFE-AID [5433-243].

Tender Care Pregnancy Consultation Services:

600 John Street, Hanover, PA;

Text (717) 862-7050; Call (717) 633-1200;

Jackie@tendercare.org; Lori@tendercare.org

Help After Abortion:

Project Rachel (717) 857-2282; prm@hbgdiocese.org

Suicide and Crisis Hotline: 988

Anointing of Sick: If you, or your loved one, is going to be admitted to or is in the hospital and would like to receive the Anointing of the Sick, Confession, Holy Eucharist, or a visit from clergy or parishioner, then you MUST call the parish office.

Baptisms: will be scheduled on an individual basis; generally, Baptisms are celebrated Sundays at 12:30 P.M. A sacramental preparation class is required of parents and godparents.

Weddings: Engaged couples: please contact the Parish Office at least one year before the anticipated date of your wedding. We are looking forward to working with you as you prepare yourself spiritually for the Sacrament of Matrimony.

Mass Intentions This Week



SAT MARCH 28

VIGIL: PALM SUNDAY

4:00 pm Rosary
4:30 pm People of the Parish

SUN MARCH 29

PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

7:30 am Living & Deceased Members of the Bixler & Smith Families
10:00 am Rosary
10:30 am Regina Orndorff

Procession with Palms from Auditorium



Holy Week

MON MARCH 30 MONDAY OF HOLY WEEK

8:00 am Holy Souls in Purgatory

TUE MARCH 31 TUESDAY OF HOLY WEEK

8:00 am Richard & Shirley Crouse

WED APRIL 01 WEDNESDAY OF HOLY WEEK

8:00 am Paul & Marie Smith

THU APRIL 02 THURSDAY OF HOLY WEEK

+ OFFICE CLOSED +

7:00 pm Mass of the Lord's Supper
- People of the Parish
8:00 pm **Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament**
Eucharistic Procession and **Adoration** / Audit.
10:00 pm **Compline (Night Prayer)**
and **Reposition of the Blessed Sacrament**

FRI APRIL 03 GOOD FRIDAY
FRIDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

+ OFFICE CLOSED +

3:00 pm Liturgy of the Lord's Passion

SAT APRIL 04 HOLY SATURDAY

VIGIL MASS WITHIN THE HOLY NIGHT OF EASTER

8:00 pm People of the Parish

SUN APRIL 05

EASTER SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S RESURRECTION

7:30 am Easter Flower Intentions
8:30 am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament +
10:00 am Rosary Adoration
10:30 am Easter Flower Intentions

Thanks a Brunch volunteer Social

Sponsored by Hanover Area Council of Churches - Join us for food, fun, games & more on **Saturday, May 16th from 11 am - 2pm** at St. Paul's (Dubs) Church Annex (1958 Dubs Church Rd., Hanover PA). Please sign up by **May 2nd** by calling 717-633-6353.



Parish Life This Week

SAT MARCH 28

9:00 am **Sacrament of Reconciliation**
12: **NOON - BAPTISM**

SUN MARCH 29

10:00 am - Rosary / Church

MON MARCH 30

7:20 am - Rosary / Church
9:00 am - **Sacrament of Reconciliation** (until 10 am)
4:00 pm - **Mass of the Oils** / Cathedral of St Patrick

TUE MARCH 31

7:20 am - Rosary / Church
10:00 am - Thrift Shop open until 2:00 pm
6:30 pm - Stations of the Cross
7:00 pm - **Tenebrae**

WED APRIL 01

7:20 am - Rosary / Church
10:00 am - Thrift Shop open until 2:00 pm
7:00 pm - HDCCW Rosary / Zoom - Telephone - Home

THU APRIL 02

7:20 am - Rosary / Church
8:00 am **Liturgy of the Hours : Morning Prayer**
9:00 am **Sacrament of Reconciliation** (until 10 am)

FRI APRIL 03

7:20 am - Rosary / Church
8:00 am **Liturgy of the Hours : Morning Prayer**
9:00 am **Sacrament of Reconciliation** (until 10 am)
12:00 pm Stations of the Cross
1:00 pm **Sacrament of Reconciliation** (until 2 pm)
6:00 pm - NO OCIA session

SAT APRIL 04 HOLY SATURDAY

8:00 am **Liturgy of the Hours : Morning Prayer**
9:00 am **Blessing of the First Food of Easter**
10:00 am **Sacrament of Reconciliation** (until 11 am)

Pope Leo has asked our parish to support the

PONTIFICAL GOOD FRIDAY COLLECTION, which helps Christians in the Holy Land, where they are now fewer than two percent of the population. Our support is essential to help the Church minister in Parishes, provide Catholic schools, and offer religious education. This collection also helps preserve the sacred shrines of Christianity, including those in Jerusalem, Nazareth, and Bethlehem. Your generosity is encouraged.

VOCATIONS

"Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!"

(Matthew 21:9)

As we enter Holy Week, we honor Christ's sacrifice. Priesthood, consecrated life, and holy matrimony mirror this self-giving love, offering one's life for others. Could God be calling you to serve? Talk to your priest or reach out to the Vocation Office at (717) 657-4804 ext. 282 or via email: vocations@hbgdiocese.org.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS SCHEDULE

	EMofHC	Lector	Altar Servers
March 28 / 29 ~Palm Sunday			
4:30 p.m.	P. Christian	M. Lybarger	A. & T. Kuhn
7:30 a.m.	F. Livelsberger	C. Caracino J. Krill	T. & V. Caracino
10:30 a.m.	J. Oparanozie	N. Spangler I. Walsh	H. & K. Roth
April 04 / 05 ~Easter Sunday			
8:00 p.m.	H. Strausbaugh	J. Krill J. Mundorff	B. Poole, R. Ebert
7:30 a.m.	J. Livelsberger	C. Caracino	T. & V. Caracino
10:30 a.m.	J. Oparanozie	N. Spangler	H. & K. Roth, C. Spangler, B. Wildasin

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Identity

We are a messianic people established by Christ as a communion of life, charity and truth.

Mission

We are at work with Christ as His instruments for the redemption of all. We are sent forth by Christ into the whole world as the light of the world and the salt of the earth.

EASTER EGG HUNT!

Cub Scout Pack 108 is hosting an Easter Egg Hunt on April 5th after the 10:30 Mass. Please join us for an egg hunt, games, and a picture with the Easter Bunny in the courtyard beside the church to celebrate the Risen Christ! Pack 108 would also appreciate donations for egg fillers—little toys and treats. Kindly leave them in a specially marked box at Saint Paul's entrance to the Church or in the church office.

K of C CHANCE OF A LIFETIME TICKET SALE!

The Knights of Columbus Council #14865 will be selling C.O.A.L. (Chance of a Lifetime) tickets after all Masses in the parking lot **April 18th & 19th** for the PA State Scholarship Fund to support catholic education. Tickets are \$5.00 each with a grand prize of \$15,000.



MUSIC ASSOCIATION CASH RAFFLE DINNER

The 44th Annual Music Association Cash Raffle Dinner **Saturday April 18th** is a fun way to support our creative Squires and Squirettes. Join the crowd at S.A.V.E.S. Social Hall, 5865 Hanover Rd., Hanover, Pa. Doors open at 5:30 p.m. and a roast turkey dinner will be served buffet style at 6:30 p.m. Your \$100 ticket includes dinner for two and a chance to win one of 40 cash prizes, including the grand prize of \$5,000. Small games of chance, a shared drawing raffle, and raffle baskets will also be available.

Order tickets through the QR code below or call Eric Lawrence at 717-637-5969, Ext. 201.



CHILDREN'S ROSARY HOUR

Venerable Patrick Peyton, CSC, "The Rosary Priest", said "The family that prays together, stays together."

Your family is invited to pray the Rosary on April 19th at 3 PM in Saint Vincent de Paul Church, Hanover.

Each decade of the Rosary will be lead by a child. Rosaries and booklets are provided.

Our Lady of the Holy Rosary, pray for us.

MEN OF THE PARISH! Reserve-the-Weekend!

The 48th Annual Corpus Christi Men's Retreat is set for the weekend of **Friday, August 1st**, through **Sunday, August 3rd**, at Mount Saint Mary's, Emmitsburg, MD.

Our Parish Retreat Coordinator, Mike Frye, will provide additional information in late April following the Retreat Team planning meeting.

THE CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES COLLECTION

Thank you for your generous support of The Catholic Relief Services Collection and for **revealing Christ's love** to those who are poor and marginalized around the world. If you missed the collection, it's not too late to give! Just visit www.usccb.org/nationalcollections for more information.

iGiveCatholic also accepts funds for this collection if you prefer to donate online (see QR code).



ST. VINCENT'S ANNUAL INDOOR YARD SALE!!!

Join us Saturday, April 18th from 8 AM through Noon in Monsignor Gotwalt Auditorium, 65 South St., for 45+ tables of treasures, raffle table, soup and baked goods sales! The kitchen will also be open for breakfast and lunch.

DIVINE MERCY HOLY HOUR

Saint Joseph Catholic Church
5055 Grandview Road, Hanover, PA
Sunday, April 12 2 PM—3PM

CELEBRATING LIFE

True accompaniment begins with reverence. We don't force or fix. We invite, walk with, listen, and love. Who in your life needs more patience and compassion than advice, and how might you gently accompany them today?

My Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

From a sermon by Saint Andrew of Crete, bishop (Oratio 9 in ramos palmarum: PG 97, 990-994)

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Blessed is the King of Israel.

Let us go together to meet Christ on the Mount of Olives. Today he returns from Bethany and proceeds of his own free will toward his holy and blessed passion, to consummate the mystery of our salvation. He who came down from heaven to raise us from the depths of sin, to raise us with himself, we are told in Scripture, *above every sovereignty, authority and power, and every other name that can be named*, now comes of his own free will to make his journey to Jerusalem. He comes without pomp or ostentation. As the psalmist says: *He will not dispute or raise his voice to make it heard in the streets*. He will be meek and humble, and he will make his entry in simplicity.

Let us run to accompany him as he hastens toward his passion, and imitate those who met him then, not by covering his path with garments, olive branches or palms, but by doing all we can to prostrate ourselves before him by being humble and by trying to live as he would wish. Then we shall be able to receive the Word at his coming, and God, whom no limits can contain, will be within us.

In his humility Christ entered the dark regions of our fallen world and he is glad that he became so humble for our sake, glad that he came and lived among us and shared in our nature in order to raise us up again to himself. And even though we are told that he has now ascended above the highest heavens - the proof, surely, of his power and godhead - his love for man will never rest until he has raised our earthbound nature from glory to glory, and made it one with his own in heaven.

So let us spread before his feet, not garments or soulless olive branches, which delight the eye for a few hours and then wither, but ourselves, clothed in his grace, or rather, clothed completely in him. We who have been baptized into Christ must ourselves be the garments that we spread before him. Now that the crimson stains of our sins have been washed away in the saving waters of baptism and we have become white as pure wool, let us present the conqueror of death, not with mere branches of palms but with the real rewards of his victory. Let our souls take the place of the welcoming branches as we join today in the children's holy song: *Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Blessed is the king of Israel.*¹

Live for God.

Be transformed by His Grace.

Go and make disciples.

Peace in Christ, *Father Michael*

¹ <https://www.liturgies.net/Liturgies/Catholic/loh/lent/palmsundayor.htm>



THE ADAMS DEANERY PERPETUAL ADORATION CHAPEL

Announcement line:

717-632-2154

The Adoration Chapel has

11 open hours for adorers:

Monday: 6pm; 11pm

Tuesday: 10pm

Thursday: 8pm; 9pm; 11pm

Friday: 5am

Saturday: 1am; 1pm; 6pm; 7pm

If you desire to give one hour a week in prayer to our Lord in the Eucharist, please contact Maxine Staub at 717-637-5683. The Adoration Chapel will be closed on Sunday, March 22nd at 6 AM until Tuesday, March 24 at 8 PM for the Forty Hours celebration.

THE DIOCESAN ANNUAL CAMPAIGN

provides resources, expertise, guidance and support for more than 90 ministries and programs throughout the Diocese of Harrisburg. Our generous donations sustain, expand and support ongoing evangelization efforts, provide continuing education programs for our Catholic schools and Religious Education programs, seminarians, clergy and permanent deacons, and investments in pro-life activities. **Our Parish 2026 DAC assessment is \$58,638.**

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