

Saint Vincent de Paul Roman Catholic Church

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Rev. Michael P Reid II, Pastor

Sandra Clark, Director of Religious Education



ALLELUIA! HE HAS RISEN

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 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
10:00 am Rosary
10:30 am Easter Flower Intentions

MON APRIL 06 MONDAY IN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER
8:00 am R. Joseph & Dolores Lawrence

TUE APRIL 07 TUESDAY IN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER
8:00 am MaryAnn Smith

WED APRIL 08 WEDNESDAY IN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER
8:00 am Wayne Lookenbill

THU APRIL 09 THURSDAY IN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER
8:00 am Ellen Sheaffer

FRI APRIL 10 FRIDAY IN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER
8:00 am Ron Funk
8:30 am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament +
9:30 am Benediction Adoration

SAT APRIL 11 SATURDAY IN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER
8:00 am Katie Monaghan (L)
VIGIL OF DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY
4:00 pm Rosary
4:30 pm Frances M. Smith (L)

SUN APRIL 12 DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY
7:30 am Evelyn Keith
10:00 am Rosary
10:30 am People of the Parish
Reception of First Holy Communion

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.

VOCATIONS

"He is not here; for He has risen."

(Matthew 28:6)

Christ's resurrection opens the way to new life and hope for all who follow Him. Through priesthood and consecrated life, men and women share in this victory over sin and death, bringing the joy of the Risen Lord to others through prayer and service. Could God be calling you to proclaim the hope of Easter in your life and vocation? Talk to your priest or reach out to the Vocation Office at (717) 657-4804 ext. 282 or via email: vocations@hbgdiocese.org



Parish Life This Week

SAT APRIL 04 HOLY SATURDAY
8:00 am Liturgy of the Hours
9:00 am Blessing of the First Food of Easter
10:00 am **Sacrament of Reconciliation** (until 11 am)

SUN APRIL 05
10:00 am - Rosary / Church
11:45 am - **Easter Egg Hunt** / Church Courtyard

MON APRIL 06
7:20 am - Rosary / Church

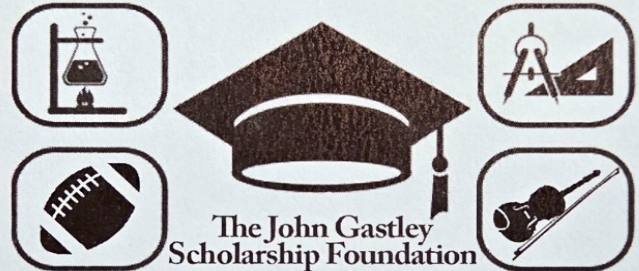
TUE APRIL 07
7:20 am - Rosary / Church
10:00 am - Thrift Shop open until 2:00 pm

WED APRIL 08
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 09
7:20 am - Rosary / Church

FRI APRIL 10
7:20 am - Rosary / Church
6:00 pm - OCIA session

SAT APRIL 11 SATURDAY IN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER
8:00 am
9:00 am **Sacrament of Reconciliation** (until 10 am)



\$100 Dinner - Raffle Saturday, May 9, 2026.

4:30 pm Doors Open. 5:30 pm Dinner. 6:30 pm Drawings Begin.
SAVES Hall - Brushtown, PA

One ticket admits 2 people. You do not need to be present to win.
Under 21 admitted under direct adult supervision with no handling of alcohol or games of chance. No exceptions.

\$5,000 Grand Prize

29 other prizes of at least \$100 value. All tickets sold will be drawn.

**DINNER • REFRESHMENTS • ENTERTAINMENT
GAMES of CHANCE • COMRADERY • MEMORABILIA**

The John Gastley Scholarship Foundation

PO Box 755 Hanover, PA 17331

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Tickets sponsored by Randy Gastley

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LITURGICAL MINISTERS SCHEDULE

EM of HC Lector Altar Servers

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

April 11 / 12 ~ Divine Mercy Sunday

4:30 p.m.	P. Christian	M. Lybarger	A. & T. Kuhn
7:30 a.m.	J. Livelsberger	N. Spangler	T. & V. Caracino
10:30 a.m.	J. Oparanozie	C. Caracino	C. Oparanozie, N. Brinkerhoff 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.

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.



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.

EASTER SUNDAY

Easter Egg Hunt at 11:45 a.m.

Hosted by Cub Pack 108

ROSAIRE ON THE SQUARE IN NEW OXFORD

Everyone is encouraged to gather for the
to pray for America and the world
at 12 Noon this coming Saturday,
April 11th.

VACANCY - FULL TIME ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT AT THE DIOCESAN CENTER, HARRISBURG

The Diocese of Harrisburg is seeking an experienced administrative assistant with customer service experience. Must be able to take direction and follow through on duties and responsibilities with minimum supervision. Proficiency in using all MS office programs is essential, particularly excel and word. Must possess high levels of verbal, interpersonal and written communication skills. Candidates must be a Catholic in good standing, and a knowledge of diocesan and parish structure would be helpful. Full job description available at www.hbgdiocese.org/careers. Please send resume and cover letter to: employment@hbgdiocese.org.

RETRouvaille – HOPE FOR A BETTER MARRIAGE

Does your marriage feel distant, strained, stuck, or even in crisis? Do you look perfect on the outside but are not perfect on the inside? Retrouvaille can help. The Retrouvaille Marriage Program has helped thousands find new hope, better communication, and a deeper connection.

Talk to someone now at 717-356-2185 or visit HelpOurMarriage.org.
You can have a better marriage. Don't wait.
Our next program starts May 1st.

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.

CHILDREN'S ROSAIRE 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.

DIVINE MERCY HOLY HOUR

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

CELEBRATING LIFE

Christ asks for your heart not to diminish you/ but to fill you with joy and purpose. When you open yourself to Him/ you don't lose—you gain everything your soul longs for! Are you ready to open wide the doors of your heart to Christ/ trusting that He will give you more than you could ever imagine?

My Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ, our Risen Lord

From an Easter homily by an ancient author (*Sermo* 35, 6-9; PL 17 [ed. 1879], 696-697)

Christ the source of resurrection and life

Saint Paul rejoices in the knowledge that spiritual health has been restored to the human race. *Death entered the world through Adam*, he explains, *but life has been given back to the world through Christ*. Again he says: *The first man, being from the earth, is earthly by nature; the second man is from heaven and it is heavenly. As we have borne the image of the earthly man, the image of human nature grown old in sin, so let us bear the image of the heavenly man: human nature raised up, redeemed, restored and purified in Christ*. We must hold fast to the salvation we have received. *Christ was the first fruits*, says the Apostle; *he is the source of resurrection and life*. *Those who belong to Christ will follow him*. Modelling their lives on his purity, they will be secure in the hope of his resurrection and of enjoying with him the glory promised in heaven. Our Lord himself said so in the gospel: *Whoever follows me will not perish, but will pass from death to life*.

Thus the passion of our Saviour is the salvation of mankind. The reason why he desired to die for us was that he wanted us who believe in him to live for ever. In the fullness of time it was his will to become what we are, so that we might inherit the eternity he promised and live with him for ever.

Here, then, is the grace conferred by these heavenly mysteries, the gift which Easter brings, the most longed for feast of the year; here are the beginnings of creatures newly formed: children born from the life giving font of holy Church, born anew with the simplicity of little ones, and crying out with the evidence of a clean conscience. Chaste fathers and inviolate mothers accompany this new family, countless in number, born to new life through faith. As they emerge from the grace giving womb of the font, a blaze of candles burns brightly beneath the tree of faith. The Easter festival brings the grace of holiness from heaven to men. Through the repeated celebration of the sacred mysteries they receive the spiritual nourishment of the sacraments. Fostered at the very heart of holy Church, the fellowship of one community worships the one God, adoring the triple name of his essential holiness, and together with the prophet sings the psalm which belongs to this yearly festival: *This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad*. And what is this day? It is the Lord Jesus Christ himself, the author of light, who brings the sunrise and the beginning of life, saying of himself: *I am the light of day; whoever walks in daylight does not stumble*. That is to say, whoever follows Christ in all things will come by this path to the throne of eternal light.

Such was the prayer Christ made to the Father while he was still on earth: *Father, I desire that where I am they also may be, those who have come to believe in me; and that as you are in me and I in you, so they may abide in us*.

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/easter/easterwednesdayor.htm>

MEMORIAL MASS FOR SISTER MARIE AT DELONE CATHOLIC

Please join the Delone Catholic community as they gather to honor the life, faith, and enduring legacy of Sister Maria Jude, CSJ at a memorial Mass on **April 11, 11 a.m., at Annunciation BVM Church in McSherrystown.**

Sister Maria Jude was a beloved member of the Sisters of Saint Joseph of Carondelet, a pillar of our local community, and served the "Squire" community faithfully as Vice Principal from 1995 until her retirement in 2016. All former students, faculty, staff, and friends are welcome to join in prayer as we celebrate her transition to eternal life. Please contact Delone Catholic with any questions.

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