Holy Name of Jesus

Roman Catholic Church





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Deacon Jerome T. FoersterPermanent Deacon

MASSES

Weekends:

Saturday Vigil	5:00 p.m.
Sunday8:00 a	a.m., 10:15 a.m.,
12:00	noon 6:00 p m

Weekdays:

(Weekday schedule subject to change - please see inside bulletin)
Monday......6:30 a.m.

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CONFESSIONS

Saturday......9:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. 3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

"God greatly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name, that at the name of Jesus every knee should bend, of those in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father." (Philippians 2: 9 - 11)

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

On the second Sunday of Lent in each Lectionary cycle, the Gospel reading proclaims the story of Jesus' Transfiguration. This event is reported in each of the Synoptic Gospels - Matthew, Mark, and Luke. This year, we hear Mark's report of this event.

Jesus takes three of his disciples-Peter, James, and John- to a high mountain. While they are there, Elijah and Moses appear with Jesus. Elijah and Moses are significant figures in the history of Israel. The appearance of these two important figures from Israel's history with Jesus signifies Jesus' continuity with the Law, and with the prophets and that Jesus is the fulfillment of all that was promised to the people of Israel.

In his Transfiguration, we see an anticipation of the glory of Jesus' Resurrection. In each of the reports of the Transfiguration, Jesus instructs the disciples to keep secret what they have seen until after the Son of Man has risen from the dead. The disciples cannot possibly understand Jesus' Transfiguration until they also witness his passion and death. We hear the story of Jesus' Transfiguration early in Lent, but we have the benefit of hindsight. In our hearing of it, we anticipate Jesus' Resurrection, even as we prepare to remember Jesus' passion and death.

- Excerpted from Sunday Connection, Loyola Press

SON OF THE MOST HIGH



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ROMAN CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF HARRISBURG MISSION STATEMENT

To proclaim the goodness of God and to make truly present and active the one, Holy, Catholic and Apostolic Church of Jesus Christ to all people through the power of the Holy Spirit.



SACRAMENTS

Baptisms are held every Sunday after the 12:00 noon Mass. Baptismal Registration forms can be found in the Parish Office or on our website. Please contact the parish office for additional information or questions. Godparents must be practicing Catholics, age 16 or older, have already received the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist, and, if married, married in accord with Catholic Church Law.

Matrimony: Diocesan Common Policy requires nine to twelve months advance notification of the priest or deacon and attendance at marriage preparation. Please call the Parish Office to make arrangements.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) - Mondays at 7:00 p.m., September through Easter. Please contact the Parish Office for information.

Visitation of the Sick: Please notify the Parish Office when a member of the Parish is in the hospital or if someone is unable to attend Mass and wishes to receive Communion.

Persons with Celiac Disease: Persons with this challenge are usually unable to receive the normal wheat host used for Mass. We provide a separate chalice for the reception of Holy Communion at each Mass. As the Eucharistic Ministers are receiving Holy Communion at the altar, please come forward to the front of the Church and someone will bring the chalice for you to receive the Precious Blood.

REGISTRATION OR CHANGE OF ADDRESS

We welcome all new members to our parish family. Please register at the Parish Office in order that we might be of assistance to you. If you move or change your phone number, please notify the Parish Office so that our records can be kept current.



MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, February 24

8:30 a.m. Alex DiSanto (3rd Anniversary)

5:00 p.m. Lee E. Houtz

Sunday, February 25

8:00 a.m. Clemente Fortino
10:15 a.m. People of the Parish
12:00 p.m. Cheryl Sobers
6:00 p.m. Elizabeth Gilger

Monday, February 26

6:30 a.m. Paula Fogarty

Tuesday, February 27

6:30 a.m. Joseph Mowery

8:00 a.m. Intentions of Frank Fialkowski

Wednesday, February 28

6:30 a.m. Dr. Joseph Kandra

7:00 p.m. Esperanza Colom Alemany

Thursday, February 29

6:30 a.m. Intentions of Edward Wierzbicki 8:00 a.m. Intentions of Grant William & McCarthy James Metzger

Friday, March 1

6:30 a.m. Mary Ann Kaiser 8:30 a.m. Suzy Smith

Saturday, March 2

8:30 a.m. Moses Martinez

5:00 p.m. Dona DiSanto (4th Anniversary)

Sunday, March 3

8:00 a.m. Thomas J. Otzel 10:15 a.m. Shirley McCarthy

12:00 p.m. Liberation of All Souls in Purgatory

6:00 p.m. People of the Parish

DAILY MASS SCHEDULE - Please note:

For the duration of Lent, daily Mass on Wednesdays will be held at 6:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.



BE PREPARED FOR THE WORD OF THE LORD!

Readings for next Sunday, March 3, 2024
THE THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT
Exodus 20:1-17
Psalm 19:8, 9, 10, 11
1 Corinthians 1:22-25
John 2:13-25

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

February 19, 2023 - \$24,024
February 18, 2024 - \$19,816
Thank you for all your continued generosity and support of the parish!

PARISH CALENDAR

Sunday, February 25:

- 9:00 a.m. Coffee & Donuts (Social Hall)
- 9:05 a.m. Religious Education (Grades 1-8)
- 10:15 a.m. Religious Education (PreK & K)
- 1:00 p.m. Baptisms (Church)

Monday, February 26:

- 6:00 p.m. Karate (St. Bernardine Hall)
- 6:00 p.m. Cub Scouts (Social Hall)
- 7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts (Social Hall)
- 7:00 p.m. Novena (Lounge)

Tuesday, February 27:

• 6:00 p.m. - Girl Scouts (Social Hall)

Wednesday, February 28:

- 5:30 p.m. Soup & Scripture (Social Hall)
- 6:30 p.m. Bible Study (St. Bernardine Hall)
- 6:30 p.m. Legion of Mary (Lounge)

Thursday, February 29:

- 6:00 p.m. Karate (St. Bernardine Hall)
- 6:30 p.m. Bell Choir Practice (Church)
- 7:15 p.m. Adult Choir Practice (Church)

Friday, March 1:

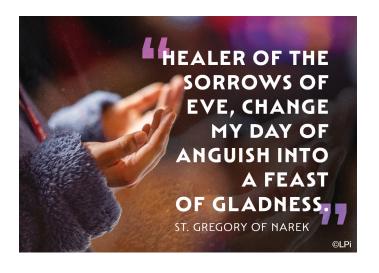
- 9:30 a.m. Bible Study (Blessed Michael Hall)
- 2:15 p.m. Stations of the Cross (Church)
- 4:30 p.m. Lenten Fish Dinner (Social Hall)
- 7:00 p.m. Eucharistic Holy Hour (Church)

Saturday, March 2:

- 6:30 a.m. That Man Is You (St. Bernardine Hall)
- 9:00 a.m. Sacrament of Penance (Church)
- 9:00 a.m. Holy Hour of Adoration (Church)
- 3:30 p.m. Sacrament of Penance (Church)

Next Sunday, March 3:

- 9:00 a.m. Coffee & Donuts (Social Hall)
- 9:05 a.m. Religious Education (Grades 1-8)
- 10:15 a.m. Religious Education (PreK & K)
- 1:00 p.m. Baptisms (Church)



Faithful Stewards...Building Our Future

Starting in October of 2019 we opened our Capital Campaign in order to fund four projects that were needed for our parish. The campaign formally concluded this past December. As of this date we have completed three of the four projects: the construction of the new residence, renovation of the old rectory for additional office and meeting space, and the renovation of the Social Hall. These are now in regular use and have been fully paid for. The final project is to renovate the lower level of the Church to provide for additional space that can be used especially during school time for other parish events. such as funeral lunches. Our Building Fund account has sufficient funds to cover the anticipated cost of this fourth project. We are in the final design stage and look forward to the project work starting this summer.

When we began these projects there was a desire to do so in a low key manner, one that would not ask for any specific commitments or pledges, but trust in the generosity of our parishioners. You have never let us down. I have been very grateful for the clear commitment that our parishioners have made to Holy Name of Jesus Parish. May our Lord bless you and your families for the goodness you show to His Church.

Fr. Edward J. Quinlan
Pastor

Capital Campaign Progress Report

PURPOSE: Four Campus Improvements GOAL: Raise \$2,000,000 over 5 years

2019	(4 months)	\$170,244
2020		\$357,545
2021		\$369,485
2022		\$307,796
2023		\$201,496
TOTAL		\$1,406,546



The Catholic Church dedicates the month of February to the Holy Family. **Did you know** the HNJ Knights of Columbus Council #14081 achieved Star Council designation for 2023?

In keeping with the importance of family, the award recognizes the Council for excellence in programming & charitable outreach in the categories of family, faith, community and life.

If you have a desire to join this group of men serving the parish, contact Membership Director Gary Smith at 717-510-8482 or visit www.KofC.org/joinus.

PRAYER LIST

In your charity, please remember the sick, especially: Sondra Allen, Ted Allen, James Allison, David Almoney, Elaine Ambrose, Charlie Aponick, Geraldine Beavis, Sister Bernadette Bergen, Robert Berkoski, Bertha Besciglia, Frank Besciglia, Kurt Boegli, Patti Boehmer, Debi Boyer, Ethel Boylan, Jay Braderman, Colin Branoff, Betsy Broome, Mery-Beth Brown, Matthew Bunsa, Sandy Burkhardt, Rosemary (Tiny) Burns, Bob Burns, Katelyn Buser, Mary Buser, Dorothy Byers, Michael Cabot, Ann Campbell, Lily Carney, Patricia Cartwright, Theresa Rose Cave, Michelle Christman, Lisa Christy, Kristy Constabile, Deacon Lawrence Crudup, Nick D'Amico, Joseph Dang, Evelyn D'Annunzio, Joe D'Annunzio, Teresa Davis, Leona Deibert, José Delerme, Edward Del Vecchio, Jason Derk, Julie Dowhouser, Elizabeth (Mitchell) Drury, Noel Dzurchko, Elaine Dynako, Bob Enterline, Raymond Eyster Jr., Joanne Ferguson, David Fetterolf, Terri Fetterolf, Elizabeth Fischer, Sean Fitzpatrick, Jacqueline Floor, Pamela Fresco, Joe Gardner, Bernard Gasper, Lorraine Geckle, Betty Giovanniello, John Grab, Angela Purcell Graver, Emily Green, Stephanie Griffith, Michelle Grub, Robbie Grub, Gary Gunderson, Diane Gutshall, Maribeth Gutshall, Diane Haggerty, Theresa Hancock, Donna Hannick, Jason Hannold, Ben Hardy, Bob Heffner, Hugh Hegarty, Pat Hilfrich, Grant Hodgson, Reagan Hollister, Charles Hopkins, Robert Horney, Betty Ann Houtz, Eric Huston, Liz Huston, Jean Imbrognio, Caryn Irving, Jean James, John James, Alicia Johnson, Bruce Johnson, Karen Johnson, William Johnson, Noelle Karnash, Mary Karpency, Lori Keener, Patty Kelley, Holden Kelly, Angeline Kenney, Fred Kerstetter, Frank Kessler, Joe Klukan, Jennifer Koch, Jerry Kolman, Lisa Koup, Laurie Krammes, Collin Kratzer, Lisa Kraus, Francis X. Kuntz, Sr., Paul Lance, Al Lane, James LaVia, Terry Lingrel, Deb Loew, Joe Mahalik, Jennifer Manlove, Robert Markowski, Kelly Masi, Rosemary McClure, Barry McKeel, Mike McKenna, Joseph Mehalick, Nicholas Messer, Lucy Messick, Theresa Mettler, Richard Miller, Gina Mischianti, Lisa Mischianti, Catherine Molter, Diana Monko, Jim Monko, Dianne Moran, Marjorie Jude Niland, Lucille Nocket, Thomas Nocket, Linda Norton, Joann O'Connell, Mary Oman, Mollie O'Neill, Addie Pecora, Gerry Pecora, Ursula Peters, Dolly Petrone, Kari Anne Petrone, John Petrone, Margaret Pierich, Faustina Poliskey, Kelly Poyer, Ellie Jane Prestine, Faith Quici, Janice Rabideau, Wanda Raver, Kevin Readinger, Kathy Reed, Eric Rega, Joel Rivera, Virginia Rivera, Jennifer Roberts, George Roksandic, Maureen Romano, Steve Rozman, Raul Santos, John Sardelis, Eileen Schell, Nichole Scicchitano, Bobbi Sestina, Paul Sheaffer, Richard Schindler, Anne Louise Silberman, Tom Sinkovitz, Frances Sloane, Bill Smith, Mick Smith, Sara Smith, Vince Soccio, Meghan Soheily, Theresa Speitel, Rachael Springer, Jillian Stanziola, Lola Staples, Rita Stasney, Eric Strain, John Synoraski, Margaret Taylor, Richard Thomas, Willa Thompson, Thomas Toolan, Jonniene Urban, Daniel Vasques, Joann Villegas, Dominic Vivittore, Sheryl Webster, Joseph Wells, Genny Whitehaus, Rosalyn Willis, Jeanne Wolf, Doris Wood, Jacqueline Yanalaitis, Danny Young, David Zieter.

We would like to thank **Snitz Creek Brewery**

for sponsoring an ad in our weekly bulletin.

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Gilbert L. Dailey Funeral Home, Inc. for sponsoring an ad in our weekly bulletin.

PARISH NEWS & ACTIVITIES

HERSHEYPARK TICKET OFFER - Discount tickets to Hersheypark are available to friends and families of the parish at significant savings! Ticket prices for all ages are \$43.95 (valid through 1/1/25). You can also add on a discounted meal ticket for \$19.06 and/or a discounted parking pass for \$25.00. Order forms can be found on the bulletin tables in the Church, in the parish office, or at www.holynameofjesus.com/parish. Please make checks payable to Holy Name of Jesus. Orders with payment must be received in the parish office by Friday, April 26. Tickets will be delivered to the parish no later than the week of May 20.

LENTEN MORNING OF GRACE - Join other women of grace for a morning of prayer and reflection. The day includes the Rosary, Mass, Adoration, brunch and a presentation with Sue Brinkmann (OCDS, Women of Grace Staff journalist): "Modern and Mortified: Doing Lent in the 21st Century". A Young Women of Grace activity hour will be included for teen girls ages 13-17! This event will be held Saturday, March 16 at 8:00 a.m. at Holy Name of Jesus Church. Registration fee is \$20 for adults and \$10 for Young Women of Grace. Please contact the Parish Office at 717-652-4211 holynameofjesusparishharrisburg@hbgdiocese.org to information, register. For more please visit www.womenofgrace.com/events/347.

DIAPER DONATIONS - The week of February 11, approximately 1,413 diapers and 2,032 wipes were delivered to local charities, mainly Lourdeshouse Maternity Home. Our pro-life mission to provide for God's precious babies is an ongoing one. As we begin this Lenten season, please consider donating as part of your charitable acts. There has been an ever-increasing need for size 4 and 5 diapers throughout the ministries supporting babies. There is also a current need for baby wash and baby shampoo. Many thanks to everyone who has donated to our parish diaper collection. For auestions regarding this ministry, hnjbabyshower@gmail.com. "Do not neglect to do good and to share what you have; God is pleased by sacrifices of that kind." Hebrews 13:16

PRESENTATION ON PENANCE - Rev. Damon Tritle will host a presentation and Q&A on the Sacrament of Penance on Thursday, February 29, 7:00 p.m. in Blessed Michael Hall. All are welcome!

COLLECTION FOR LOURDESHOUSE - Members of the HNJ Council of Catholic Women will be collecting donations after all Masses this weekend to benefit Lourdeshouse Maternity Home in Harrisburg.

A GROUP ROSARY is said after the 8:00 a.m. daily Mass. Please join us as we pray for special intentions. Tuesday's rosary will be dedicated to the Sanctity of Life. Thursday's rosary will be prayed for the return of fallen away Catholics.

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SOUP & SCRIPTURE will be held each Wednesday during Lent at 5:30 p.m. in the Social Hall. A simple meal of soups and breads will be served followed by a reflection on sacred scripture. Bring your own bible to follow along with the scripture readings. All are welcome! There is no cost. On February 28, soup & breads will be provided by the CCW & St. Vincent de Paul Society.

COFFEE & DONUTS - Our Knights of Columbus Council #14081 invite all Religious Education parents and parishioners to the Social Hall every Sunday, 9:00-10:00 a.m. for refreshments and fellowship. Beverages (coffee, tea, juice) and donuts will be available. (Please note this recurring event will adhere to the Religious Education schedule).

THANK YOU to all who registered and donated blood at our Community Blood Drive on February 18. Central PA Blood Bank registered 47 people and collected donations from 38. Thank you for giving the gift of blood, you are life savers!

EUCHARISTIC HOLY HOUR - Fr. Tritle will be holding a Eucharistic Holy Hour on Friday, March 1, 7:00-8:00 p.m. for an increase of vocations to the priesthood in our diocese, especially at Holy Name of Jesus. If you are not familiar with Eucharistic adoration, come and see! All you need to bring is yourself, and the intention to pray for vocations to the priesthood! The Holy Hours will be in the main Church on First Fridays of the month. Hope to see you there!



LIGHTS! CAMERA! HOLY NAME! OUR 2024 HNJ SCHOOL GALA

Dear Holy Name of Jesus Family,

Our school will host its Annual Gala on Saturday April 13, 6:00-11:00 p.m. at the Colonial Golf and Tennis Club in Harrisburg. The Gala is our signature fundraising event of the year.

All proceeds from the Gala are used for operational costs of the school. If you have supported our event in the past, we are truly grateful and hope that you will continue to help us again this year!

How can you help?

- > **Become a sponsor.** Sponsorship levels range from \$1200-\$25.
- > **Donate** a Silent Auction Item.
- Attend our Gala. Enjoy an evening of delicious food and drinks, dancing, and FUN – all while perusing the wonderful raffle and auction items up for bid!

If you would like to become an event sponsor, donate in any way, or attend this special night, please contact Jenn Weiss, Kate Theberge and Jen Jablonski at hnjgala2024@gmail.com.

AROUND THE DIOCESE

SOUPER THANK YOU! Sincere thanks goes to everyone who helped make the Souper Bowl soup sale another success! Through the generosity of everyone who helped make soup and patronized the sale, Holy Name was able to donate \$4,737 to Catholic Charities Homes for Healing. Thank you for your support!

VOCATIONS - "This is My beloved Son, listen to Him!" Could the Lord be calling you to proclaim His name as a priest or in consecrated life? Listen to Him and talk to your priest or reach out to the Vocations Office at (717) 657-4804 or via email: vocations@hbgdiocese.org.

ITALIAN MASS FOR THE FEAST OF ST. JOSEPH will be held Sunday, March 17, 1:00 p.m. at Holy Spirit Church in Palmyra. Rev. Joshua R. Brommer and Rev. Anthony Dill will be the celebrants. Italian dinner reception will be held after Mass. For more information, please contact Maria DiSanto (717-554-5698 or disanto1@comcast.net) or Mariella Amato (717-278-9420).

CURSILLO - The March School of Leaders will be held at Holy Name of Jesus in St. Bernardine Hall on Saturday, March 2 beginning at 9:30 a.m. Please join us after Mass for a Doctrinal talk on the Sacrament of Prayer. Our Cursillo Method talk will be on the Study Rollo given on the 3 day weekend. If you would like further info, please contact Ann Marie Segilia at amsegilia@gmail.com or 717-602-5819.



LENTEN FISH DINNERS

Our next **Lenten Fish Dinner** will be served Friday, March 1, 4:30-6:30 p.m. in the Social Hall. Come and enjoy a great meal with family, friends and fellow parishioners. Watch this spot for next week's menu as specials change weekly.

Menu for March 1

- Regular Weekly Dinners (Adults 13+: \$12; Children 6-12: \$6; 5 & under: free) Choice of:
 - Deep fried pub battered North Atlantic cod
 - Seasoned oven baked tilapia
- Special Dinner: Crab cakes- Single \$18; Double \$24

All meals include: a beverage, side choice (roasted red potatoes or fries); vegetable choice (loose kernel corn or green beans); homemade mac & cheese, stewed tomatoes, coleslaw, applesauce & roll; an assortment of desserts will also be available at reasonable prices. We hope to see you there!



PRO-LIFE CORNER

This Lent, let's look for ways to foster respect for ALL life-born and unborn. Consider praying this prayer from the Archdiocese of

Vancouver: Almighty God, Giver of all that is good, we thank You for the precious gift of human life: for life in the womb, coming from Your creative power, for the life of children, making us glad with their freshness and promise, for the life of young people, hoping for a better world, for the life of people who are disabled, teaching us that every life has value, for the life of the elderly, witnessing to the ageless values of patience and wisdom. Like Blessed Mary, may we always say "YES" to Your gift. May be defend it and promote it from conception to its natural end. And bring us at last, O Father, to the fullness of eternal life in Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen

HOLY NAME OF JESUS SCHOOL JOB OPPORTUNITIES

Applicants for teaching positions must be adept at developing lessons that incorporate rigor technological components across the curriculum. Candidates must possess academic excellence and a dedication to educating the whole child. Teachers in our school work cooperatively to meet the needs of our students through differentiated instruction. Interested candidates are to send their resume to Sister Rita, HNJ Principal, at sisterrita@holynameofjesus.com or call Sister Rita at 717-657-1704.

- **Spanish Teacher:** Candidates must be fluent in the Spanish Language.
- Cafeteria Position: A part-time cafeteria position is available Monday through Friday in the Holy Name of Jesus Cafeteria. If interested and for details of the position, please call Sister Rita at 717-657-1704 or email at sisterrita@holynameofjesus.com for information and responsibilities.



BOY SCOUTS FAITH BASED SCOUTING

Join Holy Name of Jesus Faith based Scouting Program! Cub Pack 360: boys in grades K-5 Scout Troop 360: boys ages 11-17

Cub Scout Pack 360 Events:

- March 16: District Pinewood Derby
- March 16: Hershey Bears Hockey Game
- March 21: Blue & Gold Banquet

Boy Scout Troop 360 Events:

- March 17: Diocesan Scout Mass
- March 23: University of Scouting
- April 26-28: Spring Camporee

For more information, contact:

Cub Scouts: Mr. Glen Hair, 717-877-7148 Boys Scouts: Mr. Rob Irving, 717-821-4246 www.holynameofjesus.com/bsa