

## **Mass Intentions**

### **Monday, May 8, 8:00 a.m.**

William Cardinal Keeler by Rev. Joseph Scanlin

### **Tuesday, May 9, 8:00 a.m.**

Gregory Shepard by Mom

### **Wednesday, May 10, 8:00 a.m.**

Jean Mayton by Regina Orloski

### **Thursday, May 11, 8:00 a.m.**

Joseph Wondoloski by Pat Wondoloski

### **Friday, May 12**

No Mass

### **Saturday, May 13, 5:00 p.m.**

Nancy Scisly by Eleanor & Tom Shervinskie

### **Sunday, May 14, 8:00 a.m.**

Deceased Mothers of the Williams & Okrongolis Families by Tom Williams

### **Sunday, May 14, 10:30 a.m.**

Parish Family

## **Sanctuary Lamps & Votive Candles**

**Church** – All Mothers, Grandmothers & Godmothers Living & Deceased

**Chapel** – Confirmation Class

**Blessed Mother** – Special Intentions

**St. Joseph** – Special Intentions

In your prayers please remember our second grade students who received the **Sacrament of the Holy Eucharist** on Saturday, April 29<sup>th</sup> and our eighth grade students who will receive the **Sacrament of Confirmation** on Saturday, May 6<sup>th</sup> along with students from Our Lady's and Divine Redeemer. As the young members of our parish family continue on the journey of faith, your prayers are important to their development and character. May God bless them all on their special days!

New materials including music CD's are now available in the Lighthouse Ministries kiosk in the Chapel lobby. Stop by any time to check out what is available!

The Diocese of Harrisburg is seeking dedicated Catholic educators for our Catholic Schools who are rooted in their faith and prepared to share the message of the gospel. Positions are available for September 2017 from Pre-K through 12<sup>th</sup> grade. For more information contact the Diocese of Harrisburg, Secretariat for Education, 4800 Union Deposit Road, Harrisburg, PA 17111-3710, 717-657-4804 or visit their website [www.hbgdiocese.org](http://www.hbgdiocese.org)

## **We Are a Tithing Parish**

Your financial support of our parish is greatly appreciated! Thank you for your generosity.

### **Tithing Income**

April 30, 2017 - \$6,686.00

May 1, 2016 - \$7,196.00

Easter (To Date) - \$13,269.00

## **Knights of Columbus Council #14161**

Interested in learning more about the Knights of Columbus? Contact Patrick Sassani, Grand Knight or speak with any member of the council about your eligibility. **Next council meeting** will be held

**Wednesday, May 10, 2017**

### **13 Week Club Winners – Week 13**

\$25.00	Frank Bobek.	#73
\$25.00	Richard Ailey.	#252
\$25.00	Lou Odorizi.	#201
\$25.00	Betty Kandrot.	#51
\$50.00	Dandy Don Purcell	#75
\$100.00	Celeste Blascovich	#176
\$300.00	Dennis Fellin.	#45

Congratulations to all the winners. Thank you for your continued support of the Knights of Columbus and their activities!

**Lobster Fest** meeting will be held on **Thursday, May 11<sup>th</sup>** at 6:30 p.m. in the Fr. Slough Hall. Everyone is welcome. New ideas are always welcome and suggestions to improve this event! We will be discussing our menu, activities, prep work, grounds and set-up. We are also searching for individuals who would be willing to solicit large prizes from businesses and merchants to add to our raffle. Lobster Fest will be held on Saturday, August 26, 2017! Mark your calendars and please consider signing up for the work schedule.

## **Bulletin Sponsor of the Week**

### **Masser's Country Style Restaurant**

Thank you for sponsoring an ad in our bulletin. If you own a business or think your employer would be interested in additional advertising exposure, please refer to the back cover of the bulletin for information. We currently have a few spots open.

**We** are searching for parishioners to join our money counting teams. You would only need to count once every 5 to 6 weeks. Also looking for substitutes for the schedule. Please contact the parish office.

With vacation season about to get underway and if you are traveling there is no reason to miss Mass! Go to [www.masstimes.org](http://www.masstimes.org), type in your destination and all Catholic Churches and Mass times will appear.

**Our Lady of Lourdes Regional School**  
**Our Parish School**

Visit the school website at [www.lourdes.k12.pa.us](http://www.lourdes.k12.pa.us)  
\*Performing Arts New York City Trip - The Music Department will be sponsoring a Bus Trip on Saturday, June 10<sup>th</sup>. This is a day on your own in the city. The bus will leave Lourdes @ 6:00 am, there will be a pick-up in Elysburg at the Masonic Lodge on Route 487 at 6:15 am. The bus will depart New York at 7:00 pm. The cost is \$45.00 per person which is Non – Refundable. Call the school to reserve your seat ASAP.  
\*Student Registration for the 2017 – 2018 school year is currently open. Please call 644-0375, ext. 111 for elementary and ext. 110 for high school.

**Things to Ponder???**

- \*What would you regret not doing in your lifetime?
- \*What lifts your spirits when life gets you down?
- \*Have you ever regretted something that you did not say or do?
- \*Why do we think of others most once they are gone?
- \*Is it more important to love or to be loved?
- \*Can there be happiness without sadness?
- \*If your life ended today, what is the one thing that you'd like others to remember or say about you?

**Women. Wine & Psalm Spring Dinner**

will be held on May 10, 6:30 p.m. at Shamokin OIP. Please RSVP to Tina Giles by May 7 at 570-441-6869 if you plan to attend.

**Elysburg United Methodist Church** will be hosting a **Women's Spring Dinner** on Wednesday, May 17, 6:00 p.m. in their Church social hall. There will be a program following dinner entitled, "Purple Pansy's for Patricia". All women attending are asked to bring a covered dish to share as well as a donation for the Women's Shelter in Bloomsburg. Please RSVP to the parish office no later than May 9<sup>th</sup> if you plan to attend. All women of the parish are invited to attend this ecumenical event.

**QUO VADIS DAYS 2017**

Attention all Catholic young men ages 15-25. Our Lord Jesus Christ has a great plan and mission for you! You are invited to attend the Diocese of Harrisburg's 13<sup>th</sup> Annual **Quo Vadis Days** vocation discernment retreat to spend time with other young men your age as you listen to the Lord's call in your life while having fun. Activities include – Holy Mass, Eucharistic Adoration, sports, games, great food, talks and more. **Quo Vadis Days** will be held from June 25-28, 2017 at Mount St. Mary's Seminary. There is a \$50 registration fee; all other expenses are funded by the Diocese of Harrisburg. Registration forms can be found on our website at [www.hbgdiocese.org](http://www.hbgdiocese.org). You may also contact the Office of Vocations at (717) 657-4804, ext. 282 or email [vocations@hbgdiocese.org](mailto:vocations@hbgdiocese.org) with questions or for a registration packet.

**FIAT DAYS 2017**

Attention all Catholic young women ages 15-25. Our Lord Jesus Christ has a great plan and mission for you! You are invited to attend the Diocese of Harrisburg's 10<sup>th</sup> Annual **Fiat Days** vocation discernment retreat to spend time with other young women your age as you listen to the Lord's call in your life while having fun. Activities include – Holy Mass, Eucharistic Adoration, sports, games, great food, talks and more. **Fiat Days** will be held July 5-7, 2017 at Mount St. Mary's University and Seminary. There is a \$50 registration fee, all other expenses funded by the Diocese of Harrisburg. Registration forms can be found on our website at [www.hbgdiocese.org](http://www.hbgdiocese.org). You may also contact the Office of Vocations at (717) 657-4804, ext. 282 or email [vocations@hbgdiocese.org](mailto:vocations@hbgdiocese.org) with questions or for a registration packet.

**We are searching for a chicken bar-b-que pit, two or three racks, mobile and in good condition. If you know of anyone who is planning to sell one would you please contact the parish office as soon as possible?**

**Mass Intentions** for July 1 – December 31, 2017 are currently being accepted. Intentions will be booked on a first come, first served basis. Mass intentions/Mass Cards are \$10.00 each. Weekly votives for the Tabernacle in Church & Chapel, as well as the Blessed Mother and St. Joseph are also available.