

# MASS INTENTIONS

## HOLY SATURDAY

**8:00 p.m.** All Parishioners and loved ones living and deceased, and for the intentions of Easter flower donors whom we remember in a special way

## EASTER SUNDAY

**8:00 a.m.** All Parishioners and loved ones living and deceased, and for the intentions of Easter flower donors whom we remember in a special way

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## MONDAY

**7:30 a.m.** NO MASS

## TUESDAY

**7:30 a.m.** NO MASS

**10:00 a.m.** Brethren Home (Gallery Room) - Rita Bucher (Jerry and Judie Fuhrman)

## WEDNESDAY

**7:30 a.m.** Edna McDonald (Bernard and Darla Kuhn)

## THURSDAY - NO MASS

## FIRST FRIDAY

**9:00 a.m.** Douglas Zumbrum (Ann.) (Nancy and Katie Zumbrum)

## FIRST SATURDAY

**8:00 a.m.** Joseph Hockensmith (Ann.)

**4:30 p.m.** Living and deceased members of Paul Rabine Family (Mary Rabine)

## NEXT SUNDAY - Divine Mercy Sunday

**8:00 a.m.** People of the Parish

**11:00 a.m.** Donald "Andy" Kuhn (Bernard and Darla Kuhn)

# THE WEEK AHEAD

**Easter Sunday - HAPPY EASTER**

**Monday - RCIA - No Class**

**Saturday - That Man Is You Class - 8:00 a.m. in the parish center**

**Next Sunday - Choir - After the 8:00 a.m. Mass**

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

**Bingo - will be held in the parish center. Doors open at 12 with bingo starting at 1:30 p.m.**

It is with deep gratitude from both Bishop Gainer and I for your devotion to the **Bishop's Annual Lenten Appeal**. To date we have raised **\$56,025** toward our goal of **\$50,300**. Just as Jesus demonstrated His love for us in his willingness to suffer, this Lent we have an opportunity to continue His loving ministry through the sacrificial gift we are willing to make. We must never tire of demonstrating our love for the Lord by loving and helping our brothers and sisters most in need.

**Immaculate Conception Thrift Shop** is in need of a vacuum cleaner and would like help getting rid of a copy machine, if you can help in any way, please give us a call at 717-624-1272.



## SACRIFICIAL GIVING

**Sunday Collection Budget..... \$400,000.00**  
**Weekly Total Needed..... \$7,692.00**

3/25/18

Adult Weekly Collection ..... \$6,673.00  
Adult Online Giving (3/19 to 3/23) ..... \$437.00  
Children's Weekly Collection ..... \$5.50  
Weekly Collection Total..... \$7,115.50  
Weekly **Surplus/Deficit** ..... **\$576.50**  
Y-to-D **Surplus/Deficit** ..... **\$10,027.30**

**Gift Certificate Program** – This week a total of \$675 was sold with a profit of \$34.75. **Scrip Gift Card orders are due April 15th.** Remember that gift cards for Weis and Giant are cash and carry after any Mass or during the week in the parish office. If you have any questions please contact Dawn Smith at 717-965-2559. **BUYERS ARE ALWAYS NEEDED.**

A special thanks to **Cremer Florist** for sponsoring an ad in our weekly bulletin.

**Parish Stewardship Opportunities** - Thank you to everyone who completed the in-pew Parish Stewardship Opportunities. We have numerous responses and are compiling them. We will let you know when we finish sorting the information and distribute the names of the volunteers to the activity/committee contacts. Thank you for offering your Time and Talents.

**Rest in Peace** - Please remember in your prayers the souls of **Michael Gebhart** and **Raymond Smith**. May they and all the faithful departed rest in eternal peace.

**Banns of Marriage II** for **Caitlin Martin** and **Spencer Marker**.

**Banns of Marriage III** for **Jake Robinson** of Immaculate Conception B.V.M. Parish and **Olivia Kauffman**.

**Rosary for America** - Every 2nd Saturday we gather on the square of New Oxford at 12 Noon to pray the Rosary for America. Everyone is welcome. The next date is April 14.

## Do you Have Your BINGO Tickets Yet?

April 8, 2018

### Immaculate Conception Church Fundraiser

Our past Bingo Fundraisers have been very successful. We're continuing this popular event with more **Thirty-One bags, Vera Bradley bags, Alex and Ani jewelry, gift cards, raffles, door prizes** and more! Bring your friends and family and plan for an afternoon of fun and fellowship. Doors open at 12:00. Games begin at 1:30. Tickets are \$17 in advance and \$20 at the door. Location: Immaculate Conception Parish Hall

### Donations are still needed!

We are currently looking for donations and would appreciate your support. Merchandise, gift cards and monetary donations are much appreciated.

Contact: Rosemary Lowas, 717-825-1922

Food donations contact: Chris O'Brien, 717-479-1277

## EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

### Make Easter Offerings Online

During the Easter season, it is encouraging to see both new and familiar faces at our worship services. Throughout the year, many of you already support the congregation with your time, talent and financial contributions but greater participation is always welcome. We encourage you to consider our electronic giving program. We accept donations made from your bank account, credit card or debit card. It takes just a few minutes to setup a recurring giving plan. Visit the church website [www.icbvmmnewoxford.org](http://www.icbvmmnewoxford.org) to locate the donation link.



**Divine Mercy Sunday** - Come celebrate with us on Sunday, April 8 at St. Joseph the Worker Church in Bonneauville. Schedule of events:

After the 10:30 a.m. Mass - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

12:00 Noon - Chaplet of Divine Mercy

Praying all 4 Mysteries of the Holy Rosary

1:00 p.m. - Joyful Mysteries

1:30 p.m. - Luminous Mysteries

2:00 p.m. - Sorrowful Mysteries

2:30 p.m. - Glorious Mysteries

Litany of Divine Mercy following the Rosary

2:00 - 3:00 p.m. - Confessions

3:00 p.m. - Chaplet of Divine Mercy and Veneration of the Divine Mercy Image

3:30 p.m. - Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

**Life in the Spirit Seminar** - *Do you want to deepen your prayer life? Do you want to grow in your relationship to God?* Join us Mondays starting April 9, 2018 from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. downstairs in the Social Hall of Immaculate Heart of Mary Church, 6084 West Canal Road, Abbottstown. This Life in the Spirit Seminar will last for 6 weeks. Brochures are available in the back of church or you can call Janet at (717) 259-7798 for more information.

**An Encounter RETREAT** for college aged young adults and recent graduates will be held on **Saturday, April 14, 2018** from 9:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. The retreat will be held at Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton, 310 Hertzler Road, Mechanicsburg, PA 17055.

*The season of Easter is a perfect time to get away to refresh and renew ourselves while growing in relationship with our Lord and with other Young Adults.*

Online registration is available at [www.hbgdiocese.org](http://www.hbgdiocese.org) or you may call 717-657-4804, ext. 327.



**Hersheypark Tickets** - Order forms are available in the back of church. Please turn in orders no later than Friday, April 27. Ticket prices: ALL AGES (3+) \$34.85 (gate cost \$67.80), Prepaid Meal Ticket 11.99 (retail \$12.99), Snack Voucher \$3.25 and Prepaid Parking Passes \$7.50 (50% off). Hersheypark announces two new water attractions for 2018, Breakers Edge water coaster and Whitecap Racer. Please make checks payable to Immaculate Conception Church.

*The Lord has risen; it is true!* Through our baptism, he calls us to proclaim new life to the world. "God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit with power." Are you being called to proclaim the new life of the resurrected Christ to the world? Talk to Father Michael Letteer or Father Brian Wayne, Director of Vocations, at (717) 657-4804, [frbwayne@hbgdiocese.org](mailto:frbwayne@hbgdiocese.org) or check out [www.diocesanpriest.com](http://www.diocesanpriest.com).

**8th/9th Grade Dance at Delone Catholic HS** - The 9th Grade Class at Delone Catholic HS invites all 8th grade students to a dance in the school lobby on **Saturday, April 7** from 7-9 p.m. The cost to attend is \$5 and the dress is casual. To register, visit the Delone Catholic web site at [www.delonecatholic.org](http://www.delonecatholic.org) and find the registration form under quick links on the home page. For more information, contact Mrs. Jennifer Hart at [jhart@delonecatholic.org](mailto:jhart@delonecatholic.org).

The **Delone Catholic Music Association** will hold its annual **Music Benefit Dinner** on **Saturday, April 14** at 6:30 p.m. at the S.A.V.E.S. Social Hall, Brushtown. Approximately 50 winners will share roughly \$16,000 in prize money, with a top prize of \$5,000. Tickets for the dinner are available for \$100. Two people from each ticket may attend, but no one is required to be present in order to win. The evening will feature open bar, 13 Jars, and raffle tickets. Attendees must be 21 or older. To purchase a ticket, please contact Mr. Brian Yealy at 717-637-5969, ext. 202 or [byealy@delonecatholic.org](mailto:byealy@delonecatholic.org).

**Night of Rock V** on **Saturday, April 14** at 6:30 p.m. in the Delone Catholic HS Lobby. Listen and dance to great music from the 1960's to the present with The Frankie North Band and the Boomers. Light snacks and set-ups are provided. Tickets are \$15 in advance and can be purchased online at <https://alumni-association-dance-2018.abilafundraisingonline.com/registration> until 11:59 p.m. on Thursday, April 12 or by contacting the Development Office at 717-637-5969. Tickets will be available for \$20 at the door. Must be 21 to attend. This event is BYOB.

The Delone Catholic Music Association is hosting its **Annual Mulch Sale** on **Saturday, April 7, 14 and 21** from 9 a.m. to 12 noon. The cost is \$5.00 per 3 cubic ft. bag of mulch. Free delivery to McSherrystown/Hanover, PA area and curb side sales are available. To place an order, contact Kim Lowrie at 240-217-7570 or [kimmerslow@gmail.com](mailto:kimmerslow@gmail.com).

**Delone Catholic Spring Open House:** All families are welcome to visit Delone Catholic from 12-3 p.m. on Sunday, April 22. Meet the teachers, take a tour led by one of our Squire Ambassadors and learn about extracurricular opportunities. The 8th Grade Scholarship Competition will also be held. Pre-registration is required for the competition and available on the school web site at [www.delonecatholic.org](http://www.delonecatholic.org).



The **Annual Scout Recognition Mass** with Bishop Ronald W. Gainer will be held at Good Shepherd Catholic Church, 3435 E. Trindle Road, Camp Hill on Sunday, April 22, 2018 at 2:00 p.m. All Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts, American Heritage Girls, and Trail Life USA Members who have earned Religious Awards are invited to attend. Scouts who have completed any of the Catholic religious awards in the past year will be recognized at Mass. All Scouting families are encouraged to attend. If you are being recognized, please arrive by 1:30. Registration is available at [www.hbgdiocese.org](http://www.hbgdiocese.org) and is open until April 13, 2018. For more information contact: Office for Youth and Young Adult Ministry at [www.hbgdiocese.org](http://www.hbgdiocese.org) or by calling 717-657-4804, ext. 327.