



The Mass

- FIRST SATURDAY - *The Transfiguration of the Lord***
 8:00 a.m. Regis and Estella Gebhart (requested by Rose Herman)
 4:30 p.m. People of the Parish
- SUNDAY - *Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time***
 8:00 a.m. Harry Fletcher (requested by Jim and Claudette Hladik)
- 10:15 a.m.** Marlyn E. Trimmer (requested by Leona Trimmer)
- MONDAY - *Saint Dominic***
 7:30 a.m. Harvey Smeak (requested by Bob and Ruth Kuhn)
- TUESDAY - *Saint Teresa Benedicta of the Cross***
 7:30 a.m. Carl Stough (requested by Veronica Stough)
- WEDNESDAY - *Saint Lawrence***
 7:30 a.m. Grace Robinson (requested by Ken and Barb Smith and Family)
- THURSDAY - *Saint Clare***
No Mass
- FRIDAY - *Saint Jane Frances de Chantal***
 7:30 a.m. Douglas Zumbrum (requested by Nancy and Katie Zumbrum)
- SATURDAY - *Saints Pontian and Hippolytus***
 4:30 p.m. Charles I. Groft, Jr. (requested by Marie Groft)
- NEXT SUNDAY - *Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time***
 8:00 a.m. Living and deceased members of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Reaver Family (requested by Bob, Ruth and Bobby Kuhn)
- 10:15 a.m.** People of the Parish

THE WEEK AHEAD

Sunday - Parish Picnic - 3 to 6 p.m. at the New Oxford Social Club Pavilion.

Tuesday - Chili's Fundraiser - 11 a.m. to 10 p.m.; don't forget to take a flyer from the bulletin.

Wednesday - Parish Office - Closed

Friday - Parish Office - Closed

Saturday - Rosary for America - 12 Noon on the New Oxford Square

The **New Oxford Food Pantry** is in need of **canned vegetables**. Please place items in the back of church where marked. Thank you for your generous support of the local food pantry.

The **Immaculate Conception Thrift Shop** is having a great clothing sale, buy two and get one free. Third item equal to or less in value (excludes school uniforms). Shop hours are Monday to Saturday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Questions? Call 624-1272.



The Parish Office will be closed from Friday, August 12 to Wednesday, August 17.

Sacrificial Giving

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

07/31/16

Adult Weekly Collection \$6,357.50
 Children's Weekly Collection \$21.00
 Weekly Collection Total.....\$6,378.50
 Weekly Surplus/**Deficit**\$(1,313.50)
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Grocery Certificate Program – We sold a total of **\$1,110** the week of 7/25 through 7/31.

A special thanks to **Hanover Hall Nursing and Rehabilitation Center** for sponsoring an ad in our weekly bulletin.

Rosary for America - Every 2nd Saturday we gather on the New Oxford Square at 12 Noon to pray the Rosary for America. Please come and pray with us if you can. Bring a Friend! The Next date is Saturday, August 13.

How Does Someone Begin RCIA? We're glad you asked! Seekers can contact our RCIA Coordinator, Gloria Miller at 624-8255 or the parish office at 624-4121. **Immaculate Conception RCIA classes begin on September 12.**

School Calendar Numbers will be sold after all Masses in August. Cost is \$30 each.

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Trust in the LORD with all your heart, on your own intelligence do not rely; In all your ways be mindful of him, and he will make straight your paths.
 Proverbs 3:5-6

SUNDAY KIDZ

NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Sunday, August 7 is our annual parish picnic from 3:00 to 6:00 p.m. at the New Oxford Social Club. Everyone is invited.

Summer Reading Program - New Oxford Library

Thursdays, August 11, 18 and 25 - 10:30 a.m. *Books and Blocks Storytime* - Lets read a story and play with blocks. A great time to meet other kids and parents.

Thursday, August 11 - 6:30 p.m. KPETS Dog Bingo - Library Scavenger Hunt - Everyone is a winner - *Free books for prizes*

Have you ever heard of **Natural Family Planning** before? NFP is a way of following God's plan for achieving and/or avoiding pregnancy. It's a system that uses a woman's signs of fertility to determine the fertile and infertile times of her cycle. Approved by the Catholic Church, NFP enables couples to avoid pregnancy by practicing chaste abstinence during the fertile time of the woman's cycle. As a married couple, why should you consider NFP in your marriage as opposed to artificial contraception? **Come to a very special presentation at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church on August 19th from 6:30 to 8 p.m. in the parish social hall.** Dr. Luis Garcia, MD of York will present on basic Church teaching regarding sexuality and NFP, and then will teach on various forms of NFP and the science behind them. From this first session, couples will then have the opportunity to learn a specific model of NFP that is best suited for their family's needs. Advanced registration is not required, but for further information please call the parish office at (717) 259-0611.

The **Adoration Chapel in McSherrystown** is in desperate need of adorers for the following hours: 1 a.m. Tuesday, 5 p.m. Thursday, 10 p.m. Friday and 6 p.m. Saturday. Can you spend just one hour with our Lord? Contact Gloria Murren at 637-8635 **The Chapel is closed on Sunday from 7 a.m. until Noon for cleaning.**

"Faith is the assurance of that which is hoped for." If you believe in the Giver of the call, you can hope to be true to it. Will you follow Christ as a priest, deacon or in the consecrated life? Call Father Brian Wayne at 717-657-4804, ext. 282 or email frbwayne@hbgiocese.org.

Our last Chili's fundraiser was a success, so we're doing it again. Take a mid-week break from your hot kitchen for a dinner (or lunch) at Chili's. The restaurant will give the church 15% of the event day sales from anyone who has the flyer from our bulletin. This is a fun and easy way to help the church. So put August 9 on your calendar as a day to eat out! Just cut out the Chili's flyer in this bulletin and take it with you. Give it to your server, and Chili's will donate to our church.



This week's featured titles are available on the book and CD racks in the back, center of the church free of charge. Donations accepted to help us restock material.

CD of the week, *St. Ignatius and the Company of Jesus:* Seriously wounded in battle, the soldier Ignatius had a profound conversion to Christ during his period of healing and recovery. He abandoned a promising career in the military and dedicated the rest of his life to the service of Christ and the Church. This single CD excerpt tells of his starting one of the most influential orders in the church, and gives a graphic account of his adventures, his many encounters with popes, kings and emperors, and the great work the Jesuits did in spreading the Gospel.

Book of the week, *Made for More:* While everything you do — and every decision you make — is aimed at making you happy, you may step back from time to time and ask yourself, "Why am I here?" and "Is there a deeper meaning to life?" To find these answers, you need go beyond the distractions of the world and be open to discovering your true purpose and self-potential. If you find your true purpose, you'll discover that you really are "made for more" than what our culture has to offer. You'll see life as the adventure it's meant to be, and you'll find that you have an irreplaceable role to play in the world. This will set you on a path toward true peace and contentment that will last for the rest of your life — and into eternity. This book is quick and easy to read, answering the question: "Why be Catholic?" *Made for More* establishes a case for Catholicism by posing and answering objections to Jesus, the Bible, and the liturgy.



Well known author and radio host Patrick Madrid is coming to New Oxford, PA on Saturday, August 27th. Cost is \$20 per person and includes choice of American Cold Cut, Italian or Turkey sub for lunch. Please contact Pete Socks at pete.socks@gmail.com or call 717-634-4961 (leave a message). This event will be held in the New Oxford High School Auditorium with registration beginning at 8:00 a.m. Last day to sign up to receive lunch is August 17.



St. Joseph the Worker Parish in Bonneauville is planning on having a softball game on Saturday, August 27 from 8 a.m. to 12 p.m. at the Catholic War Vets field in Bonneauville. All area youth are invited to participate. Please call the parish office at 624-4121 as soon as possible if you would like to participate.

Even if all the saints and every single creature should abandon you, Jesus will always be near you, whatever your need.

- Saint Cajetan (1480-1547), Feast Day August 7

Let Chili's do the cooking while we support Immaculate Conception Church at the same time. With each flyer presented on Tuesday, Chili's will donate 15% of the event day sales back to this great organization.

Immaculate Conception Church Give Back Event is:
August 9, 2016
From 11am to 10pm

only at: Hanover
400 Eisenhower Dr - Hanover, PA 17331-5221 717-632-3151 - www.chilis.com

Give Back Event flyer required with each check to receive credit for the sale. Sale cannot be included in donation amount with flyer. Offer only valid on the date and location stated above. Donations will not be given on sales made prior to or past this date.