



Sacred Heart of Jesus Roman Catholic Church

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Bulletin submissions are needed 10 days prior to publishing

Mass Times & Location

Saturday 5:00 pm (Church)
Sunday 9:00 am (Parish Center)

Holy Days

Holy Day Vigil To be announced
Holy Day To be announced

Weekday Mass

(Parish Center)
Mon, Thu, Fri, 8:30 am
Wednesday 12:10 pm
1st Saturday 8:00 am (Church)

Confession Times & Location

Drive Through at the Parish Center
Saturdays 10:00am-12:00pm
Otherwise by appointment
FrDAzagbor@hbgdiocese.org
Call 717-225-1704/ 717-739-8714

19th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Peter said to him in reply, "Lord, if it is you, command me to come to you on the water." He said, "Come."
Peter got out of the boat and began to walk on the water toward Jesus. - Mt 14:28-29

August 9, 2020

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Around The Diocese



The Catholic Witness Survey – *The Catholic Witness* newspaper is conducting a survey of its readers, and parishioner participation is encouraged. The survey is anonymous and will provide *The Witness* with important information as we make plans for the future of the paper. Please take a few minutes to complete the survey online <http://survey.hbgdiocese.org/TakeSurvey.aspx?SurveyID=mlLJ65m>. To request a hard copy of the survey, please contact the parish office or call *The Catholic Witness* at 717-657-4804, ext. 209.

After careful consideration and in light of the current situation, this year the **Golden Jubilee Wedding Anniversary Mass** will be live streamed on August 23, 2020 at 2:30 p.m. on the Diocesan YouTube channel www.youtube.com/user/hbgdiocese

The Diocesan Youth Council is accepting nominations for the 2020-2021 school year. The council consists of youth who are called to discipleship through leadership and service to the community. The new DYC is expanding membership to include youth in grades 8 and 9, and will meet and offer retreats virtually. Youth interested may contact their parish office to obtain a copy of the nomination form or contact the Diocesan Youth Office at areifer@hbgdiocese.org.



New students and parents orientation

New Parents (Grades 7-12) & New Students in Grades 8-12: Wednesday, August 12, from 6-8
Students in Grade 7: Monday, August 24, from 8:15 AM-3 PM
International Students and Host Families Monday, August 24, from 12-2 PM

Uniform Exchange trades and purchases on **Wednesday, August 5, from 5-7 PM**. One Day Only. If you need uniforms, bring your gently worn items for an even trade or purchase some at a reduced price: skirts \$10, pants \$8, sweaters \$6, shirts \$4. Uniforms are available on a first-come, first-served basis. Social distancing and mask protocol will be observed.

Sports Complex Clean-Up The Athletic Department invites "all hands on deck" on **Saturday, August 8, from 8 AM-12 PM**. Please bring your masks, paint brushes, tool boxes, work gloves, and a willingness to help. Parents, YC supporters, along with 7th graders and older are needed. This is a service hours opportunity for students. Social distancing & mask protocol will be observed. Please sign-up on York Catholic website. Questions: Josh Cross at jcross@yorkcatholic.org or 717-846-8871 x330

All skill levels **York Catholic Golf Tournament** **Monday, September 21**, at the Out Door Country Club. Check-in 7:30 AM Shotgun Start at 8 AM. Register by Sept. 11. Looking for sponsors! More information, contact Laurie Moir lmoir@yorkcatholic.org or 717-846-8871.



Morning Star is currently in need of the following items:

For Boys and Girls Sizes: 0-3 months

New, summer clothing: 0-3 month lightweight sleepers, 0-3 month outfits, 0-3 month onesies

And:

Size 6 diapers, Receiving blankets, Diaper rash cream

Baby wash/shampoo, Baby lotion

Donations can be dropped off at our Harrisburg location by appointment only. For more information or to schedule a donation drop-off, please call our office at 717-920-0411

CATECHISM STOP

Question: Why does Mary have so many feast days and names?

Answer: Christians first began celebrating feast days in honor of Mary, the Mother of Jesus, in the fifth century. That celebration (originally called the Feast of the Dormition and now known by Roman Catholics as the Solemnity of the Assumption) was celebrated on August 15. Very soon, however, other special days dedicated to Mary began to appear in Jerusalem, Rome, and other major cities of the Christian world. These days of feasting became important parts of the life of the community. But, more importantly, each of these unique celebrations became an opportunity to focus on a different facet of the Christian faith, as believers focused their attention on specific events or mysteries of the lives of Mary and her Son.

Over the centuries, some of these celebrations became universal (such as the Assumption on August 15, the Immaculate Conception on December 8, and the Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God on January 1). Other celebrations were more closely tied to certain religious orders (such as the Carmelites celebration of "Our Lady of Mount Carmel" on July 16 or the Servite Friars feast of the "Seven Sorrows of Mary," which is now celebrated as the Memorial of Our Lady of Sorrows on September 15).

In more recent times, Marian apparitions (like Guadalupe, Lourdes, and Fatima) have inspired special liturgical celebrations. Pope Francis has added two new celebrations of Mary to the Church's calendar: The Memorial of Mary, Mother of the Church (on the Monday after Pentecost) and the Commemoration of Our Lady of Loreto (on December 10). The various titles of Mary (like those we find in the Litany of the Blessed Virgin Mary) help us to reflect on different aspects of Mary's faith and the ways that the Holy Spirit is at work in her and through her, especially as the Mother of Jesus.

In the end, whatever the event or mystery being celebrated in a particular liturgy or the title of Mary being used, we are invited to always see Mary in connection with the saving work of her Son. She is, of course, a patroness and protector for every Christian, but she is also a model of discipleship and contemplation: "Having entered deeply into the history of salvation, Mary, in a way, unites in her person and re-echoes the most important doctrines of the faith: and when she is the subject of preaching and worship she prompts the faithful to come to her Son, to his sacrifice and to the love of the Father" (*Lumen Gentium*, 65). ©LPi

Mass Intentions

8/09	Mary Wivell	9:00am
8/10	Antonia Kern	8:30am
8/11	No Mass	
8/12	Ben Ballinger	12:10pm
8/13	Julian & Ethel Kavalesky	8:30am
8/14	Joan Becker	8:30am
8/15	People of the Parish	5:00pm

PARISH ACTIVITIES



Come Pray the Rosary, Every Tuesday, 6:30pm on the Parish Center Grounds. Bring a lawn chair and your Rosary. Join when you can!



Harvest of Hope
Food Pantry

2020 Volunteer Dates and Times

September 1	Tuesday	4:15-7:00pm
October 1	Thursday	4:15-7:00pm
November 4	Wednesday	11.15am-2:00pm
December 10	Thursday	4:15-7:00pm

To Volunteer Contact Lee Johnson at (717)487-6031



Save the Date
Barefoot Sunday
AUGUST 30, 2020
After 9:00am Mass!

"Sacred Heart Free Little Pantry"

Sanitary Supplies, Toothpaste and brushes, Toilet Paper, Hand Soap, Body soap, Shampoo, Razors, Cleaning supplies. Ready-to-Eat meals, Peanut butter, Nuts, Canned tuna, chicken, Spam, Stews, Mac-n-cheese, Complete Meals

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First Saturday Devotion

Sept 5 Oct 3 Nov 7
8:00 AM at Church on Main St.



OFFICE HOURS

Monday—Wednesday—Friday
9:00 am- 4:00 pm

Daily Scripture Readings

8/09	1KGS 19:9A-13A; ROM 9:1-5; MT 14:22-33
8/10	2COR 9:6-10; JN 12:24-26
8/11	EZ 2:8-3:4; MT 18:1-5,10,12-14
8/12	EZ 3:1-7;10:18-22; MT 18:15-20
8/13	EZ 12:1-12; MT 18:21-19:1
8/14	EZ 16:1-15,60,63; MT 19:3-12
8/15	RV 11:19A-12:10AB; 1COR 15:20-27; LK 1:39-56

Weekly Collection: Needed each week \$4,141.00

July 19	\$ 1,679.00	Deficit (\$2,462.00)
July 26	\$ 2,273	Deficit (\$1,868.00)

Diocesan Annual Campaign Update July 1, 2020

Parish Goal for 2020:	\$29,560.00
Total Paid:	\$24,140.00
Over/(under)goal in cash:	(\$5,420.00)
Total Pledged:	\$5,000.00
Outstanding Pledges:	\$2,455.00
% toward goal cash rec'd:	81.66%
Average Gift:	\$416.21
Number of Donors:	48
Registered Households:	161
Percentage of Participation:	29.81%

2020-2021 Fundraising:

Needed for Year \$34,750.00



Remember that our fixed expenses continue—as yours do. You may continue to support your parish by using the Online Giving button On Realm under Giving or on our website sacredheartsg.com You can text giving on your cell phone also; Text sacredheart \$20 or any dollar amount to 73256 to give to Offering. Standard message rates do apply. Or mail your gift to 1031 Sprengle Rd., Spring Grove 17362 If you need assistance, call the church office at (717)225-1704. *Thank You*

Calendar of Events

8/11	6:30PM (Parish Center) Rosary
8/18	6:30PM (Parish Center) Rosary
8/25	6:30PM (Parish Center) Rosary
8/30	After 9:00am Mass (Parish Center) Faith Formation-Barefoot Sunday

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