The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica: November 9, 2025

Masses for the Week

Sunday, November 9, 9:00 AM + All Souls Intention

Tuesday, November 11, 8:00 AM

+ All Souls Intention

Thursday, November 13, 8:00 AM

+ All Souls Intention

Sunday, November 16, 9:00 AM

+ Hubert Clifford
In Honor of Bill & Connie Long
(49th Wedding Anniversary)

The Parish Office is open Monday – Thursday from 10 AM to 5 PM.

Ministry Schedule
Sunday, November 16, 9:00 AM
Lector: Bernadette Morgan

Extraordinary Ministers: Deacon Bob, Mike Mazer, Dorothy Renn Altar Servers: Ray Bednar, Jaden & Landen Myers

TITHING REPORT

Collection: 11/2/2025: \$2633.00

Maintenance Fund, \$270.00

Cemetery Maintenance: \$50.00

Memorial Fund: \$235.00

Pierogie Sale Profit, \$2889.00

Soup Sale Profit, \$1955.50

October Memorial Candles, \$25.00

All Saints Offering, \$221.00

\$1923.00 is needed each week in our regular

Sunday Offering to meet our budget for the year. Our collection was \$710.00 over budget this week.

A **St. Joseph Candle** burns for the **Health of James Williams** from Your Loving family.

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9:00 AM Liturgy

The 2nd Collection today is for the Archdiocese for the Military Services, USA (AMS)

Please prayerfully consider a contribution to this special collection taken every 3 years to support active-duty military men and women, and their families – including those from our own parish. Put AMS and your name on an envelope.

9:45 – 10:45 AM Religious Education Classes at Our Lady of Hope

2:00 PM Cash Bingo

Everyone is invited down to the Parish Hall after Mass to support our 50/50 raffle and Basket Raffle. Need not be present to win.

Funeral Set

We are in need of a new Funeral Set. Cost of the set would be approximately \$4.300.00.

Thank you for the recent donations made to offset this expense. Please call the parish office if you would like to donate or place an envelope in the collection basket marked Funeral Set. To date we have \$1969.00 in donations.

Money received in our November 2 (All Souls Day) envelopes will be used toward the purchase of this Funeral Set.

Announcements K of C All You Can Eat Breakfast

Sunday, November 9 8 – 11 AM Adults: \$12 Children under 10: \$6

Tuesday, November 11 4 – 6 PM Food Pantry and Clothing Closet Happy Veteran's Day!

Mother Cabrini 40 Hours Devotion

November 9th, 10th & 11th

We are pleased to have with us Friar Rich Rome, OFM, Conv., who is presently serving as Parochial Vicar of St. Casimir Church, Balltimore, Maryland. Friar Rich served at Mother Cabrini, OLOH and St. Patrick during his Apostolic year. Eucharistic Devotions will begin at 6 PM all three evenings.

Pork and Sauerkraut Dinner

Knights of Columbus, Mt. Carmel Sunday, November 16 11 AM until sold out

Donation: \$12 Eat in or take out

Our Lady of Hope Family Advent Wreath Workshop

Saturday, November 22.......11:00 AM
Donation: \$25 Includes Wreath, Candles,
Decorations & Snacks
Don't miss a visit with Jolly Old St. Nick!
To register call OLOH office at 570-648-4432.

Pierogies....

Will be made on Monday, November 17. Please call the parish office to place your order.

Turkey Raffle

Turkey Raffle tickets are available for pick-up in the vestibule of the church. Please return your tickets as soon as possible. Drawing will be held on Sunday, November 23rd.

Deacon's Corner

On this Sunday, we celebrate the feast of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica in Rome. This feast day celebrates the anniversary of the dedication of the Basilica of St. John Lateran, which is the cathedral church of the Pope and the "mother church" of all Catholic churches. Today's scriptural readings celebrate the dedication of this Basilica and focus on a deeper spiritual reality.

In the gospel according to St. John, Jesus cleanses the Temple in Jerusalem. Then, He proclaims, "Destroy this temple and in three days I will raise it up." The Gospel explains, "He was speaking about the temple of his Body. Therefore, when He was raised from the dead, His disciple remembered that He had said this . . . " These passages emphasize that Jesus Christ, Our Savior, is the true sanctuary and dwelling place of God. In our second reading, St. Paul tells us, "Brothers and sisters: You are God's building. Do you not know that you are the temple of God, and that the Spirit of God dwells in you?" Each one of us are the living stones of His Church. Jesus loves, heals, and renews us in our faith as his disciples. We are renewed by the Holy Eucharist, the holy sacraments, His living words in Scripture and by serving our sisters and brothers. On this feast, may we pray, "Heavenly Father, you dwell in the hearts of your faithful. Renew your Church and make each of us a living stone in the temple of Christ's body.

OPEN HOUSE

Our Lady of Lourdes Regional School Wednesday, November 19, 2025 5 PM to 7 PM

Discover Catholic Schools Week-November 16-22
Discover what makes Lourdes Regional a special
place to learn and grow!
See Bulletin insert for more information.

Our Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion team members who are registered Geisinger volunteers (Karen, Jane, Karen, Archie, Pat and Deacon Bob) visited 259 Catholic patients at Geisinger-Shamokin during October 2025 to pray and/or administer Holy Communio. These dedicated volunteers visit patients at the hospital seven days a week. If you have any questions about this ministry contact Deacon Bob at OLOH.