



OUR LADY OF HOPE CHURCH

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October 20, 2024

Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

The Week Ahead

Saturday, October 19

4:00 PM - Mass +Nellie, +Al Senior & +Alfie
Nezerskie

Sunday, October 20 World Mission Sunday

8:00 AM - Mass +Paul Metrocavage
Members of Our Lady of Hope and
St. Patrick Parishes

11:00 AM - Mass +Mary Sedlock

6:30 PM - Opening of the St. Jude Novena

Wednesday, October 23

12:00 PM - Holy Hour in Our Lady of Hope Chapel

Saturday, October 26 Bishop Senior Celebrant

4:00 PM - Mass +Joseph Angelo

Sunday, October 27

8:00 AM - Mass +Joseph Angelo

Members of Our Lady of Hope and
St. Patrick Parishes

11:00 AM - Mass +Sonny Worhacz

Monday, October 28 Closing Mass for the St. Jude Novena

6:30 PM - Mass +Mary Laczkoskie

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 4:00 PM Sunday 8:00 AM & 11:00 AM

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday through Friday 8:00 AM @ Mother Cabrini
Tuesday and Thursday 8:00 AM @ St. Patrick

HOLY DAY MASS SCHEDULE

Vigil: 6:00 PM - St. Patrick's Church
Holy Day: 12:00 PM - OLOH Church

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 3:15PM to 3:45 PM

SACRAMENTS OF BAPTISM & MARRIAGE

Call the parish Office

Our Lady of Hope Staff

Friar Nicholas Spano, OFM Conv.....Pastor of Our Lady of Hope
Friar Timothy Geiger, OFM Conv.....Parochial Vicar
Deacon Bob Wislock.....Pastoral Associate
Lori Collins-Keefer.....Office Manager
Rose Zawalick.....Director of Religious Education
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Mary Gillam.....Religious Education
Brady Collins.....Custodian
Bonnie Bailey.....Custodian
Tom Golumbfskie.....Custodian
Daniel Thomas.....Music Director



Holy Hour

Wednesdays
12:00 Noon

Holy Spirit Chapel

In the Parish Office Building
863 W. Chestnut St., Coal Township

Ministers Schedule

Saturday, October 26

4:00 PM

Lector: C Kruskie

Minister: Deacon

Sunday, October 27

8:00 AM

Lector: S Hoffman

E Minister: D Hoffman

11:00 AM

Lector: K Wislock

Minister: Deacon

God's Plan for Giving

10/13/2024

Offertory Collection \$4330.00

\$4807 is needed each week to meet our \$250,000 Offertory budget for the year. Our Offertory collection for 10/13/24 was \$477 under budget.



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In Loving Memory

+Nellie Nezerski

Blessed Mother Candle - by Your Loving Children

St. Anne Candle - by Joanie & Don

+Lottie Urbanski

Infant of Prague Candle - by Loretta Brown

St. Jude Novena



A solemn novena for St. Jude Thaddeus, an Apostle and Patron Saint of Hope and Hopeless Causes, is being held at Our Lady of Hope Church, 863 West Chestnut Street, Coal Township beginning today Sunday, October 20 to Monday, October 28 (9 consecutive days). The novena will begin at 6:30 p.m. each evening. On Saturday,

October 26, Most Reverend Timothy Senior, Bishop of Harrisburg Diocese, will be the celebrant at the 4 p.m. Mass. There will be a closing mass on Monday, October 28. On the other nights of novena, there will be prayers, a brief reflection, music, and the veneration of the true relic. Please join us. All are welcome.



Confessions in the Area

Our Lady of Hope - Saturday

3:15 PM - 3:45 PM

Mother Cabrini - Tuesday & Thursday

7:30 AM - 7:50 AM

Pray for the Sick

Please pray for all who are sick, hospitalized, or undergoing medical tests especially:

Connie Yucha, Paul Pachuski, Gene Snyder, McKenzie Navaara, Natalie Broskley, Mary Ann Brass, Bill Danisevich, Joe Mazzatesta, Christine Noll, Mike Noll, Chris Zalewski, Jake Ozga, Terry Venefskie, Tiffany Marie, Francis Koczur, Kim Plasters, Victor Sassani Jr., Shelly Little, Rosemary Rogowsky, Ramona Cambria, Patti (Hoffman) Pantalone, Brian Shaffer, Jack Dougherty, Sue Zarski, Don Blessing, Lorretta Buggy, Shawn Minnier, Mike Orleski, Cassie Bennett, Jay McAndrew, Bill Bordell, Marie Kosmer, Nicole Voeckler, Kathy Lenig, Debbie Christian, Gary Snyder, Vincent Makowski, Courtney Shirmer, Thomas Purcell, Joyce Koczur, Lottie Reiprish, Sharon Eby Johnson, Al Zawalick, Ryker Lenker, Mike Wehr, Joanne Scotko, Patty Bohaczyk, Sue Berger, Linda Venn, Vince Wargo, Randy Taylor, Mike Deptula, Michael Tetkoskie, Kathy Hoffman, Pamela Siren, Lorraine Schenewerk, Debra Heitzman, Avery Bull, Vince Mirack, Peggy Snyder, Darrell, Kenny Arbogast, Eddie Linkus, Raymond Varney, Tom Golumbskie, Linda Romanoski, Corey Sosnoskie, Jenn W, Gloria Breisch, Deb Breisch, Dixie Reed-Kovack, Gordon Young and John Zawalick.

To submit the name of an individual in need of prayers for the bulletin prayer list, please call Rose at 570-648-4432, or email at rzawalick@hbgdiocese.org.

Knights of Columbus Shamokin Council #458



A pack-n-play is located in the vestibule of the church for donations to the Pregnancy Care Center sponsored by the Knights of Columbus. All proceeds will benefit the life-saving work of the Corner of Hope Pregnancy Care Center, Shamokin. Currently needed are:

Diapers (NB-size 5, wipes, thermometers, cool mist humidifiers, baby body wash/shampoo, baby powder, baby gates, boys & girls clothing (sizes 0-18 months, 4T & 5T).



Choir Practice

Come join us at 6:30 PM every

Monday for practice.

OUR LADY OF HOPE PARISH

SPAGHETTI DINNER

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2024
PARISH HALL - OAK & CHESTNUT ST

4:00 PM TO 7:00 PM

Eat In or Take Out

\$15 - Spaghetti, Meatballs, Salad,
Bread, Dessert & Beverage

Adult beverages will be available for purchase WITH
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Deacon's Corner St. Pope John Paul II

The optional memorial of St. Pope John Paul II will be celebrated on Tuesday, October 22. St. John Paul II was born Karol Jozef Wojtyla in 1920 in Wadowice, Poland. After being ordained a priest in Poland, he became an auxiliary bishop. In 1964, he was selected as the Archbishop of Krakow and participated in the Second Vatican Council.

Archbishop Wojtyla was elected pope, the 263rd successor to St. Peter, in October 1978 and took the name John Paul II. Pope John Paul II led the initiatives in the creation of the Catechism of the Catholic Church (CCC) and the Code of Canon Law for the Latin Church and for the Eastern Churches. In a missionary spirit, he met and greeted millions of people in his papal ministry. He also attracted young people to the Church by beginning the celebration of World Youth Day.

Lech Walesa, the first President of Poland after the fall of Communism, credited St. John Paul II with giving the Polish people the courage to demand change. Pope John Paul II encouraged a spiritual and cultural resistance to the Communist occupation of Poland, giving the people hope in the face of oppression.

Pope John Paul II passed on to eternal life on Saturday, April 2, 2005, the vigil of Sunday of Divine Mercy Sunday, which he had instituted. He was canonized by Pope Francis on April 17, 2014. There is a national shrine dedicated to St. John Paul II in Washington, DC. On this day, may we reflect about one of his quotes, "The more ready you are to give yourself to God and to others, the more you discover the authentic meaning of life."



Boscov's "Friends Helping Friends" \$5 discount certificates provide individuals a 25% discount shopping pass on the lowest sales prices at Boscov's for one day only on Tuesday, October 22, 2024 are available in the office and after Mass. Tickets can be used at the store or online. Our parish will receive 100% of the certificate sales. [To purchase, the certificates will be available in the church vestibule after weekend masses or in the parish office \(Monday - Thursday 9 am - 3 pm\).](#)



Farmer Cheese Pierogie

November 4 & 5

\$15.00/dozen

To order, call 570-648-4432 and press 7 during the menu options. This is the Pierogie Order voicemail box and will let you know if our quota has been met.

*****There are no standing orders. All orders must be placed by Wednesday, October 30, by 3:00 PM unless the quota has been met.*****

We are in need of Pierogie workers to keep this fundraiser alive. If you can volunteer a few hours of your time, Sunday, 8:30 AM to clean the potatoes, and Monday anytime after 9:00 AM to help pinch the Pierogie please come to the Parish hall or call Nicola's at 570-648-6149.

There is a great need for help cleaning up after the pierogie are made. Please consider donating some time to help once a month with the clean up.



HALLOWEEN MOVIE NIGHT AND PARTY

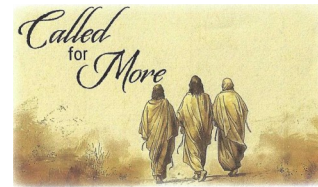
Our Lady of Hope 3rd annual Halloween Pumpkin and movie Bash will be held on Thursday, October 31 from 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM in the Parish Center. All school age children are encouraged to come join the fun! You can "dress up" and show your costume, or just come for the movie and treats!

Hurricane Victims



Please pray for the victims of Hurricane Helene, the souls who have died and for all those still missing. Local Catholic Charities Agencies are in the affected communities providing essential services and support to those in need. To make a contribution to help please visit Catholic Charities at

<https://www.catholiccharitiesusa.org/?>



The Disciple Maker Index (DMI) is open and we need to hear from you! Complete the 10-15 minute survey as soon as possible in one of the following ways:

1. Online at <https://portal.catholicleaders.org/dmi/survey/b778pb> Select our parish from the list
2. Paper - copies are in the vestibule of the church or at the parish office. Return the completed survey via collection basket or drop off at the office.

The DMI will only be available until November 24. As part of the Diocesan *Called for More* initiative, the survey will ask you to reflect on your own spiritual growth and on our parish's efforts to help you become the best disciple you can be. The information gathered will be used to plan for the future so we can become a more faith-filled, vibrant community. The greater the participation, the more reliable the information will be for effective decision-making. All responses will be confidential.

Peace, Fr. Nick



Thank You

A big shout out to all sellers and buyers of our October Lottery Calendars. Through your dedicated efforts the Parish realized a profit of \$1550.00!



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