

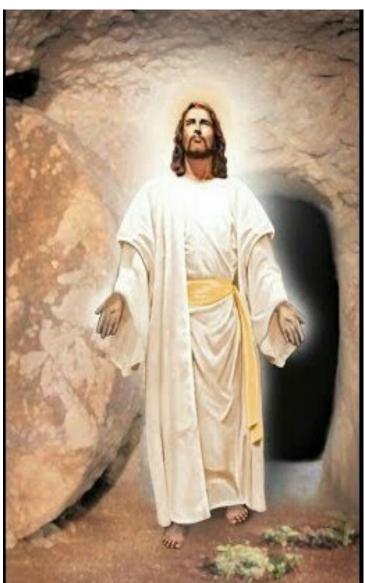
OUR LADY OF HOPE CHURCH

863 w Chestnut St Coal Township, PA 17866 570-648-4432



March 31, 2024 Easter Sunday

The Week Ahead



Saturday, March 30 Holy Saturday

4:00 PM - Mass +George Klemick

Sunday, March 31 Easter Sunday

10:30 AM - Mass +Frank Povish

Members of Our Lady of Hope and St. Patrick Parishes

Wednesday, April 3

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

Saturday, April 6

4:00 PM - Mass +Florence McClain

Sunday, April 7 Divine Mercy

8:00 AM - Mass +Vincent Buckwash

11:00 AM - Mass +Shirley Burger

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St. Patrick Parishes



Ministers Schedule

Saturday, April 6

4:00 PM

Lector: K Wislock Minister: Deacon

Sunday, April 7

8:00 AM

Lector: S Hoffman

Extraordinary Minister: D Hoffman

11:00 AM

Lector: S Nicola Minister: Deacon

God's Plan for Giving 3/17/2024

Offertory Collection \$4080.00

Catholic Relief 460.00

\$5423 is needed each week to meet our \$280,000 Offertory budget for the year. Our collection for 3/03/24 was \$1343 under budget.



Tabernacle Candle

In Loving Memory +Margaret Forbes by Deacon Robert Wislock



In Loving Memory

+Michael Estock By Vince Mirack



Holy Hour

Wednesdays 12:00 Noon

Holy Spirit Chapel

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

Parish Office Closed

Our office will be closed Monday, April 1 In celebration of the Easter Holiday



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, Jimmy Lenig, Terry Venefskie, Tiffany Marie, Francis Koczur, Kim Plasters, Jane Klembara, Victor Sassani Jr., William T. Dietzler, Shelly Little, Andrew Wislock, Rosemary Rogowsky, Sam Bressi, Ramona Cambria, Dave Moore, Barb Gotaskie, 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, Steve Tehansky, Courtney Shirmer, Thomas Purcell, Joyce Koczur, Lottie Reiprish, Jake Temple, Sharon Eby Johnson, Al Zawalick, Chuck Pensyl, Ryker Lenker, Mike Wehr, Joanne Scotko, Patty Bohaczyk, Sue Berger, Linda Venn, Dennis Bobber, Vince Wargo, Randy Taylor and Mike Deptula.

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.



Choir Practice

Come join us at 7:00 PM every Wednesday for practice.



First Penance/Communion Information



April 27 - First Communion Retreat Our Lady of Hope Parish Center 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM for candidates and parents. Children will receive their First Penance at the end of the retreat.

May 8 - First Communion Practice for Our Lady of Hope students at 6:00 PM at Our Lady of Hope Church.

May 12 - First Communion and May Crowning at Our Lady of Hope 11:00 AM Mass.

Pilgrim Icon of St. Joseph

The Pilgrim Icon of St. Joseph, sponsored by the Pennsylvania Knights of Columbus, will be presented to our parish on Saturday, April 13, 2024 at the 4:00 PM Mass and will remain at the church until Wednesday, April 17, 2024. The K of C Council will be scheduling special prayer services to spread devotion to St. Joseph and profess the mission of Knights to protect, defend and raise future generations in our Catholic faith.

DEACON'S CORNER Easter

Rejoicing in the Glorious Resurrection of Jesus Christ may your hearts be filled with love and joy on this blessed Easter Sunday. "This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad. (Psalm 118:24)."

Knights of Columbus Annual Easter Dinner

The Shamokin Knights of Columbus will be serving a FREE traditional holiday meal on

Sunday March 31, 2024 from 11:00 - 2:00

The meal consists of ham, mashed potatoes, gravy, vegetable, and dessert.

Eat-In and Take Out available.

Celebrating your 50th Wedding Anniversary

Were you married in 1974? In honor of your 50th Wedding Anniversary, there will be a special Mass and reception on Sunday, July 7, 2024, at 2:00 p.m. at Good Shepherd Parish in Camp Hill. Bishop Timothy C. Senior will be the celebrant. To receive an invitation, please contact the parish office by April 5th.



Our Lady of Hope Spring Food Sale and Basket Raffle

Friday, May 17 - 4 PM to 7 PM Saturday, May 18 - 11 AM - 3 PM

In the Parish Hall
Take Out Only

Menu: Haluski, Potato Cakes, Potato Cake batter, Pigeons, Sweet Sausage Hoagie, Pierogi & Baked Goods.

Volunteers are needed to prepare and serve the food at this parish event. Please call the office at

570-648-4432 to volunteer.

We will also be having our <u>Theme Basket and Gift Card Raffle</u>. Please consider donating a basket or a gift card by dropping them off to the office (M-Thur. 9 am - 3 pm). Examples: Tool Time, Italian Market, Bath & Beauty, Wine Basket, etc. Gift cards are also a great idea.

Others ways to support this event is to provide a monetary donation. These donations will help with supplies; or, at your request, a basket or gift card. Donations of Crisco oil will be gratefully accept. Your donations may be brought to the office or placed in the collection basket. Thank you for your continued support.



Potato Pierogie

April 8 & 9

\$12.00/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.

Orders must be placed by Wednesday, April 3 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 Tom Nicola 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.



Our Lady of Hope Spring food Sale and Basket Raffle Planning Meeting

Tuesday, April 9, 2024 at 6:00 PM

Our Lady of Hope Parish Center

This one hour meeting will focus on organizing our food sale and basket raffle. Please consider attending this meeting to make our spring event another great success!

Many hands make light work!

Religious Education

Our next Religious Education Class will be held on Sunday, April 7 at 9:45 AM. At 10:45 AM, we will walk the students down to attend the 11:00 Mass.

Counseling Ministry

Heart of Mercy Counseling Ministry (Sisters of the Good Shepherd), in the Danville area has two licensed therapists available to serve adults for individual or couples counseling. In-person or virtual counseling options.

Please contact either one of them to schedule an appointment if you are seeking faith-based counseling:

Sr. Mary Frances Altavilla, Licensed Clinical Social Worker 410-245-0870 <u>faltavilla@hotmail.com</u>

OR:

Sr. Patricia Marie Barnette, Licensed Professional Counselor **352-328-8145** <u>guadalupe531@aol.com</u> (in Coal Township on Mondays)







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