



OUR LADY OF HOPE CHURCH

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April 28, 2024

Fifth Sunday of Easter

The Week Ahead

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

Saturday, April 27

4:00 PM - Mass +Florence Hojnacki

Sunday, April 28

8:00 AM - Mass +Margaret & +Leo Forbes

Members of Our Lady of Hope and
 St. Patrick Parishes

11:00 AM - Mass +Randy Keim

Wednesday, May 1

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

Saturday, May 4

4:00 PM - Mass +Eugene Fleming

Sunday, May 5

8:00 AM - Mass +George Cingle Jr.

11:00 AM - Mass +Ann Shepos

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 St. Patrick Parishes

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
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 Mary Gillam.....Religious Education
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 Bonnie Bailey.....Custodian
 Tom Golumbfskie.....Custodian
 Daniel Thomas.....Music Director



Jesus Is...
 The Vine

We Are To Be...
 The Branches

John 15:1-17

Ministers Schedule

Saturday, May 4

4:00 PM

Lector: L Ferrari

E Minister: C Kruskie

Sunday, May 5

8:00 AM

Lector: S Hoffman

E Minister: D Hoffman

11:00 AM

Lector: G Kovalick

E Minister: C Alexander

God's Plan for Giving

4/21/2024

Offertory Collection \$4336.00

Debt Reduction 68.00

\$5423 is needed each week to meet our \$280,000 Offertory budget for the year. Our collection for 4/21/24 was \$1087 under budget.



St. Anthony Candle

Special Intention



In Loving Memory

+Elizabeth Wilson

By

Mr. & Mrs. Eugene Humphrey



First Penance/Communion Information



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.

Never Alone – Young Adult Retreat

Come join other young adults, married or single, in their 20s and 30s from the Diocese of Harrisburg for an overnight weekend retreat Friday, May 24 - Sunday, May 26. This year's retreat focus will be on the theme Never Alone. The cost includes all retreat activities, three meals on Saturday, Sunday Brunch, and lodging. For more information or to register visit:

<https://www.hbgdiocese.org/neveralone>



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, Mike Deptula, Colleen Smith, Michael Tetkoskie, Kathy Hoffman, Pamela Siren, Lorraine Schenewerk and Debra Heitzman.

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.



Please join us in welcoming

Noah Matthew Fletcher

Son of Matthew & Kayla

Who was Baptized on April 21, 2024



K of C Casey Club Shamokin

All you can eat breakfast - Sunday April 28, 2024

8:00 AM - 11:00 AM

Adults \$10, Children \$5 (under age 10)



Friar Rich Rome's Ordination. . .

Friar Rich Rome will be Ordained into the Priesthood on Saturday, June 8th, 2024 at St. Casimir's Church, Baltimore. Friar Nick would like to charter a bus to attend Fr. Rich's Ordination. This depends on the number of responses to attend from Mother Cabrini, Our Lady of Hope and St. Patrick Churches. Please call the parish office at 570-648-4432 (OLOH) or 570-797-8251 (St. Patrick) if you are interested in attending his ordination. Please respond ASAP so that we know to reserve a bus for this occasion.

DEACON'S CORNER

Memorial of Saint Catherine of Siena, Virgin and Doctor

The Memorial of Saint Catherine of Siena, Virgin and Doctor of the Church, will be celebrated on Monday April 29. St. Catherine entered the Dominican Third Order at the age of 18. The Third Order was composed of lay people who lived at home and worked in the world. They served the poor and the sick. For the first several years, Catherine lived mostly a life of seclusion and prayer. Later, she began an active ministry helping the poor, sick, and imprisoned in Siena, Italy. When the Bubonic plague struck Europe, St. Catherine and her companions cared for the people affected by this disease. St. Catherine wrote many letters and prayers to kings, queens, and government officials. During her last two years in Rome and the Great Schism in the Church, she worked for the unity of the Church under Pope Urban VI.

One of her greatest gifts to the Church was her written work, "The Dialogue of Divine Providence." It is a conversation between a soul and the Father in Heaven. St. Catherine and St. Francis of Assisi in 1939 were declared co-patrons of Italy. Pope Paul VI also named her and St. Teresa of Avila doctors of the Church in 1970. St. Catherine is the patron saint of Italy, nurses, and the sick. She is often invoked against miscarriages, fires, and temptations.

On her feast day, may we pray, "My Father, my sweet Lord, help me in all my actions. Jesus, love. Jesus, Love. Amen."



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

Menu: Haluski, Potato Cakes, Potato Cake batter, Pigeons, Sweet Sausage Hoagie, Pierogi & Baked Goods. Eat in or Take out available.

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 Theme Basket and Gift Card Raffle. 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.

PLACING FLAGS ON VETERANS GRAVES

Plan to Make Time to Honor Our Veterans,
SUNDAY, MAY 5th (Rain Date Sunday May 19th)

Mother Cabrini Church and the Shamokin Knights will be placing flags on the Veterans graves in our cemeteries for Memorial Day.

The plan is to meet at the flag pole memorial atop the hill (above the ball field) on Sunday, May 5th at 1PM. Please come and join us as we honor our veterans with this "hands on" project.

Any amount of time that you can donate will be greatly appreciated. Many hands and feet of...the young and old, men and women, teens and children will make light work! I hope to see as many as possible honoring our veterans. Thank you! *Friar Jim, Pastor*



Potato Pierogie

May 6 & 7

\$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, May 1 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.

Diocesan Annual Campaign



As of April 21, 2024, the amount collected toward our assessment of \$29,373.58 for 2024 is \$7663.00.

Thank you for your contributions!



St. Patrick's Bingo

St. Patrick Parish Hall, Trevorton, PA

May 5 - \$30/Ticket - Advance Ticket Sales Only

Doors open at 12:00 PM - Games Start at 2:00 PM

Rip-offs, Basket Raffle and 50/50 available.

Call the Parish Office at 570-797-8251 or call or text Deb at 570-274-0264 for tickets. .

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