



OUR LADY OF HOPE CHURCH

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April 21, 2024

Fourth 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 20

4:00 PM - Mass +Carl & +Frances Dabulis
 +Emilio & Mary Grace Scicchitano
 Members of Our Lady of Hope and
 St. Patrick Parishes

Sunday, April 21 World Day of Prayer for Vocations

8:00 AM - Mass +John Strocki
 11:00 AM - Mass +Helen Jean Porto

Wednesday, April 24

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

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

Our Lady of Hope Staff

Friar Nicholas Spano, OFM Conv.....Pastor of Our Lady of Hope
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 Deacon Bob Wislock.....Pastoral Associate
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 Mary Gillam.....Religious Education
 Brady Collins.....Custodian
 Bonnie Bailey.....Custodian
 Tom Golumbfskie.....Custodian
 Daniel Thomas.....Music Director



Ministers Schedule

Saturday, April 27

4:00 PM

Lector: T Golumbfskie

E Minister: J Meyer

Sunday, April 28

8:00 AM

Lector: P Sosnoskie

E Minister: C Sosnoskie

11:00 AM

Lector: S Nicola

E Minister: R Witt



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 and Lorraine Schenewerk.

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.

God's Plan for Giving

4/14/2024

Offertory Collection \$4922.00

Easter 105.00

Debt Reduction 742.00

\$5423 is needed each week to meet our \$280,000 Offertory budget for the year. Our collection for 4/14/24 was \$501 under budget.



Holy Hour

Wednesdays

12:00 Noon

Holy Spirit Chapel

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

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>



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.

Cabrini

Bishop Senior has viewed this film and encourages the faithful to also view the film. "Cabrini" is the story of St. Frances Xavier Cabrini and her advocacy for the equality, health and well being of Italian immigrants in the late 19th century. A new Easter trailer for the film is available at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QakPxCA>

Please join us in welcoming



Emma Nicole Beasley

Finnan James Beasley

Tanner Paul Beasley

Children of Jason & Nicole

and

Clayton James Jeremiah

Son of Paul and Angela

Who were Baptized on April 14, 2024



Choir Practice

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

DEACON'S CORNER

Deacon's Corner The Feast of St. Mark, Evangelist

During this fourth week of Easter, the feast of St. Mark, Evangelist is celebrated on Thursday, April 25. St. Mark was the son of Mary, who owned "the upper room," which served as the meeting place for the first Christians in Jerusalem (Acts 12:12). St. Mark is the author of one of the four Gospels and was a missionary in the early Church. He helped St. Paul and St. Barnabas in preaching the Gospel throughout Cyprus and the surrounding region.

In the Gospel according to St. Mark, he describes Jesus's life in a concise and vivid way. This Gospel is the shortest of all the Gospels containing 16 chapters and was written to help in the conversion of the Gentiles. In the first verse of this Gospel, Jesus is proclaimed as "the Son of God." There is evidence that St. Mark's Gospel was the first Gospel written around 60 A.D.

Later in life, according to tradition, St. Mark was ordained a bishop and sent to Alexandria, Egypt to preach the Good News. After twenty years of ministering to the people, he was martyred. St. Mark is the patron saint of attorneys, captives, and notaries. During this week, read and meditate on a verse or chapter in St. Mark's Gospel and ask Jesus to help you understand how it applies to your daily life. Like St. Mark, let us proclaim the Good News through our examples as we love Our Lord and our neighbors.

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*



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)



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. Must have ticket to enter and be 18 to claim prizes.



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.



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.

YARD SALE

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Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish

Fourth & Market Sts, Mount Carmel

Saturday April 27, 8:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Staggering amount of items, games, home décor etc.

Homemade food available for take out.

Rain date - Sunday April 28, 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM



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