



OUR LADY OF HOPE CHURCH

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March 17, 2024

Fifth Sunday of Lent

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, March 16

10:00 AM - Mass - Confirmation

4:00 PM - Mass +Vincent Buckwash

Sunday, March 17 St. Patrick's Day

8:00 AM - Mass +Jerome and +Elizabeth Thrick
Family

11:00 AM - Mass +Diana Kelley

Members of Our Lady of Hope
and St. Patrick Parishes

Wednesday, March 20

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

Saturday, March 23

4:00 PM - Mass +Eugene Fleming

Members of Our Lady of Hope and
St. Patrick Parishes

Sunday, March 24 Palm Sunday

10:30 AM - Mass +Frank Rosini

+Janet Albertini

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
Sam Nicola.....Religious Education
Mary Gillam.....Religious Education
Brady Collins.....Custodian
Bonnie Bailey.....Custodian
Tom Golumbskie.....Custodian
Daniel Thomas.....Music Director

Stations of the Cross



Stations of the Cross will be held every Friday during Lent at 12:00 Noon in Our Lady of Hope Church starting on Friday, February 16 and concluding on Friday, March 22. Stations will **not** be held on Good Friday, March 29.



Holy Hour

Wednesdays
12:00 Noon

Holy Spirit Chapel

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

Ministers Schedule

Saturday, March 23

4:00 PM

Lector: T Golumbskie, K Wislock

Minister: Deacon

Sunday, March 24

10:30 AM

Lector: B Leonhardt, S Nicola

Minister: Deacon

Thursday, March 28 - Holy Thursday

7:00 PM

Lector: B Leonhardt

Extraordinary Minister: S Nicola

Friday, March 29 - Good Friday

7:00 PM

Lector: S Nicola, B Leonhardt

Extraordinary Minister: P Sosnoskie

Saturday, March 30 - Holy Saturday - Easter Vigil

8:00 PM

Lector: S Nicola, B Leonhardt

Extraordinary Minister: R Zawalick, ONE NEEDED

March 31 - Easter Sunday

10:30 AM

Lector: P Sosnoskie

Extraordinary Minister: S Nicola



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, Panunat Shontz, 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.

God's Plan for Giving

3/10/2024

Offertory Collection \$5109.00

Diocesan Annual Campaign to date - \$2324

\$5423 is needed each week to meet our \$280,000 Offertory budget for the year. Our collection for 3/03/24 was \$ 314 under budget.

Holy Week Devotions

Holy Thursday

Mass - 7:00 PM - Our Lady of Hope & St. Patrick

Adoration until 10:00 PM

Good Friday

Passion Services - 7:00 PM - Our Lady of Hope & St. Patrick

Holy Saturday

Blessing of Baskets - 10:30 AM - St. Patrick

Easter Vigil Masses - 8:00 PM Our Lady of Hope & St. Patrick

Easter Sunday

9:00 AM - St. Patrick

10:30 AM - Our Lady of Hope



Congratulations

Please keep in your prayers, our students who received the Sacrament of Confirmation yesterday at Our Lady of Hope Church. Bishop Timothy Senior administered the Sacrament to the following:

Chase **David** Feudale

Meara **Margaret** Harmon

Braxton **Sebastian** Haupt

Sophie **Veronica** Karlovich

Jasmyn **Lucy** Post

Zelia **Elizabeth** Suchanick

Chayse **Dymphna** Willier

Northumberland Deanery Lenten Penance Services

Monday, March 18 - 7:00 P.M. **Holy Angels Church**

Tuesday, March 19 - 7:00 P.M. at **Divine Redeemer Church** (includes OLM) Mt. Carmel



DEACON'S CORNER

The Solemnity of St. Joseph

During the Lenten season, on Tuesday, March 19, we celebrate the Solemnity of St. Joseph, the husband of the Blessed Virgin Mary. St. Joseph is a model of humility and obedience to God's will. He faithfully followed God's instructions and took Mary into his home as his wife; protected Mary and Jesus in Bethlehem and during their journey to Egypt; and provided for his family as a carpenter in Nazareth. In 1870, Pope Pius IX named St. Joseph patron of the universal Church. He is the patron saint of carpenters, workers, and the dying.

In his apostolic letter, "With a Father's Heart," Pope Francis tells each one of us that "we can discover in St. Joseph, the man who goes unnoticed, a daily, discreet, and hidden presence, an intercessor, a support, and a guide in times of trouble. St. Joseph reminds us that those who appear hidden or in the shadows can play an incomparable role in the history of salvation." We too can make a difference in our unseen actions and words of Christ's love and mercy with other people in our daily lives.

On this feast day, we can celebrate this solemnity by attending daily mass, praying the "Litany of St. Joseph" (<https://www.usccb.org/prayers/litany-saint-joseph>), performing a corporal or spiritual act of mercy in his name, reading about him in such books as "Through Heart of St. Joseph" or participating in a popular tradition known as St. Joseph's Altar and St. Joseph's Dinner. (<https://www.simplycatholic.com/setting-a-table-for-st-josephs-day/>)

Area Fundraising Events

Saint Pauline Shrine

Huge 200+ Item Raffle

Pizza Buds Food Truck on-Site Sunday
Wednesday, March 13 (4:00 PM - 7:00 PM)

Friday, March 15 (12:00 PM - 6:00 PM)

Saturday, March 16 (11:00 AM - 4:00 PM)

Food available for purchase at the Pauline House
1150 Chestnut St., Kulpmont

K of C The Christopher Club, Mount Carmel

Palm Sunday Dinner, March 24., 11:00 AM until
sold out. Special roast beef dinner with all the
"fixins" and dessert.

\$12.00 - eat in or take out

Lenten Fish Dinners

Holy Angels Friday, March 22

Drive up to Activity Center Door—Donation \$10.00

MOTHER CABRINI EASTER EGGS

Mother Cabrini Parish in Shamokin is selling their delicious Milk Chocolate covered Peanut Butter and Coconut Easter Eggs @ \$1.00 each, \$6.00 per half dozen and \$12.00 per dozen. Easter Eggs are available at the Parish Office, 214 N. Shamokin Street, Shamokin during office hours, Monday through Thursday, 8AM to 4PM or by calling 570-648-4512.

Annual Yuengling Baked Haddock Dinner



Our annual parish haddock dinner will be held on Friday, **March 22 from 4 to 6 pm** in the parish hall. The dinner will include Yuengling baked haddock, mac & cheese, stewed tomatoes, roll and dessert. The donation is \$12 per person. Takeout only. [Tickets may be obtained after the weekend masses in the vestibule or by visiting the parish office Monday through Thursday from 9 am to 3 pm.](#)

To support our parish's haddock dinner on Friday, March 22, please consider donating a baked good for this event. These delicious treats will be included in each of the take out dinners. [The baked goods may be dropped off at the office on Thursday, March 21 from 9 am to 3 pm or on Friday, March 22 from 9 am to noon in the parish hall.](#)



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, March 27 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.

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.



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

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